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Scope and Contents

This collection of historic manuscripts dates from 1607-1933, with the bulk of materials dating from 1738-1868. The correspondence, journals and diaries, legal and financial records, estate documents, and printed ephemera in the collection primarily relate to the Washington and Custis families, the Revolutionary War,

and society life in antebellum Washington D.C. and Virginia.

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Items in this collection were acquired by gift and purchase from various sources. Materials are added to the collection as they are acquired.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged into three series: Series 1. Documents and Manuscripts; Series 2. Ledgers and Bound Manuscripts; Series 3. Oversized Documents and Manuscripts. Each series is arranged in chronological order by date.

Description of Subordinate Components

Series 1. Documents and Manuscripts
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/7016
Text B:1 - D:8 (Shelf)
Language English.

Manuscripts Box 1
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19039
Unit Date 1607 - 1740
Text 1 (box)
Language English.

Deposition or lease signed by Lawrence Washington
Unit ID RM-683; MS-4629
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5502
Unit Date 1607 June 23
Text 1 (box)
Container 1607.06.23 (folder)
Language English.
Creator Washington, Lawrence, 1565-1616
Scope and Contents
A.D.S. 3 pages. Docketed "Crompe and others. con. cutbush et al ... 1607. order. or Decree." and "A Decree for the platts against Cutbush." The signer is thought to be Lawrence Washington (d. 1616) of Sulgrave, England, grandfather of Colonel John Washington, the immigrant. However, it's possible the signer was Sir Lawrence Washington (1549-1619) who served as Registrar of His Majesty's Court of Chancery and great uncle of George Washington.

Legal document signed by Lawrence Washington and Henry Thoresby
Unit ID RM-901; MS-5401
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/22982
Unit Date ca. 1615
Text 1 (box)
Container 1615.00.00 (folder)
Language English.
Creator Washington, Lawrence, 1565-1616
Scope and Contents
D.S. 2 pages. Accessioned as a "legal document" signed by Lawrence Washington and Henry Thoresby in 1615. Elizabethan handwriting makes it difficult to decipher the purpose of the document or the actual date. The signer is thought to be Lawrence Washington (d. 1616) of Sulgrave, England,

grandfather of Colonel John Washington, the immigrant. However, it's possible the signer was Sir Lawrence Washington (1549-1619) who served as Registrar of His Majesty's Court of Chancery and great uncle of George Washington.

Land grant for John Washington

Unit ID RM-810; MS-5226

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5503

Unit Date 1667 October 30

Text 1 (box)

Container 1667.10.30 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John, -1677

Scope and Contents

Document granting 1500 acres of land to Lt. Col. John Washington "for ye transportation thirty servants into this Colony ..." Lists the names of 28 servants and "Two Negroes." Signed by Anthony Bridges. Nicholas Spencer listed as one of the justices at Westmoreland County court where transaction is approved. Washington gained several thousands of acres in this manner.

Keywords

Land grants

Spencer, Nicholas, 1633-1677

Order to register patent of land

Unit ID RM-374; MS-3128

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5504

Unit Date 1674 March 9

Text 1 (box)

Container 1674.03.09 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John, -1677

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Recorded in Stafford on March 12, 1690. Registered in deed book Thomas Lee. Addressed to "Mr. William [ ] our agent in Virginia" survey by John Alexander on April 27, 1669 granting 5000 acres to Spencer and Washington is patented and ordered registered.

Keywords

Legal documents

Land grant to Nicholas Spencer and John Washington

Unit ID A-516

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5505

Unit Date 1677

Text 1 (box)

Container 1677.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John, -1677

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Grant of 5000 acres in Stafford County [later Fairfax County] "in the freshes of the Potomacke river", opposite Piscataway village and between Little Hunting Creek and Epsiwasson Creek [Mount Vernon], "said land being due ... for the transportation of one hundred into this Colony."

Early copy of original grant, endorsed in hand of Genl. Washington on back "Govr. Jeffreys Grant for 5000 acs. to Colo. Nicholas Spencer and Lt. Colo. Jno. Washington 1677", watermark (crown over GR).

Legal document, relating to Thomas and Sarah Grosham

Unit ID 2023-SC-003-006

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/34524

Unit Date 1687

Text 1 (box)

Container 1687.00.00 (folder)

Language Latin, English .

Extent 1 Sheets1 page, on vellum

Scope and Contents

Legal document from 1687, written on vellum. The first first paragraph is written in Latin; the subsequent text is in English. Appears to be dated 20 May 1687, and describes a legal obligation from Thomas Grosham and his wife Sarah to Richard Newsome(?). Document was witnessed by Rich Nicholson, [second name unclear], and Hen. Washington. The document and the second signature may be in the same hand.

Keywords

Legal documents

Bargain and sale of Little Hunting Creek from Matthew Thompson to Charles Rose

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5506

Unit Date 1688 March 14

Text 1 (box)

Container 1688.03.14 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D.S. 2 pages. Conveyance of 300 acres of a patent of 1906 acres of land on Little Hunting Creek, Stafford County [later Fairfax] for 3000 [ ] of good tobacco. Endorsed in hand of General Washington on reverse "Thompson to Rose Bargain and Sale 14th March 1688" and also in another hand. Signed on reverse by Thompson and witnesses. Sale acknowledged on May 8, 1689, by Richard Gibson and Ma [ ] Thompson.

Survey, Spencer Washington tract

Unit ID A-516; W-648/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5507

Unit Date 1690 September 18

Text 1 (box)

Container 1690.09.18 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Brent, George

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Survey by George Brent of part of the land granted to Nicholas Spencer and John Washington. On reverse is a transcript of the grant by Lord Culpeper to Spencer and Washington. See under date March 1, 1674.

Keywords

Land surveys

Washington, John, -1677

Spencer, Nicholas, 1633-1677

Indenture, Deed of lease from George Searles to John Bushrod

Unit ID RM-789; MS-5186

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5508

Unit Date 1693 March 21

Text 1 (box)

Container 1693.03.21 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Deed of lease to John Bushrod (ancestor of Bushrod Washington) for "Searles" plantation

to include "all houses, outhouse buildings Gardens Orchards ..." Witnessed by James Westcomb and William Scott.

Excerpts from the will of John Custis

Unit ID H-1085/e

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5509

Unit Date 1708 December 3

Text 1 (box)

Container 1708.12.03 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Excerpts of Last will and Testament of John Custis grandfather of Daniel Parke Custis. Integral cover addressed to Major John Custis, watermarked (crown over heraldic shield). Test copy by "Robert Howson C Cir Ct Northampt."

1. Chifonessex Plantation and Arlington house with 250 to John Custis, his son. -- 2. All male cattle on Smith's and Mackeon Islands. -- 3. 1 large silver dish, six large silver plates, one large silver basin, 2 silver candlesticks with a silver snuffer dish, 2 silver snuffers, 1 good feather bed and furniture, choice of pistols and holsters, best sword. -- 4. All rest of land at Pocomock not disposed of in his lifetime. -- 5. Quarter part of the Brigenton the Northampton built by John Bowden; the biggest silver tankard and "my fathers picture now hanging in my hall". -- 6. The male cattle given in will bars him of further claim owed him.

Letter, William Byrd to John Custis, enclosing copy of Daniel Parke's will and two related documents

Unit ID RM-770; MS-5099

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33172

Unit Date 1711 July 2

Unit Date 1710 October 27

Unit Date 1757 May

Text 1 (box)

Container 1711.07.02 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Byrd, William, 1674-1744

Extent 3 Sheets3 separate documents. enclosed will is very fragile.16 x 21 cm, 15 x 19 cm, 19 x 8 cm

Scope and Contents

William Byrd writes to his brother-in-law John Custis, enclosing a will of their father-in-law Daniel Parke (dated 1710 December 7) regarding inheritance to their wives Frances and Lucy, daughters of Daniel Parke. Autograph document signed, 3 pages. Additional documents include a 1710 October 27 legal note regarding court settlement involving Daniel Parke - autograph document signed, small sheet; and an unrelated document with a list of receipts dated May 1757 of payments received from Daniel Parke Custis written, dated, and signed for in the hand of each creditor, autograph document signed, 2 pages.

Keywords

Correspondence

Wills

Receipts (financial records)

Legal documents

Parke, Daniel, 1664 or 1665-1710

Custis, John, 1678-1749

Custis, Daniel Parke, 1711-1757

Letter, Katherine Chester to Frances Parke Custis

Unit ID H-1085/d

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5510

Unit Date 1712 March 23

Text 1 (box)

Container 1712.03.23 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Thanks her for letter--gives her an opportunity to write her and assure her that she is not ambitious if she had the watch she would return it to her--the barbarous murder of Genl. Parke plundered him of all--there is little or nothing of it restored though he had six or seven thousand pounds--they are not even being punished--wishes all relatives of Parke would petition the Queen--"tis a greif beyond expression to se the injustice that is done so great a man"--sorry that she is such a sufferer by the General's will--it was never her desire to have any part of his estate--if it is in her power to help it her estate will not be burdened with the debts--the new general has seized some of the estate and talks of taking more--she has a small silver basin and ladle of Genl. Parke's--either or both are at her service.

Docketed "a letter giving an acct. of Col. Parke's death." Name on original manuscript appears as "K. Chester."

Keywords

Correspondence

Deed, Dogue Creek, Hon. Catherine Lady Fairfax to Sampson Darrell

Unit ID 2022-SC-007-021

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32665

Unit Date 1717 November 26

Text 1 (box)

Container 1717.11.26 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Fairfax, Catherine Culpeper, Baroness, -1719

Extent 1 Sheets1 page, 2 pages with text42 x 25 cm

Scope and Contents

Sampson Darrell deed for Dogue Creek land, George Washington's copy. Virginia deed for land described as located in Stafford County [Fairfax County], granted to Sampson Darrell for 162 acres by the Right Hon. Catherine Lady Fairfax, sole proprietor of the Northern neck of Virginia. Dated November 26, 1717 with a separate docket in the handwriting of George Washington relating to the 1717 deed that came into his possession after he purchased the land in his expansion of the Mount Vernon plantation in the late 1750's. This grant to Sampson Darrell in the Northern Neck was originally for 200 acres but was corrected and regranted to Lady Catherine Culpeper in 1717 in the amount of 162 acres which George Washington later acquired. 1 sheet with fragment.

Keywords

Deeds

Real property

Dogue Run Farm

Darrell, Sampson, -1777

Custodial History

George Washington Masonic National Memorial Catalog No. 1967.01.02

Manuscript, History of Daniel Parke

Unit ID H-1085/b

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5511

Unit Date 1724

Text 1 (box)

Container 1724.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D. 3 pages. Daniel Parke has Virginian and English estates--heavily in debt--his wife [Jane] the daughter of Philip Ludwell had a considerable fortune--two daughters: Frances married to John Custis and Lucy married to Wm. Byrd--in 1705 Queen Ann made him Governor of Leward Islands held this for 5 years and acquired considerable estate there--in Dec. 1710 he was murdered by the inhabitants "who

plundered his house of all his plate, mony, jewells, and household stuff"--no reparation ever made--the pretense for this was the suspicion that the Governor was too familiar with some of their wives namely Mrs. Chester by whom he was supposed to have a child--confirmd this by his liberality to the child (at his death too young to be christened)--by his will left all his estate in the Leward Islands for the use of his child called Lucy Chester--the mother Katherine Chester--if Lucy died before she came of age he "began at last to remember his lawfull children", gave Frances Custis all his estate in Virginia and England--willing that his daughter should pay the legacies hereafter mentiond and all his debts--hard upon her however Mr. Custis and his wife discharged all the debts due both in England and Virginia amounting to many thousand pounds and then paid the legacies--got no account of debts in the Leward Islands--Mrs. Custis wrote the executor Mr. Rhodny--he said very few of the General's papers came to hand, the mob having destoyed them--a Mr. Perry owed money--now at last after more than 14 yrs. are past a man who calls himself Dunbar Parke, married to Lucy Chester, demands L10,000 of Mr. Custis (Frances long since dead) for debts owed by Daniel Parke in the Leward Islands--no notice ever given of such debts before--since all estates and debts in the four Leward Islands were given to Lucy Chester she ought to be liable for the debts--if the estate in England and Virginia must assume these debts as well as those in Va. and Eng. neither Frances nor Lucy Burd will have anything left from the estate--not the meaning of the testator.

Docketed "This paper gives much information respecting the murder of Govr. Parke and other family matters."

Keywords
Parke, Daniel, 1664 or 1665-1710

Bond, Roger and Mildred Gregory to Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-212; MS-828

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5512

Unit Date 1726 October 19

Text 1 (box)

Container 1726.10.19 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Augustine, approximately 1694-1743

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Signed and sealed by Roger Gregory, Mildred Gregory. Docketed on reverse, possibly later in the hand of George Washington, Roger and Mildred Gregory "Bond to Auge Washington 19th Octr 1726."

Indenture, Augustine Washington with William Soresbey, Adam Soresbey, James Buchanan, and George Crosby

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4630

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5513

Unit Date 1729 January 31

Text 1 (box)

Container 1729.01.31 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Augustine, approximately 1694-1743

Scope and Contents

D.S. oversize parchment folded. An indenture for the sale of the estate of Culthorpe in Derbyshire, England by Francis Ash "of St. Mary's county in the province of Maryland planter, ..." Augustine Washington acting under a power of attorney granted him by Ash. Reference to the contract for the sale on June 25, 1728. presumably Washington, when he traveled to England in 1729, acted to complete the sale for Ash.

Pamphlet, The case of planters of tobacco in Virginia, as represented by themselves, signed by the President of the Council and Speaker of the House of Burgesses

Unit ID RL-6640.002

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/3103

Unit Date 1732 June 28

Text 1 (box)

Container 1733.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

The case of planters of tobacco in Virginia, as represented by themselves, signed by the president of the council and speaker of the House of Burgesses ([London: Printed for J. Roberts in Warwick Lane]). This pamphlet was written by Robert Carter for the vindication of the representation for the planters in Virginia: made by the General assembly of that colony.

Letter, Robert Vaulx to John Bushrod

Unit ID RM-411; MS-3319

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5514

Unit Date 1738 August 7

Text 1 (box)

Container 1738.08.07 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Explains the reasons for the delay in repaying debt. Signature not legible. John Bushrod was the maternal grandfather of Judge Bushrod Washington.

Indenture, deed of lease and release from William Spencer to George Harrison

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5516

Unit Date 1739 May 25-26

Text 1 (box)

Container 1739.05.25 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Deeds dated May 25 and 26th, 1739 to 523 acres on Muddy Hole Branch [later a part of Mount Vernon] for a consideration of £150.

Document, early copy, laminated, docketed by George Washington on reverse, watermark (crown over shield with GR).

Letter, John Custis to Daniel Parke Custis

Unit ID H-1085/a

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5515

Unit Date 1739 August 30

Text 1 (box)

Container 1739.08.30 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Sorry to hear his family is so sickly especially with "flux"--gives minute directions for their care i.e. bleeding, vomits etc.--herbs to use and how to prepare various remedies--Hannah's ailment and how to treat it--has had a good year all his tobacco is in the houses--haying now, has a great quantity--3000 tobacco hhds.--poor old Harry sick--Mr. Winch's land--Clayborn land being bought for Winch--your sister knows nothing of it--she is being turned out and sent her lawyer to him for advice--is repairing her house at Waldees--whom does he mistrust?--Custis coat-of-arms discussed--Winch has come by his lately--"every scoundrell ye has money, may go ye heralds office and buy a coat of arms"--Daniel has more right to it than his sister now married--list of things he is sending (wine,

cider, and sugar, mint water, cinnamon) with advice about how to take care of it.

Autograph letter signed, laminated, watermarks (J. Honig and crown over encircled lion rampant with motto).

Indenture, release of Mount Vernon land of William and Elizabeth Spencer to Richard Osborne

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5517

Unit Date 1739 November 2

Text 1 (box)

Container 1739.11.02 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 3 pages. Release for the 180 acres of the Spencer grant lying along Dogue Creek [later part of Mount Vernon for £105 current money and £500 tobacco--all the land lying in Truro Parish, Prince William County [Fairfax] on upper side of Doeg Creek, containing 180 acres Ninety Eight and half perches [formerly part of tract granted to Nicholas Spencer].

Docketed by George Washington on reverse, and in another hand "Copy Release-Spencer to Osborne," watermarks (crown over GR on shield, and crown over heraldic device and motto "Honi soie quo Mal y pense"). Witnessed by John Colville, William Payne, John Brown, Stephen Lewis. Receipt signed by Wm. Spencer same date for payment received. Proved Nov. 26, 1739 by Catesby Cocke Clerk. Copy teste by John Graham.

Letter, Thomas Cable to John Custis

Unit ID H-1085/c

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5518

Unit Date 1740 February 5

Text 1 (box)

Container 1740.02.05 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mentions letter received telling of his ill health and advanced age, fears he will not recover, so wished to make his peace with all the world--Cable lets him know that he is his friend--sets his conscience at rest in respect to what has happened between them--result of misunderstandings--"I really apprehended that I was ill used"--not guilty of malpractice--wrote to the governor that he would not act by the Commission he had--wants him to bestow it on someone else--can't after renouncing it take it up again--would do anything to oblige him [Custis] and settle peace among "our Relations"--hopes there may be a way found to do it without trouble--wants to settle things so none of friends or relations are discontented--if either of them die before they meet again hopes they will meet in the Everlasting Kingdom where no disturbance can be--"Your Sister sends you her kind Love ..."

Autograph letter signed, laminated, watermarks (crown over GR within shield, and crown over heraldic device and motto "Honi soit qui mal y pense").

Manuscripts Box 2

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19040

Unit Date 1741 - 1762

Text 2 (box)

Language English.

Letter, William Fairfax to Henry Lee

Unit ID RM-661; MS-4608

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5519

Unit Date 1742 August 3

Text 2 (box)

Container 1742.08.03 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Fairfax, William, 1691?-1757

Creator Lee, Henry, 1691-1747

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Concerning a permit to take in Virginia tobacco. This is the earliest known written example of the name "Mount Vernon" used for Washington's estate. Fairfax was Lawrence Washington's father-in law.

Survey, Pope's Creek Plantation

Unit ID RM-810; MS-5225

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5520

Unit Date 1742 August 24

Text 2 (box)

Container 1742.08.03 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Berry, Joseph

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. "Platt of a Survey made for Capt. Augustine Washington and Mr. John Washington in Westmoreland County ..." Contains metes and bounds and ink and pencil drawing of the tract bordered on three sides by Bridges Creek Potomac River and Pope's Creek. Later renamed Wakefield by Wm. Aug. Washington.

Keywords

Land surveys

Westmoreland County (Va.)

Indenture, lease for part of Mount Vernon land from Sampson Darrel to John Gist

Unit ID A-366.1

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5521

Unit Date 1745 June 18

Text 2 (box)

Container 1742.06.18 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 2 pages. For 106 acres on Dogue Run in Truro Parish, Fairfax County, part of a greater tract of land belonging to Sampson Darrel, and bounded by line of land of late Wm. Spencer and Dogue Run--yearly rent of 730 lbs. of tobacco--privileges and restrictions of the lease. Signed by John Gist. Witnessed by Giles Tillet and Wm. Sherman.

Copy deed, Maurice Veal II and Edward Bush, for Augustine Washington

Unit ID 2024-SC-013

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/38829

Unit Date c. 1743

Text 2 (box)

Container c. 1743 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 3 pages1 bifolium sheet32 x 20 cm

Keywords

Deeds
Westmoreland County (Va.)
Washington, Augustine, approximately 1694-1743

Discharge orders, Admiral Edward Vernon for David Coulton

Unit ID RM-922; MS-6450

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/22992

Unit Date 1745 October 12

Text 2 (box)

Container 1745.10.12 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Vernon, Edward, 1684-1757

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Laminated onto another sheet of paper, reverse side not legible. Discharge order for David Coulton by Admiral Edward Vernon. Sentence of a court martial.

Letter, Augustine Washington to Lawrence Washington

Unit ID A-516

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5522

Unit Date 1746 September 5

Text 2 (box)

Container 1746.09.05 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Lawrence, 1718-1752

Creator Washington, Augustine, 1718?-1762

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Name on original manuscript appears as "Aug. Washington". Letter of family interest--expresses pleasure at Lawrence's recovery--congratulations on birth of son--"You need not have been so severe on the Salts as you were in your last, if you would but consider how much you are indebted to them ..."--doesn't approve of taking up large tracts of land so far back, "it is a ready way to keep your Self always behind hand."--Warner Washington to marry Betty Mason the end of the month. Integral cover, watermark (crown over encircled GR, and crown over heraldic shield and motto "Honi soit qui mal y pense").

Letter, Edward Braddock to William Adair

Unit ID RM-901; MS-5400

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5523

Unit Date 1747 May 8

Text 2 (box)

Container 1747.05.08 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Braddock, Edward, 1695?-1755

Physical Characteristics and Technical Requirements

A.L.S. 1 page. Letter, order to pay. Instructs him to pay £78.13.10 to John Winter. Docketed on reverse. William Adair, Agent to the Coldstream Regiment.

Account, Lawrence Washington with James Mitchell

Unit ID W-1310/A.1

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5524

Unit Date 1748-1749

Text 2 (box)

Container 1748.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Lawrence, 1718-1752

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Fragment, in hand of James Mitchell, laminated, docketed on reverse "Mitchel acct. Recpt. £4," charred by fire. Account covers period from November 6, 1748-July 2, 1749--for such items as horses butter, "making yr. Bed Slip," washing, dinner and club--entries for 1748 scratched through. Receipted on July 1, 1749 for £1/4 by James Mitchell.

Letter, James P. Power to Daniel Parke Custis

Unit ID A-516.1

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5527

Unit Date circa 1749 April-November

Text 2 (box)

Container 1749.04.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Custis, Daniel Parke, 1711-1757

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Sends news that Custis's father [John Custis] heartily approves of his marriage with Miss [Martha] Dandridge--" ... he has so good a Character of her That he had rather you shou'd have her than any Lady in Virginia. Nay if possible he is as much enamoured with her Character as you are with her Person and this is owing chiefly to a prudent speech of her own. Hurry down immediately for Fear he shou'd change the strong inclination he has to your Marrying directly."--gave briddle and saddle to Jack in Custis's name. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, watermark (crown over heraldic device and motto "Honi Soit qui mal y pense," and crown over GR). Name on original manuscript appears as "J. Power." Date on original catalog card appears [c.1750].

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, Martha, 1731-1802

Accounts of Lawrence Washington with William Fairfax

Unit ID 2018-SC-021

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/13844

Unit Date 1749 June 12

Text 2 (box)

Container 1749.06.12 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Lawrence, 1718-1752

Creator Fairfax, William, 1691?-1757

Extent 1 pages

Scope and Contents

One page from a ledger book dated 1747 in the hand of Lawrence Washington, for accounts with "The Right Honourable Lord Fairfax." The purchases include bills of exchange for sterling, sheep, gunpowder and shells, payment for smith work, and barrels of Indian meal. The payments were made primarily against rent payments.

Keywords

Business records

Fairfax, George William, 1724-1787

Title page of "A Book of Surveys" (facsimile)

Unit ID W-370

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5525

Unit Date 1749 July 22

Text 2 (box)

Container 1749.07.22 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Title page from "A Book of Surveys Began July 22nd 1749."Facsimile copy with note at top: "Fac simile, copied from a Manuscript in the handwriting of Washington."

Account, Lawrence Washington with the Ohio Company

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5526

Unit Date 1750-1772

Text 2 (box)

Container 1750.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 2 pages. Account - Lawrence Washington with the Ohio Company. Account before his death, and interest run up on the unpaid account after his death, amount credited to his account. Autograph document signed by Geo. Mason, docketed "The Estate of Lawrence Washington Esqr. deceased with The Ohio Company - Acc't, May 8, 1772, "laminated, Watermarks (crown over GR, and crown over encircled armed figure).This acc't. drawn up and signed by George Mason on part of Ohio Co. Attested on May 19, 1772, by A. Henderson, Clerk of Fairfax Co. Court.

Keywords

Washington, Lawrence, 1718-1752

Boxwood specimen, planted by Lawrence Washington

Unit ID RM-826; MISC-5232

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/22993

Unit Date ca. 1750

Realia 2 (box)

Container 1750.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Lawrence, 1718-1752

Scope and Contents

Plant cutting of boxwood. Note reads it was planted by Lawrence Washington.

Bill, Benjamin Nockalls to John Price

Unit ID W-1310/A.2

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5528

Unit Date 1750 January 28

Text 2 (box)

Container 1750.01.28 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Bill - Benjamin Nockalls to Mr. John Price. Bill for wom[an]s shoes and white thread--am't of bill £0.11. Document, on reverse of broadside advertisement by Benjamin Nockalls, laminated, incomplete watermark (GR).

Bill, Dr. John Sutherland to Mary Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A.6

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5529

Unit Date 1751-1752

Text 2 (box)

Container 1751.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Bill for June 14, 1751-April 3, 1752 for medical care, including one entry "Jan 10 [1752] To a large box antiscorbutick Ointm. for Mr. George Washington." Also includes entries "a Visit to yr Negro wench," and "Drawing a tooth for yr Negro." Autograph document signed, laminated, docketed "Rect. Doctr. Sutherland April 27th 1752 1.6.9.," badly charred. Receipted on April 27, 1752 for Dr. Sutherland by [ ] Peyton.

Keywords

Medicine -- History -- 18th century

Slavery

Bills of sale

Financial records

Washington, Mary Ball, 1708-1789

Bill, Rogers, Dyson, and Co. to John Price

Unit ID W-1310/A.5

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/22994

Unit Date 1751 May 6

Text 2 (box)

Container 1751.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D. Document, partly printed, laminated, torn and charred, watermark (crown). Bill for cloth, buttons, buckram, thread, etc., amounting to £2.19.

Letter, Anthony Stewart to Lawrence Washington

Unit ID A-470

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5530

Unit Date 1751 May 7

Text 2 (box)

Container 1751.05.07 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Lawrence, 1718-1752

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Because of Capt. Wilson's situation it has been impossible to issue Lawrence's half pay--needs a new power of atty.--also asks Lawrence to send him a letter for the Secy. of War in re. his bad state of health and requesting a 12 mo. extension of his leave. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, watermark (crown over powder horn and name L.V. Garrevink). Name on original manuscript appears as "Anth. Stewart".

Bill, Richard Gore to John Price

Unit ID W-1310/A.3

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5531

Unit Date 1751 May 7

Text 2 (box)

Container 1751.05.07 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. Bill for [ ] amounting to £0.18.0. Autograph document signed, in hand of [ ] Morley, laminated, incomplete watermark (crown), on reverse of Richard Gore's Broadside Advertisement. Receipted by A[ur.?] Morley.

Bill, Samuel Thouthouse and Edward Chapman to John Price

Unit ID W-1310/A.4

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5532

Unit Date 1751 May 7

Text 2 (box)

Container 1751.05.07 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Bill for gimblets, and blades and sail needles--amounting to £3.8. Document, fragment, laminated, incomplete watermark (G[R])?

List of bonds for sundries purchased at the sale of the estate of Lawrence Washington

Unit ID RM-1170; MS-5906

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/22995

Unit Date approximately 1752

Text 2 (box)

Container 1752.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D. 2 pieces. An undated one-page list of over 80 persons, some well known Virginians - including Col. Fairfax, Col. Lee, and Maj. Washington - who purchased items from the estate of Lawrence Washington, George Washington's older brother. The total value of bonds and other sundries comes to 386 pounds, 10 shillings, 10 pence. Sheet is docketed on the reverse in George Washington's handwriting. The second item is a brief note, also undated, of 6 lines in an unknown hand that identifies the first item and points out George Washington's handwriting in the docketing.

Keywords

Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839 -- Estate

Washington, Lawrence, 1718-1752

Letter, Daniel Parke Custis to Hanbury and Co.

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4631

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/22996

Unit Date 1752 June 17

Text 2 (box)

Container 1752.06.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Custis, Daniel Parke, 1711-1757

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Custis writes to the merchant firm in London: "You have here Inclosed a Bill of Loding for Twelve ho[gsheads] of very Choice fine Tobacco for which I hope you will render me an agreeable price. I received my Accts. Currt. the Ballance then I observe due to me £1830 = 17:10 which I believe to be Right ... ". Page has been damaged and taped.

Keywords

Correspondence

Will of Lawrence Washington (copy)

Unit ID A-373/D

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/22997

Unit Date 1752 June 20

Text 2 (box)

Container 1752.06.20 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Lawrence, 1718-1752

Scope and Contents

D. 6 pages. Document, contemporary attested copy by Wm. Moss, laminated. Witnessed by Wm. Waite, Jno. North, Andrew W. Warren and Joseph Gound. Proved Sept. 26, 1752 by John Graham in Fairfax County.

1. to be buried in a proper vault at Mt. Vernon -- 2. [Mount Vernon lands and buildings] and land on Bullskin, Frederick Co. to his wife for use during her life, and 1/2 of negroes -- 3. all real and personal property not otherwise disposed of in Virginia and Md. to go to daughter Sarah and her heirs, but in case of her death without issue: brother Augustine to receive Principio, Accokeek, Kingsbury, Lacanshire and No. East Iron works in Va. and Md., reserving 1/3 of profits to wife, and 2 tracts of land in Frederick County; George, on death of Lawrence's wife, to get all lands with improvements in Fairfax Co., and, further, during life of wife George to have use of a share of land equal to that given to Samuel, John and Charles. Remaining lands in Frederick Co. to bros. Samuel, John, and Charles (each to pay their sister Betty £150) -- in case any of the three die without issue, land to revert to Augustine. Each of brothers to receive part of remaining share of negroes and pay wife £100 sterling. -- 4. certain other properties to be sold to pay debts. (Share in Ohio Co., lands, and lots in Alexa. included, and arrears of his half pay) -- 5. Mourning ring to wife, mother in law and executors. Appoints Wm. Fairfax, George Fairfax, August. and George Washington, Majr. John Carlyle nd Nathaniel Chapman as executors.

Writ of examination for the release of dower lands of Sarah Johnston

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2294

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/22998

Unit Date 1752 July 18 - August 4

Text 2 (box)

Container 1752.07.18 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Fairfax, George William, 1724-1787

Scope and Contents

D.S. 2 pages. A writ of examination for the release of the dower lands of Sarah Johnston to her husband George. George Washington is mentioned as still residing in King George County. Sarah Johnston was examined by George William Fairfax, Daniel McCarty and William Ramsay who all signed the document. Their seals are covered over with pieces of paper.

Plat, 643 acres of land belonging to John Augustine Washington

Unit ID 2022-SC-007-017

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32661

Unit Date 1753 April 18

Text 2 (box)

Container 1753.04.18 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 Sheets1 page, 2 pages with text19 x 31 cm

Scope and Contents

Plat showing the purchase of land for John Augustine Washington, acquiring 643 acres of land granted by Thomas Rutherford in Frederick (now Jefferson) County, VA. George Washington had also purchased land in Frederick County, acquiring 453 acres also from Thomas Rutherford, granted by Lord Fairfax. Autograph document, 2 pages, docketed.

Keywords

Land surveys

Legal documents
Real property
Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787
Rutherford, Thomas Abdy, 1755-1798

Custodial History

George Washington Masonic National Memorial Catalog No. 1971.01.042

Receipt, will of John Custis

Unit ID RM-965; MS-5527
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/22999
Unit Date 1755 February 13
Text 2 (box)
Container 1755.02.13 (folder)
Language English.
Creator Custis, Daniel Parke, 1711-1757

Scope and Contents

Received of Daniel Parke Custis executor of John Custis Esqr. deceased 25 lbs.

Letter, Edward Braddock to Governor Robert H. Morris

Unit ID RM-928; MS-5467
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17638
Unit Date 1755 March 10
Text 2 (box)
Container 1755.03.10 (folder)
Language English.
Creator Braddock, Edward, 1695?-1755

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. "Sir, Ten days ago I sent an express to Governor Shirley with orders to him to meet me at Annapolis in Maryland and have desir'd. Mr. Delancy to accompany him thither:...," [signed] E. Braddock.

Court document with revenue stamp

Unit ID RM-1027; MS-5656
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23000
Unit Date 1756 September 11
Text 2 (box)
Container 1756.09.11 (folder)
Language English.

Scope and Contents

Embossed Revenue Stamp on Colonial; partially printed--3 pence revenue stamp of Massachusetts. Directs sheriff of Essex County to attach the goods or arrest Timothy Rogers of Glocester.

Farm account, Christopher Hardwick to William Lodwick

Unit ID A-238
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23001
Unit Date 1760 March 13
Text 2 (box)
Container 1760.03.13 (folder)
Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Autograph document signed, laminated, endorsed on reverse, "Rect. No. 41". Receipted August 1 1761 by Lodwick, witnessed by William Anderson and William Simms. Hardwick was overseer on Bullskin property in Frederick Co. This acct. for L7.10.3 for cattle and wheat delivered by Lodwick.

Colonial note, fifteen shillings

Unit ID RM-937; MS-5482

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23002

Unit Date 1760 May 1

Text 2 (box)

Container 1760.05.01 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Printed by B. Franklin for 15 shillings. Pa note.

Colonial note, five pounds

Unit ID RM-937; MS-5483

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23003

Unit Date 1760 May 1

Text 2 (box)

Container 1760.05.01 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Partially printed, signed (by Charlee Thompson)."To counterfeit is death" on back of note." Painted by B. Franklin and D. Hall 1760" on back of note. "This bill shall pass for five pounds within the Province of Pennsylvania according to an Act of Assembly made in the 33rd year of the Riegn of King George dated the fifth day of May, 1760".

Account of Mary Washington with Dekar, Thompson, and Cox

Unit ID W-1310/A.14

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23004

Unit Date 1761 April 15

Text 2 (box)

Container 1761.04.15 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Mary Ball, 1708-1789

Scope and Contents

D. 2 pages. Account - Mary Washington with Dekar, Thompson, and Cox. Purchases of supplies including food, cloth, and housewares. Torn and charred, laminated.

Keywords

Financial records

Letter, James Russell to John Augustine Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A.7

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23005

Unit Date 1762 March 25

Text 2 (box)

Container 1762.03.25 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Scope and Contents

Form letter, printed, signed by Russell, laminated, (another form letter included on same page), included in letter of May 4, 1762, Russell to J.A.W. Informing him of new partnership between him and William Molleson--assures him of continued attention to his affairs.

Letter, James Russell to John Augustine Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A.8

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23006

Unit Date 1762 May 4

Text 2 (box)

Container 1762.05.04 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Received news of Col. Aug[ustine] Washington's death--[Post ?] chariot for Mrs. Bushrod being sent by ship insured--has lately taken a partner, as enclosed - [see form letters dated March 25, 1762, James Russell to John Augustine Washington; and James Russell and Molleson to John A. Washington]--sends Mr. Bushrod's acct. current. Integral cover, laminated, docketed "The firm of James Russell and Molleson [ ] there first Letter 5 March 1762".

Letter, George Washington to Burwell Bassett (copy)

Unit ID A-625

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23007

Unit Date 1768 August 28

Text 2 (box)

Container 1762.08.28 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George, 1732-1799

Creator Bassett, Burwell, -1793

Scope and Contents

Copy. Endorsed at top, "Copy of a letter in possession of Mrs. G.W. Bassett of Hanover Co., Va. being one, of only two letters, in which Genl. Washington was known to indulge in humor"."Not in Writings". Name on original manuscript appears as "G. Washington". Letter in a humorous vein congratulating the Bassetts on the birth of another child,--comments on church-going--chides him humorously for not attending church, "Could you but behold with what religious zeal I hye me to Church on every Lords day ..."--state of tobacco crop.

Manuscripts Box 3

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19041

Unit Date 1763 - 1771

Text 3 (box)

Language English.

Parliamentary act regarding the trade of flax and hemp

Unit ID RM-1161; MS-5887

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23010

Unit Date 1764

Text 3 (box)

Container 1764.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Print document, 2 pages folio, folded. Printed by Mark Baskett, Printer to the King's most Excellent Majesty; and by the Assigns of Robert Basketts. 1764. London.

Colonial note, five shillings

Unit ID RM-981; MS-5596

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23012

Unit Date 1764 June 18

Text 3 (box)

Container 1764.06.18 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Pennsylvania 5s denomination note. Main text runs vertically through, "Printed by B. Franklin."

Account of John Carlyle

Unit ID RM-736; MS-4965

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23014

Unit Date 1764 June 24

Text 3 (box)

Container 1764.06.24 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Carlyle, John, 1720-1780

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 2 pages. Account of monies received by and owing to John Carlyle, including sums relating to the estate of Lawrence Washington and to John Posey.

Revenue stamp, British stamp no. 169

Unit ID RM-1040; MS-5680

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23015

Unit Date 1765

Graphic Materials 3 (box)

Container 1765.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Small proof copy of stamp. Re: Stamp Act.

Revenue stamp, British stamp no. 160

Unit ID RM-1088; MS-5747

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23016

Unit Date 1765

Graphic Materials 3 (box)

Container 1765.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

An example of a stamp required on colonial paper based on the British Parliamnet's Stamp Act. Embossed 4d, red, gem proof.

Account of Mary Washington with James Buchanan

Unit ID W-1310/A.9

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23018

Unit Date 1765 May-July

Text 3 (box)

Container 1765.05.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Mary Ball, 1708-1789

Scope and Contents

D.S. 2 pages. Document signed, fragment, laminated, torn and charred scrap of paper. Account from May 3-July 30, 1765, for snuff, Irish l[inen], silk hat, fann, etc. Account signed by [Ja]mes Buchanan.

Keywords
Financial records

Ames's Almanack

Unit ID RL-6375

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23087

Unit Date 1766

Books 3 (box)

Container 1766.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents
Incomplete copy., "revived and improved: Or, An Astronomical Diary, For the Year of our Lord Christ 1766. Calculated for the Meridian of Boston in New England, Lat. 42 Deg. 25 Min. North." Housed in a handmade enclosure with button tie.

Receipt, Anne Washington for monies received

Unit ID RM-528; MS-4318

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23019

Unit Date 1766

Text 3 (box)

Container 1766.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents
A.D. 2 pages. Total of £121. 15S. received from Mr. Harvey, Richard Lee and Mr. Simpson.

Parliamentary act repealing the Stamp Act

Unit ID RM-1063; MS-5703

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5582

Unit Date 1766

Text 3 (box)

Container 1766.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents
Printed document , 1 page folded. Printed by Mark Baskett, Printer to the King's most Excellent Majesty; and by the Assigns of Robert Baskett. London.

Revenue stamp, British stamp no. 153

Unit ID RM-1101; MS-5775

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23022

Unit Date 1766

Graphic Materials 3 (box)

Container 1766.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Letter of attorney, Amos Ogden to Thomas Ogden

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4503

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23023

Unit Date 1766 November 6

Text 3 (box)

Container 1766.11.06 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Amos Ogden (of Reading County, New Jersey) grants power of attorney to Thomas Ogden of New Sarum, Great Britain," ... to do whatsoever may be necessary to be done respecting some Lands in West Florida in America ..." Witnessed by John Blagge and William [Virtue?].

Account, James Russell with Samuel Towers

Unit ID W-1310/A.10

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23024

Unit Date 1766 November 6

Text 3 (box)

Container 1766.11.06 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Document, fragment, laminated, incomplete watermark (GR). Account for 1 doz. black lead pencils, steel pencil case, pocket knife, sheep sheers, etc.---amounting to £1.7.6.

Land grant, Charles Dicinson to Thomas Ogden

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4504

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23025

Unit Date 1767 May 13

Text 3 (box)

Container 1767.05.13 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D.S. 4 pages. "At the Court of St. James." Grant made to Amos Ogden, through the power of attorney given to Thomas Ogden, for 25,000 acres of land in west Florida. One of the conditions: That Amos Ogden "do settle the Lands with foreign Protestants or Persons that shall be brought from his Magestys other Colonies in North America within ten years ..."

Broadside, An extract of the Act

Unit ID 2017-SC-020

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32243

Unit Date 1768 May 10

Text 3 (box)

Container 1768.05.10 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 2 Sheets2 sheets, 4 pages of text

Keywords

Broadsides (notices)

Created / Published

London: Printed by Charles Eyre and William Strahan, 1768

Parliamentary act encouraging growth and culture of raw silk in America

Unit ID RM-1161; MS-5888

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23027

Unit Date 1769

Text 3 (box)

Container 1769.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Printed document, 2 pages folio, folded. Printed by Mark Baskett, Printer to the King's most Excellent Majesty; and by the Assigns of Robert Baskett. London.

Letter, John Augustine Washington to unknown recipient

Unit ID W-1310/A.11-12

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23028

Unit Date 1769 February 12

Text 3 (box)

Container 1769.02.12 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. "Dear Sir." Received receipt of acct. sales for past year--he has drawn on them for 3 sets of Exchange of £100 each--please send Miss Bushrod's invoice of goods soon for she is to be married and cannot set up house keeping without them--[paragraph blurred]--weather so cold and river frozen, so Capt. Johnstone slow in loading ship--make him insurance on 16 hhds. tobacco by Lord Camden in case of loss--[Added under date of 20 March 1769 in J.A.W.'s hand is] "Invoice of all goods to be sent by the first ship into Rapahannock or Potomack for J. A. Washington," with list of things desired. On reverse is same list with prices added. Autograph letter signed, laminated, docketed "Copy of my Le[tter] and [invoice ?] [ ] Feb. 1769", watermark (crown over encircled heraldic device and motto). Name on original manuscript appears as "J. A. Washington".

Letter, Anne Washington to John Augustine Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A.13

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23029

Unit Date 1769 September 9

Text 3 (box)

Container 1769.09.09 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Has sent son George to see him, so he can see cruelty with which tutor treats the children--bad wound on his head--obliged if [Hannah B. Washington would send rosewater--wishes them joy of their young son--[Bestey ?] delivered of son--needs money to pay decree against estate--entitled to interest on payments being made to her. Autograph letter signed, laminated, watermark (figure holding aloft a liberty cap, lion rampant in enclosure with motto "Pro Patria"), bottom part of letter is missing.

Letter, Gustavus Scott to Mrs. Christian Scott Blackburn

Unit ID W-1310/A.15

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23031

Unit Date 1770 February 4

Text 3 (box)

Container 1770.02.04 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Letter to his sister. Since he will be secluded for 2 or 3 years from Rippon Lodge while studying law [in England] desires her to write him news of their circle of friends--is a friend of the brother of her friend Mr. Cadwalleder--supposes she has had another child by now--cautions her not to spoil it as she has done Richard--requests her to send him some good hams, pickles, Indian corn, peaches. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, watermark (crown over powder horn, LVG, and Bell).

Court document, issued to Samuel Washington and Charles Smith

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2298

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23041

Unit Date 1771 April - October

Text 3 (box)

Container 1771.04.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Concerns the examination of witnesses for the court. Docketed on reverse, "Frederick 4th of October 1771, In obedience to the sithin order we the Subscribers have Deligently Examined Thom.s Speake in behalf of the Plaintiffs witness own hands."

Bond, Warner Washington and John Throckmorton to David Castleman

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2320

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23042

Unit Date 1771 August - 1775 February

Text 3 (box)

Container 1771.08.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D.S. 2 pages. The bond is for 500 pounds with Warner Washington as the co-signer for Throckmorton. Signed by John Ariss, a tenant farmer of George Washington's, as a witness. The various dates of the signatures are when payments were made.

Bill of sale, signed by Samuel Washington

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2306

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23043

Unit Date 1771 September 12

Text 3 (box)

Container 1771.09.12 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D.S. 2 pages. A bill of sale of land owned by a wife. Witnessed and signed by Samuel Washington.

Bill, account of loss to John Augustine Washington

Unit ID W-821/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23044

Unit Date 1771 October 1

Text 3 (box)

Container 1771.10.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. Bill, account to John Aug. Washington of loss--a broker's account for settling a loss--plus current account rendered. Autograph document, partly mutilated, laminated, endorsed "Lord Camden(?)", watermark (Garrevenk).

Evaluation of sundries belonging to Mary Washington

Unit ID A-415.1

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23045

Unit Date 1771 October 15

Text 3 (box)

Container 1771.10.15 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Fielding, 1725-1781 or 1782

Scope and Contents

D.S. 2 pages. Evaluation of Sundries belonging to Mary Washington by Charles Washington and Fielding Lewis. Inventory with value of livestock, tools, slaves--evaluated by Fielding Lewis and Chas. Washington. Document signed, in hand of Fielding Lewis, silked, endorsed by G.W.(?), watermark (crown over heraldic shield and motto "Honi soit qui mal y pense").

Keywords

Washington, Mary Ball, 1708-1789

Manuscripts Box 4

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19042

Unit Date 1772 - 1775

Text 4 (box)

Language English.

Indenture between Richard Simmons and Samuel Wade Magruder

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2188

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23046

Unit Date 1772 February 26

Text 4 (box)

Container 1772.02.26 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. Indenture between Richard Simmons and Samuel Wade Magruder. 2 tracts of land called Wickhams and Pottingers discovery in Frederick Cty., Md. sold to Magruder by Simmons for £157.0 ... witnessed by Charles Jones and Andrew Heugh ... reverse side has Simmons receipt to Magruder for the money ... Jones and Heugh's statement that they have examined Mrs. Simmons' dower rights ... received and recorded Apr. 19, 1772 ... received of Magruder on Apr. 13, 1772 £0.8.0 for an Alienation fine on sd. land.

Account, Edward Moor to Mary Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A.16

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23047

Unit Date 1772 April-August

Text 4 (box)

Container 1772.04.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 4 pages. Account for 7 pr. plaid hose, black pettycoat, silk purse, pins, chrystall buttons, copper kettle, hair trunk, snuff box, etc. Autograph document signed, laminated, docketed "Rect. [Ed]ward Moore 13th October 1772," two sheets badly torn and burned, watermark (crown over powder horn and LVG).Receipted on Oct. 13, 1772, on second sheet by Edward Moor.

Keywords

Financial records

Clothing and dress -- Purchasing

Washington, Mary Ball, 1708-1789

Bond, Samuel Washington to Phil Pendleton

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2297/A-B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23048

Unit Date 1772 September - 1773 February

Text 4 (box)

Container 1772.09.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Two copies. D.S. 1 page. Assignment of bond from Samuel Washington to Phil Pendleton to be transferred to Samuel Beale. Witnessed by Samuel Washington. Later assigned to Gabriel Jones, November 1772 and then to John Lewis, February 1773. Bond for 200 pounds.

Eulogy on the death of William Nelson

Unit ID A-680

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23049

Unit Date 1772 November 19

Text 4 (box)

Container 1772.11.19 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Eulogy of William Nelson, given to a "Miss Bassett" of Eltham, written in Williamsburg. Addressed to "Miss Bassett[at]Eltham," probably Elizabeth Bassett, eldest daughter of Col. Burwell Bassett of Eltham. Document, laminated, watermark (GR surmounted by a crown).

Account, Anne Washington with Thomas Till

Unit ID RM-479; MS-3905

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23050

Unit Date 1773 January - 1774 November

Text 4 (box)

Container 1773.01.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Account, widow of Augustine Washington (half brother to George Washington). Date on original catalog appears 1773 (Jan.) - 1774 (Nov.). For sundries.

Colonial note, five shillings

Unit ID M-1007

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/4082

Unit Date 1773 October 1

Text 4 (box)

Container 1773.10.01 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

"A Crown" issued according to act of Gen. Assembly of Pennsylvania, passed in 13th year of reign of George III--signed Jacob Harman, Mord. Lewis, Joseph Allen--No. 15454 printed by Hall and Sellers.

Letter, John Augustine Washington William Carr

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23051

Unit Date 1773 October 13

Text 4 (box)

Container 1773.10.13 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Scope and Contents

A.L. 2 pages. Bushfield. Also includes copy of letter from James Russell to William Carr, 12 July 1773. Docketed on reverse, "To William Carr Esqr. Merchant in Dumfries, By favor of Mr. Stadler."

Account, Mary Washington with Dr. C.W. Mortimer

Unit ID W-1310/A.18

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23052

Unit Date 1774

Text 4 (box)

Container 1774.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Mary Ball, 1708-1789

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Fragment, poor condition. Account for medicines and treatment, including linement, laudanum, cordial mixture, bolus, ingredient for Glysters, etc., amounting to £ 6.18.0. Autograph document signed, laminated, a badly torn and charred scrap of paper, indecipherable watermark, docketed on reverse "Mrs. Washington," and "£6.18 4 Septr. 1774". Date on original catalog card appears [c.1774]. Receipted by W. Mortimer.

Account, Lund Washington with Henly and Call

Unit ID W-1310/A.19

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23053

Unit Date 1774-1775

Text 4 (box)

Container 1774.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Lund, 1737-1796

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. Account from Sept. 1774-Feb. 1775 for sugar and codfish--£1.3.0. Autograph document signed, in hand of Benjamin Call, laminated, docketed "Henly and Caul". Receipted July 17, 1775 by Benjamin Call.

Estate inventory of Lawrence Washington

Unit ID RM-813; MS-5236

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23054

Unit Date 1774 April 28

Text 4 (box)

Container 1774.04.28 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S 2 pages. An estate inventory of Lawrence Washington (1745-1774) -- a direct descendant of emigrant Col. John Washington and distant cousin of George Washington. The inventory includes 42 slaves (by name), cattle, and furnishings of each room. The inventory is signed by Thomas Jett and recorded by R. Bernard in Westmoreland County on December 31, 1782.

Receipt, Robert Broom to Mary Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A.17

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23055

Unit Date 1774 May 18

Text 4 (box)

Container 1774.05.18 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Mary Ball, 1708-1789

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Receipt for 18 shillings for one pound of Hyson Tea. Autograph document signed, fragment, charred by fire, laminated, docketed "Robt. Broom £.18.0, 18th May 1774".

Letter, William Cochran to James Cochran

Unit ID Rm-931; MS-5471

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17698

Unit Date 1774 May 18

Text 4 (box)

Container 1774.05.18 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. "-if you come to America you should come into this Province and be very cautious in buying ground; the people in this country they plow the ground that is cleared so many years together that they run it out."

Promissory note, Joshua Hinson and Job Shedrick to Burdett Ashton

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2104

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23056

Unit Date 1774 June 8

Text 4 (box)

Container 1774.06.08 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Sum of one pound promised to Burdett Ashton, executor of Anne Washington ... payable on or before this date, one yr ... bind themselves for 2 pounds ..." Witnessed by John Ashton.

Letter, John Augustine Washington to Robert Carter

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23057

Unit Date 1774 September 7

Text 4 (box)

Container 1774.09.07 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Acknowledges a grain measure--reports that the measure accords with his own and also with one from Baltimore--deduces that the measure then in use in [Westmoreland Co.] is inaccurate. Autograph letter signed, docketed, watermark incomplete (heraldic device).Name on original manuscript appears as "John Aug. Washington".

Letter, William Cochran to James Cochran

Unit ID RM-931; MS-5470

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17699

Unit Date 1775 June 26

Text 4 (box)

Container 1775.06.26 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page, folded. Discusses the beginning of the Revolution. Advises James to stay in Scotland "until the present dispute between the Parliament and America is ended." Continues "-there is great preparation for war in the different provinces of this country; several skirmishes that happened; there was a battle at a place in New England called Concord ..."

Enlistment form, Soldiers of the Massachusetts Coloney

Unit ID RM-1098; MS-5769

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23058

Unit Date 1775 July 11-24

Text 4 (box)

Container 1775.07.11 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Printed enlistment broadside, signed by 17 recruits.

Letter, Jenny Wood to Mrs. Christian Blackburn

Unit ID W-1310/A.20

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23059

Unit Date 1775 August 6

Text 4 (box)

Container 1775.08.06 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Would have come to see her in Prince William but has been daily expecting Capt. Wood's return--has been out little because of lack of shoes--those she has are too small and cannot get any more.

Enlistment form

Unit ID RM-1019; MS-5646

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23060

Unit Date 1775 October

Text 4 (box)

Container 1775.10.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D.S. List of 21 names of soldiers enlisting in the Continental Army for 1 year. Scituate, Massachusetts.

Keywords

United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783

Military records

Lists (document genres)

United States. Continental Army -- Recruiting, enlistment, etc.

Legal document, lawsuit over Augustine Washington's will

Unit ID RM-813; MS-5237

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23061

Unit Date 1775 October 31

Text 4 (box)

Container 1775.10.31 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. A document in connection with a lawsuit over Augustine Washington's will: Alexander and Elizabeth Spotswood, Burdett and Ann Aston, and Jane Washington vs. John Augustine Washington, William Augustine Washington, and George Washington "Infants under the Age of Twenty one Years" [at the time of Augustine's death]. This document stipulates how George Washington's father's estate will be divided amongst the defendents and plaintiffs.

Keywords

Washington, Augustine, approximately 1694-1743

Military document, List of militia officers sworn in by committee of Westmoreland County Virginia

Unit ID RM-885 ; MS-5375

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33056

Unit Date 1775 October 31

Text 4 (box)

Container 1775.10.31 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 Sheets1 page with text21 x 13 cm

Scope and Contents

List of militia officers, including their rank, sworn in by the Committee of Westmoreland County, Virginia, including John Augustine Washington, Colonel (brother of George Washington). Document signed by J. Davenport. 1 page.

Keywords

Military records

Lists (document genres)

United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783

Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Letter, Alexander Spotswood to John Augustine Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A.21

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23062

Unit Date 1775 November 17

Text 4 (box)

Container 1775.11.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mt. Pleast. Camp, South Side of James River, on my way to Norfolk. There has been an engagement between Dunmore and the Lowlanders--can tell details--postscript adds that Mr. James Lewis will act for him at division of estate [of Augustine Washington ?] and receive his part. Autograph letter signed, fragment only, laminated, incomplete watermark (crown over powder horn), directed on reverse, "Carry this letter to Westmoreland".

Address or sermon to Gentleman Soldiers

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2296

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23063

Unit Date 1775 December

Text 4 (box)

Container 1775.12.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

L. 4 pages. Letter, unsigned. Attributed to Rev. Abiel Leonard before the siege of Boston in 1775, has a note to return to William A. Saunders of Cambridge.

Continental note, six dollars

Unit ID RM-795; MS-5208

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23064

Unit Date 1775 December 7

Text 4 (box)

Container 1775.12.07 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

"This BILL of SIX DOLLARS, shall entitle the BEARER hereof to receive GOLD or SILVER, at the rate of FOUR SHILLINGS and SIX-PENCE sterling per DOLLAR. . . ."Passed by Maryland Provincial Convention. Printed by F. Green.

Continental note, twenty shillings

Unit ID RM-795; MS-5207

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23065

Unit Date 1775 December 8

Text 4 (box)

Container 1775.12.08 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

"According to the Resolves of the Assembly of Pennsylvania, of the 18th day of November, in the sixteenth Year of the Reign of G.E.O. the Third. Dated at Philadelphia, the 8th Day of December, 1775." Printed by Hall and Sellers.

Receipt, Burdett Ashton to John Augustine Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A.22

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23066

Unit Date 1775 December 21

Text 4 (box)

Container 1775.12.21 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. Receipt for slaves, cattle, etc. alotted to Ashton as his wife's [Ann Washington's] portion of estate of her father, Augustine Washington--valuation amounts to £432.3.8. Autograph document signed, in hand of John A. Washington, laminated, docketed "Rect. B. Ashton £432.3.8, 21 decr. 1775".Witnessed by Danl. McCarty.

List of rent due to George Washington

Unit ID W-479

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23088

Unit Date 1775 December 25

Text 4 (box)

Container 1775.12.25 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. List of names, county, amount of rent, amount in arrears.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19043

Unit Date 1776 - 1777

Text 5 (box)

Language English.

Memorandum, agreement between Amos Ogden and Thomas Ogden

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4506

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23067

Unit Date 1776

Text 5 (box)

Container 1776.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. "Articles of agreement" between Amos Ogden and Thomas Ogden include "Robert Ogden, New York" and "David Ogden, New Jersey."

Revolutionary War journals of James Humphrey with marching orders and review of procedures

Unit ID RM-1085; MS-5743/A-D

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23068

Unit Date 1776-1777

Text 37 (box)

Container 1776.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Revolutionary War Journals of James Humphrey, written partially in code, with separate marching orders and review of procedures - 4 items. A 32 page journal, the first seven pages being in code, recording information such as an encouragement to continue in the service of the state of Massachusetts, a list of men in Captain Gore's company, the rations allowed each man, the pay scale of a battalion, a copy of regimental orders, and a list of names of the men on guard duty. Attributed to James Humphrey who used the same code in anothern journal. Together with an additional 20 pages containing numerous tables such as the diameter of guns and balls, the "composition for Fuzes of Shells of all Natures," how to figure the time of flight of a cannon ball, etc. Separate sheets list marching orders and instructions.

Letter, Thomas Mifflin to Isaac Melcher

Unit ID RM-792; MS-5198

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23069

Unit Date ca. 1776

Text 5 (box)

Container 1776.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Mifflin, Thomas, 1744-1800

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mifflin, an aide-de-camp to George Washington, writes: "General Washington has been dangerously ill -- His Complaint a perineumony. He is much better and said to be out of Danger -- His Situation has occasioned great anxiety in our Minds. The Consequences which would follow the Loss of so great a Man at this time cannot be calculated."

Enlistment Form

Unit ID RM-935; MS-5476

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5130

Unit Date 1776 January 26

Text 5 (box)

Container 1776.01.26 (folder)

Language English.

Physical Location 05/30/2017 - Item not found in Box 5 - Dawn Bonner

Physical Location 09/23/2019 - Item located, Box 5 - Dawn Bonner

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. 25 men signed or made their X to enroll for 3 months of service in the "American Army." Document signed, partially printed.

Keywords

Military records

United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783

United States. Continental Army -- Recruiting, enlistment, etc.

Letter, Donald Campbell to Patrick Campbell

Unit ID RM-998; MS-5622

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23071

Unit Date 1776 January 30

Text 5 (box)

Container 1776.01.30 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages, docketed with two separate promissory notes. Donald Campbell writes about the war ruining his business and the need for a "good constitution" to get the people to believe in Independence.

Continental note, one-sixth dollar

Unit ID RM-1161; MS-5171

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/3969

Unit Date 1776 February 17

Text 37 (box)

Container 1776.02.17 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

This one-sixth dollar note displays a linking ring of states and sunburst design which reads "AMERICAN CONGRESS WE ARE ONE." On recto is a sundial design: "FUGIO, MIND YOUR BUSINESS." "According to

a Resolution of CONGRESS, passed at Philadelphia, February 17, 1776." Printed by Hall and Sellers, Philadelphia.

Continental note, one-third dollar

Unit ID RM-1161; MS-5172

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/3970

Unit Date 1776 February 17

Text 5 (box)

Container 1776.02.17 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Currency Note. This one-third dollar note displays a linking ring of states and sunburst design which reads: "AMERICAN CONGRESS WE ARE ONE." On recto is a sundial design: "FUGIO, MIND YOUR BUSINESS." "According to a Resolution of CONGRESS passed at Philadelphia, February 17, 1776." Printed by Hall and Sellers, Philadelphia.

Keywords

Money (objects)

Paper money

Continental note, seven dollars

Unit ID RM-1136; MS-5822.2

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/3294

Unit Date 1776 February 17

Text 5 (box)

Container 1776.02.17 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Seven dollar Continental currency note, printed by Hall and Sellers, Philadelphia.

Keywords

Money (objects)

Paper money

Letter, Joseph Trumbull to Christopher Leffingwell

Unit ID A-636

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23070

Unit Date 1776 March 9

Text 5 (box)

Container 1776.03.09 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Am ordered by G. Washington to make provisions for marching army--have ready 80,000 lb. hard bread at Woodstock--stop sending any more flower, etc. to camp--part of bread must be at Woodstock before the detachment on Wed., "... the consequence of a failure may be fatal"--keep it as much to yourself as possible.

Letter, George Mason to Robert Carter

Unit ID H-785

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23072

Unit Date 1776 March 12

Text 5 (box)

Container 1776.03.12 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Mason, George, 1725-1792

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Reporting the survey of the Ohio Co. 200,000/acres by Capt. Hancock Lee and Mr. Leet--they have it all in one tract on Licking Creek which falls into the Ohio 150 miles below the Scioto R. about [80] miles above the Kentucky R.--it is clear of Henderson's and the Vandalia Co. claims--"By all Accounts it is equal to any Land on this Continent, being exceedingly rich and level."--charges for survey £650--each member owes £50 each he can't pay it all--men waiting for the money--puts it to him as a "Man of Honour" if he intends to benefit from the survey he ought to pay some portion of the charge or sell out his shares. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, watermark (crown over GR), docketed, "Geo. Mason - dated ye 12 March 1776-receivd 5th Oct. [ ] Col. R. Lee, delivered ye [ ] to R. McKeldon". Name on original manuscript appears as "G. Mason".

Continental note, New York, one shilling

Unit ID M-779

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23073

Unit Date 1776 March 25

Text 5 (box)

Container 1776.03.25 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

One shilling note, emitted by a law of colony of New Jersey passed March 25, 1776, signed by Robt. Smith, Jonathan Deare, and John Smythe. Printed by Isaac Collins, Burlington, New Jersey.

Broadside, Instructions to the Commanders of the Private Ships or Vessels of War

Unit ID MS-5457

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23074

Unit Date 1776 April 3

Text 5 (box)

Container 1776.04.03 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Printed document 1 page. Broadside signed by John Jay [then President of Congress] with instructions to the Commanders of the Private Ships or Vessels of War, instructing then that they will have Commissions of Letters of Marque and Reprisal, authoring them to make Captures of British Vessels and Cargoes.

Receipt, Craven Peyton to Lund Washington

Unit ID RM-103; MS-2268

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23075

Unit Date 1776 April 7

Text 5 (box)

Container 1776.04.07 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Lund, 1737-1796

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Receipt of a list of bonds due George William Fairfax. Collected by Lund Washington and received by Craven Payton. Docketed on reverse by George Washington: "Craven Payton receipt for Bonds - taken at the sale of Colo Fairfax's Furniture etc., 7th April 1776."

Continental note, three dollars

Unit ID RM-1175; MS-5877

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23076

Unit Date 1776 May 9

Text 5 (box)

Container 1776.05.09 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Continental currency note for three dollars. Printed by Hall and Sellers, Philadelphia.

Letter or journal entry with sketched map of Lake Champlain

Unit ID RM-1029; MS-5659

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23077

Unit Date 1776 May 10-24

Text 5 (box)

Container 1776.05.10 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Arnold, Benedict, 1741-1801

Scope and Contents

Letter or journal entry written from Montreal, Canada on May 24, 1776 with sketched map of Lake Champlain on the back. Describes movement and condition of troops and arms of the Northern Department, some have smallpox and fever. It is unknown who the creator is but was at one time attributed to David Avery. References Benedict Arnold.

Keywords

United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783

manuscript maps

Reports

Champlain, Lake

Warrant to pay refund to David Townsend

Unit ID RM-1005; MS-5631

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23078

Unit Date 1776 August 7

Text 5 (box)

Container 1776.08.07 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Warrant written to Ebenezer Hancock the Deputy Paymaster General of the USA to Pay to David Townsend, Surgeon of the 6th Regiment, a refund of 23 pounds 7 shillings for smallpox medicines he purchased for the 6th regiment. Signed by Artemas Ward and Joseph Ward.

Bill, William Hunter to Lund Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A.24

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/7215

Unit Date 1776 August 21

Text 5 (box)

Container 1776.08.21 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Fragmented document is signed, laminated, docketed "Rect. No. 101 Wm. Hunter £5.8.9, 21st Augt. 1776". Receipted by Wm. Hunter. Bill for Irish linen, cotton cards, and thread, amounting to £5.8.9.

Continental note, five dollars

Unit ID RM-1136; MS-5822.1

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23079

Unit Date 1776 November 2

Text 5 (box)

Container 1776.11.02 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Hall & Sellers (Philadelphia)

Creator United States. Continental Congress

Scope and Contents

Continental currency note for five dollars signed by B. [Benjamin] Levy and Thomas Donnellan. Printed by Hall and Sellers, Philadelphia.

Keywords

Paper money

Continental note, seven dollars

Unit ID M-780

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23080

Unit Date 1776 November 2

Text 5 (box)

Container 1776.11.02 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Continental currency note, seven dollars. Printed by Hall and Sellers, Philadelphia.

Articles of agreement, Amos Ogden with Thomas Ogden

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4505

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23081

Unit Date 1776 November 6

Text 5 (box)

Container 1776.11.06 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page, writing on both sides. Amos Ogden of New Jersey agrees to give Thomas Ogden one-fifth of any land which the latter, acting as attorney, can recover from an apparent dispute of a land grant in West Florida.

Letter, Israel Putnam to John Neilson

Unit ID RM-1004; MS-5630

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23082

Unit Date 1777 January 27

Text 5 (box)

Container 1777.01.27 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. From Princeton, New Jersey. Addressed on the verso. Written in the hand of Major Aaron Burr, Aide-De-Camp to Putnam. In the letter, Putnam defends one of his soldiers being charged with misconduct saying that he is reliable and has taken General Washington's Oath of Fidelity. Putnam also orders scouting parties to be kept as close to the enemy as possible.

List, "State of Captain Samuel Camp's Company"

Unit ID RM-1032; MS-5664

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23083

Unit Date 1777 April 21

Text 5 (box)

Container 1777.04.21 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

2nd Company 1st Regiment Connecticut Militia--Lists categories for Capt. Camps's 42 men, shows which soldiers are sick, absent, discharged, dead, or deserted. Return - Connecticut Militia.

Keywords

Military records

Lists (document genres)

United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783

Commission, Benedict Arnold as Major General

Unit ID RM-1035; MS-5670

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23084

Unit Date 1777 May 2

Text 5 (box)

Container 1777.05.02 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Hancock, John, 1737-1793

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Commission for Benedict Arnold to serve as Major General, signed by John Hancock.

Keywords

United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783

Military records

Military commissions

Arnold, Benedict, 1741-1801

Document, establishment of smallpox hospital in Norton, Massachusetts

Unit ID RM-1015; MS-5641

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23085

Unit Date 1777 July 2

Text 5 (box)

Container 1777.07.02 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 pages

Scope and Contents

Document, signed, 1 page, folded, writing on two sides. Town meeting voted to establish the hospital according to law. Dr. Daniel Parker and Dr. Nathaniel Cook were the physicians in charge.

Keywords

Medicine -- History -- 18th century

Smallpox

Receipt, Lenard Harper to Lund Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A.25

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23086

Unit Date 1777 October

Text 5 (box)

Container 1777.10.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Lund, 1737-1796

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. Autograph document signed, in hand of Lund Washington, Harper's name signed with X, laminated, docketed. Receipt for 20 shillings for making ten pairs of "negro shoes" for General Washington's people.

Keywords

Slavery

Clothing and dress -- Purchasing

Receipts (financial records)

Financial records

Letter, Ludwig Casimir baron de Holtzendorff to Henry Laurens

Unit ID A-366.28

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17694

Unit Date 1777 November 4

Text 5 (box)

Container 1777.11.04 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Memorial presented to Congress relating to widows of foreign officers. Letter to George Washington is enclosed. See letter of 1777 October 6. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed, watermark (encircled fleur-de-lis surmounted by crown). [Letter to G.W. is enclosed--see letter of Oct. 6, 1777, Baron Holtzendorf to G.W.].

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19044

Unit Date 1778 - 1779

Text 6 (box)

Language English.

Parliamentary act to repeal the Boston Port Act

Unit ID RM-943; MS-5294

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23094

Unit Date 1778

Text 6 (box)

Container 1778.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Printed document, 2 pages. Parliamentary Act during the reign of George III repealed the Boston Port Act of Massachusetts.

Parliamentary act to repeal the Sugar Act

Unit ID RM-937; MS-5489.1

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23095

Unit Date 1778

Text 6 (box)

Container 1778.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Printed document, 4 pages. Parliamentary act repealing the Sugar Act.

Parliamentary act to discontinue the duties on cotton and wool

Unit ID RM-937; MS-5487

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23096

Unit Date 1778

Text 6 (box)

Container 1778.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Printed document, 2 pages. Parliamentary act discontinuing the Duties on Cotton-wool, the Growth and Product of the British Colonies or Plantations in America, exported from this Kingdom.

Receipts, Betty Washington Lewis

Unit ID RM-771; MS-5130-5154

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23097

Unit Date 1778-1795

Text 6 (box)

Container 1778.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Betty Washington, 1733-1797

Scope and Contents

Collection of receipts ranging from 1778-1795. Twenty-five items mostly relating to Betty Washington Lewis for the period of her widowhood. Includes payment for stockings, property taxes, her sons' tuition, linen, a copper kettle, and a statement of "Debt, interest and payments on two Bonds ... from John Wayman, Edward Snickers and William Brady to Col. Fielding Lewis." In Mylar enclosures.

Keywords

Receipts (financial records)

Letter, John Parke Custis to James Henry

Unit ID RM-493; MS-4069

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17731

Unit Date 1778 February 1

Text 6 (box)

Container 1778.02.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Custis, John Parke, 1754-1781

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Promises on penalty of £10,000 to give him title to land in King and Queen County soon as possible. Pay purchase money to James Hill. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked by hand "Alexa.", docketed "Title Papers - John P. Custis' Lre. directing payment of money for King and Queen Estate to Jams. Hill and engaging a title to J.H. - Mem - Deed is recorded in the Genl. Court."

Election notice, Tax Commissioners of Westmoreland County

Unit ID RM-493; MS-4069

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23098

Unit Date 1778 March 10

Text 6 (box)

Container 1778.03.10 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. A notice of the election of Philip Smith, Joseph Lane, and Fleet Cox to act as Tax Commissioners for Westmoreland County; "freely and Indifferently" elected by Freeholders and Housekeepers. Signed by John Augustine Washington (1736-1787; brother of George Washington), Richard Lee, and Thomas Chilton.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Hannah Washington

Unit ID RM-1194

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/3285

Unit Date 1778 March 13

Text 6 (box)

Container 1778.03.13 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Washington, Hannah Bushrod, approximately 1738-1804

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter, signed. Letter written from Bushrod Washington, to his mother, Hannah Bushrod Washington, about his time in Fredericksburg.

Keywords

Correspondence

Document, An artist's proposal for subscription and receipt for the engraving America

Unit ID 2016-SC-006

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/3119

Unit Date 1778 April 16

Text 6 (box)

Container 1778.04.16 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Fairfax, George William, 1724-1787

Creator Pine, Robert Edge, 1730?-1788

Scope and Contents

This broadside was used as an advertisement to help fund engravings of Robert Edge Pine's painting that celebrated the American cause. It is filled out by Pine in manuscript on behalf of George William Fairfax who bought and sponsored five prints. Paid by George William Fairfax and signed by Robert Edge Pine

Keywords

Broadsides (notices)

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Hannah Washington

Unit ID RM-1064; MS-5706

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23099

Unit Date 1778 May 11

Text 6 (box)

Container 1778.05.11 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Washington, Hannah Bushrod, approximately 1738-1804

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Bushrod Washington writes his mother (Hannah Bushrod Washington) while a student at William and Mary College at age 16. He writes about world affairs and his activities at William and Mary. Autograph letter signed, address panel on verso.

Loyalty oath, Moses Greenleaf

Unit ID RM-931; MS-5472

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23100

Unit Date 1778 May 18

Text 6 (box)

Container 1778.05.18 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Greenleaf, Moses, 1755-1812

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Partially printed document. Loyalty oath, signed at Valley Forge by Moses Greenleaf, captain of a Foot Company. "I Moses Greenleaf Capt. In ... do acknowledge the United States of America to be Free ... ".

Keywords

United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783

Valley Forge (Pa.)

Broadsides (notices)

Military document, John Augustine Washington instructions to Westmoreland County militia

Unit ID RM-885 ; MS-5376

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33057

Unit Date 1778 May 26

Text 6 (box)

Container 1778.05.26 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Extent 1 Sheets1 page with text21 x 14 cm

Scope and Contents

Colonel John Augustine Washington, by orders of his Excellency the governor, instructs the militia of Westmoreland County to assemble at the county courthouse for the purposes of a draft of one third of the militia 'held in readyness at a moments warning.' Autograph document signed, 1 page.

Keywords

Military records

United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783

Letter, John Fitzgerald to Clement Biddle

Unit ID RM-731; MS-4920

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17739

Unit Date 1778 June 5

Text 6 (box)

Container 1778.06.05 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Fitzgerald, John, -1799

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Letter by Washington's aide-de-camp requesting Clement Biddle's horse for Martha Washington, who wants to "ride a short distance that day."

Continental note, eight dollars

Unit ID RM-1157; MS-5878

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23101

Unit Date 1778 September 26

Text 6 (box)

Container 1778.09.26 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Continental currency note, eight dollars. Printed by Hall and Sellers, Philadelphia.

Continental note, sixty dollars

Unit ID RM-1157; MS-5879

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/3293

Unit Date 1778 September 26

Text 6 (box)

Container 1778.09.26 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Continental currency note, sixty dollars. Printed by Hall and Sellers, Philadelphia.

Keywords

Paper money

Money (objects)

Continental note, seven dollars

Unit ID RM-1136; MS-5822.3

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23102

Unit Date 1778 September 26

Text 6 (box)

Container 1778.09.26 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Continental currency note, seven dollars. Printed by Hall and Sellers, Philadelphia.

Military return, 10th Company of the 3rd Regiment Militia, Worcester County

Unit ID RM-1082; MS-5739

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23104

Unit Date 1779 January 7

Text 6 (box)

Container 1779.01.07 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. A Return of the 10th Company of the 3rd Regiment of Militia in the County of Worcester. Company strength report. Marginal note to the section that separates soldiers by race is "Quakers 3." Document signed, partially printed.

Bill, Benjamin Crockers to Mary Coxe

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2119

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23105

Unit Date 1779 January 13

Text 6 (box)

Container 1779.01.13 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Bill for 3 pieces of handkerchief, 15 yds. in each for £45.0.0.

Continental note, thirty-five dollars

Unit ID W-971

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/6750

Unit Date 1779 January 14

Text 6 (box)

Container 1779.01.14 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Continental currency note, thirty-five dollars. This note was supposedly found in Washington's desk after his death and had been in General Nicholas Fitzhugh's family until its donation. Printed by Hall and Sellers, Philadelphia.

Letter, John Parke Custis to James Henry

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4632

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17732

Unit Date 1779 April 5

Text 6 (box)

Container 1779.04.05 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Custis, John Parke, 1754-1781

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. "I have the Deed from the General [George Washington] for the Land you bought of the ["Romankoke," a plantation in King and Queen County, Va.] ... It was executed at Camp [Valley Forge] ... I neglected to get a Deed from Me to you, as I was not able to have the Deed from The Genl. to Me recorded." GW had originally purchased the property for his step-son, who then wished to sell it to Henry. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed.

Receipt, Caesar Rodney to Joseph Purden

Unit ID RM-864; MS-5323

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23106

Unit Date 1779 April 19

Text 6 (box)

Container 1779.04.19 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Rodney releases Joseph Purden of mortgage. Total £97.5.2.

Enlistment form

Unit ID RM-1082; MS-5738

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23107

Unit Date 1779 June 9

Text 6 (box)

Container 1779.06.09 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D. 3 pages. Enlistment form. Descriptive list of 100 recruits from Massachusetts Bay enrolled in Continental Army for nine months. It lists hometown, country, age, stature, complexion, and time of arrival. Two men stand out: Charles Ralf, an Indian and Cato Brewer, a "Negro".

Keywords

Military records

United States. Continental Army -- Recruiting, enlistment, etc.

United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783

Letter, Marie Joseph Paul Yves Roch Gilbert Du Motier, Marquis de Lafayette to unknown recipient

Unit ID RM-1137; MS-5823

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17747

Unit Date 1779 July 4

Text 6 (box)

Container 1779.07.04 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lafayette, Marie Joseph Paul Yves Roch Gilbert Du Motier, marquis de, 1757-1834

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Letter from the Marquis de Lafayette to an "Dear Sir," discussing a soldier's need to leave the militia. Describes difficulties and frustrations felt by George Washington and Congress due to foreigners seeking appointments in American Army.

Letter, Philip Smith to Hannah Washington

Unit ID A-366.31

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23108

Unit Date 1779 October 17

Text 6 (box)

Container 1779.10.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Hannah Bushrod, approximately 1738-1804

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Sorry to hear of Col. [John A.?] Washington's illness--Bushrod [Smith?] has been ill, also Fanny [Smith?]--Betsy is weak. Autograph letter signed, mounted.(Philip Smith's wife, Elizabeth, or Betsy, seems to have been Mrs. John A. Washington's sister).

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Hannah Washington

Unit ID RM-238; MS-2721

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23109

Unit Date 1779 October 29

Text 6 (box)

Container 1779.10.29 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Washington, Hannah Bushrod, approximately 1738-1804

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Tells of his safe arrival at Wakefield and comments on the health of the family. Asks for

A.L.S. 2 pages. Tells of his safe arrival at Wakefield and comments on the health of the family. Asks for his grandmother's shoes which he has forgotten and other personal matters. Autograph letter signed, with integral cover docketed by Col. John A. Washington of Bushfield by Jerry.

Parliamentary act to allow the exportation of goods to North America

Unit ID RM-937; MS-5485

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23103

Unit Date 1779 November 25

Text 6 (box)

Container 1779.11.25 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Printed document, 4 pages. Parliamentary act - "An act to allow the Exportation of Provisions, goods, wares, and merchandise, from Great Britain, to certain towns, Ports or Places in North America ..." which are or may be under the Protection of "His Majesty's Arms." Printed by Charlee Eyre and William Strahan, London.

Manuscripts Box 7

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19045

Unit Date 1780 - 1782

Text 7 (box)

Language English.

Proclamation to Canada, Marquis de Lafayette

Unit ID W-1077

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23111

Unit Date 1780

Text 7 (box)

Container 1780.00.00 (folder)

Language French.

Creator Lafayette, Marie Joseph Paul Yves Roch Gilbert Du Motier, marquis de, 1757-1834

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. An invitation to Canadians to join France in aiding the United States against the British--appeals to their common French blood, recent ties with France asks them to set up their own government and join the confederacy of 13 states. Printed document, laminated, watermark (fleur de lis), printed in French, endorsed in later hand "Sent by LaFayette to Washington Presented to the Assoc. by Mr. Herbert."

Keywords

United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783

Invitations

Canada

Parliamentary act regarding trade in the East Indies

Unit ID RM-937; MS-5486

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23110

Unit Date 1780

Text 7 (box)

Container 1780.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Printed document, 4 pages. Parliamentary act regarding trade in the East Indies.

Parliamentary act regarding the sugar trade in America and Great Britain

Unit ID RM-937; MS-5488

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/3292

Unit Date 1780

Text 7 (box)

Container 1780.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Printed document, 4 pages. Parliamentary act regarding the sugar trade in America and Great Britain. Printed by Charles Eyre and William Strahan, London.

Letter, Fielding Lewis to Fielding Lewis, Jr.

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3533

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23112

Unit Date 1780 February 18

Text 7 (box)

Container 1780.02.18 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Fielding, 1725-1781 or 1782

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. An explanation of the division of a quantity of corn between Mr. Kercheval and Mr. Snickers, and other farm business. Also advice to his son about a purchase of land from Mr. Butler.

Keywords

Correspondence

Agriculture

Extract of law, New Jersey

Unit ID A-301.11

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23113

Unit Date 1780 March 18

Text 7 (box)

Container 1780.03.18 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. Extract of law passed in New Jersey relating to certification of cattle and sheep." That no Certificates for Cattle, Swine, Sheep, or other Provisions, seized by the Army shall be paid by the Contractors, unless the same shall be Certifyed under the hand of his Excellency the Commander in Chief of the Army, or of some other person by his Order." Autograph document, laminated, docketed on reverse, "Morris Town 23d Decr 1780 from Joseph Lewis Contractor Morris County - ansd 29h."

Continental note, twenty-five dollars

Unit ID RM-1101; MS-5774

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23114

Unit Date 1780 May 10

Text 7 (box)

Container 1780.05.10 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Continental currency note, North Carolina, twenty-five dollars. Printed by J. Davis.

Note regarding bond, Lund Washington

Unit ID RM-352; MS-2354

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23115

Unit Date 1780 May 19

Text 7 (box)

Container 1780.05.19 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Lund, 1737-1796

Scope and Contents

Re: John French's bond due Tayloe and Washington. "On the 19th of May One Thousand Seven Hundred and Eighty Mr. John French offered to pay off his bond Due Tayloe and Washington, which I refused the money being of so little value. - Lund Washington."

Voucher for pay

Unit ID RM-1008; MS-5634

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23116

Unit Date 1780 June 1

Text 7 (box)

Container 1780.06.01 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Printed document signed, 1 page. Voucher for pay. Issued to Lebbeus "Libeus" Qui, a freed slave who fought in the Revolution from Connecticut. There is some reference saying that he was not freed until 1777 by Daniel Brewster.

Letter, Charles Thomson to John Jay

Unit ID RM-1179; MS-5916

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/3287

Unit Date 1780 June 7

Text 37 (box)

Container 1780.06.07 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Jay, John, 1745-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Written in cipher and partially decoded by Jay.

Keywords
Correspondence

Continental note, three dollars

Unit ID RM-1101; MS-5775

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23117

Unit Date 1780 July 2

Text 7 (box)

Container 1780.07.02 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Continental currency note, three dollars. Rhode Island and Providence Plantation. Guaranteed by the United States; fully signed face and back.

Continental note, sixty dollars

Unit ID RM-1009; MS-5770

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23118

Unit Date 1780 July 14

Text 7 (box)

Container 1780.07.14 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Continental currency note, Virginia, sixty dollars. Printed on thin rice paper.

Letter, John Parke Custis to Mr. Price

Unit ID MSS-679

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17733

Unit Date 1780 September 16

Text 7 (box)

Container 1780.09.16 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Custis, John Parke, 1754-1781

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Concerning Price's management of his [farms], including agreement on terms and duties--payment of Bob Alexander. Autograph letter signed, docketed "No. 1, Relates to the Agt." Name on original manuscript appears as "J. P. Custis."

Broadside, recruitment into the Continental Army

Unit ID RM-1010; MS-5636

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23119

Unit Date 1780 October 12

Text 7 (box)

Container 1780.10.12 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Printed document, 1 page. Broadside, Connecticut. Recruitment into the Continental Army. "An Act for filling up and compleating this State's Uuota of the Continental Army." George Wyllys, Secretary.

Letter, John Augustine Washington to Lund Washington

Unit ID A-516.5

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23120

Unit Date 1780 October 15

Text 7 (box)

Container 1780.10.15 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Creator Washington, Lund, 1737-1796

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Introduces Thomas Griggs, tenant on George Washington's lands in Berkely--he wants new lease--J.A.W. recommends him as collector for G.W.'s rents in the area--Col. David Kennedy, Pa. farmer, has taken over one of General's leases--" ... a person who employed Lands in farming agreeable to the pensilvany method I should think would be the most agreeable tenants"--in Berkeley for Mrs. [Hannah Bushrod] Washington's health--lame horses prevent visit to sister [Betty Lewis] in Fredericksburg. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, watermark (MW). Name on original manuscript appears as "John Aug. Washington."

Continental note, three hundred dollars

Unit ID RM-1099; MS-5771

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23121

Unit Date 1780 October 16

Text 7 (box)

Container 1780.10.16 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Continental currency note, Virginia, three hundred dollars.

Broadside, recruitment into the Continental Army

Unit ID RM-1001; MS-5637

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23122

Unit Date 1780 November 29

Text 7 (box)

Container 1780.11.29 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Printed document, 1 page. Broadside, "Resolved by this Assembly, That for the defence of the posts of Horseneck, and other parts of this State, there be immediately raised five hundred and seventy-five able-bodied effective men..." George Wyllys, Secretary.

List of slaves returned from British

Unit ID RM-770; MS-5084

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/4748

Unit Date 1781

Text 7 (box)

Container 1781.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Lund, 1737-1796

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. List of Slaves Returned by the British Army. The list of slaves shows those who left with the British Ship the HMS Savage after it stopped about Mount Vernon. The slaves are individually described. They were taken from George Washington by Captain Richard Graves in 1781. On reverse: "A list of General Washington negroes that went to the British, 1781." Signed by Lund Washington.

Keywords

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Enslaved persons

United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783

Business records

Lists (document genres)

Account, William Augustine Washington with Beckwith Butler

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2318

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23123

Unit Date 1781-1803

Text 7 (box)

Container 1781.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

D. 2 pages. Accounts of various goods of an ordinary nature.

Manuscript Map, French intelligence map of New York harbor with soundings of East River, Hell Gate, and the western end of Long Island Sound

Unit ID 2021-SC-003-001

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/28475

Unit Date 1781 January-February

Text 7 (box)

Container 1781.00.00 (folder)

Language French.

Extent 1 pages31 x 19 cm

Scope and Contents

A French Intelligence map of New York Harbor with soundings of the East River, Hell Gate and the western end of Long Island Sound. Additionally the map denotes anchorages, dangerous rocks, shore fortifications as well as several named landmarks including "Red hook Fort", "New York [City]", "gouverneur island", "frogs pte", "White Stone", "Sandy pte", "West chester", as well as "Riviere du nord", "New Jersy", and "partie du ouest Dela Longue isle". Over that section of Long Island is a lengthy commentary including a detailed description of the hazards navigating "hell gette".

Keywords

manuscript maps

Nautical charts

New York (N.Y.)

Long Island Sound (N.Y. and Conn.)

United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783

Letter, General Assembly of Maryland to his Excellency the Minister of France

Unit ID 2021-SC-003-005

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/28479

Unit Date 1781 January 5

Text 7 (box)

Container 1781.01.05 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Jenifer, Daniel of St. Thomas, 1723-1790

Extent 1 pages31 x 20 cm

Scope and Contents

The letter is a request to "his most Christian Majesty" for help to secure the Chesapeake from British naval raids that had rendered it impossible to export the "Tobacco, flour and other produce of this State and Virginia". The senders may possibly be Daniel of St. Thomas Jenifer, George Plater, President of the Senate and William Bruff, Speaker of the House. The recipient is not identified other than as the Minister of France. 4 pages.

Keywords

Correspondence

United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783

Inventory list, Custis family silver

Unit ID RM-773; MS-5157

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/28586

Unit Date 1781 January 26

Text 7 (box)

Container 1781.01.26 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Custis, John Parke, 1754-1781

Extent 1 pages

Keywords

Lists (document genres)

Letter, John Augustine Washington to John Bran

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2308

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23124

Unit Date 1780 February 20

Text 7 (box)

Container 1781.02.20 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Re: Payment of debt to John Augustine.

Letter, William Ledyard (possibly) to Charles-René-Dominique Sochet Destouches

Unit ID 2021-SC-003-003

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/28477

Unit Date 1781 February 21

Text 7 (box)

Container 1781.02.21 (folder)

Language French.

Creator Ledyard, William, 1738-1781

Extent 2 pages22 x 18 cm

Scope and Contents

A translation of a letter, likely written by Ledyard, William(?). Ledyard writes to Destouches supplying intelligence on disposition of the British fleet at Gardiner's Bay including a small map showing the various ships in line relative to the shoreline. The report notes the presence of eight vessels ranging in strength from 50-74 guns. 2 pages.

Keywords

Correspondence

Gardiners Bay (N.Y.)

United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783

Destouches, Charles-René-Dominique Sochet, 1727-1794

Letter, William Ledyard to Charles-René-Dominique Sochet Destouches

Unit ID 2021-SC-003-002

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/28476

Unit Date 1781 March 1

Text 7 (box)

Container 1781.03.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Ledyard, William, 1738-1781

Extent 1 pages32 x 20 cm

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter, signed by Ledyard dated March 1, 1781. Ledyard writes an eyewitness report on the disposition of "the British Fleet in Gardiners Bay," observing that "there has been more or less of the small ships moving out and in almost every day, have this moment taken a full View of the Fleet in the Bay with a good glass the weather being very clear find there is the same Number of Ships of the Line as there was when I wrote last some of which appear to have altered their Station in the Line." He also notes the appearance of something that looked like a floating battery but no shore batteries.

Keywords

Correspondence

United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783

Gardiners Bay (N.Y.)

Destouches, Charles-René-Dominique Sochet, 1727-1794

Continental note, three pence

Unit ID RM-1101; MS-5776

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/6751

Unit Date 1781 April 20

Text 7 (box)

Container 1781.04.20 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Continental currency note, Pennsylvania, three pence. Printed by John Dunlap.

Certificate, J. Munro to Fielding Lewis

Unit ID H-768

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23125

Unit Date 1781 May 3

Text 7 (box)

Container 1781.05.03 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Fielding, 1725-1781 or 1782

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Certificate for impressing 2 of Fielding Lewis's horses for Lafayette--witnessed by Capt. Richd. Young, A.D.Q.M. Autograph document signed, fragment, laminated. Their value sworn to (100 £) by Will McWilliams and Henry Armistead.

Colonial note, five hundred dollars

Unit ID RM-1099; MS-5772

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23126

Unit Date 1781 May 7

Text 7 (box)

Container 1781.05.07 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Continental note, Virginia, five hundred dollars. Printed by John Dunlap.

Document, Barras to Destouches

Unit ID 2021-SC-003-004

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/28478

Unit Date 1781 June 24

Text 7 (box)

Container 1781.06.24 (folder)

Language French.

Creator Barras, Jacques-Melchior, Comte de, 1719-1793

Extent 1 pages31 x 20 cm

Scope and Contents

Barras writes a letter to Destouches authorizing him to take "Le Neptune, L'Eveille and Le Romulus" to cover the arrival of a convoy from Boston that was escorting two frigates to Newport: "For this purpose he will cross between Rhode Island and Martha's Vineyard, being sure as much as possible to preserve the facility of entering Rhode Island if the enemy were to present themselves in superior force".

Keywords

Correspondence

United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783

Destouches, Charles-René-Dominique Sochet, 1727-1794

Letter, Phillip Marsteller to Henry Spycker

Unit ID RM-1151; MS-5870

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23127

Unit Date 1781 October 6

Text 7 (box)

Container 1780.10.06 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Re: siege of Yorktown and supplies of cannons, balls, etc.

Terms of sale, estate of Samuel Washington

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4461

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27366

Unit Date ca. 1781

Text 7 (box)

Container 1781.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Estate of Samuel Washington. A.D.S. 1 page. "The Sale of the Estate of Colo. Samuel Washington Decd. is on the following terms ... 1. the Highest bidder to be the purchaser ... 3. all under 30 [lbs.] is ready Cash ... 5. ten percent discount will be allowed for ready Cash." Date on original catalog card appears [c. 1781]. Signed by Samuel's brothers, John Augustine and Charles and James Nourse.

Letter, Eleanor Stuart to Katherine Greene

Unit ID A-371.5

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23128

Unit Date 1782 March 23

Text 7 (box)

Container 1782.03.23 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Stuart, Eleanor Calvert Custis, approximately 1758-1811

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Humorous chatty letter--she has little time to write--"... he says he has often heard I was married and for fear you should have the same intelligence and put some faith in it, be assured no such thought has ever enter'd my Head as yet nor do I believe ever will ... "--compliments to Genl. [Greene]. Autograph letter signed, incorrectly docketed "Mrs. Custis March 23, 1780". Name on original manuscript appears as "E. Custis". Date on original catalog card appears [1782]? March 23.

Letter, John Augustine Washington and Hannah Washington to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23129

Unit Date 1782 April 1

Text 7 (box)

Container 1782.04.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Washington, Hannah Bushrod, approximately 1738-1804

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. "... your worthy Unkles politeness and attention to your Education fills our breasts with the warmest sentiments of Gratitude, you were happy indeed to meet with him, as it has not only been the means of lessing your immediate expences to me ... but as it also produced to you the advantage of good advise from so able a Friend, and an introduction that will command you the attention of the best Company ..."--don't spend time executing commissions for Virginia friends--goes to Berkeley--

send account of his expenses every 2 months. Autograph letter signed, laminated. Date on original catalog card appears as [1782] [April 1]. Name on original manuscript appears as "John Aug. Washington". (This letter is on the same paper with letter from Hannah Bushrod Washington to Bushrod Washington, dated the same).

Inventory, estate of Daniel Matthews

Unit ID RM-813; MS-5240

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23130

Unit Date 1782 May 22

Text 7 (box)

Container 1782.05.22 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Inventory of Daniel Matthew's estate that includes household and personal items, farm animals, and tools. This document is signed by Thomas Washington, John Weaver, and Joseph Moxley.

Letter, Jean-Baptiste-Donatien de Vimeur, comte de Rochambeau, to François Jean, chevalier de Chastellux

Unit ID 2018-SC-019-003

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14586

Unit Date 1782 July 20

Text 7 (box)

Container 1782.07.20 (folder)

Language French.

Creator Rochambeau, Jean-Baptiste-Donatien de Vimeur, comte de, 1725-1807

Extent 4 pages23 x 19 cm, folded

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed. Blindstamped "Archives de Chastellux." Rochambeau writes about Washington's plans for the 1782 campaign and news from Europe.

Keywords

Correspondence

United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783

Chastellux, François Jean, marquis de, 1734-1788

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Bond, James Crane, John Crane, and Ephraim Washington to John Augustine Washington, Charles Washington, and James Nourse

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4633

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23131

Unit Date 1782 October 23

Text 7 (box)

Container 1782.10.23 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Creator Washington, Charles, 1738-1799

Scope and Contents

D.S. 2 pages. Bond. "We James Crane, John Crane and Ephraim Washington do promise to pay to John Augt. Washington, Charles Washington or James Nourse as executors to the estate of Sam[uel] Washington dec[eased] ... the sum of one Hundred and Eighteen Pounds Six Shillings ..." on or before April 3, 1783. On verso, John A. Washington endorses the bond.

Letter, Zedekiah Walley to Daniel of St. Thomas Jenifer

Unit ID RM-1082; MS-5737

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23132

Unit Date 1782 October 28

Text 7 (box)

Container 1782.10.28 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. Capt. Walley requested 3 Hogsheads of good rum to be used by officers on board the Barges. Additionally want 3 Hogsheads more of Brandy or the money to purchase it locally to get a cheaper price and better quality brandy.

Letter, Benjamin Dulany to Lund Washington

Unit ID A-301.8

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17736

Unit Date 1782 December 4

Text 7 (box)

Container 1782.12.04 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Lund, 1737-1796

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mrs. French won't exchange her land tract for tract--"Mrs. Dulany and myself will give the Reversion of the Dogue Creek Land for Dow and Co Land Tract for Tract." Autograph letter signed, integral cover marked "By Abraham", laminated, docketed in later hand "From Benj. Dulany about land for G.W." in pencil, watermark (MW). Name on original manuscript appears as "Benj. Dulany". (See letter of same date, Lund W. to G.W.)

Bond, John Washington and William Washington

Unit ID RM-813; MS-5239

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23133

Unit Date 1782 December 31

Text 7 (box)

Container 1782.12.31 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Bond for 500f. posted by John Washington on his appointment as Sheriff of Westmoreland County. William Washington is a cosigner on the bond. This John Washington is probably the great-grandson of Lawrence Washington the immigrant; b.1729-1786.

Manuscripts Box 8

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19046

Unit Date January 1783 - April 1784

Text 8 (box)

Language English.

Account book of George Lewis

Unit ID RM-86; MS-2234

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23161

Unit Date 1783-1789

Text 8 (box)

Container 1783.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Account book owned by George Lewis, Washington's nephew. Mostly an account of items purchased

Account book owned by George Lewis, Washington's nephew. Mostly an account of items purchased. Small quarto, 39 folio pages.

Pay table, Revolutionary War

Unit ID RM-936; MS-5478

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23164

Unit Date 1783 January 8

Text 8 (box)

Container 1783.01.08 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. "Pay Table Office Jan'y 8th 1783," with balances due to each person and sum totals.

Letter, Eleanor Stuart to Jacob Read

Unit ID R-180; MSS-751

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17728

Unit Date 1783 January 31

Text 8 (box)

Container 1783.01.31 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Stuart, Eleanor Calvert Custis, approximately 1758-1811

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Family news, fears he has little hope for once Papa "determines he never changes," Sally will write and tell all, her family is well, monthly balls at Alexandria and some private ones, expects to remain single.

Letter, David Humphreys to Colonel Hall Jackson

Unit ID 2018-SC-091-001

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17752

Unit Date 1783 February 10

Text 8 (box)

Container 1783.02.10 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Humphreys, David, 1752-1818

Extent 2 pages

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Humphreys, aide-de-camp to Washington, describes Washington's reaction to a remonstrance of the state of Vermont.

Keywords

Correspondence

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Hannah Washington

Unit ID 2022-SC-007-002

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32636

Unit Date 1783 April 12

Text 8 (box)

Container 1783.04.12 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Extent 3 pages3 pages folded, 12 pages of text20 x 24 cm

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, Hannah Bushrod, approximately 1738-1804

Custodial History

George Washington Masonic National Memorial Catalog No. 1971.01.037

Letter, Elizabeth Powel to Hannah Washington

Unit ID A-543.2

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23166

Unit Date 1783 April 17

Text 8 (box)

Container 1783.04.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Powel, Elizabeth Willing, 1743-1830

Creator Washington, Hannah Bushrod, approximately 1738-1804

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Retained copy. "Judge Bushrod Washington to whose Mother this letter is addressed very largely won the esteem of my Aunt. I remember him well, as when holding court in Phila. he always dined on Sundays with her. I was always taken there to dine on Sunday too as a child. Thus I remember my father delighted to teaze my aunt by saying Wright's picture of Genl. Washington was badly painted, when she invariably appealed to Judge Washington who always sustained her in asserting it was an admirable likeness." Although she has never met [Mrs. H. Washington,] she writes telling her of the esteem in which she holds her son Bushrod--gives character of Bushrod, uncorrupted despite luxurious atmosphere of Phila.--Bushrod very naive about reading character.Name on original manuscript appears as "Eliz. Powel".

Letter, Prentice Bowen to Colonel Weisenfelt

Unit ID RM-1038; MS-5678

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23168

Unit Date 1783 April 25

Text 8 (box)

Container 1783.04.25 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Continental officer Prentice Bowden writes from Clarkstown, NY saying he will be prevented from attending a meeting called but assents to the wishes of his fellow soldiers and accepts "the Commutation agreeable to the resolve of Congress.-"

Note concerning a bridge in Westmoreland County

Unit ID RM-813; MS-5241

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23169

Unit Date 1783 May 27

Text 8 (box)

Container 1783.05.27 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.N.S. 1 page. A statement concerning building a bridge "over the water course where Robinsons Mill formerly Turners was situated ... the said Bridge was set up to the lowest bidder price 900 lbs Crop Tobacco." Signed by John Washington, most likely the great-grandson of Lawrence Washington the immigrant; b.1729-1786.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Hannah Washington

Unit ID 2022-SC-007-003

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32638

Unit Date 1783 June 7

Text 8 (box)

Container 1783.06.07 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Extent 1 Sheets1 paper folded, 4 pages of text21 x 33 cm

Scope and Contents

Bushrod Washington writes to Hannah Washington, apologizing to his mother for not writing and thanking her for her letters. He writes about the summer heat and in an attempt to escape to country breezes befriends a family outside of the city. He inquires whether his mother has received a letter from Mrs. Powel [Elizabeth Willing Powel] and expresses his continued and growing affection for her and Mr. Powel. He mentions that Mrs. Powel can be quite frank with him especially his choice in 'cloaths' and replaced his newly acquired watch string with a more elaborate style. He will send his portrait [by Henry Benbridge] to her when it is safe to do so by water conveyance. He is quite proud of the painting and claims, "it is said by all who see it, to be amongst the finest pieces of painting in Philadelphia." It cost him £18.10. Autograph letter signed 4 pages.

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, Hannah Bushrod, approximately 1738-1804

Custodial History

George Washington Masonic National Memorial Catalog No. 1971.01.038

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Hannah Washington

Unit ID R-181; MSS-755

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23170

Unit Date 1783 July 1

Text 8 (box)

Container 1783.07.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Washington, Hannah Bushrod, approximately 1738-1804

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 8 pages. Indebted to her for her faithful correspondence ... hopes to shorten stay in Phila., by devoting all his time to law. ... reflects on his first 21 yrs ... is sending his portrait, painted by Henry Benbridge. Expresses his opinion of the picture. Concern about his sister Milly's cusses education of women in general and especially his sister's. Desires her to learn music and French if any tutors can still be found in Va. If not, will tutor her himself when he returns. Believes a woman should learn more than just domestic duties. Will write sister (Jane) an account of Mrs. (?) a very good friend who is the victim of persecuting misfortune, "the most Unhappy woman in the world".

Keywords

Women -- Education -- History

Letter, John Augustine Washington to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23171

Unit Date 1783 September

Text 8 (box)

Container 1783.09.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. Bushfield. Letter regarding a land sale. Name on original manuscript appears as "J. A. Washington". Date on original catalog card appears as [1783][Sept.].

Letter, Fanny Bassett Washington to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-516.3

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23172

Unit Date 1783 September 1

Text 8 (box)

Container 1783.09.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Frances "Fanny" Bassett Washington, 1767-1796

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Earlier letter miscarried--her anxiety over him--pleased at improved health, but fears he is too optimistic--Dr. Stuart thinks he should winter in West Indies--" ... if you do not get well by being on Rhodeisland I hope South Carolina wou'd do as well as the West indies and I cannot bear the idea of your being exposed to the Sea this time of the year"--came to welcome aunt and the General home, but they haven't come yet--spends time with Mrs. L[und] W.--Mrs. Custis with sister in Md. who suffers from unfortunate love affair--[Fanny] and Dr. [D.] Stuart to accompany Mrs. Custis down country--Mrs. Custis to marry Dr. Stuart--wants to see him--"I only pray that it may be the will of Heaven that we shou'd. be happy together." Autograph letter signed, laminated, docketed by George A. W-n incorrectly "1st Sept. 1784"

Keywords
Correspondence

Bill, Captain Marban to Mrs. Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A.27

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23173

Unit Date 1783 September 8

Text 8 (box)

Container 1783.09.08 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Document, in hand of J[ohn] Herndon, fragment, laminated, docketed, charred by fire. Receipted by J. Herndon. Bill of 2 blankets, amounting to 16 shillings, to "Mrs. Washington." Unknown if Martha or Mary Washington.

Keywords
Bills of sale

Letter, Thomas Washington to John Lucas

Unit ID A-366.20

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23174

Unit Date 1783 September 25

Text 8 (box)

Container 1783.09.25 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Savannah. Bargain stated for sale of Thomas Washington's black horses, amounting in all to £150.

Bill of sale, Edward Hughes

Unit ID RM-813; MS-5242

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23175

Unit Date 1783 October 17

Text 8 (box)

Container 1783.10.17 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. A bill of sale whereby Edward Hughes of Kirkston Parish sells a male slave (named Sam) to his daughter Elizabeth Rudolph. The document is signed by John Washington (probably the great-grandson of Lawrence Washington the immigrant; b.1729-1786), Constant Washington (probably his wife), and Louisa F. Washington (possibly his daugter). Recorded in Westmoreland County on August 31, 1784 by R. Bernard.

Receipt, John Cook to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-698.2

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23176

Unit Date 1783 October 24

Text 8 (box)

Container 1783.10.24 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. Receipt signed by John Cook for 100 dollars for a white horse sold to Major Washington.

Note, Lund Washington to John Fitzgerald

Unit ID RM-378; MS-3158

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23177

Unit Date 1783 November 27

Text 8 (box)

Container 1783.11.27 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Lund, 1737-1796

Scope and Contents

A.N.S. 1 page. Lund offers to pay Col. John Fitzgerald for the Waggon [sic] and four horses he just received. Autograph note signed, [fragment]. Col. Fitzgerald was a prominent Alexandrian.

Letter, Elizabeth Powel to Ann Randolph Fitzhugh

Unit ID A-543.3

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23178

Unit Date 1783 December 24

Text 8 (box)

Container 1783.12.24 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Powel, Elizabeth Willing, 1743-1830

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Philadelphia. Received letter day after G.W. left Phila.--praise of G.W.--"Few in his situation after having so successfully played a Game for their Country but would have played an after Game for themselves--her little god daughter (Mrs. F's child)--mourns her own lost children--invitation to visit Phila.--compliments of season & New Year.

Indenture, Deed of Lease from Penelope French and Benjamin Dulany to John Robertson for part of Mount Vernon tract

Unit ID A-516.4

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5594

Unit Date 1784 January 1

Text 8 (box)

Container 1784.01.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator French, Penelope Manley, approximately 1739-

Scope and Contents

D.S. 3 pages. Conveys "All that plantation now in possession of the said Penelope French called the Dogue Run plantation in Fairfax County, and adjoining the land of the Immortal George Washington and a number of slaves thereon" for an annual rent of "One hundred and thirty six pounds Gold and Silver, Dollars at six Shillings and half Joes at forty eight shillings ..." Document signed, laminated, docketed "A Lease from Penelope French and Benjamin Dulany to John Robertson January 1st 1784," 3 red seals, watermarks. Signed by Penelope French, Benj. Dulany and John Robertson - witnessed by Going Lanphier and Robert Lanphier. Some marginal notes in handwriting of George Washington.

Keywords

Deeds

Indentures

Legal documents

Letter, John Augustine Washington to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-920; MS-5452

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23179

Unit Date 1784 February 11

Text 8 (box)

Container 1784.02.11 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Discusses disruption of business because of inclement weather; sale of Bushrod's hogsheads; disposition of his books.

Bill, William Augustine Washington to the estate of Richard Muse

Unit ID RM-813; MS- 5243

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23180

Unit Date 1784 February 23

Text 8 (box)

Container 1784.02.23 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

A.N. 1 page. A bill from William A. Washington (1757-1810; George Washington's nephew) to the estate of Richard Muse for the hiring of "negro Ceasar" by Muse's overseer William Smith.

Keywords

Slavery

Financial records

Enslaved persons

Letter, Elizabeth Powel to Ann Randolph Fitzhugh

Unit ID A-543.1

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23181

Unit Date 1784 March 3

Text 8 (box)

Container 1784.03.03 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Powel, Elizabeth Willing, 1743-1830

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Philadelphia. Will procure glasses for her, but regrets she needs them--post is surest way to send letters--many guests, but has been out little--"Extensive connections and supposed large Fortunes, have their consequent Appendages tho not always of the most agreeable sort."--her goddaughter (Mrs. F.'s child). Autograph letter signed, docketed in another hand. Name on original manuscript appears as "Eliz Powel."

Letter, David Bradford to John Lewis

Unit ID A-301

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17639

Unit Date 1784 March 28

Text 8 (box)

Container 1784.03.28 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, John, 1747-1825

Scope and Contents

A.L. 2 pages. Has posted advertisements on General's lands that George Washington intends to assert his claims there. Settlers there alarmed.

Letter, Thomas Washington to General McIntosh

Unit ID A-366.10

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23182

Unit Date 1784 April 8

Text 8 (box)

Container 1784.04.08 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Hermitage. Letter discussing sales of various goods, and slaves.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19047

Unit Date May 1784 - May 1785

Text 9 (box)

Language English.

Receipt, Thacker Washington to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-366.13

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23183

Unit Date 1784 May 1

Text 9 (box)

Container 1784.05.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. In writing of and docketed by William Augustine Washington. Received by the hands of

D.S. 1 page. In writing of and docketed by William Augustine Washington. Received by the hands of James Nivison £ 6 in payment for self and William Butler.

Receipt, Burdett Ashton to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-366.14

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23184

Unit Date 1784 May 5

Text 9 (box)

Container 1784.05.05 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

Receipt. D.S. 1 page. Document signed, fragment, docketed on back, "Majr Burdett Ashton's Rect for his Wifes and his proportion of my Brother George Washington's Legacies," incomplete watermark. For "every Claim wch I have against the Estate of Augustine Washington decd as well on the Acct of the Legacy left my Wife an also my proportion of Legacy by the Death of Mr. George Washington decd."

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Colonel Fitzgerald

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2309

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23185

Unit Date 1784 May 6

Text 9 (box)

Container 1784.05.06 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Bushfield. Re: Shipment of Bushrod's chest and other goods from Philadelphia.

Letter, François Jean, Marquis de Chastellux, to Philip Schuyler

Unit ID RM-207; MS-2665

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/13275

Unit Date 1784 June 17

Text 9 (box)

Container 1784.06.17 (folder)

Language French.

Creator Chastellux, François Jean, marquis de, 1734-1788

Extent 3 pages

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed in French. Paris. Chastellux writes of the departure of the Marquis de Lafayette to America. He imagines the scene if he, instead of Lafayette, might return to America and visit with Washington. He reminisces about the weeks spent at Albany and Saratoga during the Revolution and follows with a postscript regarding Madam Carter now Madam Church.

Keywords

Correspondence

Schuyler, Philip John, 1733-1804

Last will and testament, John Augustine Washington

Unit ID 2022-SC-007-004

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32639

Unit Date 1784 June 22

Text 9 (box)

Container 1784.06.22 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Extent 1 Sheets1 page folded, 4 pages with text31 x 19 cm

Keywords

Legal documents

Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787 -- Estate

Custodial History

George Washington Masonic National Memorial Catalog No. 1971.01.043

Note, Warner Washington to Richard Bartholomew Booth

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4634

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23186

Unit Date 1784 June 24

Text 9 (box)

Container 1784.06.24 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.N.S. 1 page. I.O.U. from Washington to Booth, of Maryland, for "Forty Guineys."

Letter, Hannah Washington to Colonel Fitzgerald

Unit ID RM-345; MS-2334

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23187

Unit Date 1784 July 27

Text 9 (box)

Container 1784.07.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Hannah Bushrod, approximately 1738-1804

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mrs. Washington asks Col. Fitzgerald to convey to her sons at Mount Vernon, with as much expediency as possible, the enclosed information. Re: Bushrod Washington's personal affects.

Bill, to Mary Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A.28

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23188

Unit Date 1784 August 3

Text 9 (box)

Container 1784.08.03 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Mary Ball, 1708-1789

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page, in hand of Gart. Tho[mpson], fragment, badly charred and mutilated, laminated, docketed, incomplete watermark (indistinguishable). Bill from John Kea[ ] to Mary Washington for [£2.5.0].

Keywords

Bills of sale

Receipt, Charles Highlander to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-366.8

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23189

Unit Date 1784 September 2

Text 9 (box)

Container 1784.09.02 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

D.S. Receipt for £5.0.0. pd. in full by W. A. Washington--signed with C. Highlander's mark and witnessed by Jenny [Mrs. Jane ?] Washington. Docketed "Charles Highlander's Rec. £ 5.0.0.," laminated.

Articles of agreement, James Crane and Matthew Whiting

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4507

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23190

Unit Date 1784 December 25

Text 9 (box)

Container 1784.12.25 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Whiting, Matthew, 1730-1810

Scope and Contents

D.S. 2 pages. Agreement for Whiting to make repairs on his dwelling house, pay taxes, not allow servants and other stipulations on a certain tract (unclear as to location). Crane is making the agreement on behalf of George Augustine Washington. Whiting lived at Snow Hill on Bull Run in Prince William County.

Letter, Elizabeth Powel to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID A-543

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23191

Unit Date 1785 January 1

Text 9 (box)

Container 1785.01.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Powel, Elizabeth Willing, 1743-1830

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L. 1 page. Letter in a humorous vein, chiding him for not writing--sends a book which she once recommended for his perusal--sends him fur gloves because "the Severity of the last Winter may have operated so violently on his Herculean Hands, as to have numbed his fingers," thus preventing writing. Autograph letter, docketed in Mrs. P.'s hand, watermark (GR surmounted by crown and powder horn), written in 3rd person. Name does not appear on original manuscript.

Account, John Augustine Washington with Messer's deDrusina, Ridder, and Clerk

Unit ID 2022-SC-007-015

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32658

Unit Date 1785-1787

Text 9 (box)

Container 1785.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 Sheets1 page folded, 4 pages with text24 x 37 cm

Scope and Contents

Account of Col. John Augustine Washington with the London agent Messer's deDrusina, Ridder, and Clerk. The account ledger includes items such as tools, shoes, clothing, dishes, cutlery, sewing . 1

sheet, 4 pages of implements, nails, snuff boxes, sugar, fabric, spectacles, and Hyson tea. Autograph document signed, 4 pages.

Keywords
Ledgers (account books)
Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Custodial History
George Washington Masonic National Memorial Catalog No. 1971.01.045

Letter, Burgess Ball to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17657

Unit Date 1785 January 10

Text 9 (box)

Container 1785.01.10 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Ball, Burgess, 1749-1800

Scope and Contents
A.L.S. 2 pages. Can write oftener now--post leaves regularly--everyone sick--Miss Butler Thornton died of sore throat--Fanny's health improved by nursing George--sending Betsy to Fredericksburg for education--[Fanny is his wife and G.A.W.'s sister]--house not finished--has partnership in store at Germana--hopes to complete mills by winter next year--advises G.A.W. to build store or warehouses on his land--" ... anythg. is preferable to an Estate in Land and negroes, which are not only unprofitable, but vexatious and troublesome"--should sell land for certificates--Col. [Wm.] Washington wrote that G.A.W. was well. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed by G. A. W.Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Ball".

Keywords
Slavery
Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Circular letter, Richard Henry Lee to Alexander Martin, John Houston, and Patrick Henry

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2218

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23192

Unit Date 1785 January 14

Text 9 (box)

Container 1785.01.14 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lee, Richard Henry, 1794-1865

Scope and Contents
A.L.S. integral cover, New York, watermark. Docketed "Excellency Richard Henry Lee President of the Honorable Continental Congress." Re apprehension and publication of private letters abroad concerning public credit, and shows the necessity of "immediate vigourous measures for supplying the Treasury of the United States..." Note at bottom indicates 13 copies made and sent.

Letter, Burgess Ball to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680.22

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17658

Unit Date 1785 February 25

Text 9 (box)

Container 1785.02.25 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Ball, Burgess, 1749-1800

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents
A.L.S. 3 pages. Fox Neck. Letter by Maj. Jones--read in paper account of arrival in Charleston and

health is restored--he should go to Sweet Springs in June - Oct.--"A Virginia Estate is attended with such care, anxiety, and trouble, that it will in some measure prevent our Ease and Happiness ..."--has rented out "Traveller's Rest" with stock, etc. to Mr. Young, an English farmer--lays off farm in equal lots of 40 A. with ditches and fencing--"From this I shall get somethg. certin, and my Posterity will have a pretty Farm in such perfection as will require but few slaves to manage it."--intends same for all his property--Sam.[G.A.W.'s brother] bought wagon and will visit soon--will go to Sweet Springs to improve wife's health--G.A.W.'s lots in good condition--has received no rents for him--Callender should collect them--the Magnolia are produced from the Seed which are contained in Cones ..."--will go to Botonast nearby to get information and some seeds. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by G.A.W., "Recd 1st Apl. 85". Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Ball."

Letter, Eleazer Callender to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17668

Unit Date 1785 March 11

Text 9 (box)

Container 1785.03.11 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Fredericksburg. Concern for G.A.W.'s health--should he need any cash, call on his friend Mr. Wm. Crafts--"your core and filtering stone came same to hand and is in my store." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed by G.A.W., "Recd. 1st Apl. 85", watermark (FA). Name on original manuscript appears as "[Capt.] E. Callender."

Letter, Burgess Ball to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680.23

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17659

Unit Date 1785 April 11

Text 9 (box)

Container 1785.04.11 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Ball, Burgess, 1749-1800

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Spotsylvania City. His letter not received--death of his baby [George] of the humour in his head--" ... the old Lady (Mrs. Washington [Mary]) not long ago had a violent fall from her steps wch had nearly broke her arm. It is now getting so yd. she has some little use of it."--Col. Jno. Thronton will let G.A.W. have horse on good terms--rents--Capt. Callender expects him to draw upon him and his friends--goes to Sweet Springs if he can raise money--hopes to complete his race, dam and saw mill--all in Berkeley are well--will go there with Col. [Chas.] Washington--elections at Stafford--Garrett and Brent elected--Maj. Dick dead and John Lewis near death at Dr. [David] Stuart's--Miss Spriggs married Jno. Mercer and Brent to Miss Ambler. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed by G.A.W., watermark (GR surmounted by crown and powder horn). Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Ball".

Letter, Thomas Morris to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680.24

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23193

Unit Date 1785 April 12

Text 9 (box)

Container 1785.04.12 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Charleston. Earliest ship for Va. is next Thursday for Fredericksburg--ship for Phila. or

N.Y. will arrive shortly--will engage staterooms on this for G.A.W.--Phila. newspapers just arriving on ship. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed by G.A.W., watermark (GR surmounted by crown and powder horn).

Letter, Nathaniel West Dandridge to Ann Dandridge

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17735

Unit Date 1785 April 13

Text 9 (box)

Container 1785.04.13 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Acknowledges letter telling of his son's death--[Capt. Alexander Spotswood Dandridge]--what to do with land intended for his son--bring grandson to Hanover--does she have coat buttons of Scotch thistle which his son had?--he promised to wear them for friend's sake--weak from spell of gout. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, watermark (Armed woman and rampant lion with motto Pro Patria GSB). Name on original manuscript appears as "N. W. Dandridge."

Letter, William Crafts to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680.7

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17701

Unit Date 1785 April 17

Text 9 (box)

Container 1785.04.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Charleston. Ship bearing Major Jones leaves for Va. Thursday, barring possibility of freight for other parts of continent--tell Major Jones nothing has been heard of his friend [Gile ?]. Autograph letter signed, laminated, docketed by G.A.W., incomplete watermark.

Letter, Eleazer Callender to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680.8

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17669

Unit Date 1785 May 19

Text 9 (box)

Container 1785.05.19 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Fredericksburg. Received letter covering several others to forward--will visit [Mt. Vernon] shortly--tell Mr. Lewis he will see him tomorrow or next day. Autograph letter signed, integral cover (in different hand), watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. Callender."

Letter, Richard Kenney to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680.9

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17745

Unit Date 1785 May 29

Text 9 (box)

Container 1785.05.29 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. On board the sloop Unity. Unable to pay house rent which is due--encloses £6 and promises rest soon to be paid to Capt. Callender--is doing some ship's carpentry work at present.

Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed by G.A.W., watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Rich. Kenney."

Keywords
Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19048

Unit Date June 1785 - June 1786

Text 10 (box)

Language English.

Indenture, George Fairfax and Louisa Lee with John Augustine Washington and Thomas Smith

Unit ID RM-841; MS-5292

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23212

Unit Date 1785 June 1

Text 10 (box)

Container 1785.06.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Torn. Sale by the Lees, husband and wife, to Washington and Smith of Burnt House, Old Quarter and Forest plantations, approx. 2600 acres in all. Burnt House tract located just south of Bushfield, home of JAW. A trustee signs for JAW. Witnessed by Hannah, Mildred, and Bushrod Washington, among others.

Letter, William Herbert to John Augustine Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A.29

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17742

Unit Date 1785 June 3

Text 10 (box)

Container 1785.06.03 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Alexandria. His flour hasn't come yet--will be taken care of when it does--will inform gentlemen desirous of purchasing corn that he has some--lists prices current on flour, etc.--tobacco shipped by Mr. Stoddard. Autograph letter signed, badly charred, laminated, incomplete watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Herbert." Poor condition, badly torn.

Letter, John Fitzgerald to Tench Tilghman

Unit ID RM-769; MS-5056

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17740

Unit Date 1785 June 9

Text 10 (box)

Container 1785.06.09 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Fitzgerald, John, -1799

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Concerning correspondence with George Washington.

Letter, John Edloe to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680.10

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17737

Unit Date 1785 June 23

Text 10 (box)

Container 1785.06.23 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Charles City, Virginia. Edloe has bond of Bernarde Moor's, signed as security by Lawrence Washington--requests payment from Lawrence Washington's estate. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by G.A.W., watermark.

Letter, Henry Armistead to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680.11

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17653

Unit Date 1785 June 30

Text 10 (box)

Container 1785.06.30 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Fredericksburg. Left word on leaving town that debt to G.A.W. was to be paid, but business interfered--Bundle at Mrs. Maury's--bundle of boots will come by next stage--is he married?--brother and sister going to springs. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by G.A.W., laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "H. Armistead."

Letter, Henry Armistead to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680.2

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17654

Unit Date 1785 July 22

Text 10 (box)

Container 1785.07.22 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Fredericksburg. Mr. [Long?] left $55. with Mr. Watson for him--forwards bundle by stage--his brother is at Hobbs Hole [Tappahannock]. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by G.A.W., laminated, watermark, directed "by care of Josiah Watson Esq. with a Bundle." Name on original manuscript appears as "H. Armistead."

Account, Benjamin Franklin with Jean Antoine Houdon

Unit ID MS-5405

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23213

Unit Date 1785 July 26-27

Text 10 (box)

Container 1785.07.26 (folder)

Language French.

Creator Franklin, Benjamin, 1706-1790

Creator Houdon, Jean-Antoine, 1741-1828

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Benjamin Franklin's account with artist Jean Antoine Houdon for expenses and work done. Includes an order with Monsieur Jefferson.

Promissory note, Gabriel Throckmorton with John Donnaldson

Unit ID A-456

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23214

Unit Date 1785 August 5

Text 10 (box)

Container 1785.08.05 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Fragment, 1 page, docketed. Promise to pay £3. Signed by Throckmorton; witnessed by Ferdinand Washington, [son of Samuel Washington].

Letter, Burwell Bassett to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680.13

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17660

Unit Date 1785 October 12

Text 10 (box)

Container 1785.10.12 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Creator Bassett, Burwell, 1764-1841

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Studley, Hanover City. Ill health and business prevent his coming [to wedding of Geo. A. W. with Fanny Bassett]--will send carriage for them to spend Christmas with them--family at Studley sends regards. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed by G.A.W.

Letter, James Crane to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680.14

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17703

Unit Date 1785 October 16

Text 10 (box)

Container 1785.10.16 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Sends £25, balance of Mr. Matthew Whiting's rent--unable to pay £35 on his own rent until Nov. [sublet of farm from Whiting]. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed by G.A.W." Name on original manuscript appears as "Ja. Crane."

Bill of sale, John Augustine Washington to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID 2022-SC-007-016

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32660

Unit Date 1785 October 17

Text 10 (box)

Container 1785.10.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Extent 1 Sheets1 page, 2 pages with text24 x 38 cm

Scope and Contents

Bill of sale, John Augustine Washington to his son, Bushrod Washington. John Augustine Washington testifies, 'five shillings to me in hand paid by the said Bushrod Washington before the sealing and delivery of these presents the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged Have Given, Granted, Bargained sold and conveyed…the following Negroe Slaves.." Includes list of slaves by name. Signed by "John Augt. Washington" and witnessed by Jenny [Jane] Washington, Theodorick Lee and Corbin Washington. Autograph document signed, 1 page.

Keywords
Enslaved persons
Bills of sale
Legal documents
Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829
Washington, Corbin, 1764-1799

Custodial History
George Washington Masonic National Memorial Catalog No. 1971.01.44

Letter, Henry Armistead to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680.15

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17655

Unit Date 1785 October 25

Text 10 (box)

Container 1785.10.25 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents
A.L.S. 1 page. Could not procure the silk for Mrs. [Fanny] Washington--hasn't the cash due G.A.W.--first cash he can get he will send--congratulations on his marriage. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docket by G.A.W., marked "care of Mr. Josiah Watson."

Letter, Jean Pierre Le Mayeur to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680.16

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23215

Unit Date 1785 October 29

Text 10 (box)

Container 1785.10.29 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents
A.L.S. 1 page. Congratulations on his marriage. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by G.A.W., broken red seal. Name on original manuscript appears as "Le Mayeur". [Dr. Le Mayeur was a French dentist; Gen. Washington was one of his patients].

Letter, Richard Kenney to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680.17

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17746

Unit Date 1785 November 5

Text 10 (box)

Container 1785.11.05 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents
A.L.S. 1 page. Fredericksburg. Sends £5 due on rent, but cannot pay more until later--congratulations on marriage--and improvement of health. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed by G.A.W. [At bottom of page is a list of money sent].

Letter, Burwell Bassett to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680.18

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17661

Unit Date 1785 November 13

Text 10 (box)

Container 1785.11.13 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Creator Bassett, Burwell, 1764-1841

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Williamsburg. His neglect in writing--"I will take the liberty of enquiring into your feats of sportsmanship for I expect if you have ever been able to rise soon enough to execute your threats the poor ducks have been slain by thousands." --tell G.W. honey locust seed can be got at Eltham this year. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by G.A.W., watermark.

Letter, James Crane to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680.19

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17704

Unit Date 1785 November 22

Text 10 (box)

Container 1785.11.22 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Berkeley City. Sends £35 in consignment of rent due by M. Whiting, tho he can hardly spare it--give Mr. McCray of Alexandria, the bearer, a receipt--"for the aforesaid rent due from Mr. Matthew Whiting for the year 1785." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed by G.A.W., marked "Hand by Mr. M Cray." Name on original manuscript appears as "Ja. Crane". [Lists kinds of money sent in payment].

Letter, Charles Washington to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680.20

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23216

Unit Date 1785 November 23

Text 10 (box)

Container 1785.11.23 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Charles, 1738-1799

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Happy Retreat, near Charles Town. Congratulations on marriage--family is well--Mr. Crowe's money to be paid--saw G.A.W.'s property advertised in paper in Genl.'s name in Fredericksburg--Mr. John Briscoe desires to buy Whiting's place--write by Mr. McCray who comes to spend winter with them. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by G.A.W., directed "Hon'd by Mr. McCray." Name on original manuscript appears as "Cha. Washington."

Letter, Hannah Fairfax Washington to Messieurs Norton

Unit ID W-686

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23217

Unit Date 1785 December 6

Text 10 (box)

Container 1785.12.06 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Hannah Fairfax, 1742-1804

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. An order for household articles--2 large Dutch blankets, not torn in two--clamps, bed cord, brads, large common plate buttons, one pair large leather shoes or pumps, one pair large callimanco, cupboard locks, one hank of silk "near the pattern sent", "one hank of deep green", long bent horn comb. [Enclosed is a scrap of silk mounted on paper]. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, endorsed, silked. Name on original manuscript appears as "H. Washington."

Letter, Thomas Russell to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-793; MS-5199

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23218

Unit Date 1785 December 8

Text 10 (box)

Container 1785.12.08 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Annapolis. Regarding the management of the Principio Company property belonging to William A. Washington, who inherited the property from his father Augustine (George Washington's half-brother). Russell is manager and iron-master of the Principio Company. Autograph letter signed, docketed, integral cover.

Letter, Robert B. Chew to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17697

Unit Date 1785 December 11

Text 10 (box)

Container 1785.12.11 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Fredericksburg. Inquires price of land and lots in [Fredericksburg] advertised in paper--intends buying if price is right--will give good bonds--answer by next stage. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed by G.A.W., directed "To the care Mr. Wm. Hunter." Name on original manuscript appears as "Rob. B. Chew."

Account, Jesse Hill with Mary Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A.32

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23251

Unit Date 1786-1789

Text 10 (box)

Container 1786.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Mary Ball, 1708-1789

Scope and Contents

Account - D.S. 1 page. Account from Oct. 1786-May 1789 amounting to £11.0.4 for iron work, shoeing wheels, ox chains, repairing old stock bands, etc. Credit given of £7.18.0 for 39 1/2 baskets of wheat. Document signed, badly charred, laminated, docketed "Acct. Mr. J. Hill for Mrs. Washington".Account sworn to on Aug. 13, 1790 by Chas. C[aller ?] and receipted by Abner Vernon.

Keywords
Financial records

Account, William Augustine Washington with Messieurs Henderson, Ferguson, and Gibson

Unit ID RM-373; MS-2427

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23252

Unit Date 1786 March - 1787 December

Language English.

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

D.S. 10 pages. Account of William Augustine Washington with Messieurs Henderson, Ferguson, and Gibson.

Letter, Clement Biddle to Tench Tilghman

Unit ID 2024-SC-020

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/40210

Unit Date 1786 March 19

Text 10 (box)

Container 1786.03.19 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Extent 2 pages1 bifolium sheet19 x 24 cm

Keywords

Correspondence

Agriculture

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Tilghman, Tench, 1744-1786

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Letter, William Augustine Washington to Francis Cracroft

Unit ID A-750.9

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23219

Unit Date 1786 May 13

Text 10 (box)

Container 1786.05.13 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Blenheim. Has heard of attachment on Md. estate of his father [Augustine W.] in consequence of a claim against Nivison--requests Mr. Cracroft to hire lawyer to fight it--bearer has briefs of case. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed "Mr. Washington's papers delivered by Mr. Craycroft," marked "fav. by Mr. Spencer Carter," watermark.

Articles of agreement, George Augustine Washington with John Lewis

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4508

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23220

Unit Date 1786 June 8

Text 10 (box)

Container 1786.06.08 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

D.S. 2 pages. George A. Washington agrees to rent to John Lewis "the Lotts inclosed within the [ ] on which H. Armistead now resides for the sum of Seventy five Pounds ..." Lewis also agrees to certain repairs to a dwelling house, stable and kitchen. Witnessed by a Mr. Ball. Signed and docketed.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19049

Unit Date July 1786 - September 1787

Text 11 (box)

Language English.

Bill, Gundin Chapin and Co. to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID W-817/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23253

Unit Date 1786 July 17

Text 11 (box)

Container 1786.07.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Gundin Chapin and Co. to George Augustine Washington. 1/2 doz. screws [1] pr Brass hinges, 500 no. 5 springs. Autograph document signed, in hand of Aquila Brown, laminated, watermark. Date on original catalog card appears [1786] July 17. Receipted by Aquila Brown for Gundin Chapin and Co.

Letter, James Bloxham to William Peacey

Unit ID A-384

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17662

Unit Date 1786 July 23

Text 11 (box)

Container 1786.07.23 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Mount Vernon. Safe arrival at G. W.'s--be sure the General gets good Sanfine seed which he is ordering--get a "Clever Lille Desant plow which must go with out a weeal for the land is not Level and to be shoor to make him Light and Desant and be Shoor to make him turn the works well ..."--describes plows in use at Mt. V.--doesn't want wife to come yet, for he may not stay past his year--land poor, plows poor, farm instruments poor--wages and terms of General's are good--dislikes negroes--"tese Black Peope I am Rather in Danger of being posind among them ..."--wife can decide about coming--look after his children--General sold good sheep for 40/ "a pes of thar money."--. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, watermarks. [Bloxham was an English farmer who came to serve as farmer and manager of some activities at Mount Vernon. Peacey was his sponsor].

Keywords

Slavery

Farm management

Letter, Elizabeth Powel to Ann Randolph Fitzhugh

Unit ID A-543.4

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23254

Unit Date 1786 July

Text 11 (box)

Container 1786.07.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Powel, Elizabeth Willing, 1743-1830

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 6 pages. Congratulations on birth of another [daughter]--reflections on the role of women in educating children, and the education they need--wishes to have spent more time on improving mind than person--"I have not a doubt that the General's visit to Chatham was productive of as much Pleasure to him as to you. I am sorry that you have Reason to think his native Climate does not so well agree with him as ours. In all probability his Destination will be Virginia. and sure I am that his

Inclination and Attachments are decidedly for that State. When you see him present my Comps. he is one of my best Friends and Favorites."--family matters--too much rain for grain. Autograph letter signed, laminated, docketed in Mrs. Powel's hand, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Eliz. Powel."

Bond, Fielding Lewis and George Noble to John Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2310

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23255

Unit Date 1786 September 21

Text 11 (box)

Container 1786.09.21 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Fielding, 1725-1781 or 1782

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. The bond is for 67 pounds sterling.

Letter, Butler Washington to Thomas Stone

Unit ID A-366.42

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5591

Unit Date 1786 September 30

Text 11 (box)

Container 1786.09.30 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Bushrod W. delivers letter and documents relating to a suit being brought against the estate of Augustine W.--his illness prevents attendance--gives some details of the defence--Bushrod will give security for him. Autograph letter signed, cover, laminated, docketed "Forrest Stoddert vs. Washington," watermarks. Sent a copy of Augustine Washington's will for the use of Stone as a legal representative in a Maryland suit.

Letter, John Augustine Washington to Thomas Stone

Unit ID A-366.43

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5584

Unit Date 1786 October 12

Text 11 (box)

Container 1786.10.12 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Bushrod W. delivers letter and documents relatinig to suit being brought against the estate of Augustine W.--his illness prevents attendance--gives some details of the defence--Bushrod will give security for him. Autograph letter signed, cover, laminated, docketed "Forrest Stoddert vs. Washington," watermarks.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Thomas Porter

Unit ID A-607.4

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17748

Unit Date 1786 November 24

Text 11 (box)

Container 1786.11.24 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon. Send crimson or blue silk to face flannel waistcoat for the General. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed watermark.

Letter, Sarah Blackburn Craufurd to Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A.30

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17727

Unit Date 1786 December 17

Text 11 (box)

Container 1786.12.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Malbro. Would quarrel with Mr. W[ashington] for not allowing her to visit them--will bring missil or send it by first opportunity--best love to all at Mt. Vernon--a kiss to her godddaughter--Sally [Sarah Offitt Craufurd] can almost walk. Autograph letter signed, fragment, incomplete, laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "Sarah Craufurd."

Survey book, Thomas Rutherford

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4514

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23256

Unit Date 1786-1795

Text 11 (box)

Container 1786.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Rutherford, Thomas Abdy, 1755-1798

Scope and Contents

A.D. 28 pages. Rutherford's survey for land owned by George Augustine Washington near Charles Town in Berkeley County, Virginia (now West Virginia). Survey of this tract after it was split and bequested to G.A.W.'s sons, George Fayette and Charles Augustine. The sons, in turn, rented their properties to Peter Cockrell and Garland Moore, respectively. Includes list of 10 slaves Cockrell rented along with land and accounts of expenses and produce of the Berkeley Farm.

Indenture, William Thompson and George Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4509

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23257

Unit Date 1787 January 6

Text 11 (box)

Container 1787.01.06 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Thompson agrees to "furnish Major George [A.] Washington with Thirty Barrills of Indian Corn to be delivered at his place in the Month of March next, ..." or to freight it to General Washington's mill if that is G.A.W.'s wish. If he fails in this obligation, 40 pounds Virginia currency is due.

Letter, Wakelin Welch to William Peacey

Unit ID A-384.1

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23258

Unit Date 1787 January 17

Text 11 (box)

Container 1781.01.17 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Sends packet which Gen. Washington sent to him--quotes from G.W.'s letter telling of desire of his farmer [Bloxham] to bring wife and children over to America--ship sails from London to place near G.W's seat in Feb.--if passage is desired for her must be paid in advance. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, post mark "A1, 17", watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "W. Welch."

Letter, Wakelin Welch to William Peacey

Unit ID A-384.7

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23259

Unit Date 1787 January 23

Text 11 (box)

Container 1787.01.23 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. London. Thanks for present of a hare--has booked passage for Mrs. Bloxham and 2 children--" ... the Vessell goes very near Gen. Washingtons Landing so that Mrs. Bloxham has not far to travel"--costs of passage--bring bedding for ship's cabin--"Goods and cloaths in Virginia as they mostly come from hence are very dear, therefore it woud be necessary for her to Lay in a good Stock of them ..."--seeds will go by same boat--these will be sent to warehouse or counting house first--if Mrs. Bloxham changes her mind let him know. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmark, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "W. Welch."

Letter, Tobias Lear to Gideon Snow

Unit ID A-607

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23260

Unit Date 1787 February 21

Text 11 (box)

Container 1787.02.21 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Dr. Craik brings a shoe--send a pair or two at Lowry's of purple morroco of same size--also a pr. or 2 of red--Mrs. Washington will send back ones not suiting. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, part of watermark (HB).

Survey plat by Thomas Rutherford for George Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4510

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23261

Unit Date 1787 February 22

Text 11 (box)

Container 1787.02.22 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Creator Rutherford, Thomas Abdy, 1755-1798

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 2 pages. Survey and plat of 1121-acre tract owned by George Augustine Washington near

Charleston in the county of Berkeley." About 250 acres of the ... tract is cleared ..."

Articles of agreement, James Crane with Matthew Whiting

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4511

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23262

Unit Date 1787 February 24

Text 11 (box)

Container 1787.02.24 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Whiting, Matthew, 1730-1810

Scope and Contents

D.S. 2 pages. Renewal of an agreement made December 25, 1784 (see MVLA Collection). This agreement is to expire on December 25, 1787 "at which time the said Land and premises is to be ... peaceably and quietly given up to said Washington as required." Rent is 40 pounds Virginia currency. Document signed, docketed.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Gideon Snow

Unit ID A-607

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23263

Unit Date 1787 June 17

Text 11 (box)

Container 1787.06.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Have shirts, neck handkerchiefs & ruffles made from linen an cambrick left at Snow's store--to have been made at Mt. V. but G.W. having new "recruit" made for himself, so "I therefore told Mrs. Washington that I could not get any linnen which I liked-that was a lie Snow, but yet it did not hurt me to tell it so much as it would to have delayed anything which was doing for the Genl."--Peter to pick up Lear's shoes--"Has [Hooff ?] paid or protested by bill upon him?" Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed, watermark.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Gideon Snow

Unit ID A-607.2

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23264

Unit Date 1787 July 9

Text 11 (box)

Container 1787.07.09 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Mount Vernon. Received Mr. Hanson's draft and the bill for making shirts--advancing board to Mr. Hanson before due for [Geo. S. and Lawrence A. Washington]--got down before rains came--send down Mr. Hunter's receipt--"Washington sends his love to you and says you are not a man of your word, for you promised to come down here on Sunday and did not." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, watermark.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Gideon Snow

Unit ID A-607.1

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23265

Unit Date 1787 July 13

Text 11 (box)

Container 1787.07.13 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Thanks for 4 shirts and 2 neck cloths--send rest and the bill, will pay when next in town--apologizes for lack of New England gallantry at letting Miss Craik go home by herself--will accompany Mrs. W. and Mrs. Stuart to Belle Voir--Phila. packet just "passing by the door"--when can they get things from her?--is now writing this while in hands of his ["freisear"]--5 more wash basins are needed. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, watermark.

Keywords

Correspondence

Memorandum, List of slaves belonging to John Augustine Washington

Unit ID 2022-SC-007-014

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32657

Unit Date 1787 July 25

Text 11 (box)

Container 1787.07.25 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 Sheets1 page, 2 pages with text21 x 33 cm

Scope and Contents

Division of slaves from the estate of John Augustine Washington amongst Bushrod Washington, Corbin Washington, and Hannah Washington. "West" Ford, "Billey", "Betty", and "Venus" are listed under slaves to Hannah Washington. 1 sheet, 2 pages of text.

Keywords

Correspondence

Enslaved persons

Lists (document genres)

Estate records

Washington, Hannah Bushrod, approximately 1738-1804

Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Ford, West, approximately 1784-1863

Washington, Bushrod, 1785-1830

Washington, Corbin, 1764-1799

Custodial History

George Washington Masonic National Memorial Catalog No. 1971.01.047

Court record, acknowledgment of receipt of last will and testament of John Augustine Washington

Unit ID 2022-SC-007-005

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32640

Unit Date 1787 July 31

Text 11 (box)

Container 1787.07.31 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 2 Sheetsoriginally 1 page, but has torn into 2 pages. text front and back.16 x 19 cm

Scope and Contents

At court held for Westmoreland County the 31st day of July 1787, the Will and Codicil made 1785 November 19 by John Augustine Washington and under the oath of executors Bushrod Washington and

Corbin Washington along with William Augustine Washington was entered into and acknowledged bond with conditions as the law direct. Certificate is granted them for obtaining a probate. Signed by James Bland, C.W.C and William Butler, D.C. and noted as 'A true Copy.' Autograph document signed, 1 page.

Keywords

Legal documents

Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787 -- Estate

Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Custodial History

George Washington Masonic National Memorial Catalog No. 1971.01.048

Letter, Tobias Lear to Gideon Snow

Unit ID A-607.5

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23266

Unit Date 1787 September 20

Text 11 (box)

Container 1787.09.20 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Letter and articles came to hand--he used good judgment on the cape--send black cape for G.A.W. and one for self; also plain metal buttons for white broad cloth vest and breeches--Mrs. W. obliged for cards--"Mrs. St[uart] was disappointed by not seeing certain personages on Sunday."--send hair ribbon--any late arrivals in Alexa.? Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, watermark.

Account, Rappahannock Forge with Mary Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A.35

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23267

Unit Date 1787 September 25

Text 11 (box)

Container 1787.09.25 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Mary Ball, 1708-1789

Scope and Contents

Account. A.D.S. 1 page. Account for £6.10.9 includes woodwork for 1 pr. cart wheels, 2 boxes for them, tire and nails, altering and putting on 8 stock bands. Credit is given for wheat and old iron. Autograph document signed, in hand of Abner Vernon, fragment, badly charred, laminated, incomplete watermark. Account certified correct by Abner Vernon.

Keywords

Financial records

Court document, signed by J. Berry

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2315

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23268

Unit Date 1787 September 27

Text 11 (box)

Container 1787.09.27 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Signed by J[?] Berry to the fact that John Milton, deputy sheriff served notice to William Kerchival and John Williams that judgement would be brought in October for payment of bond to George Washington. Milton served notice on Aug. 21, 1787. Addressed to Francis Whiting on the other side.

Bill, Hester Miller to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2086

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23269

Unit Date 1787 September 30

Text 11 (box)

Container 1787.09.30 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

Bill. 12 dancing lessons for Miss Fanny Smith and 6 visits to reach Miss H[annah] Washington...her school is located at Chantilly ...

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19050

Unit Date October 1787 - February 1788

Text 12 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Landon Carter to Huie, Reid and Company

Unit ID W-1310/B.1

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17684

Unit Date 1787 October 1

Text 12 (box)

Container 1787.10.01 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Fears frost, & will be unable to see them until 10th or 12th of month--please pay Mr. Anthony Buckner sum of £3, and place to acct. of D. S. Autograph letter signed, fragment with integral cover, laminated, docketed, directed "By Mr. A. Buckner."

Letter, Archibald Lewis to Huie, Reid and Company

Unit ID W-1310/B.2

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23291

Unit Date 1787 October 4

Text 12 (box)

Container 1787.10.04 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Send by the bearer 3 bushels of salt, allum, and the plank, if it is ready--if not ready, let him know when it will be. Autograph letter signed, fragment, docketed, laminated, part of a watermark.

Letter, Robert Hooe to James Reid

Unit ID W-1310/A.36

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17744

Unit Date 1787 October 5

Text 12 (box)

Container 1787.10.05 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Let bearer, John Monday, have bottle of snuff, bed cord, molasses, pint tumbler and [ ] and charge to his own account. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, fragment, laminated, watermark, docketed. Name on original manuscript appears as "Rob. H. Hooe.

Letter, John Hooe, Jr. to James Smith

Unit ID W-1310/A.37

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17743

Unit Date 1787 October 6

Text 12 (box)

Container 1787.10.06 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Brent-Town. To the assistant for Huie, Reid, and Company. Send by bearer 1/2 yd. cloth--are goods arrived and open yet? Let Mr. Peirce have credit in store, and will guarantee payment for him. Autograph document signed, fragment, laminated, docketed. Name on original manuscript appears as "J. Hooe."

Letter, Joseph Slaughter Sons to Huie, Reid and Company

Unit ID W-1310/A.38

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23292

Unit Date 1787 October 6

Text 12 (box)

Container 1787.10.06 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Send by bearer, Jno. McKay salt and small pot and charge it. Autograph letter signed, fragment, laminated, docketed, on reverse of part of legal document.

Letter, Daniel Carroll Brent to Huie, Reid and Company

Unit ID W-1310/B.3

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17663

Unit Date 1787 October 7

Text 12 (box)

Container 1787.10.07 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Please let Benj. Mattison have 4000 single [tens?] and 200 double [tens?]. Autograph letter signed, fragment, laminated, docketed.

Order to pay, M. Adams to Messrs. Reads

Unit ID W-1310/A.39

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23293

Unit Date 1787 October 11

Text 12 (box)

Container 1787.10.11 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Pay bearer £0.9.2. Autograph document signed, fragment, docketed "Charles Adams 11 Oct 87," laminated.

Letter, E. Brent to James Reid

Unit ID W-1310/A.40

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17664

Unit Date 1787 October 14

Text 12 (box)

Container 1787.10.14 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Dumfries. Send by John 3 yds. fine "plad", one gallon good spirits, molasses, morocco slippers, callimineo pumps, candles, and 2 wash basons. Autograph letter signed, laminated, docketed.

Letter, John Carter, Jr. to James Reid

Unit ID W-1310/A.41

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17670

Unit Date 1787 October 17

Text 12 (box)

Container 1787.10.17 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Neabsco. Must leave for Bul[l] Run in morning--requests he let bearer have £6 to pay workmen--will write memorandum of all winter clothing needed. Autograph letter signed, laminated, docketed, watermark [separate cover addressed to Mr. Reid probably goes with this letter].

Letter cover, John Carter, Jr. to James Reid

Unit ID W-1310/A.42

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17682

Unit Date 1787 October 17

Text 12 (box)

Container 1787.10.17 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Fragment of cover, probably goes with letter of October 17, 1787, John Carter, Jr. Neabsco, to James Reid.

Letter, E. Brent to James Reid

Unit ID W-1310/A.43

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23294

Unit Date 1787 October 23

Text 12 (box)

Container 1787.10.23 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. To James Read (or Reid?) in Dumfries. Send by Scipio sugar, tea, also for Polly Brent send crape gauze, leather shoes to measure sent, and large chip hat--send 2 hanks pale yellow silk. Autograph letter signed, fragment, laminated, docketed.

Letter, Thomas Atwell to Huie, Reid and Company

Unit ID W-1310/A.44

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17656

Unit Date 1787 October 23

Text 12 (box)

Container 1787.10.23 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Send by bearer 1000 ten penny nails, 2 bead cords & 1 quart rum--to be charged. Autograph letter signed, fragment, laminated, docketed, incomplete watermark.

Letter, E. Brent to James Reid

Unit ID W-1310/A.45

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17666

Unit Date 1787 October 24

Text 12 (box)

Container 1787.10.24 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Credit Mr. Blake, bearer, for what necessaries he wants on her account. Autograph letter signed, fragment, laminated, docketed.

Letter, John Smith to James Reid

Unit ID W-1310/A.46

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23295

Unit Date 1787 October 29

Text 12 (box)

Container 1787.10.29 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Send ten penny nails, brown lining "garman Toulles" stockings, etc. Autograph letter signed, fragment, laminated, docketed "John Smith 29 Octr 87."

Account, William Augustine Washington with Alice Barnett

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2088

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23296

Unit Date 1787 November - 1790 August 31

Text 12 (box)

Container 1787.11.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

Account with a dressmaker ... entries include making a "lude string Robe" robe and petty coat, great coat and altering 3 garments ... total £1.10.0. Receipted Aug. 31, 1790.

Account of sale of property of Thomas Turner, by William Augustine Washington and John Faunterloy

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23297

Unit Date 1787 November 1

Text 12 (box)

Container 1787.11.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

D.S. 4 pages. Bonds taken for [slaves?] sold, amounting to £560.19.0--signed by Willm. A. Washington and John Fauntleroy--"other Accts. on this list not yet bonded--£121.19.1"--amts not bonded include for Phaeton and harness, Chair, Livestock and lumber. Document signed, endorsed "An Acc't. of Bonds and debts due for property sold of Colo. Thomas Turner at Smith's Mount and Nanzatico," laminated, unidentified watermark.

Articles of agreement, George Augustine Washington and Matthew Whiting

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4512

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23298

Unit Date 1787 November 3

Text 12 (box)

Container 1787.11.03 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Creator Whiting, Matthew, 1730-1810

Scope and Contents

D.S. 2 pages. Washington agrees to continue leasing a tract of land in Berkeley County "adjoining the Town of Charles Town for and during the Term of one Year ..." i.e. Dec. 25, 1787 to Dec. 25, 1788. Whiting shall pay required land tax and "Forty Pounds Spacie, Virginia Currency, ..." to Washington.

Memorandum of agreement, George Augustine Washington and Matthew Whiting

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4513

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23299

Unit Date 1787 November 5

Text 12 (box)

Container 1787.11.05 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Creator Whiting, Matthew, 1730-1810

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Whiting exchanges "... two Cows under seven years old, thirteen herd of Sheep under four years old" for a year's rent of land in Berkeley County (see Agreement, Nov. 3, 1787). Washington allows four pounds ten shillings for each cow and twelve shillings per herd of sheep.

Keywords

Correspondence

Domestic animals

Inventory, of Personal Estate of John Augustine Washington

Unit ID 2022-SC-007-006

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32641

Unit Date c. 1787

Text 12 (box)

Container 1787.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 Sheets1 sheet, 2 pages of text21 x 33 cm

Keywords

Lists (document genres)

Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787 -- Estate

Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Washington, Corbin, 1764-1799

Custodial History

George Washington Masonic National Memorial Catalog No. 1971.01.049

Rental account, George Washington

Unit ID W-777

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23300

Unit Date 1788-1790

Text 12 (box)

Container 1788.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George, 1732-1799

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 26 pages. A portion of an account book containing record of rentals due and accounts owed by "George Washington President of the United States."--the first 9 pp. (at least one missing) concern tenants living on the tract called "Asbeys Bend - under the Blue Ridge Part in Fauquier and Part in Loudoun"--lots are listed, tenant named, and an account given of what he owes and has paid--following pp. concern lands on Gooseneck Creek in Fauquier County and in Berkeley County and Frederick County.--then follow several pp. of "George Washington President of the United States in Acct. Current with B. Muse", concerning expenses and collections, legal in nature in connection with the foregoing lands and tenants. Autograph document signed, in hand of Battaile Muse, 2 blank pages, silked.

Letter, Eleanor Stuart to Tobias Lear

Unit ID RM-629; MS-4549

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23301

Unit Date 1788 January 15

Text 12 (box)

Container 1788.01.15 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Stuart, Eleanor Calvert Custis, approximately 1758-1811

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Airy. Thanks him for his condolences and offer of help upon her afflictions. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by T. Lear. Name on original manuscript appears as "Eleanor Stuart."

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Elizabeth Willing Powel

Unit ID A-417.10

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17729

Unit Date 1788 January 17

Text 12 (box)

Container 1788.01.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Creator Powel, Elizabeth Willing, 1743-1830

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon. Little Washington Custis [6 yrs. old] thanks Mrs. Powel for a book, the Children's Friends, which she sent him--his sisters and Miss Harriot [Washington] send their respects. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, watermark.

Keywords

Correspondence

Letter, George Augustine Washington to Fanny Bassett Washington

Unit ID A-680.29

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23302

Unit Date 1788 February 22

Text 12 (box)

Container 1788.02.22 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Creator Lear, Frances "Fanny" Bassett Washington, 1767-1796

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Unhappy over their separation--her approaching confinement [Anna Maria Washington, born April 3, 1788]--weather severe--plows frozen--spare no expense in getting skillful person, recommends Mrs. Harrison [midwife ?]--Mrs. Bassett's shoes not forwarded to Phila. yet--will get biscuit and hat for your father and brother--family news--inquire into cotton--little Wash. [Custis] wants to write her a letter--"We this evening recd. an acct. of the adoption of the Constitution by the State of Massachusets which was deliberately discusd and with the greatest harmony adopted the Minority determining to give it every support tho they were unsuccesful in their opposition." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed by Fanny B. W-n, watermark (IV). Name on original manuscript appears as "Geo. A. Washington."

Manuscripts Box 13

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19051

Unit Date March 1788 - December 1788

Text 13 (box)

Language English.

Bill, William Peacey to Jonathan Charles

Unit ID A-384.5

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23305

Unit Date 1788 March 13

Text 13 (box)

Container 1788.03.13 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. For 6 bushels of winter vetches for General Washington, totaling £2.2.0. Autograph document, small page, docketed. [This was for seed bought in England].

Letter, Tobias Lear to Gideon Snow

Unit ID A-607.6

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23306

Unit Date 1788 April 17

Text 13 (box)

Container 1788.04.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon. Sent letter yesterday by Col. Humphreys--send a dozen hand saw files and 3 men's coarse hats--Tom has Mr. Porter's saddlebags. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, incomplete watermark.

Letter, Elizabeth Powel to George Washington Parke Custis

Unit ID A-543.6

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23307

Unit Date 1788 May 10

Text 13 (box)

Container 1788.05.10 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Powel, Elizabeth Willing, 1743-1830

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Philadelphia. Robert Morris on way to Va. and takes portable camera obscura as a gift to G.W.P. Custis [7 yrs. old]--landscapes at Mt. Vernon will be perfectly represented and can be copied--profiles may be taken with it--Mr. Morris will show him how to use it--send her his sister's [Nelly] and Mrs. W.'s profiles. Autograph letter signed, docketed, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Eliz. Powel."

Letter, Edward Pye Chamberlayne to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680.30

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17702

Unit Date 1788 May 24

Text 13 (box)

Container 1788.05.24 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Asks for 6 barrels of "Hearons" [herring ?] from Mt. Vernon--thanks for trouble in finding him freight--try to find Gibb a load from the Potomac back to Fredericksburg. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed by G.A.W., watermark (Taylor). Name on original manuscript appears as "Edw Pye Chamberlay". [Chamberlayne, of King Wm. County, married Agnes Dandridge].

Letter, Seth Cuthbert to Joseph Clay, Sr.

Unit ID A-366.47

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17734

Unit Date 1788 May 28

Text 13 (box)

Container 1788.05.28 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Land to be sold by Washington to Sullivan who wants it for speculation--Peter can bring mares to the horse. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, "A distinguished and brave Revolutionary officer", watermark.

Account, Joseph Davenport with George Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4515

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23308

Unit Date 1788 June

Text 13 (box)

Container 1788.06.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

Four receipts signed by Davenport (George Washington's miller) from the Mill. An accompanying docket refers to these receipts as "Accounts of Corn and Meal delivered out of the Mill for and by the orders of G[eorge] A[ugustine] W[ashingto]n...125 Bushels Corn." Four documents signed. Name on

original manuscript appears as "Jos. Davenport."

Letter, George Augustine Washington to Gideon Snow

Unit ID A-607.8

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23309

Unit Date 1788 June 7

Text 13 (box)

Container 1788.06.07 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon. Send Mrs. [Martha] Washington 2 yds. black lute-string, "as near the patron [pattern] as it can be got",--also 3 prs. of best white kid gloves, long--. Autograph letter signed, laminated, integral cover. Name on original manuscript appears as "Geo. A. Washington."

Letter, Thomas Littledale and Co. to Huie, Reid and Company

Unit ID W-1310/B.4

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23310

Unit Date 1788 July 14

Text 13 (box)

Container 1788.07.14 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Rotterdam. Received from Capt. Robt. Wyllie on his brig the Molly the documents handing them 50 hhds. tobacco, and letter informing them the vessel's whole cargo was addressed to them from themselves, Mr. Hector Alexander, and Mr. George Walker of Georgetown--before they could finish processing it as per instructions, an interdict from Mr. G. Gibson to Capt. Wyllie to deliver cargo to him, on consequence of order from Messr. Smith Huie Alexander and Co. of Glasgow--sends copy of letter they sent to Smith Huie Alexander and Co.--thanks them for confidence placed in them--will inform them of decision in this affair. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, laminated, directed " By Cap. McGill from Rotterdam," also marked on cover "Capt. Quick to go from [ ] the readiest way to Rotterdam," cover used as a scratch sheet, watermark.

Articles of agreement, George Augustine Washington with Samuel Roberts

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4516

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23311

Unit Date 1788 August 5

Text 13 (box)

Container 1788.08.05 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

D. 2 pages. George Augustine Washington contracts with Samuel Roberts for the latter to disassemble a building at Johnson's Fishery (at River Farm) and re-erect it "... agreeably to the back part of Genl. Washington's kitchen or Servant's Hall, weatherboard, case, cornice, and bargeboard it in the same way--." Roberts is to receive, for his service, 11 pounds Virginia currency and the assistance of one slave. Document is unsigned.

Letter, Charles Washington to Alexander White
Unit ID RM-683; MS-4635
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23312
Unit Date 1788 August 26
Text 13 (box)
Container 1788.08.26 (folder)
Language English.
Creator Washington, Charles, 1738-1799

Envelope, Samuel Powel
Unit ID A-543.26
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23313
Unit Date 1788 September 7
Text 13 (box)
Container 1788.09.07 (folder)
Language English.
Creator Powel, Samuel, 1738-1793
Scope and Contents
One envelope, no letter or note. Addressed to Samuel Powel.

Bond, James Short and Rich Willis with James Stuart
Unit ID RM-530; MS-4517
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23314
Unit Date 1788 September 19
Text 13 (box)
Container 1788.09.19 (folder)
Language English.

Memorandum of agreement, James Stuart and Edward Tiffin
Unit ID RM-530; MS-4518
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23315
Unit Date 1788 September 26
Text 13 (box)
Container 1788.09.26 (folder)
Language English.

Memorandum of agreement, James Short and Rich Willis
Unit ID RM-530; MS-4519
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23316
Unit Date 1788 September 29
Text 13 (box)
Container 1788.09.29 (folder)
Language English.

Advertisement for land, George Augustine Washington
Unit ID RM-530; MS-4520
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23317
Unit Date 1788 October 7
Text 13 (box)
Container 1788.10.07 (folder)
Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page.

Letter, John Cowper to John Lewis

Unit ID A-301.26

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17700

Unit Date 1788 October 30

Text 13 (box)

Container 1788.10.30 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Asks his price for land in Carolina--has been offered land "in this Neighbourhood" but prefers the Carolina tract--poor quality of Carolina land. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked "Richmond", watermark obscured.

Account of sales

Unit ID RM-694; MS-4723

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23318

Unit Date 1788 November 12

Text 13 (box)

Container 1788.11.12 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. Account of sales of fruit received by the Philadelphia Packet, Capt. Elwood for a/c of Messrs. Andrew Clows Co. George Washington's order for 110 pounds of filberts appears on the account of fruit brought to Alexandria on Captain John Ellwood, Jr.'s Philadelphia packet boat, the sloop "Charming Polly."

Letter, Elizabeth Smith to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-872; MS-5332

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23319

Unit Date 1788 December 31

Text 13 (box)

Container 1788.12.31 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Smith tells Washington of certain clothing purchases she has charged to Washington on account with "Mr. Crabb." Letter carried "By Harry." Autograph letter signed, docketed.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19052

Unit Date January 1789 - June 1789

Text 14 (box)

Language English.

Letter, David Galloway, Jr. to Thacker Washington

Unit ID A-456.1

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17741

Unit Date 1789 March 14

Text 14 (box)

Container 1789.03.14 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Winchester. On reverse, a protest signed by Thacker Washington "... because not given by Miss Anne Blair, whose order will be accepted." Request for payment of £11.12.6 to Mr. Nath. Gray.

Letter, Elizabeth Powel to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID A-543.7

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23330

Unit Date 1789 April 4

Text 14 (box)

Container 1789.04.04 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Powel, Elizabeth Willing, 1743-1830

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Apologies for delay in executing commission for Mrs. W.--has been ill--nice white fur available, but advises waiting until autumn, because of lateness of season--did he receive letter and pamphlet of the Debates of the [Phila.] Convention?--"As I knew you were a Member of the Virginia Convention I thought it might be agreeable to you to see in how masterly a Manner Mrs. Wilson had treated the Science of Government." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, red seal, watermark (W).Name on original manuscript appears as "Eliz. Powel."

Letter, George Augustine Washington to unknown recipient

Unit ID A-371.1

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23331

Unit Date 1789 April 22

Text 14 (box)

Container 1789.04.22 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Thanks him for forwarding 4 tierces and 3 barrels of seed by the Tree Mason, Capt. Lawrence Lazore--please forward freight bill. Autograph letter signed, docketed "Recd. [April] 24 Ansd May 13th", watermark (incomplete LVG and powder horn). Name on original manuscript appears as "Geo. A. Washington."

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.43

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23332

Unit Date 1789 April 26

Text 14 (box)

Container 1789.04.26 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Orders muslin for Mrs. Washington--requests Dunlap and Claypole's paper sent regularly to Major [G.A.] Washington--send Will [to N.Y.] when he's able to travel. Autograph letter, laminated,

docketed by Lear(?) "These letters were recorded by H.[owell] Lewis. Name does not appear on original manuscript.

Broadside, "Order of Procession for the Day, April 30th"

Unit ID 2017-SC-014

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/12866

Unit Date 1789 April 30

Text 14 (box)

Container 1789.04.30 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 pages54 x 59.5cm

Scope and Contents

Printed broadside outlining the formal order of procession for the inauguration ceremony for the first President of the United States, George Washington. A manuscript docket on verso reads "Order of Procession on the Inauguration of President Washing[tn], 30 April 1790." Another manuscript docket on the front of the broadside, underneath the printed text, reads "Order of procession on the inauguration of President Washington 30, April 1790." This year is incorrect, as the inauguration took place on 30 April 1789.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Inaugurations

Broadsides (notices)

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Letter, John Carter to James Reid

Unit ID W-1310/A.47

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23333

Unit Date 1789 May 1

Text 14 (box)

Container 1789.05.01 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Pittsylvania. Return of his draft, half satisfied leads him to think it is inconvenient for them to answer any further requisitions for money--will try to discharge his large debt to them speedily--reminds them that they had consented to consolidate his scattered debts into one general acct. upon their books--hopes this will prevail upon them to give him time to discharge various debts, but if they prefer, they have enough of his property at their disposal to discharge a debt to them. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, laminated, directed by "favr. Mr. Smith," watermark.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-625.3

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23334

Unit Date 1789 May 3

Text 14 (box)

Container 1789.05.03 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L. initial S. 1 page. New York. President would like Billy [Lee] sent to Mt. Vernon when he can be moved safely, for he cannot be of use here--"But if he is still anxious to come on here the President would gratify him altho he will be troublesome--He has been an old and faithful Servt. this is enough for the Presidt. to gratify him in every reasonable wish"--if Major W. needs buck wheat from Phila. he will let you know--G. W. wishes Dunlop and Claypool's paper sent to N.Y., and will furnish them from there to the Major at Mt. Vernon. Autograph letter initial signed, laminated, docketed by Lear(?), watermark (L Munn). Name on original manuscript appears as "T. L." Not in Writings.

Keywords
Lee, William, approximately 1752-

Letter, Daniel Carroll Brent to James Reid

Unit ID W-1310/a

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17705

Unit Date 1789 May 8

Text 14 (box)

Container 1789.05.08 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Dumfries. Interest on certificate in name of John Dickenson belongs to bearer Mrs. Dickenson--let her have her warrant, or purchase it of her--she is in great want. Autograph letter signed, fragment, laminated, docketed.

Letter, Jonathan Young to Tobias Lear

Unit ID RM-955; MS-5508

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23335

Unit Date 1789 May 9

Text 14 (box)

Container 1789.05.09 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

An estimate for a saddle for the President.

Physical Characteristics and Technical Requirements

Conserved June 2006 by Holly Krueger.

Journal, Robert Lewis

Unit ID H-1199/B; H-1199/D

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23337

Unit Date 1789 May 13-20

Text 14 (box)

Container 1789.05.13 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

A.D. 10 pages. An account of Robert Lewis's trip as far as Baltimore accompanying his aunt Mrs. Washington to New York--family relations and friends--preparations and farewell at Mt. Vernon and Dr. Stuart's in Alexandria--Col. Blackburn's--Mr. and Mrs. B[ushrod] Washington--Mrs. W.'s parting with her servants at Mt. V.--rental of horses from Mr. Van Horn--efforts to purchase a horse for [G.W.]--two ferry crossings--Major Snowden and family--description of countryside--Mrs. Carroll's reception near Baltimore--visit with Dr. McHenry in Baltimore. Autograph document, unbound, laminated, watermark, docketed in later hand, "Journal of Mrs. W's journey to N. York."

Letter, George Augustine Washington to Gideon Snow

Unit ID A-607.9

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23338

Unit Date 1789 May 19

Text 14 (box)

Container 1789.05.19 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Charles came up to get the [storehouse ?] key being mended--send a dozen lbs. of figs to be charged to G.A.W.--needs 200 "small tacks with flat heads proper for nailing leather on Brick moulds ..."--Mrs. [Anna Maria] Bassett and Mrs. Washington will dine with Mrs. Porter after lunch on Sunday--Mr. Bassett will attend them and perhaps G.A.W. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed by Snow (?), watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Geo. A. Washington."

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.45

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23339

Unit Date 1789 May 31

Text 14 (box)

Container 1789.05.31 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L. initial S. 1 page. New York. President desires to have Billy [Lee] sent to N.Y. since Billy earnestly desires it--send stays and shoes to Mrs. F[anny Bassett] W-n at Mt. V.--send Mrs. M. W.'s to [N.Y.] and charge all to President's account--she overpaid for altering some gowns--Billy's expenses to be pd. by G.W. thru Biddle (mentioned in Writings in footnote). Autograph letter initial signed, docketed, incomplete watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "T. L."

Keywords

Enslaved persons

Lee, William, approximately 1752-

Expense account, Robert Lewis

Unit ID H-1199/C

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23336

Unit Date 1789 May

Text 14 (box)

Container 1789.05.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. An account of ferry and inn expenses listing all the stops between Georgetown and New York--carriage of a trunk from Phila to N.Y.--stage horses--Col. Van Horn who arranged the trip had been paid earlier some amount--. Document, in hand of Robert Lewis, watermark, endorsed on back, "The Amount of every expence is £67.10.7 Pensylvania currency."

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.106

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23340

Unit Date 1789 June 3

Text 14 (box)

Container 1789.06.03 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L. initial S. 1 page. New York. "The President will thank you to put into the hand of Mr. Wm. Hunter Junr. of Alexa. thirty five Guineas, for him to deliver to Mr. John Campbell of Bladensbg. ... in payment for a Horse sent by Mr. Campbell to the President." Autograph letter initial signed, laminated, docketed. Name on original manuscript appears as "T. L." Writings, XXX, 342-343. [Mr. Hunter was on

his way back to Alexa. from N.Y., and stopping in Phila.].

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.70

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23341

Unit Date 1789 June 15

Text 14 (box)

Container 1789.06.15 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. New York. Inquiries about table ornaments--" ... and if the large and small Glasses of M. Dela Croix are of the same set, he [the President] will thank you to procure them..."--"The President has a French man with him who is said to be a compleat Confectioner and professes to understand everything relative to these ornaments, so that the Glasses only are wanting." Autograph letter signed, laminated, docketed, watermark (L. Munn). Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Lear."

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Hannah Washington

Unit ID R-181; MS-756

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23342

Unit Date 1789 June 21

Text 14 (box)

Container 1789.06.21 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Washington, Hannah Bushrod, approximately 1738-1804

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Alexandria. Discusses religion ... suggests his mother rise early and ride before breakfast ... glad she is rid of Sorrel ... welcome to molasses sugar ... will not be diffident in requesting favors of her ... glad to hear wheat, barley, and clover are so fine ... agricultural advice ... Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Washington."

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.46

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23343

Unit Date 1789 June 22

Text 14 (box)

Container 1789.06.22 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L. initial S. 1 page. New York. Billy [Lee] arrived--"The President thinks those ornaments will not answer the purpose as the two sets are not made to join each other & neither separate are large enough for his table"--President much indisposed--fever and a tumor on his thigh. Autograph letter initial signed, docketed, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "T. L."

Keywords

Lee, William, approximately 1752-

Manuscripts Box 15

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19053

Unit Date July 1789 - September 1789

Text 15 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Alexander Furnival to Robert Lewis

Unit ID A-301.264

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23346

Unit Date 1789 July 3

Text 15 (box)

Container 1789.07.03 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Baltimore. Sends letters of testimonials "in my favor"--hears of president's recovery--his sickness prevented Speaker of House of R. from writing him as per his promise. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed by Lewis, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Alex. Furnival."

Letter, Joshua Barney to Robert Lewis

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23347

Unit Date 1789 July 5

Text 15 (box)

Container 1789.07.05 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Sends copy of Committee's report on mode of collecting taxes--how does his memorial stand with President?--any chance of employment?--amusements in N.Y.--hopes President is recovered. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed, postmarked "Balt. July 5." Name on original manuscript appears as "Joshua Barney." [Barney sailed miniature ship "The Federalist" to Mount Vernon in 1788; gift of merchants of Baltimore.]

Letter, Eleanor Stuart to Tobias Lear

Unit ID RM-629; MS-4550

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23349

Unit Date 1789 July 8

Text 15 (box)

Container 1789.07.08 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Stuart, Eleanor Calvert Custis, approximately 1758-1811

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Happy over her children's situation [in N.Y.] -- glad "My good Mama [Martha Washington] ... has at last seen the necessity of making the Dr. children respect as well as love her, for that they never wou'd have done had she continued her former improper indulgence to them."--their sisters are with her--death of Mr. Richard the printer--doesn't approve of taking her daughters [Eliza and Martha Custis] to Alexandria feast and merriment--requests him to have a butter print made for her--competition in selling butter to Alexandria. Autograph letter signed, docketed by Lear, cover. Name on original manuscript appears as "Eleanor Stuart." Date on original catalog card appears [1789] July 8.

Keywords

Correspondence

Agreement, James Saurason with George Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4521

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23348

Unit Date 1789 July 20

Text 15 (box)

Container 1789.07.20 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Saurason obligates himself to sell Washington his lot "... 40 feet on Duke street and 70 on St. Asap[h]" for seventy five pounds Virginia Currency. This lot is "... subject to a ground rent of twenty five Shillings..." The agreement is subject to Washington's procuring another lot from Thorton Alexander.

Account, Mary Washington with Robert Wellford

Unit ID W-1310/A.49

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23345

Unit Date 1789 July

Text 15 (box)

Container 1789.07.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Mary Ball, 1708-1789

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Account from July 1789 for "Visiting Mrs. W. Examining a Cancer and Consultation with Dr. Hall - £2.2.0." Document, fragment, badly charred, laminated, docketed "Dr. R. Wellford Acct and [ ]," incomplete watermark. Proved before magistrate, Geo. French, on Aug. 19, 1790. Receipted on reverse Sept. 13, 1790 from Mrs. Lewis. Signed by Wm. Yates for Robt. Wellford.

Keywords

Financial records

Medicine -- History -- 18th century

Letter, Betty Carter Bassett to Fanny Bassett Washington

Unit ID A-680.31

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23350

Unit Date 1789 August 3

Text 15 (box)

Container 1789.08.03 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Frances "Fanny" Bassett Washington, 1767-1796

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Cousin A.O.C.C. married Jack Lyons--saw many friends at Eltham and Elsing Green--" ... hope He [G.A.W.] is not so regardless of His health as he used to be, tell Him from me that one child and the prospect of another are sufficient inducements to make him prudent, an Orphan's situation is deplorable, for a Mother cannot be of much advantage without a Father's assistance."--lack of a carriage prevents her coming to Mount Vernon. Autograph letter signed, laminated, docketed by F. B. Washington. Name on original manuscript appears as "B. C. Bassett." Date on original catalog card appears "[1789] Aug. 3". [B.C. Bassett was sister-in-law of Fanny. She married John Bassett of Farmington, Hanover County. She was daughter of Wm. Burnett Browne of Elsing Green, King Wm. County.]

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.47

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23351

Unit Date 1789 August 10

Text 15 (box)

Container 1789.08.10 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. New York. Received his several letters--slippers came safely to hand, also the bill for them--£70 received from Mr. Thomas Smith on acct. of the President--send 2 prayer books to Mrs. W. Autograph letter signed, docket, incomplete watermark.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.48

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23352

Unit Date 1789 August 17

Text 15 (box)

Container 1789.08.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L. 1 page. New York. Received bill from Dunlop and Claypoole--forward the enclosed answer to an address to Bethleham--procure 20 bushels of good winter barley for seed from reputable farmer--last procured from R.I. was not good--Mrs. W. wants Mr. Hazelhurst's bill for Chintz--charge to president's acct.--she also wants another prayer book added to 2 already requested. Autograph letter, docketed by Lear(?), watermark. Name does not appear on original manuscript.

Letter, Eleanor Stuart to Tobias Lear

Unit ID RM-629; MS-4551

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23353

Unit Date 1789 August 19

Text 15 (box)

Container 1789.08.19 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Stuart, Eleanor Calvert Custis, approximately 1758-1811

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Abingdon. Chides him for not writing - news from George [A. Washington] and family at Mount Vernon. Autograph letter signed, docketed by Lear, integral cover. Name on original manuscript appears as "Eleanor Stuart." Date on original catalog card appears "[1789] August 19."

Keywords

Correspondence

Letter, John Marshall to Corbin Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2064

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23354

Unit Date 1789 August 23

Text 15 (box)

Container 1789.08.23 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Marshall, John, 1755-1835

Creator Washington, Corbin, 1764-1799

Scope and Contents

A.L.S 2 pages. Richmond. Re: Corbin W-n's suit with the Hites ... certain title papers missing must be supplied before the Oct. trial ... Patrick Matthews, Johnston, Russel are names appearing in the letter and seem to be former owners of the land in question ... " Copy of a letter from Mr. John Marshall to Corbin Washington." Date on original catalog card appears "[17]89 Aug. 23."

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.49

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23355

Unit Date 1789 September 14

Text 15 (box)

Container 1789.09.14 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. New York. Prayer books came safely--encloses letter to Nicholas Eveleigh(?) in S. Carolina--put it on first boat to that place--"Mrs. Washington wishes you to send 25to ... of chocolet shells to Mt. Vernon ..."--send statement of President's account. Autograph letter signed, docketed by Lear, partial watermark.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.50

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23356

Unit Date 1789 September 16

Text 15 (box)

Container 1789.09.16 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L. 2 pages. New York. President is getting a German gardner from Phila.--he doesn't speak English or know the country--pay and charge to President's account the amount of his passage in stage from Phila. to Alexandria. Autograph letter, docketed by Lear, incomplete watermark (LVG surmounted by powder horn). Name does not appear on original manuscript. [Gardener was John Christian Ehler, sent from Germany by Henrick Wilmans of Bremen].

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.51

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23357

Unit Date 1789 September 21

Text 15 (box)

Container 1789.09.21 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. New York. Mrs. W. wants a gown of color like that enclosed in Tabby, ducape or Padusoy [paduasay]--send samples and price. Autograph letter signed, laminated, docketed by Lear, incomplete watermark (armed figure). Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Lear."

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.52

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23358

Unit Date 1789 September 28

Text 15 (box)

Container 1789.09.28 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. New York. G.W.'s acct. [from Biddle] is right--Mrs. W. wants 15 yds. of Padusoy of enclosed pattern--G.W. wants prices on clover seed and early delivery--suffered greatly last year because of late delivery of seed--congratulations on apptmt. as Marshal of District of Pennsyl. Autograph letter signed, laminated, docketed by Lear, incomplete watermark.Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Lear."

Letter, Philip Schuyler to John Schuyler

Unit ID H-377

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23359

Unit Date 1789 September 30

Text 15 (box)

Container 1789.09.30 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Schuyler, Philip John, 1733-1804

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. New York. Introducing Col. Gordon, Col. Buckside, Capt. [Isaakson ?], and Lt. Erskine who are on their way to Canada. Autograph letter signed, laminated, docketed, watermark (T. French). Name on original manuscript appears as "Ph. Schuyler."

Appointment as surveyor, George Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4522

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23360

Unit Date 1789 September

Text 15 (box)

Container 1789.09.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Appointed by P. Wagener. Washington is appointed surveyor "... of the road from

General Washington's ferry to his Mill, from thence to his tumbling dam, thence along his new road to intersect the River side old road above the Gumspring ..." and is to use "the male labouring Tithables" on George Washington's plantation to keep the road in good repair.

Manuscripts Box 16

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19054

Unit Date October 1789 - January 1790

Text 16 (box)

Language English.

Articles of agreement, George Augustine Washington with Edward Tiffin

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4523

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23361

Unit Date 1789 October 1

Text 16 (box)

Container 1789.10.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

Tiffin renews his lease on land in Berkeley County [see 1788, Sept. 26, James Stuart and Edward Tiffin] for annual rent of 30 lbs., ten of which should go toward "... putting a good Sufficient Roof on the Dwelling House and other necessary repairs ..." Tiffin is forbidden to "clear any land outside of his Inclosures" or sell or waste Timber on this land nor seed any grain in the autumn unless he later agrees to a longer term.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.53

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23362

Unit Date 1789 October 2

Text 16 (box)

Container 1789.10.02 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L. initial S. 1 page. New York. Mrs. W.'s Padusoy [dress material] and bill for it received--President wants list of plants and prices from Mr. Bartram, and when they should be transplanted--wishes to send some to Mt. Vernon. Autograph letter initial signed, docketed by Lear, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "T. L."

Quakers' Address to the President

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4636

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23363

Unit Date 1789 October 3

Text 16 (box)

Container 1789.10.03 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Print document, 1 page. An address from the Quakers from their annual meeting for Penn., New Jersey, Delaware, and western parts of Va. and Maryland. The Quakers are grateful for religious toleration and other American freedoms but state "... we can take no part in carrying on war on any occasion ... but are bound ... to lead quiet and peaceable lives ... " GW answers, in part, "...it is doing the ... Quakers no more than justice to say, that (except their declining to share with others the burthen of the common defence) there is no denomination among us who are more exemplary and useful citizens." Printed document, pen trials on verso. Washington's reply is published in Writings, 30:416n.

Letter, Eleanor Stuart to Tobias Lear

Unit ID RM-629; MS-4552

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23364

Unit Date 1789 October 8

Text 16 (box)

Container 1789.10.08 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Stuart, Eleanor Calvert Custis, approximately 1758-1811

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Abingdon. Has never allowed herself to join general cry against him--wishes Bett and Patt [Eliza and Martha Custis] could have same advantages as her other children--guests--a boating accident in front of her house. Autograph letter signed, docketed by Lear.Name on original manuscript appears as "Eleanor Stuart." Date on original catalog card appears as "[1789] Oct. 8."

Keywords

Correspondence

Power of attorney, Charles Washington to Burgess Ball

Unit ID W-1310/A.50

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23365

Unit Date 1789 October 19

Text 16 (box)

Container 1789.10.19 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Charles, 1738-1799

Creator Ball, Burgess, 1749-1800

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Appoints Burgess Ball attorney in his own behalf for division of estate of his mother, Mary Washington. Poor condition. Document signed, fragment, laminated, badly charred by fire, docketed Chs. Washi[ngton] Powe[r of Attorney]. Signed by Chas. Washington. Witnessed by M. Frame and Fielding Augusting Lewis.

Account of estate sales, Mary Washington

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4637

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23366

Unit Date 1789 October 29

Text 16 (box)

Container 1789.10.29 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D. 4 pages. "Accot. of sales of the Stocks etc. sold at the plantation of the late Mrs. Mary Washington, on the 29th of October 1789." Some of the buyers include Charles Carter Jr., Bushrod Washington and Burges[s] Ball. Stock sold includes sheep, oxen, hogs, pigs, horses, cows. Autograph document, docketed.

Keywords

Washington, Mary Ball, 1708-1789 -- Estate

Financial records

Domestic animals

Lists (document genres)

Letter, Samuel Otis to John Langdon

Unit ID RM-998; MS-5621

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23367

Unit Date 1789 October 29

Text 16 (box)

Container 1789.10.29 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Massachusetts. Letter was written after the visit of George Washington to Boston. Otis writes that Washington's "... presence has diffused joy amongst all ranks ..." Autograph letter signed, on fine (laid) paper.

Letter, Joseph Barrel to Samuel Blanchley Webb

Unit ID MS-5829 ; RM-1143

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23368

Unit Date 1789 November 1

Text 16 (box)

Container 1789.11.01 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 7 pages. Boston. He was fortunate enough to help with preparations for Washington's visit. Describes the planning and the President's visit. Docketed and signed.

Bond, Warner Washington and Warner Washington, Jr. to James Mills

Unit ID A-456.2

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23369

Unit Date 1789 November 2

Text 16 (box)

Container 1789.11.02 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Injunction bond for paying all costs and damages "that shall be awarded against him [Warner W.]" in Frederick County Court. Document signed, docketed "Washington vs. Mills and Co., Injn. Bond," watermark.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.55

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23370

Unit Date 1789 November 17

Text 16 (box)

Container 1789.11.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Has heard nothing from Mr. Bartram regarding plants and shrubs--has been away from N.Y. with President--"The President will thank you to pay to the Honb. Robt. Morris Esq. livres 32-12-2 being a balance due to Gouvr. Morris Esq. for something which he purchasd in France for the Presid. - and also to know from him (R.M.) the amount of some floor matts and a pr. of blk sattin brot. from India the summer before last in one of Mr. Morris's ships and pay the same"--find out price of buck wheat and if it can be had on short notice--clover seed has been procured here. Autograph letter signed, laminated, docketed by Lear(?) "per Major Jackson," watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Lear."

Receipt, Henry Arcularius to Samuel Francis

Unit ID A-283.56

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23371

Unit Date 1789 November 26

Text 16 (box)

Container 1789.11.26 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Receipt for loaves of bread for the prisoners. Small slip of paper charred by fire, laminated, watermark.

Receipt, L. Paul to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-238.2

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23372

Unit Date 1789 December 2

Text 16 (box)

Container 1789.12.02 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

Small scrap of paper, charred by fire, laminated. For £3.0.0 due from George Washington.

Receipt, Elizabeth Chilton to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2089

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23373

Unit Date 1789 December 3

Text 16 (box)

Container 1789.12.03 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Creator Washington, Hannah Bushrod, approximately 1738-1804

Scope and Contents

26 shillings discharging Miss Fanny B. Smith's account ... Witnessed by Hannah Washington, Sr.

Letter, Adam Reigart to Thomas Hartley

Unit ID A-301.53

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23374

Unit Date 1789 December 4

Text 16 (box)

Container 1789.12.04 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L. 1 page. Lancaster. He cannot accept commission of purchasing mares for Genl. W.--his daughter very ill, and cannot go thru country looking for them--Mr. John Miller knows horses and is dependable--perhaps he can undertake the business. Autograph letter, docketed. [See letter from Th. Hartley to G.W., Dec. 7, 1789].

Letter, George Augustine Washington to John Francis Mercer

Unit ID W-684

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23375

Unit Date 1789 December 17

Text 16 (box)

Container 1789.12.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Received his letter after delay--the President has been informed of contents and replies, "as an act of Providence has interposed to render a complyance with your promise impracticable, he must have further patience"--he also says clean sound wheat will be taken at his mill in payment and the Alexandria Cash price allowed for it--corn crop poor so would also like to have some if he has it. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, watermark, postmarked "Alex Dec. 18," docketed, note in later hand reads "Above signature seems to be that of George Augustine Washington Son of Charles - who was G.W.'s brother - This presented to MVLA July 3/97 by Mrs. Carrol Mercer Washn. D.C." Name on original manuscript appears as "George A. Washington."

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.57

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23376

Unit Date 1789 December 21

Text 16 (box)

Container 1789.12.21 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. New York. President desires to know prices of buckwheat delevered to Va. in bags, and in barrels--if cheaper there or in back counties of Va.--requests information by next week so he can write Major W. what to do--probably can't be sent down rivers until spring thaws--Mrs. Reinagle, who taught Miss Custis music, to send some music proper for her thru the winter--mentions his approaching marriage. Autograph letter signed, docketed, watermark.

Cover of letters, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.54

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23398

Unit Date 1789-1790

Text 16 (box)

Container 1789.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

1 page docketed. Laminated. This cover came with all the letters to Biddle from Lear.

List of taxable property, George Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4524.1

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23344

Unit Date 1789

Text 14 (box)

Container 1789.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. Lists 13 slaves by name, above 16 years of age, and "Horses 7." Also lists his taxable property in Truro Parish, 1789 as three slaves above 16 years, four horses and a phaeton carriage.

Tax bill, George Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-292; MS-2909

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23399

Unit Date 1789

Text 16 (box)

Container 1789.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. A Tax Bill for the year 1788, directed to Major George Washington, nephew of General Washington, and one time Mount Vernon manager, from Mr. Vernon manager, from Mr. Joseph Powell in the amount of £7.2.2 plus 36 lbs of tobacco.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.58

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23377

Unit Date 1790 January 6

Text 16 (box)

Container 1790.01.06 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Received music from Mr. Ranigle -- Send 200 bushels of buckwheat to Mt. Vernon in bags marked G.W. -- compliments of the season from President and Mrs. Washington. Autograph letter signed, docketed by Lear, watermark incomplete.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.59

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23378

Unit Date 1790 January 10

Text 16 (box)

Container 1790.01.10 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. New York. President wants some superfine bolting cloth to be sent to Mt. Vernon-for a reel 9'2" in length and 5'6" in circumference -- have cloth chosen by Mrs. Lewis or a skillful miller. Autograph letter signed, docketed.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.60

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23379

Unit Date 1790 January 17

Text 16 (box)

Container 1790.01.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. New York. [Washington] has written Major [George A.] W-n regarding the bolting cloth--G.W. arranged thru Col. Hartley of Lancaster to have breeding mares sent to Mt. Vernon--money to be paid thru Biddle. Autograph letter signed, docketed by T. Lear "Jany 17. 1790." Dated incorrectly 1789 in heading, incomplete watermark. Not in Writings; Vol. XXX, p. 507, has footnotes mentioning this letter. Date on original catalog card appears [1790] Jan. 17.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.61

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23380

Unit Date 1790 January 21

Text 16 (box)

Container 1790.01.21 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. New York. A draft enclosed, drawn by Samuel Meredith on the Bank of North America for $1066.66 -- to go to the account of the President -- is to pay for breeding mares bought through John Miller and Paul Zantzinger. Autograph letter signed, docketed, corrections added in G.W.'s hand, watermark.

Letter, Alexander Macomb to Tobias Lear

Unit ID W-1310/A.52

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23381

Unit Date 1790 January 31

Text 16 (box)

Container 1790.01.31 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L. Received his letter and will render any assistance he can for President--is sure an exchange of houses can be accomplished--can treat for any part of furniture which might be wanted--will see Mr. Lear at his home this evening. Autograph letter, in first person, integral cover, docketed by Lear, laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Mr. Macomb."

Manuscripts Box 17

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19055

Unit Date February 1790 - April 1790

Text 17 (box)

Language English.

Receipt, Thomas Garnett to Betty Washington Lewis

Unit ID W-1310/A.53

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23382

Unit Date 1790 February 1

Text 17 (box)

Container 1790.02.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Betty Washington, 1733-1797

Scope and Contents

Receipt for 18 shillings in account for Mrs. Betty Lewis, Subscribr. to Revd. Thomas Thornton for year 1789. Autograph document signed, 1 page, fragment, laminated, docketed "Thos. Garnett [ ] Rect. 18 /".

Keywords

Receipts (financial records)

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.68

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23383

Unit Date 1790 February 7

Text 17 (box)

Container 1790.02.07 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Major Washington has sent size of bolting cloth now in the mill [see under same date, separate document] -- send by earliest conveyance to Mt. Vernon -- send president's account when convenient. utograph letter signed, docketed, incomplete watermark, [scratched on paper is name "Polly Long," Lear's fiance at this time and later his first wife].

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.67

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23384

Unit Date 1790 February 10

Text 17 (box)

Container 1790.02.10 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. New York. President wishes carpet, pea green ground with white flowers or spots -- carpeting would be better than a carpet -- can find no carpet in N. Y. to fit the room, nor good carpeting -- Scotch carpeting is almost only kind to be found there. Autograph letter signed, docketed by Lear, (written on reverse on a cover directed to "The Secretary of the President of the United States"). Writings, XXXI, 8-9; Minor variations. Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Lear."

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.66

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23385

Unit Date 1790 February 14

Text 17 (box)

Container 1790.02.14 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Received President's account -- "In reply to your wish to know the President's birth day it will be sufficient to observe that is on the 11th of February Old Style - but the almanack Makers have generally set it down opposite to the 11th day of Feby. of the present Style - how far that may go towards establishing it on this day I don't know - but I could never consider it any other ways than stealing as many days from his valuable life as is the difference between the old and the new Style." Autograph letter signed, docketed.

Bill, Battaile Muse to William Hodgeson

Unit ID RM-341; MS-3028

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23386

Unit Date 1790 February 18

Text 17 (box)

Container 1790.02.18 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Bill for fifty pounds to be paid to George (A.) Washington agent for the President of the U.S.

Letter, Robert Lewis to Betty Washington Lewis

Unit ID A-625.5

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23387

Unit Date 1790 February 26

Text 17 (box)

Container 1790.02.26 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Creator Lewis, Betty Washington, 1733-1797

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Happy at receiving her letter and sister Carter's lengthy one -- sorry to hear of illness and deaths among the negroes, "... Temple in particular as he was a hearty, strong young fellow and arrived at an age when his services might have compensated his master or mistress for the trouble which is attendant on raising young negroes and the expense incurred, previous to their attaining the age of manhood" -- they have been busy moving the president's household to more commodious quarters -- Mrs. White comes to visit only on public days -- these are crowded occasions -- last evening was at an assembly -- danced with Miss Briscoe -- many there disappointed president and lady didn't attend -- female part glad some of the family appeared -- "For my own part, I am of so much more consequence here than when at home that I believe I shall never be content anywhere else." Post script dated Feb. 27: They have moved into the new house -- unable to find time to buy a toy for Maria. Autograph letter signed, laminated, docketed "Mrs. Betty Lewis", watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Rob. Lewis." Post script dated Feb. 27--They have moved into the new house--unable to find time to buy a toy for Maria.

Keywords

Correspondence

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.64

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23388

Unit Date 1790 March 5

Text 17 (box)

Container 1790.03.05 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. They have found a carpet for the room described in last letter -- but obliged to him for looking -- add 200 more bushels of buckwheat to quantity already procured -- can be carried to Va. in bulk, saving expense of bags or barrels -- Capt. Ellwood will do this, using his hogsheads. Autograph letter signed, docketed. Writings, XXXI, 18. Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Lear."

Letter, Paul Zantzinger to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-750.15

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23389

Unit Date 1790 March 9

Text 17 (box)

Container 1790.03.09 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Bearer, Martin Ehler, brings six mares -- two are those he mentioned before -- 4 are those that are described on enclosed list [no list enclosed here] -- one will match black mare purchased earlier. Autograph letter signed, docketed in a later hand, "Zantzinger horse-dealer to Geo. A. Washington", incomplete watermark.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.64

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23390

Unit Date 1790 March 10

Text 17 (box)

Container 1790.03.10 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Received invoice of 200 bushels of buckwheat sent to Mt. Vernon -- omitted answering query on potatoes -- send them by next vessel -- President wants only 100 more bushels of buckwheat instead of 200 because of high price -- carry by bulk to lessen the freight. Autograph letter signed, docketed.

Letter, Paul Zantzinger to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-750.16

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23391

Unit Date 1790 March 14

Text 17 (box)

Container 1790.03.14 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages, Lancaster. Martin Ehler had to turn back with the mares from Zantzinger -- couldn't

A.L.S. 2 pages. Lancaster. Martin Ehler had to turn back with the mares from Zantzinger -- couldn't cross Susquehanna River -- this adds to expenses he was to be allowed -- hired a helper, George Leonhart, to take the horses down -- gives details of the agreement with Ehler -- sent invoice to George Washington in New York. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by Lear (?), watermark.

Letter, George Augustine Washington to Paul Zantzinger

Unit ID A-301.59

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23392

Unit Date 1790 March 20

Text 17 (box)

Container 1790.03.20 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon. Received letters from Zantzinger through Ehler and Leonhart, and the mares came -- they are fatigued but in good shape -- pleased with them -- can't determine the expenses of men's return journey, so asks that Zantzinger pay them return expenses and send invoice to President -- gave them no money. Autograph letter signed, integral cover.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.62

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23393

Unit Date 1790 March 21

Text 17 (box)

Container 1790.03.21 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Wrote letter to Mr. Moyston inquiring about a cook who lived with him -- no answer -- sent thru post office -- sends Biddle a copy to hand Mr. Moyston. Autograph letter signed, docketed by Lear, incomplete watermark.

Letter, Betty Carter Bassett to Fanny Bassett Washington

Unit ID A-680.32

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23394

Unit Date 1790 March 30

Text 17 (box)

Container 1790.03.30 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Frances "Fanny" Bassett Washington, 1767-1796

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Sends the letter by her husband [John Bassett, Fanny's brother] -- he has been an invalid for a week -- envies her her fine son [G. Fayette Washington] -- mentions Mr. Bassett's death. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed by Fanny B. W-n, watermark. Date on original catalog card appears as [1790] March 30. The writer was daughter of Wm. Burnett Brown of Elsing-Green.

Letter, Dr. James Craik to Fanny Bassett Washington

Unit ID RM-1182

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5590

Unit Date 1790 April 2

Text 17 (box)

Container 1790.04.02 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Craik, James, 1730-1814

Creator Lear, Frances "Fanny" Bassett Washington, 1767-1796

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Says Maria likely has the measles. Describes symptoms and treatment. Docketed to Mrs. Washington, Mount Vernon.

Keywords

Medicine -- History -- 18th century

Correspondence

Agreement, William Simpson with George Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4525

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23395

Unit Date 1790 April 5

Text 17 (box)

Container 1790.04.05 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

D.S. Simpson leases Washington's "... fishing landing called Simpsons during the Herring season [for] twelve pounds specie ... also six thousand herrings." Simpson also agrees to "... not permit a horse Waggon Cart or any other Carriage to come within his plantation for the removal of the fish ..." Document signed, [in pencil "William Simpson"].

Deeds and papers, relating to lands bought in Virginia by J. H. Brown for Aaron Leggett

Unit ID RM-877 ; MS-5344-5351

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/31826

Unit Date 1790-1861

Text 17 (box)

Container 1790-1861 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 8 Files8 deeds and letters housed within a single envelope.22 x 10 cm

Scope and Contents

8 deeds and letters housed within a single envelope, dating April 15, 1790, September 30, 1790, December 20, 1790, June 28, 1850, October 19, 1850, 1852, April 10, 1853, and February 18, 1861.

Keywords

Deeds

Correspondence

Financial records

Leggett, Aaron, 1792-1860

Letter, Eleanor Stuart to Tobias Lear

Unit ID RM-629; MS-4553

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23396

Unit Date 1790 April 18

Text 17 (box)

Container 1790.04.18 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Stuart, Eleanor Calvert Custis, approximately 1758-1811

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Abingdon. His approaching marriage--her unhappiness--had hoped to see her children this summer--her concern over Nelly--fears she will be spoiled by too much attention--"her Dear Grandmama is too much pleased with the attentions paid to Nelly to judge of their impropriety. Autograph letter signed, docketed by Lear "April 12th 1790." Name on original manuscript appears as "Eleanor Stuart."

Keywords

Correspondence

Articles of agreement, George Augustine Washington with James Taylor

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4526; MS-4527

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23397

Unit Date 1790 April 21

Text 17 (box)

Container 1790.04.21 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

By this contract, Taylor agrees to act as overseer on Washington's farm in Fairfax County. Taylor is to oversee the slaves' labor; make and repair plows and fences; construct buildings as needed, "see to the stock of every kind." Taylor will "... provide in due season meal for the Negroes and see it regularly distributed--That he will be very careful of the Negroes--" Taylor receives 18 lbs. and food and shelter for he and family. Copy of agreement also included, MS-4527

Manuscripts Box 18

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19056

Unit Date May 1790 - August 1790

Text 18 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Alexander White to unknown recipient

Unit ID 2018-SC-015

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14589

Unit Date 1790 May 13

Text 18 (box)

Container 1790.05.13 (folder)

Language English.

Creator White, Alexander, 1738-1804

Extent 1 pages25 x 20 cm

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. Representative of Virginia's 1st congressional district in the United States House of Representatives, Alexander White writes to "Dear Madam" that the President has been sick and confined to bed the past few days. He adds, "I shall not trouble you with laws of a Political Nature only observe that our Proceeding are so dilatory that I fear spending the greatest part of the summer in this Place."

Keywords
Correspondence
Washington, George, 1732-1799

Letter, Gabriel Peterson Van Horne to Robert Lewis

Unit ID A-301.64

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23400

Unit Date 1790 May 20

Text 18 (box)

Container 1790.05.13 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Baltimore. Directed by Hon. Capt. Furneval, this letter asks Lewis' interceding in behalf of "our Old Friend" to gain an appointment as Postmaster in Baltimore. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by Lewis (?) watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "G. P. van Horne."

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.72

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23401

Unit Date 1790 June 3

Text 18 (box)

Container 1790.06.03 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L. initial S. 1 page. New York. "The President will thank you to put into the hand of Mr. Wm. Hunter Junr. of Alexa. thirty five Guineas, for him to deliver to Mr. John Campbell of Bladensbg. ... in payment for a Horse sent by Mr. Campbell to the President." Autograph letter initial signed, laminated, docketed. Name on original manuscript appears as "T. L." Writings, XXX, 342-343. Mr. Hunter was on his way back to Alexa. from N.Y., and stopping in Phila.

Broadside, Congressional Act for compensation to Friedrich Wilhelm von Steuben

Unit ID RM-922; MS-5458

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23486

Unit Date 1790 June 4

Text 18 (box)

Container 1790.06.04 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Jefferson, Thomas, 1743-1826

Scope and Contents

Printed document, signed by Thomas Jefferson, 1 page. Second session of Congress, "An Act for finally adjusting and satisfying the Claims of Frederick William De Steuben." Gives Von Steuben compensation for his services in the war. Approved June 4, 1790.

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.5

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23402

Unit Date 1790 June 11

Text 18 (box)

Container 1790.06.11 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Greenwood. Mr. C[raufurd] cannot set off by the 20th--"you may thank me for having brought you to Alexa. I think Bushfield and its environs were never intended for the Sphere you (and your charming Washington) were made to move in"--an admirer of hers [Ann's], a Dr. Clark--when she goes to Rippon Lodge, present her love to Papa and Manna and family--little [Sall] has been very sick with worms--plumbs and figgs which Daniel brought. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, directed by "Daniel," watermark. Name on original manuscript apperas as "S. Craufurd."

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.73

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23403

Unit Date 1790 June 20

Text 18 (box)

Container 1790.06.20 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. New York. Received president's account -- questions item dealing with "Express" to N.Y. for Dr. Jones -- paid express sent by Col. Cummings to Philadelphia -- have Mr. Hare send best porter to Mt. Vernon in preparation for President's visit -- Mrs. Washington wants blue and white cups and saucers to match china at Mt. Vernon -- thanks for congratulations on his (Lear's) marriage. Autograph letters signed, docketed by Lear, incomplete watermark.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.74

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23404

Unit Date 1790 July 11

Text 18 (box)

Container 1790.07.11 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. New York. Received letters enclosing accounts of George Washington's for coach hire and for porter sent to Mt. Vernon by Mr. Hare -- give prices of silver plated "waiters" (serving trays) in Philadelphia -- some have japanned bottoms and a silver plated rim of open work round them -- have any vessels from India brought fine muslins cheap? Autograph letter signed, draft, docketed by (Lear?), incomplete watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Lear."

Letter, Robert Lewis to Betty Washington Lewis

Unit ID A-301.67

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23405

Unit Date 1790 July 11

Text 18 (box)

Container 1790.07.11 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Creator Lewis, Betty Washington, 1733-1797

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. New York. Received her letter by Mr. Garnett and one from brother George--her indisposition--hopes to be in Va. within a month--Congress hopes to be able to adjourn by then--G.W. very well, as is Mrs. W.--hopes locket she requested has reached her. Autograph letter signed,

laminated, watermark. Date on original catalog card appears as [c.1790] July 11.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.80

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23406

Unit Date 1790 July 18

Text 18 (box)

Container 1790.07.18 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. New York. Keep silver waiter (serving tray) until called for -- they can be made more cheaply in N.Y. -- order Mrs. Washington 2 dozen tea cups and saucers and some slop bowls to match in blue and white china -- send them to Mt. Vernon -- send her some patterns of plain India Jaquinett muslin from which to choose -- will forward a draft next week. Autograph letter signed, draft, docketed by Lear, incomplete watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Lear." Writings, XXXI, 70. One major variation in number of cups and saucers to buy.

Receipt, William Osborne to Tobias Lear

Unit ID H-1139

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23407

Unit Date 1790 July 20

Text 18 (box)

Container 1790.07.20 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. Receipt for one quarter's wages ending June 30, £14.0.0. Autograph document signed, small slip, docketed, Receipt No. 24, charred by fire. Name on original manuscript appears as "W. Osborne."

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.81

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23408

Unit Date 1790 July 22

Text 18 (box)

Container 1790.07.22 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. New York. Encloses draft for £200 on Bank of North America to go to President's account. Autograph letter signed, draft, docketed by Lear(?).

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.82

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23409

Unit Date 1790 July 25

Text 18 (box)

Container 1790.07.25 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Send 3 dozen tea cups and saucers and 2 dozen coffee cups and saucers and bowls -- if cannot get blue and white, then get the enamel mentioned in Biddle's letter -- Mrs. Washington sends muslin patterns -- send prices on any like them -- send price of white lead ground in oil and also painters oil fit for immediate use -- will be sent to Mt. Vernon from Philadelphia or New York, whichever is cheaper. Autograph letter signed, draft, docketed by [Lear]. Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Lear."

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.83

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23410

Unit Date 1790 July 29

Text 18 (box)

Container 1790.07.29 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. New York. Received 2 pieces of muslin -- Mrs. Washington has kept one and the other is returned. Autograph letter signed, draft, docketed, (written on reverse of a cover directed to the President of the United States of America), broken black seal, incomplete watermark.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.84

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23411

Unit Date 1790 August 1

Text 18 (box)

Container 1790.08.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L. initial S. 1 page. New York. Clarifies order of 3 dozen china cups and saucers for Mrs. Washington. Autograph letter initial signed, draft, fragment, docketed by Lear. Name on original manuscript appears as "T.L."

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.85

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23412

Unit Date 1790 August 8

Text 18 (box)

Container 1790.08.08 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. New York. Received letter enclosing bill for china sent to Mt. Vernon -- President sets out for Mt. Vernon probably in 8 or 10 days after Congress adjourns -- he would not like any more parade than is necessary to gratify the people, any more is most fatiguing to him -- are any ships bound for London from Philadelphia and what accommodations are available? Autograph letter signed, draft, torn, docketed by Lear, incomplete watermark.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.86

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23413

Unit Date 1790 August 17

Text 18 (box)

Container 1790.08.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. New York. Send by Mr. Robert Lewis, the bearer, an English-German dictionary for George Washington's German gardener -- George Washington in Rhode Island -- will leave New York for Virginia about first of September. Autograph letter signed, draft, docketed by Lear, laminated, incomplete watermark.Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Lear."

Bill, Charles Cist to Clement Biddle

Unit ID W-1310/A.55

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23414

Unit Date 1790 August 19

Text 18 (box)

Container 1790.08.19 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Bill for Bailey's English and German Dictionary at £2.5.0. Autograph document signed, fragment, laminated, docketed twice, "No. 256 Receipt Charles Cist £2.5 19th Augt. 1790" and "Acct. for a Dictionary Augt. 19. 1790."

Articles of agreement, George Augustine Washington and Peter Cockrell

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4528/D

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23415

Unit Date 1790 August 21

Text 18 (box)

Container 1790.08.21 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 2 pages, docketed. Agreement for Peter Cockrell to work for George A. Washington for one year. Signed by Peter Cockrell and J. Packett.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.77

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23416

Unit Date 1790 August 26

Text 18 (box)

Container 1790.08.26 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. New York. Received bill and receipt for German-English dictionary -- please keep [silver?] waiter (serving tray) there until remove to Philadelphia -- President reaches Philadelphia about September 3 -- engage lodgings at Mrs. Mary House's [at 5th and Market St.] in Philadelphia for

George Washington and family and stables for horses at Jacob Hiltzhimers -- if lodging not available there, then at city tavern -- gives proposed itinerary of President's trip to Philadelphia -- plea for no more parade and ceremony than necessary -- he (Lear) will remain in New York a few more days -- gives number of rooms needed for those in President's party, and delineates who is in the group (including 2 maids, 4 white servants and 4 black servants). Autograph letter signed, draft, laminated, docketed by Lear(?), watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Lear."

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.87

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23417

Unit Date 1790 August 30

Text 18 (box)

Container 1790.08.30 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Draft. New York. President left this morning and will be in Philadelphia on Thursday -- he has sent Mrs. Washington's trunk and an extra harness by stage to Philadelphia in Biddle's care to be sent to Alexandria by water -- Harness wrapped in rough cloth for protection -- he will pay expenses in New York -- direct any letter to him for they will come free during President's absence. Autograph letter signed, draft, docketed by Lear(?). Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Lear." Writings XXXI, 109 fn. Postscript added to this draft copy.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19057

Unit Date September 1790 - March 1791

Text 19 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Timothy Pickering to Oliver Phelps

Unit ID 2019-SC-018-002

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19564

Unit Date 1790 September 4

Text 19 (box)

Container 1790.09.04 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Pickering, Timothy, 1745-1829

Extent 3 pages

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter, signed "Timothy Pickering" to Oliver Phelps. Pickering, appointed by President Washington as commissioner to the Iroquois, is writing to merchant and land speculator Oliver Phelps in response to the Pine Creek killings, in which two Seneca Indians were murdered in a dispute with the sons of John Walker, a man whom the Seneca claimed to have scalped and murdered several years prior. Pickering writes of Washington's "utter abhorrence" of the killings. He has sent Pickering to meet with the relations of the murdered Seneca men.

Keywords

Native Americans

Correspondence

Seneca Indians

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.75

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23418

Unit Date 1790 September 9

Text 19 (box)

Container 1790.09.09 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. New York. Tenders his thanks for their offer of services, but he and Mrs. Lear will reside with President -- expects to leave New York by October 1 -- will engage 2 packets to carry freight to Philadelphia -- asks Biddle to inquire for him -- many overcharge the President -- papers may be forwarded to Mt. Vernon -- received letter from President on particulars of alterations in home -- thinks Mr. Robt. Morris will be moved by 25th Sept., and President's furniture can be moved in then -- Biddle's drafts will be honored. Autograph letter signed, draft, docketed by Lear(?).

Letter, Henry Knox to unknown recipient

Unit ID RM-1038; MS-5676

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23419

Unit Date 1790 September 9

Text 19 (box)

Container 1790.09.09 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Knox, Henry, 1750-1806

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. War department. Concerns allowance to invalids.

Letter, Fanny Bassett Washington to Burwell Bassett

Unit ID A-625.6

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23420

Unit Date 1790 September 21

Text 19 (box)

Container 1790.09.21 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Frances "Fanny" Bassett Washington, 1767-1796

Creator Bassett, Burwell, -1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon. Sends letter by Dr. Stuart who is on way to Williamsburg -- President and Mrs. Washington have been home 10 days -- George Washington "looks better than I expected to see him, but still there are traces in his countinance of His two last severe illnesses, which I fear will never wear off." -- they stay until middle of November -- little son has been ill. Date on letter appears to be 1791, but internal and external evidence confirm 1790 as date of composition. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, mistakenly dated in heading 1791, watermarks. Name on original manuscript appears as "Frances Washington." Date on original catalog card appears [1790] Sept. 21.

Letter, Martha Custis to Mr. Snow

Unit ID RM-173; MS-2528

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23421

Unit Date 1790 September

Text 19 (box)

Container 1790.09.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Peter, Martha Parke Custis, 1777-1854

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Martha Custis [Martha Washington's niece] writes out a song for Mr. Snow. A notation in another hand, "Received inclosed from Mrs. Stuart in Sept. 1790." Date on original catalog card appears c. 1790 [September].

Letter, Tobias Lear to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.78

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23422

Unit Date 1790 October 3

Text 19 (box)

Container 1790.10.03 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. New York. Capt. Alberson brought his (Biddle's) letter -- discusses expensive price wanted by Alberson for hire of his vessel, and whether arrangements with him included cabin passage -- will start loading Tuesday and sail by end of week -- please engage lodgings for Mrs. Lear and himself at Mrs. House's or elsewhere near the President in Philadelphia until furniture arrives. Autograph letter signed, draft, laminated, docketed by Lear, watermark incomplete (crown).

Bill, Andrew Aitken to William Kinnard

Unit ID W-1310/A.56

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23423

Unit Date 1790 October 6

Text 19 (box)

Container 1790.10.06 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Print document with notations. Baltimore. Bill for 1 oz. Nutmegs at 6 shillings from Andrew Aitken, apothecary and druggist. Autograph document signed, partly printed bill, laminated, docketed "H. Washington 6/." Receipted by Andr. Aitken.

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.6

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23424

Unit Date 1790 October 20

Text 19 (box)

Container 1790.10.20 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Please send the "little Matter between us" for Nells [ ] and the muslin--in very great need of it--also send sugar, none at all in this part of the Country. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed (not decipherable), laminated, incomplete watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Receipt, John Aston to Charles Carter

Unit ID W-821/D

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23425

Unit Date 1790 October 25

Text 19 (box)

Container 1790.10.25 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Receipt for 115 barrels of corn "bot of Mr. Chas. Carter from Mrs. Washingtons Estate." Autograph document signed, fragment, laminated, signed by John Aston for Thos Gamill, re Mary Washington's estate.

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.7

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23426

Unit Date 1790 October 25

Text 19 (box)

Container 1790.10.25 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Greenwood. Received money, muslin adn sugar by Peter--returns muslin--apologizes for asking her for the money, but she owed it and was being pestered for it--she owes Mr. [Bushrod] W[ashington] and "yourself" for spice mortar and "skeleton--outside and curtain of a bonnett"--hears from Mama [Christian Blackburn] that Polly [Blackburn] has several dance partners--she will be unable to come to [Alexandria] this winter but hopes to see [Ann] and Mr. Wn here shortly--sends some Spanish potatoes and apples--has Judith [Blackburn] increased her family?--send a bushel of cranberries--[Betty ?] Grayson not at home according to custom with the Miss Warings. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, directed "by Peter," laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Letter, Nathaniel Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A.57

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23427

Unit Date 1790 October 25

Text 19 (box)

Container 1790.10.25 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Greenwood. Her Mamma and Sister [Christian Blackburn and Polly Blackburn] pleased at their receiption at Mr. Campbell's, and also at plays--to have tea at Mr. Caton's where Polly will probably perform on harpsichord--write about her Fredericksburg excursion--. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, directed "By Peter", watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Nath. Craufurd." Date on original catalog card appears [17]90 Oct. 25.

Lottery tickets

Unit ID A-680.33

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23428

Unit Date 1790 October

Text 19 (box)

Container 1790.10.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Lottery tickets. 4 printed tickets to an Alexandria Street Lottery, signed by J. Swift, each ticket having on the back the name of one of John Basset's children, A[nna] M[aria], John, Virginia, and William; Wm. was born Oct. 10, 1790, and a lottery for paving streets of Alex. was authorized in Oct. 1790, with J. Swift as one of those appointed to conduct it. A scrap of paper with the name "Mr. Bassett" serves as a cover. Date on original catalog card appears [1790 ?][Oct.]

Letter, Robert Lewis to John Bassett

Unit ID A-301.67

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23429

Unit Date 1790 November 14

Text 19 (box)

Container 1790.11.14 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Mount Vernon. Encloses a letter -- wrote letters to him and friend from Fredericksburg, to go by a county representative to the assembly -- best way to send letters to him is by post or a friend -- postmasters are more particular in sending letters addressed to our family than they are of others -- sick family at Mt. Vernon -- Bassett's sister and brother had visited and brought influenza -- Lewis and others leave Mt. Vernon on 22nd for Philadelphia. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed in pencil by (?), watermarks. Name on original manuscript appears as "Rob. Lewis."

Bill, John Barnes to Tobias Lear

Unit ID W-1310/A.58

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23430

Unit Date 1790 November 22

Text 19 (box)

Container 1790.11.22 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

Bill. A.D.S. 1 page. Philadelphia. Bill for 1 box superior Hyson tea amounting to £20.18.9. Autograph document signed, fragment laminated, docketed twice, once by Lear, "No. 257 Receipt Jno. Barnes £20.18.9 22nd Novr. 1790," and Rect. Jno. Barnes Novr. 22. [1]790 £20.18.9", incomplete watermark. Receipted at same time by John Barnes.

Letter, Robert Lewis to William Holmes

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4638

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23431

Unit Date 1790 November 23

Text 19 (box)

Container 1790.11.23 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Bladensburg. Retained copy to Holmes regarding a lease of Holmes' land (location not specified) to Mrs. Betty Washington Lewis. Robert Lewis encloses several letters referring to this transaction. Mrs. Lewis has paid the first year's rent.

Letter, Richard Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.8

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23432

Unit Date 1790 December 6

Text 19 (box)

Container 1790.12.06 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Rippon Lodge. Hasn't written her because he hasn't been successful in complying with her requests regarding chesnuts and sale of her colt--will try to sell colt at sale in a few days--intends being at Bushfield soon to attend Mr. Washington's sale--Judy sends love. Autograph letter signed, fragment of a separate cover, laminated, incomplete watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "R. S. Blackburn." Date on original catalog card appears 179[0] Dec. 6.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to William A. Washington

Unit ID 2022-SC-007-013

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32655

Unit Date 1791 January 7

Text 19 (box)

Container 1791.01.07 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Extent 1 Sheets1 page, 2 pages with text20 x 32 cm

Biographical / Historical

George Washington Masonic National Memorial Catalog No. 1971.01.053

Scope and Contents

Bushrod Washington, Alexandria VA, writes to Col. William A. Washington at Haywood regarding correspondence he received and enclosed about land belonging to William Washington. Bushrod reports that he has made enquires about the lots and hopes to provide satisfactory information on the subject. A side board ordered by William Washington has arrived and Bushrod suggests sending a vessel from his part of the country to retrieve the item. Sends love to his two nephews. Autograph letter signed, 1 page, with integral address label.

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, William, 1752-1810

Invitation, Lucy Flucker Knox to Robert Lewis

Unit ID M-1108

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23433

Unit Date 1791 January 25

Text 19 (box)

Container 1791.01.25 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Knox, Lucy Flucker, 1760-1824

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

One card. Engraved card of invitation from General Knox's wife with decorative border: "Mrs. Knox presents Compts. to Mr. Lewis and requests the Honor of his Company on Wednesday Evening the '2nd of Febry', Janry 25th 91. The favor of an Answer is desired. Sold by Burton No. 14 Capel Street. Date on original catalog card appears 17[91] Jan. 25. Partly printed with blanks filled in by hand, card size.

Letter, Hannah Fairfax Washington to Battaile Muse

Unit ID A-750.17

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23434

Unit Date 1791 January 30

Text 19 (box)

Container 1791.01.30 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Hannah Fairfax, 1742-1804

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Regarding legacy left her [probably by her brother Geo. Wm. Fairfax, who died in 1787 in England] -- a bond given -- doesn't desire more land in Culpeper, Virginia -- has some which she has been unable to sell -- smallpox breaking out here -- "Bob shou'd be careful of his cloaths." Autograph letter signed, docketed "Letter Mrs. H. Washington about her husbands Bond"," incomplete watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Han. Washington." Date on original catalog card appears [17]91 Jan. 30.

Receipt, Anthony Whitting to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-238.10

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23435

Unit Date 1791 March 7

Text 19 (box)

Container 1791.03.07 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Whitting, Anthony, -1793

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. For £2.0.0, an account of wages due from the President -- receipt in hand of George Augustine Washington. Document, small charred fragment, laminated, docketed by G.A.W., Receipt No. 299.

Bill, Buchan Patton and Co. to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A.61

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23436

Unit Date 1791 March 8

Text 19 (box)

Container 1791.03.08 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Bill for £4.4. for [Seine ?] twine. Autograph document signed, fragment, laminated, docketed twice, "Recpt. No. 266, incomplete watermark. Receipted by Buchan Patton and Co.

Account, Haner Washington with Jonathan B. Steel

Unit ID W-1310/A.62

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23437

Unit Date 1791 March 12-28

Text 19 (box)

Container 1791.03.12 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Account for £0.5.3 for mending a plow, mending strap of a swingel tree, making plow bridel bits, etc. Autograph document signed, fragment, laminated, docketed "J.B. Steels Bills for 1791."

Bill, Buchan Patton and Co. to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID W-817/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23438

Unit Date 1791 March 19

Text 19 (box)

Container 1791.03.19 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. For 3 lbs. seine twine for 0.7.0. Autograph document signed, in hand of P. Prather, fragment, docketed "No. 267," etc., laminated. Receipted by P. Prather for B. Patton and Co.

Receipt, Edmund Barrington to Tobias Lear

Unit ID W-817/D

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23440

Unit Date 1791 March 23

Text 19 (box)

Container 1791.03.23 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Receipt for £2.12.6 for 21 bushels of oats sold to Tobias Lear. Autograph document signed, fragment, in hand of Edmund Penin[gton] and signed by him, mutilated, laminated, docketed "Edwd. Barr[in]g[ton] 23d March 91 2.12.6," and Receipt No. 269 Edwd. Barrington £2.12.6 23d March 1791."

Order to pay, James Bloxham to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID W-1095/D

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23439

Unit Date 1791 March 26

Text 19 (box)

Container 1791.03.26 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Order to pay Alexander Smith £80. Witnessed by Wm. Wilson. Receipted by Alexander Smith April 8, 1791. Docketed same date. Document, silked, fragment, docketed, receipt 270.

Manuscripts Box 20

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19058

Unit Date April 1791 - December 1791

Text 20 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.9

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23441

Unit Date 1791 April 25

Text 20 (box)

Container 1791.04.25 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Requests [Ann] to get some white ribbon for her at Perrin's store-will pay him herself--they expect [Ann and Bushrod Washington] for dinner on Tuesday. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, directed by Will, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Blackburn." Date on original catalog card appears [17]91 April 25.

Bill, C. Chal to unknown recipient

Unit ID W-1310/A.64

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23442

Unit Date 1791 May 28

Text 20 (box)

Container 1791.05.28 (folder)

Language French.

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. Bill for making some ruffles, ruffled caps, etc.[?]. Autograph document, signed by "femme le Chal", fragment, laminated, docketed twice "No. 274 Receipt Mr. Chal £1.16.0, 10th June 1791" and "Rect. Mr. Chal 1.16.0 June 10th 1791."

Receipt, College of Philadelphia to Tobias Lear

Unit ID W-1310/A.65

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23443

Unit Date 1791 July 1

Text 20 (box)

Container 1791.07.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

For tuition of Geo. [Washington Parke] Custis of £1.7.6. Partly printed document filled in by James Clement and signed by him, docketed twice "Rect. for Master Custis July 1 1791, 1.7.[6,]" and "No. 275 Receipt James Clement £1.7.6, 1 July 1791."

Letter, George Augustine Washington to Burwell Bassett, Jr.

Unit ID A-625.7

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23444

Unit Date 1791 July 4

Text 20 (box)

Container 1791.07.04 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Creator Bassett, Burwell, 1764-1841

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Unable to write because of extreme illness -- very weak -- he and Fanny and children go to Berkeley -- they will remain for a while, but business will bring him back soon -- has account from Mr. Wilson -- had boots made for Burgess and will send them by his father when he comes. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, postmarked "Alex July 4", watermark.

Letter, Tobias Lear to John Clay

Unit ID RM-589; MS-4474

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23445

Unit Date 1791 July 19

Text 20 (box)

Container 1791.07.19 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L. 1 page. Receipt for making a door "for the ice house of the President." This was for the Robert Morris house in Philadelphia and it is noted that Mr. Morris declined paying it.

Receipt, William Wilson and Co. to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-238.12

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23446

Unit Date 1791 August 5

Text 20 (box)

Container 1791.08.05 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Alexandria. For £22.10.6, to be applied in discharge of the President's and his taxes. Document, charred fragment, laminated, docketed "Lodged in their Hands to be applied to the settlement of County [ ] parish Levies."

Letter, Hannah Fairfax Washington to Bataille Muse

Unit ID A-750.18

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23447

Unit Date 1791 August 20

Text 20 (box)

Container 1791.08.20 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Hannah Fairfax, 1742-1804

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Fairfield. Deals primarily with settlement of account and Bond -- Mr. Washington is from home and is his father's other executor -- account against Mrs. Bushrod and herself in regard to furniture -- legacies left by her brother [George Wm. Fairfax] -- obliged for news of her sister Fairfax [Sally Cary Fairfax]. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed. Name on original manuscript appears as "H. Washington."

Agreement, George Augustine Washington and Edward Tiffin

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4529

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23448

Unit Date 1791 September 15

Text 20 (box)

Container 1791.09.15 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

D.S. 2 pages. Washington relinquishes a former contract in which Tiffin leased Washington's land for 30 lbs. per year. Tiffin agrees to "... surrender possession [of the tract]--to give up all claim to the wheat now growing on the plantation and to put in all the ground now in Buck wheat and some small

spots adjoining in potatoes and Hemp with Rye ..." Memorandum of an agreement. Signed by Peter Cockrell, for George Augustine Washington.

Articles of agreement, George Augustine Washington and Peter Cockrell

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4530

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23449

Unit Date 1791 September 15

Text 20 (box)

Container 1791.09.15 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

D.S. 3 pages. Agreement for Washington to pay Cockrell one-seventh of the crop yield for acting as overseer "on his plantation in Berk[e]ley County which will be formed of that which he now occupies and that which Doct. Tiffin resides ..." Cockrell to care for Negroes, stock, and tools on plantation. Witnessed by Samuel Washington.

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.13

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23450

Unit Date 1791 September 20

Text 20 (box)

Container 1791.09.20 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Sends letter and garlick by Gen. Roberdeau--leaves cherries and gooseberries for her--they have taken passage to Barbados--go to Mr. Craufurd's [at Greenwood Md.] to stay until sailing time--Polly's [Blackburn] cough worse--glad [Ann] likes new house--Polly asks for great coat to be sent. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, directed (Honord by General Robertdeau," watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Blackburn." Date on original catalog card appears [1792] Sept.[20?].

Account, Mrs. Haner Washington to John B. Steel

Unit ID W-1310/A.66

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23451

Unit Date 1791 September-October

Text 20 (box)

Container 1791.09.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Account for £1.10.6 for smith work, including making "3 keys for The Staples and ox yoks," making knives, putting huks on a locket, putting heels to 2 colters, etc. Autograph document signed, fragment, laminated, docketed "[ ]mber 9," badly charred by fire.

Letter, David Humphreys to Tobias Lear

Unit ID RM-961; MS-5519

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23452

Unit Date 1791 October 16

Text 20 (box)

Container 1791.10.16 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Humphreys, David, 1752-1818

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 6 pages. Lisbon. Humphreys was a Revolutionary War hero from Conn. and writer of the "Hartford Wit." He writes to G. Washington's secretary, T. Lear, of his life in Portugal. Sends messages to G. Washington and members of his family. Autograph letter, signed "D. Humphreys." Docketed by Lear on the blank final page--"From Col. Dav. Humphreys."

Receipt, Moody Clay to Tobias Lear

Unit ID RM-873; MS-5337

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23453

Unit Date 1791 November 19

Text 20 (box)

Container 1791.11.19 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Clay receives payment for piling 14 cords of wood. Witnessed by H. West. Probably for President Washington's household. Document signed, docketed.

Agreement, Henry Budd and George Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4531

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23454

Unit Date 1791 December 8

Text 20 (box)

Container 1791.12.08 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Budd agrees to rent from Washington "the House he now occupies-- my property in Alexandria" for forty shillings/month. Agreement in force from October 1, 1791, to April 1, 1792.

Account, Samuel Fraunces with Robert Coe

Unit ID RM-873; MS-5339

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23455

Unit Date 1791 December 13

Text 20 (box)

Container 1791.12.13 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Fraunces, Samuel, approximately 1722-1795

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. "For President's use," Coe has supplied various brushes to George Washington's steward, Sam Fraunces. Document signed, docketed, burned. Name on original manuscript appears as "Samuel Francis."

List of inns, ferriages, and tolls

Unit ID A-745

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23456

Unit Date 1791

Text 20 (box)

Container 1791.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

List. 2 pages. Rates quality of houses, miles traveled, and ferriage charges. In unknown hand, docketed, "Believed to be in Genl. Washington's handwriting;" laminated. This was perhaps done at the time of George Washington's visit to Charleston in 1791.

Account book, Robert Lewis

Unit ID RM-458; MS-3560

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23487

Unit Date 1791-1798

Text 20 (box)

Container 1791.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

Manuscript account book of Robert Lewis, rental agent for the President of the United States, 1791-1798.

Farm account book, Anthony Whitting

Unit ID W-776

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23488

Unit Date 1791-1792

Text 20 (box)

Container 1791.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Whitting, Anthony, -1793

Scope and Contents

A.D. 25 pages. Corn account, 1791 for Muddy Hole and the other plantations--corn ground and oats to be planted in 1792, no. of acres per plantation--account of cattle sold, oxen sold, 1791, 1792--seed sown in 1792 in timothy and clover--account of farm and harvesting activities (sides of leather) Oct. 1791--account of seeds and grain in greenhouse loft, Nov. 1791--gardener's account, pork, beef, midlings, quart of rum--amounts of clover and timothy seed needed, bushels per plantation--amount on hand, 1792--mill farm no. of feet of planks, 1791, lbs. of beef mutton, bacon and rum--Nov. 22, 1791, finished the mill--account of hogs, 1791--potato account, 1791--turnips account--4 1/2 doz. candles made--tools delivered--Aug. 1792 del. one barrel of herrings, lbs. of mutton Thos. Green, Gray, monies received--monies expended since the absence of Major Washington, Dec. 15--several pp. of accts. of white workers about Mt. V.: Thomas Mahoney, (house carpenter and joiner), Thomas Green (carpenter), Joseph Davenport (called miller), William Garner, Daniel the Dutchman, tools for Hiland Crow, Boyd for making shoes. All these are dated 1791. Autograph document, silked, entitled "Muddy Hole Plantation", not bound, but with bound vols., watermark.

Keywords

Ledgers (account books)

Business records

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Farm management

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Stationary fragment with George Washington watermark

Unit ID RM-982; MS-5598

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23489

Unit Date 1791-1793

Text 20 (box)

Container 1791.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Single blank sheet with GW watermark and note regarding the watermark.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Receipts for hay

Unit ID RM-980; MS-5595

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23490

Unit Date 1791-1792

Text 20 (box)

Container 1791.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Dandridge, Bartholomew, approximately 1774-1802

Scope and Contents

Receipts for hay for the President. 7 partly printed documents, various sizes on verso. The central document is an agreement/receipt between Tobias Lear and William Crouch, the hay dealer. Document is in the hand of Bartholomew Dandridge, signed by Lear and witnessed by Dandridge. 4 papers are weight slips for a load of hay naming the buyer as "Mr. President" or "Mr. Washington." 2 slips are receipted invoices signed by William Crouch to Lear for 100 bales of rye straw.

Manuscripts Box 21

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19059

Unit Date January 1792 - December 1792

Text 21 (box)

Language English.

Ticket to Birth Night Ball, Gideon Snow

Unit ID A-607

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23458

Unit Date 1792 February 3

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.02.03 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Ticket to Ball to be held [in Alexandria] on Feb. 13 to celebrate Birth Night of President. Names of managers printed at bottom. Small piece of stiff paper, printed, name filled in by hand, laminated.

Letter, Richard Cuyler to John Cuyler

Unit ID RM-894; MS-5392

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23459

Unit Date 1792 February 22

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.02.22 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Cuyler writes from New York describing celebration of George Washington's birthday. "... this day is the Anniversary of the hero of America, ships are decorated, guns fired, and publick buildings illuminated ..." Mentions seeing [Samuel?] Shaw and that Shaw "has dined with the President and Jefferson ..."

Receipt, Isaac Catts

Unit ID RM-873; MS-5338

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23460

Unit Date 1792 March 6

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.03.06 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Philadelphia. For coopers work on tubs. Possibly for President Washington's household. Document, fragment.

Receipt, Tobias Lear to David and Francis Clark

Unit ID RM-589; MS-4473

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23461

Unit Date 1792 March 10

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.03.10 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. Receipt for payment of "forty dollars on acct. of the President of the United States."

Agreement, Francis Peyton and George Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4532

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23462

Unit Date 1792 March 23

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.03.23 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 2 pages. Peyton agrees to pay Washington "four shillings/thousand Virginia currency, for two hundred thousand Herrings, to be caught at his Landing (commonly call'd Simpsons)..." Washington is not to furnish a House for curing the fish.

Letter, George Augustine Washington to Robert Lewis

Unit ID A-750.19

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23463

Unit Date 1792 March 25

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.03.25 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Returned in December from "a winter campaign" -- asks pardon for not sending down the Phaeton Box and apron sooner -- wish him success in his business for the President -- Mr. Muse would not apply for money not due him, so President says give him money on proper explanation -- perhaps he hadn't finished last year's collection -- greetings from Fanny extended.

Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed by R. Lewis, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "G. A. Washington."

Receipt, William Carhart to Tobias Lear

Unit ID RM-873; MS-5335

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23464

Unit Date 1792 March 29

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.03.29 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Captain Carhart's charges for freight "of Sundrys to Alexandria". Various boxes, tubs, and bundles listed and "2 plowshears." Possibly for President Washington.

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.10

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23465

Unit Date 1792 May 25

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.05.25 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Greenwood. Chides her for not writing--let her know whether she received smelling bottle--"your nephew" can walk, talk, and has cut teeth--she expects another child--tell Mamma [Christian Blackburn] the news. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, part of a watermark, directed "Favor Mr. [Tracey ?"]. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd." Date on original catalog card appears [17]92 May 25.

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.11

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23466

Unit Date 1792 June 23

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.06.23 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Scolds her for not writing--glad to hear Polly [Blackburn] is better--she has been sick herself and is afraid she will have to wean her "sweet boy"--plan to come see her soon--send one of her people over with a pot and ingredients for yellow pickles and she will send back some young geese. Autograph letter signed, fragment, integral cover, laminated.Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Receipt, Thomas Newton to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-589; MS-4472

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23467

Unit Date 1792 June 28

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.06.28 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Thomas Newton for Cowper and Sexton to George Augustine Washington. Receipt for 10,000 3 foot shingles for Mount Vernon.

Account, James Gallagher to Samuel Fraunces

Unit ID A-238

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23468

Unit Date 1792 July-October

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.07.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Fraunces, Samuel, approximately 1722-1795

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. For the President of the United States. Bill for glass jar, stone jar, china plates, blue edge salad dishes, black tea pots, chambers, basins, and tumblers. Total due 13.0.0. Receipted by Ann Gallagher. Docketed "for glass and china" November 10, 1792. Autograph document, laminated, faded and charred by fire, incomplete watermark. Receipted by Ann Gallagher.

Letter, Bartholomew Dandridge, Jr. to Robert Lewis

Unit ID A-301.183

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23469

Unit Date 1792 August 8

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.08.08 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Dandridge, Bartholomew, approximately 1774-1802

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon. Mr. P. Lyons Jr. in Richmond, who does business for John Hopkins, gave for the President some public papers "which had been funded by you" -- requests the receipt which was given at the time for the certificates -- please forward it since you must have it. Autograph letter signed, draft, docketed by Dandridge, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Dandridge." Not in Writings.

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.12

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23470

Unit Date 1792 August 26

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.08.26 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Greenwood. Has a violent fever--Nell has finished the shift body--send word as to what to have her do now. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, marked "Honord by N. Craufurd Esqr.," laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Letter, George Augustine Washington to William Lyles

Unit ID W-583

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23471

Unit Date 1792 October 1

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.10.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon. Autograph letter signed, laminated, docketed "Receipt for Genl. Washington £105.0.0 Va Currency 1 Oct. 1792," laminated, incomplete watermark. Bearer is Mr. [Anthony] Whitting, the President's manager, who is to receive the money due from Lyles's bond to President. See under same date, receipt by A. Whitting for $350.

Receipt, Jacob Cox to Samuel Fraunces

Unit ID A-238

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23472

Unit Date 1792 October 16

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.10.16 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Fraunces, Samuel, approximately 1722-1795

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Philadelphia. Fraunces, steward of George Washington's household, bought 10 pair of hose for £2.5.0 from Jacob Cox. Receipted by Isaac Streaper for Jacob Cox. Small fragment of paper, laminated, docketed, receipt No. 337. Receipted by Isaac Streaper for Jacob Cox.

Bill, Robert Coe to Samuel Fraunces

Unit ID A-238

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23473

Unit Date 1792 October 19

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.10.19 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Fraunces, Samuel, approximately 1722-1795

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. For President Washington. £4.9.10 1/2 for household items, including whisk broom, vineer'd cloathes brush, white wash brush, dusters, dairy brushes, hearth brushes, and paint brushes. Autograph document, charred, laminated, docketed, receipt No. 339. Receipted by Richard Coe.

Letter, Archibald Robertson to the Earl of Buchan

Unit ID RM-493; MS-4073

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23474

Unit Date 1792 October 20

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.10.20 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Buchan, David Stewart Erskine, Earl of, 1742-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. New York. Incloses letter from President - [Washington's] gracious reception of Buchan's present of the Wallace Box - his kind reception of Robertson himself-President sat for him-his success in this country-sends [miniature] of GW by first opportunity. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed. Name on original manuscript appears as "Arch. Robertson."

Letter, Julia Ann Blackburn Washington to Polly Blackburn

Unit ID W-1310/B.14

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23475

Unit Date 1792 October 20

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.10.20 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Rippon Lodge. Her reluctance at parting from her--Tayloe is married. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, watermark (S. Lay). Name on original manuscript appears as "Ann Washington."

Bill, James B. Cooper to Samuel Fraunces

Unit ID A-238

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23479

Unit Date 1792 October 23

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.10.23 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Fraunces, Samuel, approximately 1722-1795

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. For £8.10.6 for barrels of sweet potatoes. Made out to Samuel "Francis," the steward of George Washington's house in New York City. Autograph document, laminated, faded and torn.

Bill, John Cnoff to Samuel Fraunces

Unit ID A-238

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23480

Unit Date 1792 October 23

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.10.23 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Fraunces, Samuel, approximately 1722-1795

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Philadelphia. £2.14.0 for 54 w of venison. Torn and charred by fire, laminated, docketed Receipt No. 340, watermark . Receipted by John Cnoff.

French currency, dix livres

Unit ID W-1006

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23481

Unit Date 1792 October 24

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.10.24 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

One piece. Small printed note, watermark (RP, and FR).By law of this date currency was issued based on the land seized by the Republic. This note reads "Domaines nationaux. Assignat de dix livres, payable au porteur ..."

Letter, Andrew Smith to Mr. and Mrs. Beall and Sally Threlkeld

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2196

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23482

Unit Date 1792 November 7

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.11.07 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 5 pages. Boston. Informal ltr. about his activities since leaving his hosts in Georgetown ... Smith is a Scottish merchant soon to sail for London, India, and China and return to America hoping then to find business prosperous enough to settle here ...Autograph letter signed, integral cover.

Letter, Corbin Washington to Hannah Washington

Unit ID A-366.49

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23483

Unit Date 1792 November 25

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.11.25 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Corbin, 1764-1799

Creator Washington, Hannah Bushrod, approximately 1738-1804

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Concerned that her breast is worse -- maybe caused by bad weather -- is sending Burgundy pitch by Jerry and can get flies and blister plaster for her if Burgundy pitch doesn't work -- calomel will help Levina -- eruption on his children cured by calomel -- go to Haywood tomorrow, don't want to take carriage horse and servants -- sends shoes to Joe -- others are cut out and making. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, incomplete watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Washington."

Lottery tickets, Peregrine Fitzhugh's Property and Cash Lottery

Unit ID W-784/A; W-784/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23457

Unit Date 1792

Text 21 (box)

Container 1792.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Two tickets. Two lottery tickets for Peregrine Fitzhugh's Property and Cash Lottery. Signed by Peregrine Fitzhugh, tickets Nos. 2959, 2960 (both tickets on same scrap of paper). The text reads "This ticket entitles the bearer to such prize as may be drawn against its number; subject to no deduction."

Manuscripts Box 22

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19060

Unit Date January 1793 - April 1793

Text 22 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Gustavus Scott to unknown recipient

Unit ID 2018-SC-044-001

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14114

Unit Date 1793 January 3

Text 22 (box)

Container 1793.01.03 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Scott, Gustavus, 1753-1800

Extent 1 pages

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed. Baltimore. Gustavus Scott writes to an unidentified recipient that a Mr. Chase is interested in purchasing Lots No. 20 and 21 near a parcel of land called Belle Hatch or Lux's Land.

Keywords
Correspondence

Letter, Robert Lewis to Rawleigh Colston

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2304

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23497

Unit Date 1793 February 4

Text 22 (box)

Container 1793.02.04 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Lewis has no objection to a road through some of GW's land in Jefferson County.

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.15

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23498

Unit Date 1793 February 24

Text 22 (box)

Container 1793.02.24 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Barbados. Polly still in poor health--doctor pronounces it Catarrel and gives her bark and steel--they will sail to Charles Town in Carolina and return to Va. from there--Genl. Williams here for health--Judd's twins--staying with Mr. Applewaite and wife, Virginians--place is elegant--has had her hair cut--has a parrot and muslin frock for Kitty Blackburn--intends to bring children all something--Dickey [Richard S. Blackburn] and Sally [Sarah Blackburn Craufurd] haven't written--Major [G. A.] Washington's illness--glad she likes Richmond so well. Autograph letter signed, laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Blackburn". Date on original catalog card appears [17]93 Feb. 24.

Letter, Thomas Blackburn to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A.67

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23499

Unit Date 1793 February 26

Text 22 (box)

Container 1793.02.26 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Barbados. Received his and Nancy's [Blackburn Washington's] letters--had dispaired of hearing from friends in Va.--encloses letter to Nancy from her mother [Christian Blackburn]--have taken passage to S. Carolina--expects "our Friend Colo. [Wm.] Washington will take us by the Hand if we get to Charles Town." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, watermark (C. Taylor). Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Blackburn."

Letter, Tobias Lear to Albert Gallatin

Unit ID A-301.13

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23500

Unit Date 1793 March 11

Text 22 (box)

Container 1793.03.11 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Philadelphia. Mr. Thomas Bowen requested information through Gallatin on the person who administered on the estate of Mr. George Harrison, formerly of near Alexandria -- President sends following information [evidently inserted in original but missing from this draft]. Autograph letter signed, draft, docketed by Lear, laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Lear."

Letter, Tobias Lear to Abraham Hunt

Unit ID A-301.228

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23501

Unit Date 1793 March 13

Text 22 (box)

Container 1793.03.13 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Philadelphia. Asks Trenton, N.J. merchant Abraham Hunt questions on the President's behalf about colt owned by Mr. Baker -- he seems to suit President's purposes -- head and neck of Mr. Hamilton's horse not well shaped -- Mr. Phillips' horse too expensive. Autograph letter signed, draft, docketed, with corrections in G.W.'s hand, incomplete watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Lear."

Fish accounts, Anthony Whitting

Unit ID W-816

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23562

Unit Date 1793 March 26 - April 19

Text 22 (box)

Container 1793.03.26 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Whitting, Anthony, -1793

Scope and Contents

An account of numbers of fish (shad and herring) sold, to whom supplied and price--hauling charges--cover has rough notes on amounts of rum drawn out of Hhds. and summary of fish accounts for the year. 5 double sheets with cover of old wallpaper, sewed together, laminated, partly in hand of Anth. Whitting, mutilated, watermark. Date on original catalog card appears as 1793 Mar. 26-Ap. [19].

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Catherine Brown

Unit ID W-1310/B.16

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23502

Unit Date 1793 March 26

Text 22 (box)

Container 1793.03.26 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Savannah. Just arrived from Barbados--[Polly Blackburn] was better when they left island but cold weather and dampness have made her worse again--they have done all they can for her--

remain in Charles Town until May 1. Autograph letter signed, fragment of cover laminated to letter, marked "Favd. by Mr. Thomson," incomplete watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Blackburn." Date on original catalog card appears [1793] Mar. 26.

Letter, Bartholomew Dandridge to Frederick Green

Unit ID A-301.224

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23503

Unit Date 1793 March 30

Text 22 (box)

Container 1793.03.30 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Dandridge, Bartholomew, approximately 1774-1802

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Baltimore. To Frederick Green, printer, Annapolis. Run enclosed advertisement in the newspaper 'Maryland Gazette' for the President "until the Charges thereof amount to Two Dollars" -- Daniel Grant has the money and will send it as soon as a conveyance is to be had. Autograph letter signed, draft, docketed by B. Dandridge, incomplete watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Dandridge."

Letter, Bartholomew Dandridge to James Angell

Unit ID A-301.223

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23504

Unit Date 1793 March 30

Text 22 (box)

Container 1793.03.30 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Dandridge, Bartholomew, approximately 1774-1802

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Baltimore. To James Angell, printer, Baltimore. Encloses advertisement which President "now in this town" wants inserted in the 'Maryland Journal' newspaper for 3 weeks. Autograph letter signed, draft, docketed by Dandridge, incomplete watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Dandridge." Date on original catalog card appears [17]93 Mar. 30.

Letter, Tobias Lear to John Joseph DeBarth

Unit ID R-180; MSS-753

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23505

Unit Date 1793 April 1

Text 22 (box)

Container 1793.04.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Philadelphia. President left with him DeBarth's bond for 6000 crowns, due today, and gave him power to receive payment ... please answer by messenger ... Autograph letter signed, integral cover, Association has a draft of the same letter.

Letter, Tobias Lear to John Joseph DeBarth

Unit ID A-301.225

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23506

Unit Date 1793 April 1

Text 22 (box)

Container 1793.04.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L. initial S. 1 page. Philadelphia. President left with him De Barth's bond for 6000 crowns, due today, and gave him power to receive payment -- please answer by the messenger. Autograph letter initial signed, draft, fragment, docketed by Lear. Name on original manuscript appears as "T. L."

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.17

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23507

Unit Date 1793 April 3

Text 22 (box)

Container 1793.04.03 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Greenwood. Has been very ill from taking the wrong medicine--"my sweet little cherub" Thomas B. [Craufurd]--tell her little girls she has missed them--send half a yd. of velvet ribbon for Bracelets. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Receipt, Robert Benet to Anthony Whitting

Unit ID A-238

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23508

Unit Date 1793 April 25

Text 22 (box)

Container 1793.04.25 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Whitting, Anthony, -1793

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Receipt for £15.15.0 for 420 bushels of lime "for the President of the United States." Document signed, fragment, burned by fire, laminated, docketed by Lear(?), Receipt No. 383.

Manuscripts Box 23

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19061

Unit Date May 1793 - October 1793

Text 23 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Tobias Lear to John Joseph DeBarth

Unit ID A-301.269

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23509

Unit Date 1793 May 2

Text 23 (box)

Container 1793.05.02 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L. initial S. 1 page. Philadelphia. Declaration sent to Europe now out of De Barth's hands, so President sends duplicate, and De Barth must sign it with witnesses -- President does not question his integrity or honor because of his inability to pay the agreed upon money, for he knows unsettled conditions in France -- also De Barth readily canceled contract to buy land when he was unable to keep it. Autograph letter initial S, draft, docketed by Lear, laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "T."

Letter, Eliza B. Scott to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.19

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23510

Unit Date 1793 June 28

Text 23 (box)

Container 1793.06.28 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Rippon Lodge. Mary [Polly Blackburn] is better--Dr. Tracey advises leaving unhealthy climate, and will go to mountains--come to C. Dale instead of R[ippon] Lodge, for "your Mama, my Mama" and [Polly ?] will be there--find a music teacher for Kitty [Catherine Blackburn] in Richmond. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, postmarked "Dumfries, June [ ]." Two postscripts follow, one from M. E. [Polly] B[lackburn] and one from Sarah Scott.

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.18

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23511

Unit Date 1793 June 28

Text 23 (box)

Container 1793.06.28 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

Greenwood. Wishes to see her uncle Bushrod and Aunt Nancy [Ann]--invites them to come see how much little Tommy [Craufurd] has grown. Name on original manuscript appears as "Craufurd. Date on original catalog card appears [1793] [June 28]. [postscript to letter of same date, Sarah Blackburn Craufurd to Ann Washington].

Letter, Tobias Lear to James Keith

Unit ID A-301.270

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23512

Unit Date 1793 July 14

Text 23 (box)

Container 1793.07.14 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Philadelphia. Transmits at President's request papers dealing with Colville estate -- Requests transcripts of some accounts dealing with Colville's estate. Autograph letter signed, draft, docketed by Lear, incomplete watermark (G.W.'s). Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Lear."

Letter, Eliza B. Scott to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.20

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23513

Unit Date 1793 July 18

Text 23 (box)

Container 1793.07.18 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. The horses will await her at Fredericksburg on the 25th--Mary [Polly]much the same--she will try Mrs. Mason's preparation of tar--family well--bring side saddle with her. Autograph letter signed,

separate cover laminated to letter, laminated, incomplete watermark.

Letter, Tobias Lear to James Keith

Unit ID A-301.271

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23514

Unit Date 1793 August 6

Text 23 (box)

Container 1793.08.06 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L. 1 page. Philadelphia.Regarding Thomas Colville's estate -- received copies of accounts -- received enclosed draught on Col. Hooe -- asks Keith to transmit copy of accounts, to know balance due on Colville's estate -- President thinks Commissioners' decision on compensation to him just. Autograph letter signed, draft, initial S, docketed by Dandridge ?, G.W.'s watermark.

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.21

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23515

Unit Date 1793 August 18

Text 23 (box)

Container 1793.08.18 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Is on her way from Bath--Polly [Blackburn] is better--left Papa [Th. Blackburn] at Sulpher Springs--Polly wishes to go to Greenwood. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, watermark. Date on original catalog card appears [1793 ?] Aug. 18. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Blackburn."

Letter, Sarah Offitt Craufurd to Mary Polly Blackburn

Unit ID W-1310/B.22

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23516

Unit Date 1793 August

Text 23 (box)

Container 1793.08.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. To Polly Blackburn in the West Indies. Hopes she is well--likes Richmond--intends to live with Aunt Nancy "till I'm as big as you - and longer, if I can't be married." Autograph letter signed, fragment, integral cover, laminated. Date on original catalog card appears [1793] [c. Aug.].

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.23

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23517

Unit Date 1793 September 11

Text 23 (box)

Container 1793.09.11 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Pinner Lodge. Her leaving them has left a void in their lives. [Ann] must come up to

A.L.S. 3 pages. Rippon Lodge. Her leaving them has left a void in their lives--[Ann] must come up to District Court with Mr. [Bushrod] W.--exhorts her not to give way to immoderate grief over loss [of sister Polly Blackburn]--her children continue sick--will obtain pattern for [Ann]--Mama [Christian Blackburn] will send down Kitty's spelling book and Jenny B.'s bonnet and great coat--hopes [Ann] will be restored to perfect health--Mother's [Christian Blackburn] spirits are better but fears she'll never really be the same. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, marked to go by Stage, postmarked "Dumfries Sept. 14," watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.24

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23518

Unit Date 1793 September 19

Text 23 (box)

Container 1793.09.19 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Cautions her to continue taking her medicine--Natt and Sally Craufurd ill with fever--hear nothing from [Nathaniel] Craufurd--she herself is unwell not in body but in the mind--glad Mr. Blair has taken Kitty [As a pupil] and hopes she will apply herself. Autograph letter signed, laminated. Date on original catalog card appears [17]93 Sept. 19. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Blackburn."

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.25

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23519

Unit Date 1793 September 26

Text 23 (box)

Container 1793.09.26 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Rippon Lodge. Sally [Craufurd] afflicted still with ague and fever and hysterics--Anny very ill, and Tommy [Blackburn] has ague and fever at Annapolis and Dickey [Richard S. Blackburn] sick at Alexandria--Papa [Thomas Blackburn] will send cows down to her--glad Kitty [Blackburn] is in school--is Jenny in school? Autograph letter signed, laminated, watermarked (S. Lay). Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Blackburn."

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.26

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23520

Unit Date 1793 September 30

Text 23 (box)

Container 1793.09.30 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. She has been very sick--apologizes for not being able to get the calicoe for her--doesn't know whether she will be able to come down Christmas --leaves Sally with grandmother [Christian Blackburn]--did [Ann] carry music book and did Kitty [Blackburn] carry her brown stuff petticoat?--Mr. [Nath.] Craufurd ill--Sally Forrest lost her child. Autograph letter signed, cover laminated to letter, laminated, incomplete watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.27

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23521

Unit Date 1793 October 6

Text 23 (box)

Container 1793.10.06 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Rippon Lodge. Thanks for caps edging and calicoe--Mamma [Christian Blackburn] ill with ague and fever--they have all been sick--Mr. Craufurd has gone home--he will pay for necklace and locket--cautions her against excess of grief--they are trying without success to get [Ann] a servant. Autograph letter signed, laminated, cover laminated to letter, marked to go by "Stage," postmarked "Dumfries Oct [ ]," incomplete watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.28

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23522

Unit Date 1793 October 18

Text 23 (box)

Container 1793.10.18 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Rippon Lodge Leaves for home day after tomorrow--leaves Mamma [Christian Blackburn] with health much improved--hopes [Ann's] health and spirits are improved, must submit to their great loss [death of Polly Blackburn]--gossip of family and friends--bundle [Ann] sent hasn't come to hand yet--if she can't come Xmas, will send a packet. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, marked to go by "Stage," watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Receipt, James Butler to Howell Lewis

Unit ID R-219; MSS-901

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23523

Unit Date 1793 October 29

Text 23 (box)

Container 1793.10.29 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Butler, James (Overseer)

Scope and Contents

D.S. Read of Howell Lewis 18/Shillings on acct of my [missing word] the service of the President U. S. James Butler. Document signed, torn edge, docketed by George Washington.

Keywords

Financial records

Receipts (financial records)

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.29

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23524

Unit Date 1793 October 30

Text 23 (box)

Container 1793.10.30 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Greenwood Park. Has returned [home]--little Nat [Craufurd] still has ague, but is improved--Robert Scott is a fine young man and will be fine acquisition to [Ann's] fireside--admonishes her to raise her spirits. Autograph letter signed, laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Sarah Craufurd."

Manuscripts Box 24

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19062

Unit Date November 1793 - June 1794

Text 24 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.30

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23525

Unit Date 1793 November 5

Text 24 (box)

Container 1793.11.05 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Papa [Thomas Blackburn] has had attack of St. Antoney's fire in his face but is much better--had letter from [Sarah Craufurd] and her family all sick--hopes Mr. [Bushrod] Washington is over his indisposition. Autograph letter signed, laminated. Date on original catalog card appears [17]93 Nov. 5. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Blackburn."

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.31

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23526

Unit Date 1793 November 5

Text 24 (box)

Container 1793.11.05 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Greenwood. Letter goes as far as Alex. by Mr. [Nath.] Craufurd who goes to races--Mr. C. will go to R[ippon] at Christmas time. Autograph letter signed, laminated, part of cover laminated to letter, directed to go by "Stage," postmarked by hand "Alex 7 Nov.", incomplete watermark. Date on original catalog card appears [17]93 Nov. 5. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.32

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23527

Unit Date 1793 November 23

Text 24 (box)

Container 1793.11.23 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Rippon Lodge. Sends by Mr. Ben Orr the patterns and padlock--Brother [Richard S. Blackburn] goes to Richmond but too cold for little Jane [Blackburn] to go--Mamma [Christian Blackburn] will bring her later--dined at Mr. Graham's, pleasant company there--Mrs. Barnes has recovered her senses--Mr. Orr went without letter, so sends it by stage and sends other things by Brother. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, cover marked "Intended to have been sent by Mr. Ben Orr. S.C.", and "Stage." Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Letter, John Brownlow to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2096

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23563

Unit Date 1793 December 23

Text 24 (box)

Container 1793.12.23 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Col. Washington will please pay John Drake on demand £7.9. ... Washington's acceptance is written below the order and dated Jan. 1, 1794.

Letter, John Brown, Jr. to Sarah Craufurd

Unit ID W-1310/B.33

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23528

Unit Date ca. 1793

Text 24 (box)

Container 1793.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Apologies for long delay in writing--insists that has thought often of her and her family and connections and happy hours spent with them--consolations on death of her sister [Polly Blackburn ?]--sorry he hasn't been able to visit Greenwood--hasn't established residence yet, but prefers southern states. Autograph letter signed, laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "John." Date does not appear on original catalog card.

Receipt, William Pollard to David Stuart

Unit ID RM-277; MS-2812

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23529

Unit Date 1793

Text 24 (box)

Container 1793.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Receipt from Pollard, clerk of Hanover County, Va., for services rendered to David Stuart, administrator of John Parke Custis, deceased. Amount 104 cents.

Letter, Julia Ann Blackburn Washington to Polly Blackburn

Unit ID W-1310/B.34

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23530

Unit Date 1793

Text 24 (box)

Container 1793.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Her few lines served as a cordial at a time when she needed them--is sending a parcel by Mr. Herbert of Alexa. who goes by stage--happy to hear she goes to G. dale--has a good opinion of healthy air there--will try to come to her--very anxious over her health--sends gingerbread and almond cakes--unable to find comb and brush for her in Richmond--sends pincushions she made--asks after the family--intends to translate a novel for her. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Ann Washington."

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.35

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23531

Unit Date 1794 January 1

Text 24 (box)

Container 1794.01.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Wishes them a happy new year--thanks for Xmas gifts exchanged--asks her to send more work [sewing ?] for her to do--is glad to let her have any money she needs--neighbor, Mrs. Contee's death--her children--spent a dull Christmas, despite company--send pattern of drawn handkerchiefs. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, marked by hand "Jany 1," watermarked "J. Whatman." Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Letter, John Bassett to Fanny Bassett Washington

Unit ID A-680

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23532

Unit Date 1794 January 17

Text 24 (box)

Container 1794.01.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Frances "Fanny" Bassett Washington, 1767-1796

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Apologies for his apparent neglect of his sister -- his health is good, but he has been very busy -- several planned visits have been thwarted -- will come shortly -- "I should be happy to have my good old lady (who has been very sick) with me," but lacks another horse for carriage. Dated January 17th 1793 in heading, but docketed by Fanny B. Washington as "From Mr. J. Bassett, January 17th 1794." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed 1794 by Fanny B. Washington, mistakenly dated 1793 in heading. Name on original manuscript appears as "Bassett." Date on original catalog card appears 179[4] Jan. 17.

Invitation, John Sinclair to Tobias Lear

Unit ID RM-955; MS-5509

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23533

Unit Date 1794 January 30

Text 24 (box)

Container 1794.01.30 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Sinclair, John, Sir, 1754-1835

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Invites Mr. Lear to dinner on the following Sunday to meet Lord Sheffield, Whitehall. Docketedwith seal to Mr. Lear No. 33 Surry Street.

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.36

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23534

Unit Date 1794 February 17

Text 24 (box)

Container 1794.02.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Greenwood Park. Sends letter to George Town to be posted by Mr. [Nath.] Craufurd--disappointed she has gone back to [Richmond], wants her to spend summer with her--her husband [Nath. Craufurd] in poor health--her anxiety over him--her children--glad of [Ann's] good reports on Sally. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, marked to go by "Stage," postmarked by hand "[G]eorge Town February 19th," watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Letter, Francis Malbone to Saunders Malbone

Unit ID RM-937; MS-5481

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23535

Unit Date 1794 February 19

Text 24 (box)

Container 1794.02.19 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Rhode Island. "... I am very happy to find you are going to celebrate the President's birth in such stile ...,". Autograph letter signed, docketed, stamped, seal, watermark.

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.37

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23536

Unit Date 1794 March 3

Text 24 (box)

Container 1794.03.03 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Rippon Lodge. Sends wagon full of things for her; cabinet, flowers, berries, etc.--sends two cows also--sends butter--will go down [to Richmond?] in March with Mr. [Bushrod] Washington--

[Ann's] brother [Richard S. Blackburn] still in Philadelphia idling his time, and his family under poor management--sends gifts to Kitty [Blackburn] as an encouragement to improve her writing--sends petticoats to be altered for Kitty. Autograph letter signed, laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Blackburn." Date on original catalog card appears [17]94 March 3.

Letter, Thomas Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.38

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23537

Unit Date 1794 March 17

Text 24 (box)

Container 1794.03.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Annapolis. Unable to procure two books [Ann] had commissioned him to get--Brother Richard still in Phila., and shows no inclination to go home. Autograph letter signed, laminated.

Letter, Thomas Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.39

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23538

Unit Date 1794 March 27

Text 24 (box)

Container 1794.03.27 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Rippon Lodge. They have purchased a horse, so she needn't send one up--[Christian Blackburn] and Aunt Brown will set out for Richmond early next month--he himself intends to go down about the first of May. Autograph letter signed, laminated, incomplete watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Blackburn." Date on original catalog card appears [17]94 March 27.

Letter, Bartholomew Dandridge to James Greenleaf

Unit ID H-1248; A-208

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23539

Unit Date 1794 May 21

Text 24 (box)

Container 1794.05.21 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Dandridge, Bartholomew, approximately 1774-1802

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Philadelphia. Written at the President's direction thanking him for information about box shipped by Mr. Lear and letter forwarded from Lear -- asks Greenleaf to direct his friend in New York to send the box to Philadelphia, taking care to convey it safely as it contains glass -- President wishes him to call when he comes to Philadelphia to receive a sum of money on Mr. Lear's account. Autograph letter signed, draft, docketed by Dandridge and in a later hand "Written on Genl Washington's watermarked paper," watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Dandridge."

Letter, Bartholomew Dandridge to James Greenleaf

Unit ID A-366.52

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23540

Unit Date 1794 June 5

Text 24 (box)

Container 1794.06.05 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Dandridge, Bartholomew, approximately 1774-1802

Scope and Contents

A.L. 1 page. President is busy reading a number of bills this afternoon -- will Mr. Greenleaf call at 8:00 tomorrow for breakfast instead of visiting this evening? Written in 3rd person, integral cover, docket, G.W.'s watermark (incomplete). Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Dandridge." Date from docketing; on original catalog card appears as [1794][June 5] Thursday 1/2 past 2 o'clock.

Letter, Andrew Elliott to Thomas Mifflin

Unit ID RM-1219

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/3100

Unit Date 1794 June 5

Text 24 (box)

Container 1794.06.05 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

After returning from a surveying expedition in Reading Pennsylvania, Andrew Elliott wrote this scathing letter to Thomas Mifflin about Washington's policies relating to Native Americans.

Letter, Bartholomew Dandridge to John Rutherford

Unit ID A-301

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23541

Unit Date 1794 June 18

Text 24 (box)

Container 1794.06.18 (folder)

Creator Dandridge, Bartholomew, approximately 1774-1802

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Philadelphia. Sends Rutherford the desired information on Mr. Mien -- enclosed were copies of 2 letters from a member of Congress from Maryland, which Rutherford can trust -- the President has little time to spend on such requests. Autograph letter signed, Contemporary copy(?), docketed, incomplete watermark (G.W.'s). Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Dandridge."

Manuscripts Box 25

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19063

Unit Date July 1794 - December 1794

Text 25 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.40

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23542

Unit Date 1794 July 1

Text 25 (box)

Container 1794.07.01 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Greenwood. Distressed over [Ann's] health--advises her to go to Norfolk as doctor advises--will see her at R[ippon] Lodge in Aug. and go with her to Sulphur Springs or Uncle [Elzey ?]--mustn't stay in "that sickly hole Richmond"--promise not to tell Mamma [Christian Blackburn] of her illness--will bring her two little boys down to cheer up [Ann's] health. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, marked to go by "Stage," postmarked by hand "4 July '94," watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.41

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23543

Unit Date 1794 July 10

Text 25 (box)

Container 1794.07.11 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Greenwood. Concern over [Ann's] health--denies she and her husband enjoy scandal, but rest of Prince George [County, Md.] does--comments on uncertain conveyance of mail by stage--desires her to bring her hat to her [at Rippon Lodge] when she comes--talks of her neighbors who enquire after [Ann]--her husband [Nath. Craufurd] very ill with ague and fever--will meet her at R[ippon] Lodge. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, marked to go by "Stage," postmarked by hand "July 11," watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Letter, John Sinclair to William Peacey

Unit ID A-384

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23544

Unit Date 1794 July 31

Text 25 (box)

Container 1794.07.31 (folder)

Creator Sinclair, John, Sir, 1754-1835

Scope and Contents

A.L. 1 page. Board of Agriculture, Whitehall. If Sir John Sinclair sends a set of the Reports, transmitted to the Board of Agriculture giving accounts of husbandry in counties of the Kingdom, will Mr. Peacey revise them, thus contributing to improvement of agriculture? Autograph letter, in 3rd person.

Bond, Henry Lee to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-789; MS-5187

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23545

Unit Date 1794 July

Text 25 (box)

Container 1794.07.00 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Henry Lee of Richmond is "held and firmly bound unto Bushrod Washington his Executors," etc. for sixteen hundred pounds.

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.42

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23546

Unit Date 1794 August 6

Text 25 (box)

Container 1794.08.06 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Greenwood. Longs to see her--sends Frank down for her and the little girls--lose no time in coming. Autograph letter signed, laminated, incomplete watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. C."

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.43

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23547

Unit Date 1794 August 11

Text 25 (box)

Container 1794.08.11 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Greenwood. Distress over Frank's return without her, and especially over her indisposition--hopes she will be able to come back with Mr. Craufurd on Sunday--sends letter which Frank went off and forgot--Nat [Nathaniel Craufurd, Jr.] very ill--he desires Aunt Nancy [Ann] will bring him plumbs and cake--much obliged for the books. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, marked to go by "Stage," postmarked by hand "Aug. 11," and instructions in S. Craufurd's hand, "Mr. Brundige will be so kind as to send these letters for Mrs. Blackburn and Mrs. Washington as soon as possible." Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Letter, John Bassett to Fanny Bassett Washington

Unit ID A-680

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23548

Unit Date 1794 August 13

Text 25 (box)

Container 1794.08.13 (folder)

Creator Lear, Frances "Fanny" Bassett Washington, 1767-1796

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. The Exchange, Fauquier County. He, wife and sick children are at the Exchange for healthy air -- hasn't written or heard from her since recent trip to Mt. Vernon -- will try to visit again shortly -- encloses letter from Mrs. Bassett. [See letter of Aug. 15, 1794, B.C. Bassett to Frances Washington]. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, and redirected cover, docketed by F. Washington, mutilated, laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "J. Bassett."

Letter, George Deneale to Fanny Bassett Washington

Unit ID A-680

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23549

Unit Date 1794 August 13

Text 25 (box)

Container 1794.08.13 (folder)

Creator Lear, Frances "Fanny" Bassett Washington, 1767-1796

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Alexandria. Mrs. Trutton (?) is moving from Mrs. Washington's house, hasn't paid rent due -- she has rented, or sublet, the rest of her time there to Mr. Dobbin, who agrees to stay there for some time if she will agree to paint and stop the roof leaks. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by Fanny Washington, laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "G. Deneale."

Letter, Betty Carter Bassett to Fanny Bassett Washington

Unit ID A-680

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23550

Unit Date 1794 August 15

Text 25 (box)

Container 1794.08.15 (folder)

Creator Lear, Frances "Fanny" Bassett Washington, 1767-1796

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Fauquier. Tells of illness of husband John and children -- dangers as they traveled along road to Fauquier, pursued by mad hog -- mentions 4 children. Autograph letter signed, laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "B. C. B." [Enclosed with letter of Aug. 13, 1794, John Bassett to Frances Washington].

Letter, Burwell Bassett, Jr. to Fanny Bassett Washington

Unit ID A-680

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23551

Unit Date 1794 August 17

Text 25 (box)

Container 1794.08.17 (folder)

Creator Bassett, Burwell, 1764-1841

Creator Lear, Frances "Fanny" Bassett Washington, 1767-1796

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Eltham. Bettsy [wife?] has been very ill all summer, but has lately been revived by the copious use of wine and bark -- advises Fanny not to go to town in middle of summer, because of ague and fever -- brother John and family went up country to Mr. Robert Lewis's for their health -- Mrs. Lyons ill. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by Frances Washington, mutilated, laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Burwell Bassett."

Letter, Charles Lee to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2079

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23552

Unit Date 1794 August 24

Text 25 (box)

Container 1794.08.24 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Alexandria. Re: the estate of Col. Richard Henry Lee ... comments on general distribution of the estate ... suggests that either he (WAW) or Corbin W-n undertake the guadianship of Cassius and Francis Lee ... both to be sent to Georgetown Academy for the time being. Autograph letter signed, integral cover addressed to W.A.W. Haywood. Name on original manuscript appears as "William A. Washington."

Letter, Bartholomew Dandridge to George Smith

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23553

Unit Date 1794 August 30

Text 25 (box)

Container 1794.08.30 (folder)

Creator Dandridge, Bartholomew, approximately 1774-1802

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Philadelphia. To Reverend George Smith, Minister at Galston, Scotland. Encloses letters answering Smith's queries to the President relating to affairs of Wm. Hunter, Jr. deceased. Autograph letter signed, Draft, docketed by Dandridge, laminated, watermark (J.G.C.). Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Dandridge."

Letter, John Bassett to Fanny Bassett Washington

Unit ID A-680

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23554

Unit Date 1794 September 8

Text 25 (box)

Container 1794.09.08 (folder)

Creator Lear, Frances "Fanny" Bassett Washington, 1767-1796

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Ill health and business prevented his going to visit her or even writing -- he is even unable to return to Mr. Robert Lewis's [The Exchange, Fauquier County] for Mrs. Bassett -- expresses affection for Fanny and her children, telling her they have an "excellent pattern" in her, while she has "the best of guides, an amiable and benevolent heart." Autograph letter signed, separate cover, laminated, watermark (crown over GR).

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.44

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23555

Unit Date 1794 October 21

Text 25 (box)

Container 1794.10.21 (folder)

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. This letter will introduce an old acquaintance--hopes she is riding out on horseback by now--hopes Kitty [Blackburn] has no return [of her illness]. Autograph letter signed, laminated watermark incomplete (part of quartered shield). Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Blackburn."

Receipts, goods and services provided to Philadelphia militia during the Whiskey Rebellion

Unit ID 2018-SC-089-005-016

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17751

Unit Date 1794 October 22-October 29

Text 25 (box)

Container 1794.10.22 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 12 Leaves

Scope and Contents

Receipt, to Joseph Litty [?], 1794 October 22. John D. Blanchard to Enoch Skinner, 1794 October 23. Receipt, The escort troop of horse for the prisoners to Philadelphia to John Dickey, 1794 October 23. Receipt, John D. Blanchard to Samuel Thompson, 1794 October 24. Receipt, Marshall David Lenox to George Smith, 1794 October 24. Receipt, Captain Blanchard and Company to Andrew Steel, 1794 October 27. Receipt, to Andrew Steel, 1794 October 27. Receipt, John D. Blanchard to John Morrison, 1794 October 27. Receipt, Samuel Wheeler and David C. Claypoole to Philip Sossler and Mary Sossler, 1794 October 27. Receipt, received of Arthur Price, 1794 October 28. Receipt, Captain Blanchard to J. Hake [?], 1794 October 28. Receipt, Jonathan Miller, 1794 October 29

Keywords

Whiskey Rebellion, Pa., 1794

Financial records

Note, G. Hieskell to Betty Lewis

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4640

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23556

Unit Date 1794 October 28

Text 25 (box)

Container 1794.10.28 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Betty Washington, 1733-1797

Scope and Contents

N.S. 1 page. "The Hide sent I allow you Six shillings for. but as I do not know what sort of Leather will best suit you. I wish you to call yourself & make choise. or send a person for you."

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Christian Scott Blackburn

Unit ID W-1310/B.45

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23557

Unit Date 1794 November 27

Text 25 (box)

Container 1794.11.27 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Greenwood. She couldn't write from Geo. Town because Sally Forrest's child was ill whole time she was there-don't bother sending old Anabella, for she has decided to have Mrs. Brown [as midwife]--her 3 servant girls will all lay in soon so she will be almost without servants--looks forword to seeing her at end of next month--her children send love--Mr. Tracy is here and [offers her his piano forte ?]. Autograph letter signed, laminated, incomplete watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.47

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23558

Unit Date 1794 December 5

Text 25 (box)

Container 1794.12.05 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Glad to hear of her returning health--will come soon to visit her at her new abode--will try to execute her commissions--tell [daughter Sally] she shall have a new frock with sash and pocketbook--Mr. Walker brought them all gifts from Phila.--old Mrs. Craufurd dead--"Our uncle" in Geo. Town has very elegant furnishings--will accompany her there for visit in Spring--send some books for Mr. [Nathaniel] Craufurd to read while she is lying in--direct [letters] by stage near Bladensburg as most certain way. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, directed by "Stage," postmarked by hand "Dec. 8," watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Christian Scott Blackburn

Unit ID W-1310/B.46

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23559

Unit Date 1794 December 5

Text 25 (box)

Container 1794.12.05 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Greenwood. They are well--mortified Papa [Th. Blackburn] didn't come to see them on

his trip to George Town--hasn't received letter he wrote--will look for her at end of month--news of neighbors--Mrs. Craufurd died. Autograph letter signed, separate piece of cover, laminated, marked to go by "Stage," postmarked by hand "Dec. 8," watermark. Date on original catalog card appears [17]94 Dec. 5.

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.48

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23560

Unit Date 1794 December 14

Text 25 (box)

Container 1794.12.14 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Greenwood. Mrs. H - Y's rude conduct--Mr. [Nath.] Craufurd thanks her for watch piece--will send her prices of damask, etc.--Charles Lee a ladies' man--Mr. and Mrs. Thornton--thanks for little cap [for baby]-- fears she and child won't live, but is reconciled to her fate--begs for book to read during her lying in, for "its such a lonesome time." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, marked to go by "Stage," postmarked by hand "Dec. 15," watermark incomplete (H[?]). Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Parliamentary act, Trade with the United States

Unit ID RM-1161; MS-5889

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23561

Unit Date 1794

Text 25 (box)

Container 1794.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Parliamentary act. Printed document, 1 page. "An act to continue the Laws now in Force for regulating the Trade between the Subjects of His Majesty's Dominions and the Inhabitants of the Territories belonging to the United States of America, so far as the same relate to the Trade and Commerce carried on between this Kingdom and the Inhabitants of the Countries Belonging to the said United States." George III, Regis.

Manuscripts Box 26

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19064

Unit Date January 1795 - September 1795

Text 26 (box)

Language English.

Broadside, Thanksgiving Proclamation

Unit ID RM-985; MS-5602

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23641

Unit Date 1795 January 1

Text 26 (box)

Container 1795.01.01 (folder)

Creator Washington, George, 1732-1799

Extent 1 pages1 sheet21 x 33 cm

Scope and Contents

Philadelphia, Printed broadside document full sheet George Washington in a proclamation set aside February 19, 1795, a day of Thanksgiving. Addressed on the verso to the Rev. Mr. Newell.

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.49

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23565

Unit Date 1795 January 12

Text 26 (box)

Container 1795.01.12 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Greenwood. Wishes them all a happy new year--hopes to see her little girl [Sally] in April if she lives--mother [Christian Blackburn] is with her, consoles her in her present gloomy situation--her two little boys, Nathaniel and Tom--thanks her and Kitty [Blackburn] for the sash--will inform her of any changes in her situation. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, watermark torn. Date on original catalog card appears [17]95 Jan. 12.

Letter, Anna Maria Thomasina Blackburn Washington to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.50

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23566

Unit Date 1795 February 9

Text 26 (box)

Container 1795.02.09 (folder)

Creator Washington, Anna Maria Thomasina Blackburn, 1790-1833

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Norfolk. She is now at home, wishes to see her Aunt Nancy [Ann] and Uncle Bushrod [Washington]. Autograph letter signed, fragment, laminated, watermark.

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.51

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23567

Unit Date 1795 February 22

Text 26 (box)

Container 1795.02.22 (folder)

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Back home after staying with Sally [Brown ?]--stayed in George Town 10 days due to little Christian's illness--glad Kitty [Blackburn] reads to Mr. Wyth's wife--wishes the old gentleman [Wyth] would teach her some geography. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, marked to go by "Stage," postmarked "Dumfries [ ]," watermarked. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Blackburn." Date on original catalog card appears [17]95 Feb. 22.

Letter, Judith Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.52

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23568

Unit Date 1795 March 22

Text 26 (box)

Container 1795.03.22 (folder)

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Dumfries. Came here but found her sister had left for water side--will follow her, distressed over her condition---all at Rippon Lodge are well. Autograph letter signed, cover laminated to letter, laminated, postmarked ([ ] March 22), directed by "Stage," watermark.

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.53

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23569

Unit Date 1795 April 14

Text 26 (box)

Container 1795.04.14 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Greenwood. Feeling very low--tobacco lost when tobacco house was blown down, mare lost her foal, and their "great relation" demands payment of principal of a sum--expects ruin--the harder her husband works, the more fortune seems against him--Sally [Offitt Craufurd] sends love and will write a letter to her. Autograph letter signed, (incomplete), laminated. Name does not appear on original manuscript.

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.54

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23570

Unit Date 1795 June 16

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Rippon Lodge. Insists since her debility is coming on, she should go to the Springs or another healthy climate, even if she will be away from Mr. [Bushrod] Washington for a while--will go with her if it suits--Tommy [Blackburn] very ill, must leave and go elsewhere--Kitty [Blackburn] got home safely--should she put apricots in box and send them by stage? Autograph letter signed, laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Blackburn." Date on original catalog card appears [17]95 June 16.

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.55

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23571

Unit Date 1795 June 26

Text 26 (box)

Container 1795.06.26 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Greenwood. Fears [Ann] has had another bilious attack--neighborhood has been very social--old Tracey has left people in vicinity in the lurch, and they are not longer fond of him--Mary [the baby] has been very ill--she looks much like their departed [sister] Polly--other children well. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, directed by "Stage," postmarked by hand "Geo Town June 29," watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Revenue inspector's form

Unit ID RM-937; MS-5480

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23572

Unit Date 1795 July 8

Text 26 (box)

Container 1795.07.08 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Printed document signed, 1 page. Revenue inspectors form (July 8, 1795) Providence, R.I., No. 1133, Ship George Washington. "I certify, that Brown and Francis have imported according to the Law, in the Ship George Washington from Canton, One Chest of Tea, marked as per Margin." Signed William Barton, Inspector of the Revenue.

Letter, Judith Lyons to Fanny Bassett Washington

Unit ID A-680

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23573

Unit Date 1795 July 12

Text 26 (box)

Container 1795.07.12 (folder)

Creator Lear, Frances "Fanny" Bassett Washington, 1767-1796

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Studley, Hanover County, VA. Mentions Fanny's approaching marriage to [Tobias] Lear -- invites them to come to Studley to visit -- [Mrs. Lyons was Fanny's aunt. She was married to Judge Peter Lyons, and the sister of Col. Burwell Bassett]. Autograph letter signed, docketed by F. Washington, laminated, incomplete watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "J. Lyons." Date on original catalog card appears [1795] July 12.

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.56

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23574

Unit Date 1795 July 25

Text 26 (box)

Container 1795.07.25 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Greenwood Park. Much obliged for her present--thank Mamma [Christian Blackburn] for tamarinds--glad [Mamma] is going to Bath for health--little Mary [Craufurd] very ill and emaciated--will dry peaches for her--afraid Mamma didn't like her cherries for she gave them away. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, incomplete watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.57

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23575

Unit Date 1795 August 7

Text 26 (box)

Container 1795.08.07 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Greenwood. [Ann's] letter relieved her of anxieties over parent [Christian Blackburn]--[Mary] much improved; thinks she will live--glad to hear her Brother [Richard] and Sister Judith are coming to visit. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, postmarked by hand "Aug. 7," directed by "Stage," watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd." Date on original catalog card appears 1795 Aug. [7]?

Note, James Monroe concerning the estate of Arthur Lee

Unit ID RM-558; MS-4234

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23576

Unit Date 1795 August 7

Text 26 (box)

Container 1795.08.07 (folder)

Creator Monroe, James, 1758-1831

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Creator Washington, Corbin, 1764-1799

Scope and Contents

A.N.S. 1 page. Richmond City. Requesting payment of debt to James Beckwith in the settlement of Arthur Lee's estate. With executor's note of acceptance, signed by Wm. Aug. Washington and Corbin Washington, Aug. 24, 1795.

Letter, Robert Lewis to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3498

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23577

Unit Date 1795 August 12

Text 26 (box)

Container 1795.08.12 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Informs his brother that he is intending to visit Mt. Vernon and requests that he collect John Ariss' rent. Mentions his mothers health, she is now in Culpepper. Will take Judy and Harriott Washington with him to MV. Judy sends a present of two night caps. Integral cover (mutilated).

Receipt, Bartholomew Dandridge to Robert Lewis

Unit ID A-301.226

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23578

Unit Date 1795 September 1

Text 26 (box)

Container 1795.09.01 (folder)

Creator Dandridge, Bartholomew, approximately 1774-1802

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Received £475.10.1 for President, specifying how much was received in bank notes, French crowns, silver coin, and gold coin. [This is for rents collected by Lewis for Washington; see letter of same date, Robert Lewis to George Washington.] Autograph document signed, docketed by R. Lewis.

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.58

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23579

Unit Date 1795 September 28

Text 26 (box)

Container 1795.09.28 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Greenwood Park. Can't be at Rippon Lodge until Oct. 10th--expects [Ann] to spend next summer with them [at Greenwood]. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, directed by Stage, postmarked by hand "Sept. 30," watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19065

Unit Date October 1795 - February 1796

Text 27 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Richard Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.59

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23580

Unit Date 1795 October 6

Text 27 (box)

Container 1795.10.06 (folder)

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Alexandria. Unable to come to Rippon Lodge right away--will wait and come down with Sally [Sarah Craufurd]--sends Judy the things she wants; fears her health will be no better til after delivery. Autograph letter signed, laminated, incomplete watermark (obscured). Name on original manuscript appears as "R. S. Blackburn."

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.60

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23581

Unit Date 1795 October 20

Text 27 (box)

Container 1795.10.20 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Rippon Lodge. Arrived here after horrid ride by Stage--everyone here well--Brother [Richard Scott Blackburn] expected tomorrow--his youngest christened Judith Ball--will send patterns and padlock by first opportunity--papa [Thos. Blackburn] never received books [Ann] sent him. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, directed by Stage. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. C."

Letter, Thomas Blackburn to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.61

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23582

Unit Date 1795 October 21

Text 27 (box)

Container 1795.10.21 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Rippon Lodge. News of death of Judy Blackburn [wife of Richard S.]--she was delivered ten days ago of twins--one is dead--break news to Nancy [Ann Washington] and Sally [Sarah Craufurd] as gently as possible--he has disguised [his hand writing] on direction as well as he could. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, directed by Stage, postmarked by hand "Dumf. 22th Oct." Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Blackburn."

Letter, Tobias Lear to William Pearce

Unit ID RM-490; MS-4021

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23583

Unit Date 1795 October 24

Text 27 (box)

Container 1795.10.24 (folder)

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Pearce, William (Farm manager)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Washington. -Mr. Philips, a gentleman from England, wants to see the seat at Mt. Vernon--Pearce should show him attentions and activities. Autograph letter signed, docketed, integral.

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.62

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23584

Unit Date 1795 October 25

Text 27 (box)

Container 1795.10.25 (folder)

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Rippon Lodge. Announces Juda's [Judith Blackburn] death--one of her infants died before her--her dying request that Nancy [Ann] take Jenny--children well--[Thomas Blackburn] still lame. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Blackburn." Date on original catalog card appears [1795] Oct. 25.

Account book, Betty Lewis

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4641

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23677

Unit Date 1795 November 2 - 1797 March 18

Text 27 (box)

Container 1795.11.02 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Betty Washington, 1733-1797

Scope and Contents

Account book, A.D.S. 9 pages. "Account of Toll Grain Received at Mill Brook mill ..." An account of wheat, corn, rye, and buckwheat received. On cover: "Betty Lewis Mill Brook 2d Apriel 1796." Autograph document signed, bound.

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.63

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23585

Unit Date 1795 November 17

Text 27 (box)

Container 1795.11.17 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Oaks. Will leave tomorrow morning--entreats her to keep up her spirits and follow Dr. Horner's advice. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, directed by Joseph, watermark incomplete. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Letter, Thomas Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.64

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23586

Unit Date 1795 November 20

Text 27 (box)

Container 1795.11.20 (folder)

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Rippon Lodge. Mr. and Mrs. [Nath.] Craufurd arrived and gave news of them--have Dr. McClurg's advice for Tommy's [T. Blackburn, Jr.] illness and charge it to him--try to keep Tommy in good company--his leg grows worse, will keep him from visiting them this fall or winter--books she sent him by Smocks stage didn't arrive--compliments to "the elder Mrs. Washn." Autograph letter signed, laminated.Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Blackburn."

Letter, Thomas Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.65

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23587

Unit Date 1795 November 26

Text 27 (box)

Container 1795.11.26 (folder)

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Rippon Lodge. Glad her health improves--enquired about books she sent him by stage but can learn nothing--her brother will give her news of their present situation. Autograph letter signed, laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Blackburn."

Letter, Bartholomew Dandridge to Thomas Russell

Unit ID A-301.277

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23588

Unit Date 1795 December 23

Text 27 (box)

Container 1795.12.23 (folder)

Creator Dandridge, Bartholomew, approximately 1774-1802

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Philadelphia. Dandridge encloses is $55. to pay duty on a pipe of wine for the President -- asks to be informed when this letter arrives safely. Autograph letter signed, Draft, docketed by Dandridge, laminated, in a later hand "from GW's secy paying for wine," watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Dandridge."

Will, George Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4533

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23589

Unit Date 1795

Text 27 (box)

Container 1795.00.00 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

Manuscript copy. D. 3 pages. Washington leaves his wife, Frances (Fanny Bassett), 1/4 of his plantation and stock. To son George Fayette, part of a tract in Berkeley County; 1000 acres of land "situated in the district set apart for the officers and soldiers of the Virginia line on the Ohio River;" and his gold watch. To son Charles Augustine, the remaining land in Berkeley Co. and 1000 acres of the above land on Ohio River. To daughter [Anna] Maria, 666 2/3 acres of the Ohio River land, a lot in Alexandria, 4 lots in Fredericksburg, and 2 male slaves (Gabriel and Frederick). All 3 children receive 1/4 of GAW's plantation, stock, etc. Other bequests 10 pounds annually to be paid "to my Negro Charles" and frees Charles at Frances' death or remarriage. To "my young friend George W.P. Custis my silver hilted Sword." To George Washington: "I return the golden headed cane which I received from him. I request him to accept of my grey riding Horse and new saddle and bridle as the last testimonial of my most grateful and affectionate regard for him." Date on original catalog card appears [1795]. Witnesses: J. Dandridge, Burwell Bassett, C.P. Lyons, M.W. Dandridge.

Keywords

Legal documents

Lists (document genres)

Slavery

Letter, Eleanor Parke Custis to Mrs. Wolcott

Unit ID RM-173; MS-2527

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23590

Unit Date 1795

Text 27 (box)

Container 1795.00.00 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Eleanor Custis regrets that she was not at home when Mrs. Wolcott came. She relates that her grandmother [Martha Washington] gave her the present and the lock of hair. She expresses her thanks for them and extends her wishes for the happiness of the Wolcotts. Date on catalog card is c. 1795.

Letter, Thomas Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.66

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23591

Unit Date 1796 January 11

Text 27 (box)

Container 1796.01.11 (folder)

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Rippon Lodge. Glad she and Mr. [Bushrod] W[ashington's] health is good--he himself is better but feels his constitution declining--thanks for their attention to Tommy [Blackburn, Jr.]; hopes their watchful eye has put end to his disapation--never received Mr. [Bushrod] W[ashington's] letter--sorry venison was bad--Fowler Wood has left, and they don't get even a duck--will send for Kitty [in Md.] when weather permits. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, directed by Stage, postmarked "Dumfries Jan. 12." Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Blackburn."

Letter, Thomas Blackburn to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.67

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23592

Unit Date 1796 January 28

Text 27 (box)

Container 1796.01.28 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Rippon Lodge. Inquires what money is necessary for Tommy [Blackburn, Jr.'s] expenses--Tommy wrote Nancy [Ann Washington] had loaned him money--encloses 2 notes on Alexa. bank--inform him if he receives money--Kitty [Blackburn] just returned from Maryland. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, marked "postpaid" in Blackburn's hand, postmarked "[ ] Jan. [ ]," watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Blackburn."

Letter, John Armstrong, Jr. to Horatio Gates

Unit ID RM-925; MS-5464

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23593

Unit Date 1796 February 4

Text 27 (box)

Container 1796.02.04 (folder)

Creator Armstrong, John, 1758-1843

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages with integral address panel. Saw Hill. Apologizes for not answering his letter sooner and gives explanation. Discusses sale of land versus keeping it. Discusses his opinion on the Vindication of Edmund Randolph, George Washington, and his administration.

Keywords

Gates, Horatio, 1728-1806

Gates, Horatio, 1728-1806

Letter, Bartholomew Dandridge to William Summers

Unit ID A-301

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23594

Unit Date 1796 February 29

Text 27 (box)

Container 1796.02.29 (folder)

Creator Dandridge, Bartholomew, approximately 1774-1802

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Philadelphia. Dandridge writes that Washington will not lease forever his lot in Alexandria, and will sell only for high cash price -- suggests Summers should make his best offer for it, and President will consider it. Autograph letter signed, Draft, docketed by Dandridge, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "B. D."

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19066

Unit Date March 1796 - November 1796

Text 28 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Bartholomew Dandridge to Augustine Smith

Unit ID A-301

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23597

Unit Date 1796 March 11

Text 28 (box)

Container 1796.03.11 (folder)

Creator Dandridge, Bartholomew, approximately 1774-1802

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. President will not dispose of advertised lands until September -- but he will receive offers now altogether or separately. Autograph document signed, draft, docketed by Dandridge, fragment of G.W.'s watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Dandridge."

Letter, Bartholomew Dandridge to James McHenry

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2299

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23598

Unit Date 1796 March 15

Text 28 (box)

Container 1796.03.15 (folder)

Creator Dandridge, Bartholomew, approximately 1774-1802

Creator McHenry, James, 1753-1816

Scope and Contents

L. 1 page. President Washington has instructed Dandridge (his secretary) to inform the Secretary of War that he agrees with the ideas of the enclosed papers. [There is no knowledge what was in those papers]. Also recommendation for troop movement. Letter, unsigned, on GW watermark paper. Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Dandridge."

Letter, Charles Cornwallis to Thomas Law

Unit ID RM-1150 ; MS-5840

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23599

Unit Date 1796 March 28

Text 28 (box)

Container 1796.03.28 (folder)

Creator Cornwallis, Charles Cornwallis, Marquis, 1738-1805

Creator Law, Thomas, 1756-1834

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Whitehall. Says Americans "cruelly persecuted many worthy and respectable men" during the war, but "that is now past." Offers best wishes for his happiness in America, and that "it may long enjoy the benefits of the Presidency of Washington, whose great character and virtues alone could have preserved order in an infant state, composed of such heterogenous and ungovernable radicals." Discusses war with France and other international affairs.

Diary, Robert Lewis

Unit ID A-625

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23600

Unit Date 1796 March 28-July 18

Text 28 (box)

Container 1796.03.28 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

Diary. A.D. 53 pages, including backs of covers. No longer bound together. Mostly a day by day of happenings on his plantations--crops, sales of fish, plowing, burning brush, clearing ground, etc.--trip to Mt. Vernon with [Rental] money for G.W., and expenses along way--at Mount Vernon "flattered [Wm.] Pearce [manager] extremely with his good management."--visits of relatives and friends--prices paid for various goods--fishing--payment of accounts for the president--elections at court house--"Visited Mrs. Haney who lays ill, and wrote her Will agreeable to her request..." [distant kinswoman of G.W.'s - see letter dated June 26, 1796, Writings, XXXV, 99]--death and burial of Mrs. Haney--news of the Jay treaty--collecting [rents] and paying debts for G.W.--birth of a daughter June 18 and death a month later--detailed bargain with Mr. Fisher "to new Iron" a wagon--July 6, "Gave the negroes a holliday." Autograph document, bound volume, first pages of book torn out. Date on original catalog card appears [1796][Mar.]28-July 18.

Letter, Hannah Washington to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-920; MS-5453

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23601

Unit Date 1796 May 2

Text 28 (box)

Container 1796.05.02 (folder)

Creator Washington, Hannah Bushrod, approximately 1738-1804

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Hannah writes to her son about his sister's poor health, plans to see him in Dumfries, also writes about other family members - his brother, wife and their youngest child. Autograph letter signed, docketed.

Letter, Edward Law to Thomas Law

Unit ID RM-619; MS-4525

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23602

Unit Date 1796 June 20

Text 28 (box)

Container 1796.06.20 (folder)

Creator Law, Thomas, 1756-1834

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Bloomsbury Square. Congratulations to his brother on his recent marriage to Eliza Parke Custis. Autograph letter signed, integral cover.

Letter, John Marshall to General Henry Lee

Unit ID 2018-SC-073-002

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/15884

Unit Date 1796 July 18

Text 28 (box)

Container 1796.07.18 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Marshall, John, 1755-1835

Creator Lee, Henry, 1756-1818

Extent 3 pages

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed with address panel. Richmond. Marshall writes to Lee about the sale of property and slaves and the suicide of lawyer Alexander Campbell, who was due to appear in Philadelphia for the Hunter v. Fairfax case. Marshall suggests going to Mount Vernon on Tuesday, where President George Washington was at home visiting.

Keywords

Correspondence

Slavery

Letter, Robert Bolling to Sarah Washington

Unit ID A-676

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23603

Unit Date 1796 July 30

Text 28 (box)

Container 1796.07.30 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Petersburg, West Hill. Bolling discusses their approaching marriage in courtly terms ("When I reflect that I am favored by you with a partiality ....") -- Jack Stith, who is delivering the letter to Sarah, was refused in his amour with Miss Tabb -- Bolling sends Sarah a "Pocket Book" as a gift and "small proof of my unceasing attention to you" and mentions several of "Sisters Stith". The couple was married in August 1796 -- Sarah was a daughter of Laurence Washington of Digby on Chotank Creek, distantly related to George Washington -- this Laurence is mentioned in Washington's will as a friend and acquaintance "of my Juvenile years." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, marked "favoured by Mr. Stith."

Pencil sketch of George Washington, Benjamin Henry Latrobe

Unit ID W-2413

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23642

Unit Date 1796 July

Text 28 (box)

Container 1796.07.00 (folder)

Creator Latrobe, Benjamin Henry, 1764-1820

Scope and Contents

Pencil sketch of George Washington by Benjamin Henry Latrobe cut from a sketchbook. Note with sketch reads "Sketch of Genl. Washington stolen at Mount Vernon while he was looking to discover a distant vessel in the Potomac in which he expected some of his friends from Alexandria. taken from a sketch book of my father's, date 1796." Letter of provenance accompanying sketch says the inscription was written by Julia Latrobe who gave it to her grand-nephew Latrobe Weston. (Letter A-1104).

Keywords

Drawings (visual works)

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Letter, Corbin Washington to Robert Wormeley

Unit ID RM-378; MS-2460

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23604

Unit Date 1796 August 1

Text 28 (box)

Container 1796.08.01 (folder)

Creator Washington, Corbin, 1764-1799

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Haywood. Requests final statements on his executorship accounts for the estates of Dr. Lee and Colo. R[ichard] H[enry] Lee. Autograph letter signed, integral cover.

Account, William Augustine Washington with Henderson, Ferguson, and Gibson

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2076

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23605

Unit Date 1796 August 1-October 10

Text 28 (box)

Container 1796.08.01 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

A balance sheet showing debits and credits of W.A.W. ... Nicholas Muse, James Park, Richard Henry Lee's estate, Henry W-n are names appearing on debit side ... Muse, Sanford, appear on credit side ...See also 1796-1797 W.A.W. in account with same firm.

Check, William Pearce to John Thomas

Unit ID W-787

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23606

Unit Date 1796 November 8

Text 28 (box)

Container 1796.11.08 (folder)

Creator Pearce, William (Farm manager)

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. An entirely manuscript check drawn on the Bank of Alexandria, to John Thomas (Tommas) or bearer for $200. Signed by "William Pearce for George Washington, Esqr." Document signed, fragment, canceled.

Letter, Thomas Patten to William Pearce

Unit ID RM-490; MS-4052

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23607

Unit Date 1796 November 11

Text 28 (box)

Container 1796.11.11 (folder)

Creator Pearce, William (Farm manager)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Alexandria. -introduction of Mr. Potts, a gentleman lately from England-wants to visit the Seat of the President--the residence of the man whose fame all Europe acknowledge-any civilities shown him and Mr. Milburn (his companion) will pleasing and acknowledged. Autograph letter signed, docketed, integral.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19067

Unit Date December 1796 - April 1797

Text 29 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Corbin Washington to Hannah Washington

Unit ID 2020-SC-002

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/21008

Unit Date 1796 December 13

Text 29 (box)

Container 1796.12.13 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Corbin, 1764-1799

Extent 3 pages

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed with integral address panel. Alexandria, to Hannah Washington in Bushfield. Corbin writes to his mother about business affairs, travel, and the health of his family.

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, Hannah Bushrod, approximately 1738-1804

Appointment, Henry Lee

Unit ID RM-378; MS-2461

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23608

Unit Date 1796 December 24

Text 29 (box)

Container 1796.12.24 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Creator Lee, Henry, 1756-1818

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Appointment of Henry Lee, by William Augustine Washington, to receive monies owed from the State of Maryland. Witnessed by William Rice.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Thomas Porter

Unit ID RM-813; MS-5244

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23609

Unit Date 1796 December 27

Text 29 (box)

Container 1796.12.27 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Richmond, to Porter in Alexandria. With much wit, Bushrod explains how he has been too busy with "Law and politicks" to write. He urges Porter to visit him and also mentions business/legal matters involving Mr. Payne, Mr. Cole, and Mr. Brackenridge. Autograph letter signed, integral cover.

Estate inventory, George Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4534

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23610

Unit Date 1796 December

Text 29 (box)

Container 1796.12.00 (folder)

Creator Bassett, Burwell, 1764-1841

Scope and Contents

D.S. 4 pages. An inventory of the estate of George Augustine Washington including a list of "Stock and Utensils on his Farm in Fairfax County" appraised and to be divided equally between Washington's wife, Fanny Bassett, and children, Charles Augustine, George Fayette and Anna Maria. Also, a list of books and the "disposition of Major Washington's Estate agreeably to his Will."

Keywords

Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Broadside, Land sale

Unit ID RM-1108; MS-5787

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23611

Unit Date 1796

Text 29 (box)

Container 1796.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Printed broadside. "Good farm" land for sale in County of Rutherford, District of Morgan, state of North Carolina. Describes the climate, what is being grown now, the inhabitants, the wood, the roads, mills. The Broad River flows into the center of the county and can be used for navigation. Thought to relate to Washington's estate.

Account for taxes on land, Bushrod Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.68

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23678

Unit Date 1796

Unit Date 1798 April 11

Text 29 (box)

Container 1796.00.00 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. Account for taxes on land. Autograph document, burned fragment only, laminated. On reverse is receipt signed by John Sheppard, dated April 11, 1798, for full amount.

Account, William Augustine Washington with Henderson, Ferguson, and Gibson

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2077

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23688

Unit Date 1796-1797

Text 29 (box)

Container 1796.00.00 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

A.D. 2 pages. Account of William Augustine Washington with Henderson, Ferguson and Gibson. Balance sheet ... Nicholas Muse, Henry W-n, Richard Henry Lee estate, John Ashton, James Park on debit side, John, Nicholas and James Muse, Patrick Sanford on credit side ...

Receipt, Philip Glover to Betty Lewis

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4642

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23679

Unit Date 1797 January 20

Text 29 (box)

Container 1797.01.20 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Betty Washington, 1733-1797

Scope and Contents

A.N.S. 1 page. "Received 20th January 1797 from Mrs. Betty Lewis 1 Green Hide... 19/3 for G. Heiskell."

Account with Patrick Callahan

Unit ID W-1310/A.68

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23612

Unit Date 1797 February 7-August 26

Text 29 (box)

Container 1797.02.07 (folder)

Creator Anderson, James, 1745-1807

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Account with Patrick Callahan as miller for G.W. Includes herring, flour, beef, etc. supplied by G.W. and cash paid him as part of his hire as miller - £52.8.0 balances out.

Receipt, Patrick Callahan to James Anderson

Unit ID W-1310/A.69

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23613

Unit Date 1797 February 17

Text 29 (box)

Container 1797.02.17 (folder)

Creator Anderson, James, 1745-1807

Scope and Contents

Receipt. A.D.S. 1 page. Receipt for $30. on account of "my hire" [as miller for G.W.] Autograph document signed, in hand of Anderson, fragment, laminated, docketed "No. 379, 1797 Feby. 17th Patrick Callahan for £9. to acc. of his hire."

Letter, Bartholomew Dandridge to William Barton

Unit ID A-301.273

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23614

Unit Date 1797 March 1

Text 29 (box)

Container 1797.03.01 (folder)

Creator Dandridge, Bartholomew, approximately 1774-1802

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Philadelphia. Dandridge writes at Washington's direction, returning any testimonials and letters which had been presented to the President in Barton's behalf. Autograph letter signed, Draft, docketed by Dandridge, G.W.'s watermark. Name on original catalog card appears as "B. D."

Note regarding pay for John Kelly by Thomas Kennedy, Potomac River Company

Unit ID RM-1164; MS-5892

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23680

Unit Date 1797 March 7

Text 29 (box)

Container 1797.03.07 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.N.S. 1 page. Potomac River Company. In regards to advancing pay and money owed to John Kelly for work. Signed by Thomas Kennedy with return note signed by J. Gilpin.

Note regarding pay for Jack Ridgeway by Thomas Kennedy, Potomac River Company

Unit ID RM-1164; MS-5893

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23681

Unit Date 1797 March 11

Text 29 (box)

Container 1797.03.11 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.N.S. 1 page. Potomac River Company. In regards to pay for Jack Ridgeway. Signed by Thomas

A.N.S. 1 page. Potomac River Company. In regards to pay for Jack Ridgeway. Signed by Thomas Kennedy. Reverse side note records pay to Ridgeway.

Note to pay James Montgomery, Potomac River Company

Unit ID RM-1164; MS-5898

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23682

Unit Date 1797 March 14

Text 29 (box)

Container 1797.03.14 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.N.S. 1 page. Georgetown. Potomac River Company. Note to pay James Montgomery, signed by John Templeman. Reverse side note says payment was received, Alexandria, April 28, 1797.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Hannah Washington

Unit ID MSS-245

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23615

Unit Date 1797 April 4

Text 29 (box)

Container 1797.04.04 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Washington, Hannah Bushrod, approximately 1738-1804

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Richmond to Hannah Washington, Bushfield. Distressed over health of his niece--hopes she will be spared to them [probably Mary Lee Washington, b. 1795 - d. 1827, daughter of his brother Corbin]--"She is the picture of two beloved angels"--business with Col. [Wm. A.] Washington--pay Mr. Rice for horse bought of him--Nancy [wife, Anne Blackburn Washington] will be delighted to send her all of her books. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked "[ ] April 1797", watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Washington." Date on original catalog card appears [17]97 April 4.

Note to pay William Mills, Potomac River Company

Unit ID RM-1164; MS-5897

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23683

Unit Date 1797 April 5

Text 29 (box)

Container 1797.04.05 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.N.S. 1 page. Potomac River Company. Note to pay William Mills. Signed by John Templeman.

Receipt, Bean Cawood to James Anderson

Unit ID W-1310/A.70

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23616

Unit Date 1797 April 7

Text 29 (box)

Container 1796.04.07 (folder)

Creator Anderson, James, 1745-1807

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Receipt for two pounds for knitting seine twine into a centre for a Seine. Autograph document signed, in hand of Anderson, fragment, laminated, docketed "No. 381", Rect. 7 April 1797 [L?] Caywood for Kniting a Siene £2."

Note to pay William Compton, Potomac River Company

Unit ID RM-1164; MS-5894

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23684

Unit Date 1797 April 27

Text 29 (box)

Container 1797.04.27 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.N.S. 1 page. Matildaville. Potomac River Company. Note to pay William Compton. Signed by Frederick Laffler (?) and John Templeman. Reverse note shows paid in full on May 15, 1797.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19068

Unit Date May 1797 - November 1797

Text 30 (box)

Language English.

Receipt, Potomac River Company

Unit ID RM-1164; MS-5895

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23685

Unit Date 1797 May 2

Text 30 (box)

Container 1797.05.02 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Potomac River Company. Itemized list for receipt of payment. Joseph Gilpin, William Hartshorne.

Receipt, Potomac River Company to John Leary

Unit ID RM-1164; MS-5896

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23686

Unit Date 1797 May 19

Text 30 (box)

Container 1797.05.19 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Potomac River Company. Receipt for payment to John Leary for three barrels beef and three barrels pork. Payment received from Thomas Kennedy. Signed with mark of John Leary.

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Christian Scott Blackburn

Unit ID W-1310/A.69

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23617

Unit Date 1797 July 1

Text 30 (box)

Container 1797.07.01 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Greenwood. Two [slaves] have run away, one breaking down a door where he was confined--ring leader is Bill who is influenced by his mother--hopes she and papa [who evidently owns the mother] won't let her off this time for "I believe she has a desire to ruin us if she possibly can"--requests Papa's [T. Blackburn] help in bringing them back, for it ruins them, losing them at this busy time. Autograph letter signed, laminated, incomplete watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Receipt, Patrick Callahan to James Anderson

Unit ID W-817C

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23618

Unit Date 1797 July 10

Text 30 (box)

Container 1797.07.10 (folder)

Creator Anderson, James, 1745-1807

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Receipt for $17.06. Autograph document signed, laminated, No. 387 endorsed receipt, badly faded.

Letter, William Augustine Washington to Beckwith Butler

Unit ID RM-378; MS-2479

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23619

Unit Date 1797 July 29

Text 30 (box)

Container 1797.07.29 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Haywood. Relates to the settlement of the co-partnership account with Butler. Col. Washington is also concerned with a joint bond given to a Mr. William L. Lee.

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A.70

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23620

Unit Date 1797 October 16

Text 30 (box)

Container 1797.10.16 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Marlbro. Denies her last letter was cold, altho it had melancholy note--Mamma [Christian Blackburn] will go down to [Alexandria] soon, and she herself plans to visit [Ann] too--Sally [Offitt Craufurd] will write; she looks badly, hopes smallpox will be of value to her delicate frame. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, directed by Mr. Seton, watermark.

Letter, Felix Frestel to Eleanor Parke Custis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23687

Unit Date 1797 October 22

Text 30 (box)

Container 1797.10.22 (folder)

Language French.

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. New York. Frestel, the tutor of G.W. Lafayette, writes a friendly, affectionate letter on behalf of himself and George on eve of departure for France -- they send regards to her brother and grand parents. Autograph letter signed, written in French, laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "F. Frestel."

Bond, Warner Washington and John Washington to Joseph Longacre

Unit ID A-456.3

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23621

Unit Date 1797 October 25

Text 30 (box)

Container 1797.10.25 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Bail bond of Warner Washington for £323.6, signed by Warner Washington and John Washington, and witnessed by John Sowers. Warner had been in the custody of Sheriff Joseph Longacre as the result of a suit brought by Thomas Harrison, William Wilson and Co. Document signed, signed by Warner and John Washington, witnessed by John Sowers.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to James Reid

Unit ID RM-378; MS-2462

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23622

Unit Date 1797 November 14

Text 30 (box)

Container 1797.11.14 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Richmond. Reid must have been a client. Bushrod instructs him in the correct procedure for serving a decree on the defendants in an unidentified suit. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, (Richmond Postal Mark).

Manuscripts Box 31

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19069

Unit Date December 1797 - May 1798

Text 31 (box)

Language English.

Bill, John and Thomas Vowells to James Anderson

Unit ID W-817/F

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23797

Unit Date 1797 December 10 - 1798 January 10

Text 31 (box)

Container 1797.12.10 (folder)

Creator Anderson, James, 1745-1807

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Alexandria. Account with Vowells for 22 1/2 bushels flaxseed delivered to them and received in exchange 26 3/4 bushels salt. Autograph document signed, laminated, endorsed on back "No. 48."

Bond, Robert Lewis to John Lewis and George Lewis

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4645

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23623

Unit Date 1798 January 1

Text 31 (box)

Container 1798.01.01 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

Printed and holograph document, signed. 1 page. Robert Lewis binds himself unto John and George Lewis" ... to the Estate of Fielding Lewis deceased in the just and full sum of" 498 pounds. However, if Robert Lewis pays 249 pounds by January 1, 1799, the bond is considered fulfilled. Note on verso: "To

a Negroe you sold in Stafford County belonging to/F[rom] Lewis's Estate."

Letter, Bushrod Washington to "my dear friend"

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23624

Unit Date 1798 January 10

Text 31 (box)

Container 1798.01.10 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Richmond. Bushrod writes to "My dear friend" and closes with greetings "affectionately to Mrs. P." but the addressee is otherwise not made clear. He answers several queries concerning various legal cases, posed to Bushrod either in a series of letters or in one long unanswered -- includes Mr. Breckenridge's opinion on a horse sold to Ingraham by Lewis -- adds a postscript "Did you ever read such a gloomy letter?" after noting that his wife would have added her own greetings but that the letter was being written in his office. Autograph letter signed, docketed, in a later hand is "Nephew and principal heir of Genl. Washington judge of the Supreme Court of the United States lately deceased," watermark. Date on original catalog card appears [17]98 Jan. 10. Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Washington."

Bond, Robert Fulton to Fanny Bassett Washington

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4535

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23625

Unit Date 1798 January 14

Text 31 (box)

Container 1798.01.14 (folder)

Creator Lear, Frances "Fanny" Bassett Washington, 1767-1796

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Bond. Fulton agrees to pay Mrs. Washington, widow of George Augustine Washington, thirty-five pounds "... upon the first day of January next ensuing [1799] ... for the hire of a Negro Man named Reuben for one year ..." Frances Bassett Washington (Lear) died in 1796 so it is unclear who this document is really intended for, or if the date is incorrect.

Keywords

Financial records

Slavery

List of enslaved workers

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4643

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23626

Unit Date 1798 January

Text 31 (box)

Container 1798.01.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D. 2 pages. List by name and purchase price of twelve Negroes purchased by George Lewis (10), John Lewis (1) and C.[harles?] Carter (1). Note on verso reads: "Mr. Ferrell will deliver you some bonds belonging the [Betty Lewis] Estate. The Receipts [ ] of the Estate in hands Mr. B. Parke [signed] J. Lewis."

Bill, John Vowell and Thomas Vowell to James Anderson

Unit ID W-817/E

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23627

Unit Date 1798 February 1

Text 31 (box)

Container 1798.02.01 (folder)

Creator Anderson, James, 1745-1807

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Alexandria. Autograph document signed, fragment, endorsed on back, marked "No. 47", laminated. A bill for one hogshead. Receipted by Thos. Vowell.

Bill, George Taylor to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID W-821/D

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23628

Unit Date 1798 February 12

Text 31 (box)

Container 1798.02.12 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Bill for £12.7.6 for restuffing two sofas, repairing frames, castors. Autograph document signed, fragment, docketed, laminated, incomplete watermark. Receipted by Geo. Taylor and co.

Account, George Lewis with Benjamin Grymes

Unit ID RM-842; MS-5295

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23629

Unit Date 1798 February 16-June5

Text 31 (box)

Container 1798.02.16 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Account. D.S. 1 and a quarter page. List of blacksmithing services provided by Grymes for Lewis. Total owed Grymes: £10, 11 shillings. Document, docketed.

Account, George Lewis with Alexander Hansford

Unit ID RM-842; MS-5294

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23630

Unit Date 1798 February 20-June 7

Text 31 (box)

Container 1798.02.20 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Account. D. 1 page. Hansford, a blacksmith, lists services provided to Lewis, George Washington's nephew, who lived in the Fredericksburg area. Total owed Hansford: £1 17 shillings 1 pence. Document, docketed.

Letter, William Augustine Washington to John Fitzgerald

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23631

Unit Date 1798 April 1

Text 31 (box)

Container 1798.04.01 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Haywood. Writes to ask Fitzgerald to consult with Edmund Lee over terms of James Thompson's proposals for buying wheat crop from William Washington. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, "Favrd by Mr. J. Thompson", laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "W. A. Washington." [Fitzgerald was prominant merchant in Alexa. and formerly an aid to G.W. in Revolution].

Letter, Corbin Washington to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-920; MS-5454

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23632

Unit Date 1798 April 11

Text 31 (box)

Container 1798.04.11 (folder)

Creator Washington, Corbin, 1764-1799

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Discusses inclement weather, trying to get from Alexandria to Westmoreland, voyage, illness of unidentified person, possibly sister. Corbin Washington letter to brother Bushrod Washington.

Account, Bennett Taylor to Mr. Washington

Unit ID W-1095/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23633

Unit Date 1798 May 3

Text 31 (box)

Container 1798.05.03 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. Account of Joseph Simpson's, bonds, notes, etc., some in favor of George Stovin. Autograph document, silked, docketed "B. Taylor's acct." Date on original catalog card appears 1798 [May] 3.

Letter, Corbin Washington to Edmund Lee

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23634

Unit Date 1798 May 13

Text 31 (box)

Container 1798.05.13 (folder)

Creator Washington, Corbin, 1764-1799

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Bushfield. Corbin writes his apologies for not writing more often and says that "the circumstances of my family have shut me out from all information, and rendered me entirely dependant on my friends for now and then a gleam of light" -- while professing to be apolitical, he recognizes that private happiness depends on proper functioning of "the great public machine" -- his wife recovers her health -- the Leeton family arrived in good health. Autograph letter signed, docketed by Lee (?), integral cover, laminated. Date on original catalog card appears [17]98 May 13.

Bill, Wray Thomas and Nathaniel Thomas to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A.72

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23635

Unit Date 1798 May 14

Text 31 (box)

Container 1798.05.14 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Bill for £10.0.0 for house rent from Feb. 14-[May 14th] at £40 per annum. Autograph document signed, fragment, charred by fire, laminated, docketed by B. Washington, watermark.

Bill, James Thompson to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A.73

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23636

Unit Date 1798 May 19

Text 31 (box)

Container 1798.05.19 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Bill for £1.1.1/2 for 6 1/2 yds. of painted cloth. Document, fragment, charred by fire, laminated, docketed by B. Washington "J. Thompson pd. [ ] a charge of a fee for [ ]" incomplete watermark.

Bond, Warner Washington and John Washington to George Noble

Unit ID A-456

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23637

Unit Date 1798 May 25

Text 31 (box)

Container 1798.05.25 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Bond. A.D.S. 1 page. Bail bond of Warner Washington for £156.12.6, signed by Warner Washington and John Washington, and witnessed Griffin Taylor. Warner had been in the custody of Sheriff George Noble as the result of a suit brought by Charles McThurston. Autograph document signed, signed by Warner and John Washington, witnessed by Griffin Taylor, incomplete watermark.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19070

Unit Date June 1798 - June 1799

Text 32 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Lawrence Washington to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3499

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23643

Unit Date 1798 August 11

Text 32 (box)

Container 1798.08.11 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lawrence Augustine, 1774-1824

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

Letter, 2 pages. To Lawrence Lewis, Rich Woods. Postpones the payment of a debt in full. Asks Lewis to send "the picture up, by the first opportunity." Integral cover. (This Lawrence Washington may be the son of Samuel by his last wife).

Letter, Eleanor Parke Custis to James McHenry

Unit ID 2018-SC-017

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14925

Unit Date 1798 September 6

Text 32 (box)

Container 1798.09.06 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator McHenry, James, 1753-1816

Extent 4 pages25 x 21 cm, folded

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed. Mount Vernon. Nelly writes to McHenry about yellow fever in Philadelphia and the standard that she commissioned for a volunteer dragoon in Alexandria.

Keywords

Correspondence

Medicine -- History -- 18th century

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.72

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23644

Unit Date 1798 September 8

Text 32 (box)

Container 1798.09.08 (folder)

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Rippon Lodge. Couldn't write earlier because of Aunt Ballett's illness--gave Dickey [Richard S. Blackburn] the bill which he will inclose to Mr. [Bushrod] Washington--[letter] very faded and hard to decipher]. Autograph letter signed, laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Blackburn." Date on original catalog card appears [17]98 [Sept. 8 ?].

Excerpts from George Washington and George Cabot letters to Timothy Pickering

Unit ID 2018-SC-024

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14936

Unit Date 1798 September 9-27

Text 32 (box)

Container 1798.09.09 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George, 1732-1799

Creator Pickering, Timothy, 1745-1829

Creator Cabot, George, 1752-1823

Extent 2 pages20 x 16 cm, folded

Scope and Contents

Manuscript copies of excerpts from two letters about the Quasi-War with France, supposedly provided to Alexander Hamilton circa September 1798. The first letter is from George Washington to Timothy Pickering, 9 September 1798. The second is from George Cabot to Timothy Pickering, 27 September 1798.

Keywords

Correspondence

Hamilton, Alexander, 1757-1804

Receipt, Denman and Co. to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.114

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23645

Unit Date 1798 December 13

Text 32 (box)

Container 1798.12.13 (folder)

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Philadelphia. Denman and Co. in Philadelphia, makes this receipt for £57.18.9 received from Clement Biddle for blankets; signed by Matthew Kean for the maker, Denman and Co. The blankets were for Washington. Document signed, fragment, in hand of T. Lear.

Bill, John Douglass to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.115

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23646

Unit Date 1798 December 15

Text 32 (box)

Container 1798.12.15 (folder)

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

Bill. D.S. 1 page. Philadelphia. A receipted bill in the amount of $152.13 for a library bookcase for Gen. Washington and 282 feet of casing. Receipted by John Douglass. Document signed, in unknown hand.

Bill, John McEllwee to Clement Biddle

Unit ID A-283.116

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23647

Unit Date 1798 December 19

Text 32 (box)

Container 1798.12.19 (folder)

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

Bill. D. 1 page. A receipted bill for $11.23 (or £ 11.23.0) for a picture frame 16 feet 4 inches -- made out to Clement Biddle "for Genl. Washington" by John McEllwee, and the receipt signed by John Rorke. Document, fragment, in hand of John Rorke. Date on original catalog card appears [1798] [Dec. 19].

Letter, Hannah Washington to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23648

Unit Date 1798

Text 32 (box)

Container 1798.00.00 (folder)

Creator Washington, Hannah Bushrod, approximately 1738-1804

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Encloses $50 bill received, for tobacco, and requests him to pay her tax at court today--just paid Mr. B. Lee £10 for folder--this is last of her [money]. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, "Mrs. H. Washington 1798," marked "Hon'd by Mr. B. Lee," laminated. Date on original catalog card appears [1798]. Name on original manuscript appears as "H. Washington."

Letter, Earl of Buchan to Bryan Fairfax

Unit ID RM-449; MS-3464

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23649

Unit Date 1799 January 14

Text 32 (box)

Container 1799.01.14 (folder)

Creator Fairfax, Bryan Fairfax, Baron, 1736-1802

Creator Buchan, David Stewart Erskine, Earl of, 1742-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Praising their mutual friend, George Washington. In this letter, the Earl of Buchan mentions that his nephew, David Erskine, is travelling to America and plans to visit Mount Vernon. Integral cover.

Letter, John Tayloe to James McHenry

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23650

Unit Date 1799 February 4

Text 32 (box)

Container 1799.02.04 (folder)

Creator McHenry, James, 1753-1816

Scope and Contents

L. 2 pages. Tayloe writes to Secretary of War James McHenry that he is honored by President's late appointment of him, but prefers to delay decision of acceptance -- he will pay personal respects to war office. Docketed 'Mount Vernon, 6th Feby. '99 from His Excy. Genl. Washington with my reply 22d. Feby.' Letter, a true copy, teste by Wm. Holburne, incomplete watermark (1794).

Letter, Lawrence Lewis to James Webb

Unit ID RM-1078; MS-5721

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5596

Unit Date 1799 April 2

Text 32 (box)

Container 1799.04.02 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Creator Webb, James

Scope and Contents

A business letter giving Webb information on sending the money he owes, Lawrence further expresses that he has taken Mrs. Webb's advice and had married Eleanor Parke Custis, stating his happiness with his wife.

Keywords
Correspondence

Letter, Elizabeth Powel to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID A-543.19

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23651

Unit Date 1799 April 28

Text 32 (box)

Container 1799.04.28 (folder)

Creator Powel, Elizabeth Willing, 1743-1830

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Philadelphia. Powel writes to say she paid James McAlpin's bill for Bushrods black satin robe -- she hopes Mrs. Anne Blackburn Washington's health has improved -- she is glad Bushrod was at the wedding of Nelly Custis and Lawrence Lewis, and says "I was certain that when Mrs. Washington found the thing inevitable she would act with propriety, indeed from all I can learn she has every Reason to approve her Grand-Daughter's choice." -- Powel agrees with Bushrod on the deplorable state of the Southern roads, especially those of Maryland -- the elopement of Maria Bingham (a child of 15) with a French count was shocking -- shares news of Philadelphia people -- mentions "your excellent Mother's" sorrows [at death of Corbin Washington ?]. Autograph letter signed, retained copy, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Eliz. Powel."

Letter, Sarah Offitt Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.73

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23652

Unit Date 1799 May 18

Text 32 (box)

Container 1799.05.18 (folder)

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Greenwood. She and sister [Nancy] enjoy a weeks holiday--tries to progress in her lessons, begins French--mentions children [brothers] who send love to Aunt Nancy and Uncle Bushrod. Autograph letter signed, part of a cover laminated to letter, directed "to be left at the Cross Roads," incomplete watermark.

Letter, John Hancock to J. Nicholson

Unit ID 2023-SC-014

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/37517

Unit Date 1799 May 22

Text 32 (box)

Container 1799.05.22 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 4 pages1 bifolium sheet39 cm x 23 cm

Keywords

Slavery

Correspondence

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Alexandria (Va.)

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Letter, Thomas Lewis to James McHenry

Unit ID A-301

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23653

Unit Date 1799 June 13

Text 32 (box)

Container 1799.06.13 (folder)

Creator McHenry, James, 1753-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Kanawha Point Pleasant. Recommends 6 men from this county as officers in the lately established army -- [included is a separate sheet docketed "Thos. Lewis June 14, 1799, containing names of 6 men recommended by Lewis," in another hand]. See also 1799 June 14, W. H. Cavandish to James McHenry. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed "June 14" on a separate sheet (see below), laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "Tho. Lewis."

Letter, W.H. Cavadish to James McHenry

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2186

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23654

Unit Date 1799 June 14

Text 32 (box)

Container 1799.06.14 (folder)

Creator McHenry, James, 1753-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Kanawha County. See 1799 June 13, Thomas Lewis to James McHenry. Autograph letter signed, integral cover. Sends names of men who seek military commissions ...

Manuscripts Box 33

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19071

Unit Date July 1799 - November 1799

Text 33 (box)

Language English.

Check, John Nicholson to James Andrews

Unit ID RM-1101; MS-5777

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23655

Unit Date 1799 July 27

Text 33 (box)

Container 1799.07.27 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Check from the Bank of the United States. Signed by John Nicholson paid to Mr. James Andrews or Bearer, Amount $944.15. Mr. Nicholson was one of the founders of the bank.

Purchase note, William Smith

Unit ID RM-291; MS-2908

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23656

Unit Date 1799 September 20

Text 33 (box)

Container 1799.09.20 (folder)

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

Purchase note. A Ninety Day Sight Note issued by Charles Alders' Co., Madeira, on September 20, 1799, to William T. Smith of Philadelphia for £84 British Sterling, directed to Tobias Lear on the account of George Washington on Nov. 14, 1799 and the amount recorded in his cash memoranda book of the same day.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Letter, Tobias Lear to John Pintard

Unit ID A-301

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23657

Unit Date 1799 October 18

Text 33 (box)

Container 1799.10.18 (folder)

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon. Lear writes this follow up letter because no answers were received to earlier letters ordering 2 pipes of wine -- does Pintard have any in this country? -- if so, send some immediately as the General's wine supply is depleted and Washington only wants wine of superior quality. Autograph letter signed, draft, docketed by Lear, enclosed in letter to Elias Boudinot, laminated, watarmark (1794). Not in Writings. [See draft of letter to Elias Boudinot, same date, on reverse of this letter].

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.74

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23658

Unit Date 1799 October 19

Text 33 (box)

Container 1799.10.19 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Greenwood. Looks forward to receiving her for a visit--sorry for Mamma [Christian Blackburn] having so much to fatigue her at her time of life. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, directed by Joe, incomplete watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Account, Tobias Lear

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2292

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23659

Unit Date 1799 November 9-December 14

Text 33 (box)

Container 1799.11.09 (folder)

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

Account, Document signed, 1 page. Though it is now in two pieces, amount due Lear is $42.24. Signed by Lear as being correct.

Letter, Caleb Swan to Tobias Lear

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2291

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23660

Unit Date 1799 November 9

Text 33 (box)

Container 1799.11.09 (folder)

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. A Letter-account itemizing the amount due Lear for forage and subsistence for Sept.-Oct., 1799. $234.39 is the amount totaled up. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Swan, P. M. General."

Letter, Tobias Lear to Caleb Swan

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2289; MS-2290

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23661

Unit Date 1799 November 14

Text 33 (box)

Container 1799.11.14 (folder)

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page and A.N.S. 1 page. Autograph letter signed, a receipt for the sum of $234.39 being the pay for forage and subsistence for Sept.-Oct., 1799. Also in folder, note of receipt signed by Lear, "Received of Caleb Swan PM Genl. The sum of two hundred and thirty four 39/100 dollars, being my pay..."

Letter, Tobias Lear to John Pintard

Unit ID A-301

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23662

Unit Date 1799 November 20

Text 33 (box)

Container 1799.11.20 (folder)

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Lear writes to Pintard that Mr. Alder from Madeira has sent 2 pipes of wine to General Washington, to be picked up in Philadelphia -- payment by draft has been made -- nevertheless, Washington will accept 1 pipe of Pintard's offered wine from his private store in this country, provided it is still of the best quality after being imported six years ago. Autograph letter,

draft, docketed by Lear, watermarked. Name does not appear on original manuscript.

Manuscripts Box 34

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19072

Unit Date December 1799

Text 34 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.75

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23663

Unit Date 1799 December 8

Text 34 (box)

Container 1799.12.08 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Greenwood. Congratulations on her birthday--worried over Mr. Washington's cough--Mamma [Christian Blackburn] has left--her little boys, David, Bushrod and George--Mr. Magruder's failure for 500,000 dollars--Major De Butts sails for Italy--received books from her and will take good care of them. Autograph letter signed, integral cover with several messages written on the cover, laminated, directed "to be left at the Cross Roads," watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Letter, Tobias Lear to Charles Alder

Unit ID RM-466; MS-3585

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23798

Unit Date 1799 December 12

Text 34 (box)

Container 1799.12.12 (folder)

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Cordial letter of acknowledgment for two pipes of Madeira wine which had just arrived. Expresses Mrs. Washington's appreciation for a gift of two boxes of citron.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Thomas Law

Unit ID MSS-603

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23664

Unit Date 1799 December 14

Text 34 (box)

Container 1799.12.14 (folder)

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Law, Thomas, 1756-1834

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon. Impending death of George Washington--"I think he cannot survive through the night"--come and bring Mrs. Law if possible--Dr. Craik, Dr. Dick, and Dr. Brown are here.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Death and burial

Correspondence

Letter, Tobias Lear to Burgess Ball

Unit ID RM-1209

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/3105

Unit Date 1799 December 15

Text 34 (box)

Container 1799.12.15 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Letter from Tobias Lear to Burgess Ball, December 15, 1799 informing him of Washington's death.

Funeral announcement, Mr. Nichols and family

Unit ID RM-218; MS-2693

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23665

Unit Date 1799 December 16

Text 34 (box)

Container 1799.12.16 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Funeral Announcement. D. 1 page. 'The Remains of General Washington [will be de]posited in the family Vault, at mount Ve[rnon on Wed]nesday the 18th instant, at twelve O'Clock. Should the weather be unfa[vorable on Wed]nesday, - the Funeral will take place [Thursday] at the same hour.' Watermarked - Holograph in the hand of Albin Rawlins.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Death and burial

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Bill, Alexander Mackenzie to the estate of George Washington

Unit ID RM-215; MS-2686

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23666

Unit Date 1799 December 16

Text 34 (box)

Container 1799.12.16 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Bill to the estate of George Washington. 2 boxes of Mould Candles 104 nett, for a total charge of £7.19.0. Mackenzie signed the bill as having received payment in full on May 24, 1800.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Mary Stilson Lear

Unit ID W-691; H-691

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23667

Unit Date 1799 December 16

Text 34 (box)

Container 1799.12.16 (folder)

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Lear, Mary Stilson, 1739-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Mount Vernon. Announces death of George Washington--description of G.W.'s last days and hours and his death--" ... he could scarcely speak and breathed with difficulty, his complaint being an inflamatory sore throat, usually called the Quincy."--Drs. Craik, Dick and Brown sent for--" ... between ten and eleven o'clock at night, he resigned his breath into the hand that gave it."--" ... not a groan or a complaint escaped him.-with the most perfect resignation, and in full possession of his reason to the last moment he gave up his life."--"He was fully sensible of his approaching dissolution for some time before we could persuade ourselves but that there was a hope left and he frequently told the Physicians that their efforts would be in vain ... As often as he could speak he would mention to me something which he wished to have done. And his last words, about a quarter of an hour before he died, were to me thus - 'My dear Friend I am just about to change this Scene, my breath can continue but a few moments, You will have me decently interred, and do not let my body be put into

the Tomb in less than two days after my death.' He there feld his own pulse ceased ..."--Mrs. W's fortitude--" ... she yields not to that grief, which would be softened by tears."--saw his children about 6 weeks ago--"I beg that no part of it [the letter] therefore may be published; for I presume that everything which relates to this afflicting event will be eagarly sought after by the public." Autograph letter signed, laminated watermark. Mary Stilson Lear was the mother of Tobias Lear.

Keywords
Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Death and burial

Letter, Charles Cotesworth Pinckney to Tobias Lear

Unit ID 2018-SC-073-001

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/15883

Unit Date 1799 December 17

Text 34 (box)

Container 1799.12.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Pinckney, Charles Cotesworth, 1746-1825

Extent 1 pages

Scope and Contents
Autograph letter signed with integral address panel. Charles Cotesworth Pinckney writes from Harper's Ferry three days after George Washington's death offering his condolences for this "irreparable loss" to Tobias Lear at Mount Vernon, Martha Washington, and Nelly Parke Custis Lewis.

Keywords
Condolence notes
Correspondence
Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816
Washington, Martha, 1731-1802
Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Bill, Keith Smith to the estate of George Washington

Unit ID RM-215; MS-2689

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23668

Unit Date 1799 December 18

Text 34 (box)

Container 1799.12.18 (folder)

Scope and Contents
On May 3, 1800, Keith Smith received the amount above after appearing and proving the statement before George Taylor. "To making 1 suit cloathes (black) for John Anderson £1.16.0.

Bill, George Edick to the estate of George Washington

Unit ID RM-215; MS-2685

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23669

Unit Date 1799 December 20

Text 34 (box)

Container 1799.12.20 (folder)

Scope and Contents
Bill. For 40 pounds of pound cake at 3/6 for a total of £7.0.0. One basket which contained the cake to be returned to Judy Edick. George Edick signed the account on March 28, 1800, as having received payment from Jim Anderson (likely James Anderson).

Orders for the funeral of George Washington

Unit ID RM-1168; MS-5903

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23799

Unit Date 1799 December 21-24

Text 34 (box)

Container 1799.12.21 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Orders for the funeral of George Washington. Manuscript copy, 4 pages. Signed by the Adjutant General, William North. "Major General Hamilton has received through the Secretary of War the following order, From the President of the United States." Ordered December 21, 1799, Philadelphia. Signed December 24, 1799 in the Adjutant General's office.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Letter, Sarah Craufurd to Christian Scott Blackburn

Unit ID A-516.16

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23670

Unit Date 1799 December 21

Text 34 (box)

Container 1799.12.21 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Greenwood. Craufurd bewails the recent death of George Washington -- "it haunts my slumbers and in the day I can think of nothing else" -- wishes to write Sister Nancy [Ann Blackburn Washington] -- poor Bushrod Washington, his uncle first and "I suppose next his Brother [Corbin] will fall victims to the unrelenting hand of death." -- speaks of Mr. Craufurd's illness and other family matters. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed in a later hand "Death of Gen. Washington mentioned," Ms. badly torn and disintegrated, laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Letter, William Herbert to Tobias Lear

Unit ID H-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23671

Unit Date 1799 December 21

Text 34 (box)

Container 1799.12.21 (folder)

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. Name on original manuscript appears as "W. Herbert."

Letter, William Shaw to Nathaniel Lord

Unit ID RM-940; MS-5491

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23672

Unit Date 1799 December 22

Text 34 (box)

Container 1799.12.22 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. "Long before they can reach you, your heart and the hearts of your fellow citizens will be made sorrowful by the suffering and melancholly of the death of one excellent fellow citizen Gen. Washington ..." Autograph letter signed, black seal, docketed.

Bill, William Bowie to the estate of George Washington

Unit ID RM-215; MS-2688

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23673

Unit Date 1799 December 23

Text 34 (box)

Container 1799.12.23 (folder)

Creator Bowie, William

Scope and Contents

Bill. For making suits with buttons for Mr. Lear, Mr. George Rawlins [sic] Mr. Sims and Mr. Wilson. Also for making a pair of breeches for Mr. Dowdal. Total charges came too £7.18.3.

Keywords

Bills of sale

Financial records

Clothing and dress -- Purchasing

Bill, John and Jason Scott to the estate of George Washington

Unit ID RM-348; MS-3050

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23800

Unit Date 1799 December 23

Text 34 (box)

Container 1799.12.23 (folder)

Creator Anderson, James, 1745-1807

Scope and Contents

Bill. A.D.S. 3 pages. Addressed to James Anderson. Bill for mourning suits made for family and servants to wear when around the Mansion. Noted with monies received. Misnumbered on the top right corner as 'MS-2350,' corrected in the catalog book to MS-3050.

Keywords

Bills of sale

Financial records

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Estate

Clothing and dress -- Purchasing

Broadside, Funeral procession of George Washington

Unit ID H-530

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23674

Unit Date 1799 December 29

Text 34 (box)

Container 1799.12.29 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. For rendering funeral honors to the deceased General Washington. Appears over names of J.M. Hughes, Ebenezer Stevens, Jacob Morton, James Farlie, John Stagg junr. (Committee of Arrangement). Printed document, mounted on cardboard.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Letter, Sarah Wilson to Anna Fox

Unit ID RM-917; MS-5448

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23675

Unit Date 1799 December 30

Text 34 (box)

Container 1799.12.30 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Letter mentioned "We have had great to do in the city occasioned by the death of General Washington. I send you a newspaper wherein you may read the procession which may be of

some gratification to you," ... with integral address leaf, Philadelphia postmark.

Eulogy, Dr. Abigah Richardson

Unit ID RM-804; MS-5219

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23676

Unit Date 1799 December

Text 34 (box)

Container 1799.12.00 (folder)

Creator Washington, George, 1732-1799

Scope and Contents

Manuscript eulogy. A.D.S. 16 pages. Docketed: "Eulogy on Washington delivered in Medway [Massachusettes] D. 1799 by Dr. Abigah Richardson."

Manuscripts Box 35

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19073

Unit Date 1800

Text 35 (box)

Language English.

Account, Lawrence Lewis against the estate of George Washington

Unit ID A-570.2

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/4941

Unit Date 1800-1802

Text 35 (box)

Container 1800.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.D. 11 pages. Lawrence Lewis's account of moneys received and expended from G.W.'s death to 1802, including am't of cash in house at G.W.'s death, amt. pd. doctors, money spent for cake at G.W.'s funeral, expenses on his houses in Washington, taxes, payment of legacies, building vault, for whiskey furnished at sale at Mount Vernon; money received from purchases at sales was main income during the period. Autograph document, copy, docketed, in hand of L. Lewis, laminated. Certified by Alexander Moore, Court Commissioner of Fairfax County, Va.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Estate

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Death and burial

Financial records

Inventory, Articles at Mount Vernon with appraised value

Unit ID W-840

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23689

Unit Date 1800

Text 35 (box)

Container 1800.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Executor's inventory, original. 51 pages. Listing and appraisal of everything at Mt. Vernon by rooms, including books in library and contents of outbuildings--also livestock, tools, farm equipment, etc. on each farm--negroes--Appraisal sworn to by Thomson Mason, Tobias Lear, Thomas Peter and Wm. H. Foote. Bound volume, 6 blank pages, docketed "Inventory and Appraisement of the estate of Genl. Geo. Washington - 1810 Augt. Returned and ordered to be recorded," silked. Date on original catalog card appears [c. 1800]. Ordered and recorded on August 20, 1810 teste Wm. [Moss ?]. [See under same date a draft of this same inventory].

Inventory, Articles at Mount Vernon with appraised value

Unit ID MSS-292

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23690

Unit Date 1800

Text 35 (box)

Container 1800.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Inventory, draft. A.D. 64 pages. Inventory by room of articles at Mount Vernon, with appraised values -- includes contents of mansion house, kitchen, office, storehouse, washhouse, gardeners house, salt house, black smith shop, etc. -- also inventory of livestock, and farm equipment on each of the farms, the distillery, mill -- on the mansion house farm, inventory of articles in barn, greenhouse, lost, fish house, etc., paint cellar -- lists of gardeners tools, linen, etc., and plated ware, etc. -- list of books and pamphlets in library by case, with some marked "Taken by B[ushrod] Washington" and "Mrs. Lewis's property," "taken by G. Washington", and "To Mrs. Washington," -- maps, charts, etc. -- includes number of Negroes owned by George Washington in his own right, "which Mrs. Washington intending to liberate at the end of the present year, can only be valued for the service of the working negroes for one year." Autograph document, draft, in unknown hand, entitled "An Inventory etc. of Articles at Mount Vernon with their appraised value, annexed." watermark. Date on original catalog card appears [1800?], but an entry on page 59 enumerates the slave population "which Mrs. Washington [is] intending to liberate at the end of the present year." Since she signed a deed of manumission for her deceased husband's slaves in December 1800, the date of this estate inventory would seem to be 1800.

Keywords

Inventories

Financial records

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Estate

Sheet music, The Battle of Prague

Unit ID RM-956; MS-5510

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23691

Unit Date 1800

Text 35 (box)

Container 1800.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Document, printed and sold by Graupner of Boston. Sheet music. "The Battle of Prague favorite Sonata forte with Accompanyments. G. Washington President of The United States."

Songbook, Patriotic music

Unit ID RM-939; MS-5490

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23692

Unit Date 1800

Text 35 (box)

Container 1800.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Patriotic songbook. 30 pages. Bound manuscript, handwritten by Maria Dickinson. Volume contains patriotic songs (handwritten) mentioning Washington and the American Revolution.

Sketch, Monument to George Washington by Benjamin West

Unit ID H-1293/A-C

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23693

Unit Date 1800

Graphic Materials 35 (box)

Container 1800.00.00 (folder)

Language English, Latin .

Creator West, Benjamin, 1738-1820

Scope and Contents

Two sketches shows pyramid-like structure surmounted by statue, and inscription below. Date on original catalog card appears [1800 ?]. On a separate page is a proposed inscription in Latin on reverse of cover. Watermark (crown over armed figure), 3 pages.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Monuments

Drawings (visual works)

Will of George Washington, printed copy

Unit ID RM-418; MS-3356

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23694

Unit Date 1800

Text 35 (box)

Container 1800.00.00 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

Printed copy of GW's will. Signed by Lawrence Lewis.

Bill, Clerk of Fairfax to Executors of George Washington's estate

Unit ID RM-215; MS-2687

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23695

Unit Date 1800 January-December

Text 35 (box)

Container 1800.01.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Bill, Clerk of Fairfax to the Executors of GW's will. First charge recorded in January is for "Recording the Will" for $4.55. Various other fees are itemized as docketing, attorney's fees, and charges for copies of various declarations. Total bill signed by Mr. Deneale, Clerk, came to $12.96.

Book of sales, Mount Vernon property

Unit ID W-818

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23837

Unit Date 1800-1803

Text 35 (box)

Container 1800.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

One bound volume, 23 pages. Executor's account of sales, meetings of legatees, etc. -- contains the following: Mar. 5, 1800, list of those who purchased horses and jacks from estate with amounts paid; Oct. 15, 1800: list of sales of cattle, milk cows and oxen from estate with amount paid; undated (see card 4, June 7, 1803): list of lot sales in Washington City; James River Shares, Ashby's Bend land, tract in Frederick, Aris's land lots in Bath, Bullskin land, Chattins run etc. with name of purchaser and price per acre; Nov. 12, 1801: Sale of cows, bulls, steers, jacks and jennets, sheep with list of purchaser and amount; July 25, 1802: private sale with account of personal items belonging to G.W., purchaser, and price paid, purchasers here are legatees and deduct purchase price from estate due them, total amount $1882.50; July 21, 1802: "Payable in Six Months/Sale at Mt. Vernon" list of purchaser and amount, nothing listed to tell what is sold, total $8340.75, probably the result of meeting of July 19; July 19, 1802: dated Alexandria, an account of a meeting of legatees and executors of G.W.'s estate

and agreements made as follows: 1. majority opinion of legatees present govern whole. -- 2. not contest validity of will as to property out of state. -- 3. carriages, horses, mules, cattle, sheep, hogs and personal estate except stock and bonds to be sold by executors. -- 4. lands on Kanawha and Ohio be divided and rest of land be sold by executors, NW territory and Kentucky lands to be sold. -- 5. stock of U.S., bank stock, Potomac and James River shares to be divided except one share in Potomac Co. sold. -- 6. agree to sale of James River shares and nine shares of Columbia bank stock; June 7, 1803: "Account of Sales at Alexa. June 7th 1803 of property, belonging to the Estate of Genl. Washn." Charles County land, lots in Alexandria here follows list of other land sold as listed on card one undated (this document was bound incorrectly and has not been detached and the sheets in correct order).

Bill, Timothy Green to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID W-772

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23838

Unit Date 1800-1802

Text 35 (box)

Container 1800.00.00 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

Bill, A.D.S. 1 page. Bill for advertising sale of jacks and jennies at Mount Vernon dated Feb. 14, 1800; and for advertising sundries the estate of Mrs. Washington dated June 27, 1802. Receipted for £1.12. by T. Green. Docketed 14 February 1800. Autograph document signed, in hand of Green, docketed, laminated, watermark.

Masonic song book

Unit ID 2016-SC-003

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23839

Unit Date 1800

Text 35 (box)

Container 1800.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A manuscript book that contains 12 Masonic songs mostly associated with New England (lyrics only). Also includes poems or songs on George Washington and his death. Northampton, Massachusetts.

Manuscripts Box 36

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19074

Unit Date January 1800 - February 1800

Text 36 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Tobias Lear to John Adams

Unit ID RM-1212.002

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/3106

Unit Date 1800 January 1

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.01.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Creator Adams, John, 1735-1826

Scope and Contents

Tobias Lear's copy of an explanatory letter from him to John Adams in which he elaborated on Martha Washington's December 31, 1799 letter he wrote on behalf of her.

Keywords

Correspondence

Letter, S. Lyman to Mary Lyman

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4646

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23696

Unit Date 1800 January 7

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.01.07 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Philadelphia. S. Lyman writes that Doctor James Craik "wrote a Gentleman in this City, that the General [Washington], with his own Fingers, closed his own Eyes in Death -- this circumstance is a little remarkable, and it showed that he had his reason, and a spirit of resignation ... such was the Death of this great man...."

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Death and burial

Receipt, Expenses for George Washington's funeral, Joseph Haigh

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4647

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23697

Unit Date 1800 January 8-February 20

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.01.08 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Copy of account dated Jan. 8, 1800, "For Sundries for the Funeral Procession, in honor of the late Commander in Chief Gen. Washington. Use of a Pall ... $5 / Two Black Cloaks ... 2 / Bier ... 2 / 9 dollars [total]." On Feb. 20, 1800, Haigh acknowledges receipt of payment in Pittsburgh for his expenses at the mock procession. Document signed, docketed.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Tribute to George Washington, Massachusetts House and Senate

Unit ID RM-1088; MS-5748

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23698

Unit Date 1800 January 9

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.01.09 (folder)

Scope and Contents

The House and Senate of Massachusetts express opinions on how General George Washington should properly be commemorated by the public.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Mourning orders, Massachusetts House and Senate

Unit ID RM-1088; MS-5749

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23699

Unit Date 1800 January 11-15

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.01.11 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Order submitted by John Read and accepted in Massachusetts Senate and followed by the House to accept resolution to wear crepe on left arm in Commemoration of G. Washington's death.

Bill, Patton and Butcher to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID W-1095

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23700

Unit Date 1800 January 14

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.01.14 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Alexandria. A bill from Paton and Butcher in the amount of £2.6.[7] for leather and shoe thread. (Date from earlier library cataloging; item was microfilmed as an 1808 item.) Document, fragment, docketed by B. Washington, charred by fire, silked.

Bill, Henry and Joseph Ingle to the estate of George Washington

Unit ID RM-215; MS-2683

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23701

Unit Date 1800 January 16

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.01.16 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Bill. Decr 25th "To a mah[ogan]y Coffin with silver plate engraved, furnished with lace, handles and a coverd case with lifters $ 88." "To sundry charges $11.25." For a total bill of $99.25. Particular charges were for "Hire of the Cochee," "Hire of the Bier" and the "Hire of a Horse."

Letter, Lawrence Lewis, George Steptoe Washington, and Samuel Washington to Charles Simms

Unit ID A-471

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23702

Unit Date 1800 January 22

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.01.22 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Creator Washington, George Steptoe, 1771-1809

Creator Simms, Charles

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. The writers request answers to several specific questions about their role as executors of Washington's will -- they require Simms's professional advice because Judge Bushrod Washington (another executor) hasn't arrived yet. Autograph letter signed, in hand of George S. Washington (?,) laminated, G.W.'s watermark.

Letter, Charles Simms to Lawrence Lewis, George Steptoe Washington, and Samuel Washington

Unit ID A-570.2

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23703

Unit Date 1800 January 22

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.01.22 (folder)

Creator Simms, Charles

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Creator Washington, George Steptoe, 1771-1809

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Simms answers questions put by them [see letter of Jan. 20, 1800] as executors of George Washington's estate -- among other things, he assures them they can dispose of personal property and wheat at private sales, but an account must be kept of articles disposed of in this way, and must be included in the estate inventory. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated,

watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Ch. Simms."

Bill, Patton and Butcher to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID W-821/C

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23704

Unit Date 1800 January 23

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.01.23 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

Bill. D. 1 page. Bill for 1 coopers-axe 6/6. Document, fragment, endorsed on back, laminated.

Resolution, Massachusetts House and Senate

Unit ID RM-1088; MS-5751

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23705

Unit Date 1800 January 31

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.01.31 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. Draft Committee Resolution, "The Committee appointed to consider and report what public measures are proper to be adopted by this Legisature to commemorate the virtues of General Washington..." Two resolutions, the 1st crossed out pertaining to a monument or statue to be erected. The 2nd resolution concerns printed copies of a Proclamation.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Resolution, Massachusetts House and Senate

Unit ID RM-1088; MS-5751

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23840

Unit Date 1800 January 31

Text 35 (box)

Container 1800.01.31 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 2 pages. Committee resolution or recommendation to the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. They have appointed Fisher Ames to delivera n oration on the "sublime virtues of Gen. George Washinton before the Lieut. Governor, the Council and the tow branches of the General Court;" signed by Moses Gill, Samuel Phillips, and the Speaker of the House. Also assigns John Coffin Jones and Jonathan Mason to a committee to make such arrangements for a public exercise assigned for the 8th of February. Concurred and signed.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Broadside, funeral procession arrangements for George Washington, Haverhill, Massachusetts

Unit ID 2016-SC-042

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/13845

Unit Date 1800 February 4

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.02.04 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 pages

Scope and Contents

Printed document, 1 page. Broadside. Funeral procession arrangements, Haverhill, Massachusetts. "Arrangements to be observed On the 22nd day of February next, agreeably to the proclamation of the

President of the United States, For Paying a Public Tribute of Respect to the Memory of our beloved General George Washington, late deceased." A eulogy will be given at Reverend Abiel Abbot's Meeting House. The broadside includes an order of procession and instructions to the inhabitants of Haverhill on proper mourning wear.

Keywords
Broadsides (notices)
Washington, George, 1732-1799

Letter, Earl of Buchan to unknown recipient

Unit ID RM-493; MS-4074

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23706

Unit Date 1800 February 5

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.02.05 (folder)

Creator Buchan, David Stewart Erskine, Earl of, 1742-1829

Scope and Contents
A.L. 4 pages. Dryburgh Abbey. A letter on slavery and the life and character of GW; mentions Lear, Franklin and Adams. Autograph letter, incomplete.

Bill, George W. Munn to the estate of George Washington

Unit ID RM-215; MS-2684

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23707

Unit Date 1800 February 5

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.02.05 (folder)

Scope and Contents
A bill for 11 items which came to a total of £22.18.9. A particular item is recorded for "Leading a Coffin" which came to £14.10.0. Alexander Smith documented Mr. Munn's receipt of payment in Alexandria on May 14, 1800.

Keywords
Washington, George, 1732-1799

Order for copy of Fisher Ames' oration, Massachusetts House and Senate

Unit ID RM-1088; MS-5752

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23708

Unit Date 1800 February 8

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.02.08 (folder)

Scope and Contents
A.D.S. 1 page. House and Senate of Massachusetts committee order to request a copy of Fisher Ames' oration for printing.

Draft, orders to thank Massachusetts cadets and artillery, Massachusetts House and Senate

Unit ID RM-1088; MS-5753

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23709

Unit Date 1800 February 8

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.02.08 (folder)

Scope and Contents
Draft of MS-5754. Committee of Massachusetts House of Representatives requests Fisher Ames to thank cadets and artillery of Commonwealth of Mass. in oration.

Orders to thank Massachusetts cadets and artillery, Massachusetts House and Senate

Unit ID RM-1088; MS-5754

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23710

Unit Date 1800 February 8

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.02.08 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Order from committee to request Fisher Ames to thank cadets and artillery of Commonwealth of Mass. during his oration.

Bill, Margaret Gretter to the estate of George Washington

Unit ID RM-215; MS-2682

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23711

Unit Date 1800 February 10

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.02.10 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A bill for one shroud which came to $6 and one pall cloth $6, for a total of $12. On verso Michael Gretter (or Gutten?) signed the bill as having received payment.

Letter, Estate of George Washington to Earl of Buchan

Unit ID RM-493; MS-4075

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23712

Unit Date 1800 February 12

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.02.12 (folder)

Creator Buchan, David Stewart Erskine, Earl of, 1742-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. Philadelphia. Send copy of GW's will and also "The box made of the oak that sheltered the Great Sir William Wallace ..." At bottom of letter is note from Buchan, dated Aug. 16, 1800, bequeathing box to "Washington's University in Columbia." Autograph letter signed, in hand of [Bushrod Washington].

Letter, William Herbert to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID W-783

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23713

Unit Date 1800 February 12

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.02.12 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Alexandria. Herbert mentions Lewiss note for $1500, payable this week, which may be renewed if necessary -- gives Lewis instructions on how to renew it -- note in another hand, "This note was given by L. Lewis as an Executor to the Will of Genl. Washington and to take up one of the Genls. then in Bank." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed. Name on original manuscript appears as "Wm. Herbert."

Invitation, John Adams to Edward Hand

Unit ID 2024-SC-026-003

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/40282

Unit Date 1800 February 14

Text Drawer 25

Container 1800.02.14 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Adams, John, 1735-1826

Extent 1 pages1 sheet11 x 7 cm

Keywords
Invitations

Orders for procession, George Washington's birthday

Unit ID RM-969; MS-5548

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23714

Unit Date 1800 February 17

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.02.18 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. Medfield [memorial] Procession to Washington. "The Committee of arrangments [sic] recommend the following order of Procession for the 22nd Instant provided the weather and walking tbe good. Viz-" also, "It is expected that every person will wear a crape or ribband on th eleft arm. Soldiers just above the cuff and citizens just above the Elbow."

Order to distribute oration of Fisher Ames, Massachusetts House and Senate

Unit ID RM-1088; MS-5755

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23715

Unit Date 1800 February 21

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.02.21 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Commonwealth of Massachusetts order that members of house and senate shall distribute to clergy and to libraries Fisher Ames' oration.

Manuscript oration, Royall Tyler

Unit ID RM-294; MS-2911

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23716

Unit Date 1800 February 22

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.02.22 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Bound, manuscript copy of an oration, written by Royall Tyler, Esq., pronounced at Bennington, Vermont on February 22, 1800 in commemoration of the death of General Washington. Copy signed Mary R. Nowland AD 1812. Inside volume cover (back and front) reads "Miss Mary R. Nowland July 3rd 1823."

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Simon Lomers

Unit ID RM-361; MS-2375

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23717

Unit Date 1800 February 27

Text 36 (box)

Container 1800.02.27 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.N.S. 1 page. Regarding a survey plat. Date on original catalog card appears 1800 (?) Feb. 27.

Manuscripts Box 37

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19076

Unit Date March 1800 - April 1802

Text 37 (box)

Language English.

Bill and receipt, Samuel Washington to George Washington Parke Custis

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4536

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23730

Unit Date 1800 March 1

Text 37 (box)

Container 1800.03.01 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Bill and receipt. Samuel Washington receives 175 dollars from Custis in return for "A Sorrel Horse ... about sixteen hands high; but five years old, warranted sound and free from blemish ..." If Custis finds the horse to be "unsound" within thirty days, Washington agrees to return the total sum. Witnessed by Tobias Lear and Lawrence Lewis.

List of items ordered for a ceremonial funeral for George Washington, Charles Pinckney

Unit ID RM-215; MS-2691

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23731

Unit Date 1800 March 7-April 17

Text 37 (box)

Container 1800.03.07 (folder)

Creator Pinckney, Charles Cotesworth, 1746-1825

Scope and Contents

Items listed are black crepe, hat looping, material for making two palls, 6 dozen flints, 1 cask powder weighing 114 pounds as received from the arsenal. Total bill was $40.08.

Keywords

Bills of sale

Financial records

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Death and burial

Appraisal of property, Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID A-366.66

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23732

Unit Date 1800 April 26-May13

Text 37 (box)

Container 1800.04.26 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

D.S. 3 pages. Two evaluations, one dated Ap. 26 signed by William Dandridge and Thomas Dew, the other dated May 13 and signed by Jos. Foster and [W.] H. Macon. Both at request of Lewis and Doct. [David] Stuart. Statement signed by Wm. King that the property herein valued belongs jointly to Mr. Custis [G.W.P.] and Mr. [Lawr.] Lewis. The property being valued consists of 2 slaves and several horses. Document signed, endorsed "Valuation of Mr. Lewis's Property in New Kent," mounted, watermark.

Letter, Benjamin West to Rufus King

Unit ID H-1293/D

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23733

Unit Date 1800 May 25

Text 37 (box)

Container 1800.05.25 (folder)

Creator West, Benjamin, 1738-1820

Creator King, Rufus, 1755-1827

Scope and Contents

Letter, 3 pages. London. Contains Wests comments on proposed reinterment of George Washington in the Federal city and monument to be raised to him -- recommends triangle or pyramid as most durable monument -- should be in prominent place, planted with trees -- monuments should be hollow -- rotunda, and brass pedestrian statue of Washington -- work to be of "monumental simplicity" -- 4 doors and stone coffin. Letter, marked "Copy of a letter from one West=the celebrated American artist in London to Rufus King, Esq. our Minister at that Court on the subject of a "Monument" to be erected to the memory of that illustrious citizen - George Washington, was obligingly handed us by a gentleman for publication - From Gazette of the United States and Daily Advertizer, Dec. 22, 1800". [Appended is a copy of "A Resolution of the Old Congress," describing the type of monument to be erected to Washington.]

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Monuments

Correspondence

Letter, Lawrence Lewis to Clement Biddle

Unit ID RM-790; MS-5196

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23734

Unit Date 1800 August 8

Text 37 (box)

Container 1800.08.08 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon. Concerning the collection of funds due George Washington's estate in Philadelphia. "What ever money you may receive please credit the Estate of Genl. Washington with it as also any money that may be paid you by Judge Bushrod Washington, a statement of which please forward me at this place." Autograph letter signed, integral cover.

Summons to Fairfax County Court, Tobias Lear

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4537

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23735

Unit Date 1800 December

Text 37 (box)

Container 1800.12.00 (folder)

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. "On motion of David Stuart ordered that Tobias Lear, Adm. of the Estate of Geo. A. Washington deceased by summoned to appear at the next Court and give Counter Security or Deliver up all and Singular the decendents Estate." This copy signed by George Deneale, Clerk.

Keywords

Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Estate account, George Augustine Washington with Tobias Lear

Unit ID RM-53; MS-4538.1

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23736

Unit Date 1801 January

Text 37 (box)

Container 1801.01.00 (folder)

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

D.S. 6 pages. Account copy of "The Estate of George A. Washington in acct. with Tobias Lear, Administrator." An acct. of GAW's estate transactions as kept by Lear. Also included are copies of court documents ordering debts to be paid to the estate (dated Jan. 1801); acknowledgement of examination of the acct. (dated April 14, 1801); and an order for the acct. to be recorded (dated April 21, 1801). Document signed, on George Washington's water mark paper.

Keywords

Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Bail bond, George Steptoe Washington

Unit ID A-456.5

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23737

Unit Date 1801 April 6

Text 37 (box)

Container 1801.04.06 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Steptoe, 1771-1809

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Bail Bond of George Steptoe Washington for $200. Dated 1801 April 6, and docketed "McCormick vs. Washington Bond," signed by George Tate and George S. Washington, witnessed by Benj. Stephenson. Document, docketed "McCormick vs. Washington Bond," signed by George Tate and George S. Washington, witnessed by Benj. Stephenson, laminated.

Estate statement to Fairfax County Court, Tobias Lear

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4539

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23738

Unit Date 1801 May 16

Text 37 (box)

Container 1801.05.16 (folder)

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. "I hereby relinquish the Administration of the Estate of the late George Augustine Washington and agreeably to an order of the Court of Fairfax County, and deliver up all and Singular the Decendents Estate which has come to my hand as Admr."

Keywords

Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Letter, Tobias Lear to Fairfax County Court

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4540

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23861

Unit Date 1801 May 16

Text 37 (box)

Container 1801.05.16 (folder)

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. To the Justice of the court of Fairfax County. Further explains his resignation as the administrator of George A. Washington's estate. Turned papers and bonds over to Burwell Bassett who is ready to become the new administrator. Docketed on reverse. Torn corner.

Keywords
Correspondence
Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793 -- Estate

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Charles Simms

Unit ID A-366.68

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23739

Unit Date 1801 August 21

Text 37 (box)

Container 1801.08.21 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Simms, Charles

Scope and Contents
A.L.S. 1 page. Autograph letter signed, mounted, watermark (1794), with part of cover. Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Washington." Encloses note for $875. for discount at the bank, and intends to present the necessary draft on Monday next.

Deed, Thomas and Mildred Hammond to Mildred Thornton Washington

Unit ID 2023-SC-022

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/38825

Unit Date 1801 December 1

Text 37 (box)

Container 1801.12.01 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 2 pages1 sheet34 x 21 cm

Keywords
Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Estate
Deeds
Legal documents
Real property
Washington, George, 1732-1799

Letter, Lawrence Lewis to George Blagden

Unit ID W-1238/C

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23740

Unit Date 1801 December 28

Text 37 (box)

Container 1801.12.28 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents
A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Lewis gives the account with Blagden as it now stands, taken from papers of Dr. Thornton's -- £26.8.11 1/2 Maryland money is still due him -- Lewis asks Blagden to send authenticated vouchers for repayment of moneys expended so that the late General Washingtons heirs will be see the justification for the expense. Autograph letter signed, endorsed by Lewis, 2 p. covered with figures, laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Lawr. Lewis."

Keywords
Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Estate
Correspondence

Estate documents, George Washington's estate

Unit ID W-1250/B-K

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23862

Unit Date 1801-1836

Text 37 (box)

Container 1801.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Estate documents, 10 documents.

Memoranda of payments made, etc. by L[awrence]? Lewis as executor of estate--includes $1000 for hire of a vessel the "Hene. and Patsey"--also, 2 orders given to Thos. Peter on Samuel Hamilton, W-1250/B;

Account, rec'd of N. Lee on account of Sheppard Pd. cash for negroes, etc., W-1250/C;

Account, Includes $500.00 "By cash of A. McLean," and $100 "By costs recovered on Tomlinson's case," W-1250/D;

Account, notes due with interest, W1250/E;

Account, Lawrence Lewis with estate, Debit and credit of $16,037.30 -- including "By balance due me as Executor -- $1,0872.69" and "By this sum due me as creditor legatee $5,138.61." etc., W-1250/F;

Account, Mathew Ranson in account with executors, record of payment due with interest, etc., W-1250/H;

Sums credited to estate, Amt. received and amts. not received [for purchases at sales], W-1250/I;

Purchasers at private sale of Washington estate including amounts of purchases of each individual, W-1250/J;

Receipt, Peyton Drew to Robert Lewis, W-1250/?

W-1250/K, A.D.S. 2 pages. Commissioner's report. Upon order of Court of Fairfax Cty., has settled joint and separate accounts of Lawrence Lewis and Bushrod Washington, acting executors of G.W. estate--1st, a balance of $3670.76 due L. Lewis in capacity as sole executor before any of others quailified--2nd, acct of Bush. Washington with estate, showing indebtedness of $2017.94, exclusive of 9 shares of Bank of Potomac--3rd, general acct. of acting executors representing whole transactions with balance due the Executors of $15,707.95,--including commissions--charges executors with full acct. of sales, $124,928.01--credit them with sums not pd. by purchasers, esp. $15,125.00 for purchases of lands by late Col. Thomas Lee as guarding of Corbin Washington's children, "which purchase their present Guardian did not think himself at liberty to confirm, whereby there is a suit now pending in the High Court of Chancery of Virginia, consequently this as well as other matters, relative to the Estate remain open "till a further settlement."

Scope and Contents

W-1250/K, A.D.S. 2 pages. Commissioner's report. Upon order of Court of Fairfax Cty., has settled joint and separate accounts of Lawrence Lewis and Bushrod Washington, acting executors of G.W. estate--1st, a balance of $3670.76 due L. Lewis in capacity as sole executor before any of others quailified--2nd, acct of Bush. Washington with estate, showing indebtedness of $2017.94, exclusive of 9 shares of Bank of Potomac--3rd, general acct. of acting executors representing whole transactions with balance due the Executors of $15,707.95,--including commissions--charges executors with full acct. of sales, $124,928.01--credit them with sums not pd. by purchasers, esp. $15,125.00 for purchases of lands by late Col. Thomas Lee as guarding of Corbin Washington's children, "which purchase their present Guardian did not think himself at liberty to confirm, whereby there is a suit now pending in the High Court of Chancery of Virginia, consequently this as well as other matters, relative to the Estate remain open "till a further settlement."

Keywords

Estate records

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Estate

Account, George Lewis with John Ferneyhough

Unit ID RM-842; MS-5296

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23863

Unit Date 1801-1802

Text 37 (box)

Container 1801.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Account, D. 1 1/4 pages. Ferneyhough lists various services he provides for Lewis, being work done on Lewis's chariot - its wheels, springs, boots, doors, etc. Docketed.

Account book, settlement of George Washington's estate

Unit ID A-570

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23864

Unit Date 1801-1806

Text 37 (box)

Container 1801.00.00 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

Account book, settlement of the estate of George Washington. A.D. 32 pages. Accounts of various people associated with the estate, including money for hire of negroes - "Statement of the accounts of the several legatees for the purpose of explaining them." Autograph document, mostly in hand of Bushrod Washington, laminated, watermarks, no cover, torn or clipped pages included.

Keywords

Estate records

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Estate

Letter, William Stuart to David Stuart

Unit ID R-230; MSS-1016

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23741

Unit Date 1802 January 20

Text 37 (box)

Container 1802.01.20 (folder)

Creator Stuart, David, 1753-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. New Kent. Concerns a shipment of wheat ... no demand for wheat or corn ... cider here for Mrs. W-n; will send some to Norfolk at first opportunity ... Had to get a new cog wheel for the mill ... Richmond market full of meat of all kind; cattle and sheep still on my hands ... Autograph letter signed, integral cover.

Keywords

Correspondence

Domestic animals

Letter, Bushrod Washington, Jr. to Francis Worthington

Unit ID RM-425; MS-2663

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23742

Unit Date 1802 January 24

Text 37 (box)

Container 1802.01.24 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1785-1830

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Stafford City, VA. Autograph letter signed, integral cover. Concerning receipts for western lands. Addressed to Col. Thomas Francis Worthington, at Chilicothe N.W. Territory.

Letter, Richard Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.76

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23743

Unit Date 1802 March 25

Text 37 (box)

Container 1802.03.25 (folder)

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Fort Washington. Complains of dullness of "this accursed Country"--reference to someone whose gloomy countenance "cannot bear the appearance of Happiness"--longs to be with her and "my dear Boy" [Bushrod Blackburn ?,] but fears 2 years separation are necessary--expects to be dealt with by strict letter of the law--hasnt heard from Tommy [Blackburn, Jr.]--would rather see him idle at Rippon Lodge than where he is. Autograph letter signed, cover fragment laminated to letter, directed "Via Fredericksburg To [ ] X Roads," watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "R. S. Blackburn."

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Lawrence Washington

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4648

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23744

Unit Date 1802 April 2

Text 37 (box)

Container 1802.04.02 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Washington, Lawrence Augustine, 1774-1824

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Walnut Farm. Concerning the execution of the estates of Bushrod's father, John Augustine Washington, and Lawrence Augustine's father, Samuel Washington, both deceased. Bushrod writes, "I have never condemned you for demanding of the executors of your father ... a settlement of their accounts, and altho' I thought it unkind to institute a suit ag[ainst] me ..." Bushrod is nevertheless willing to settle the matter. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed.

Letter, Lawrence Augustine Washington to Samuel Washington

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4649

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23745

Unit Date 1802 April 26

Text 37 (box)

Container 1802.04.26 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lawrence Augustine, 1774-1824

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Rich Woods. Lawrence A. Washington proposes to Samuel Washington that he meet at Richwoods with Bushrod Washington to discuss debts extending from the estates of their fathers, Charles Washington and John Augustine Washington I, respectively. "You will therefore, at once see the necessity of your ... attendance, to exonerate yourself, from as much of the weight of that business as possible." Name on original manuscript appears as "Lawrence A. Washington."

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19077

Unit Date May 1802 - February 1804

Text 38 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Thomas Law to John Law

Unit ID RM-619; MS-4527.1

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23746

Unit Date 1802 May 23

Text 38 (box)

Container 1802.05.23 (folder)

Creator Law, Thomas, 1756-1834

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Reporting on the death of Martha Washington the day before. Suffering

protracted fever, MW prepared for death "with fortitude and resignation"; gave advice to her grandchildren, took the sacrament and directed a chosen white gown be brought out. The funeral would be Tuesday (two days hence). Autograph letter signed, integral cover.

Keywords
Washington, Martha, 1731-1802

Letter, Lawrence Augustine Washington to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4650

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23749

Unit Date 1802 May 26

Text 38 (box)

Container 1802.05.26 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lawrence Augustine, 1774-1824

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Rich Woods. Having received Bushrod's letter of April 2, 1802 re-settlement of his father's estate (John Augustine Washington), Lawrence Augustine feels "...a perfect willingness to enter into a settlement of our business, with any Gentleman you may choose to designate for that purpose. And I can assure you, that every light I possess shall be thrown on the subject."

Inventory of property, final draft, Martha Washington

Unit ID MSS-290

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23747

Unit Date 1802 May-July

Text 38 (box)

Container 1802.05.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D. 19 pages. Final draft. Contains acct. of cash on hand, money in hands of Clement Biddle, notes due and paid--inventory of articles at Mt. Vernon and value (many are missing from here which appear, crossed off, on the first draft)--lists articles in mansion house, kitchen, servants hall, etc. Autograph document, Final draft, in unknown hand, entitled "Inventory of Property that belonged to Mrs. Martha Washington, Taken the 24th of May and Eleventh of July 1802," final draft, watermark.

Keywords
Washington, Martha, 1731-1802

Inventory of property, draft, Martha Washington

Unit ID MSS-289

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23748

Unit Date 1802 May-July

Text 38 (box)

Container 1802.05.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D. 20 pages. Contains acct. of cash on hand, money in hand of Clement Biddle, notes due and pd.--inventory of articles at Mt. Vernon and value (many are crossed off and do not appear in final draft)--articles in mansion house, kitchen, servants hall, wash house, etc. Autograph document, Draft, in unknown hand, entitled "Inventory of Property that belonged to Mrs. Martha Washington Taken the 24th of May and Eleventh of July 1802," 1st draft.

Keywords
Washington, Martha, 1731-1802

Bill, John Lightfoot to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-215; MS-2690

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23750

Unit Date 1802 June 16

Text 38 (box)

Container 1802.06.16 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

Docketed on verso "$35 June 16, 1802" and "To building a Vault at Mount Vernon $35.00" and "Recd the above amount in full (signed) John M. Lightfoot."

Account of articles sold, estate of George Washington

Unit ID W-815

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23751

Unit Date 1802 July 21

Text 38 (box)

Container 1802.07.21 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Autograph document, 7 pages. In hand of Albin Rawlins, an account of articles sold at the July 21st sale on six months credit (See "Book of Sales and of Mount Vernon Property"). This appears to be a rough draft (made at the time of auction) of the list entered in this executors' account book -- Rawlins' list gives name of purchaser, item and price; sale of chariot and harness, coachee, horses, clover machine, sheep, bulls, cows, calves, steers, marquee, tents, saddles, canteen, tin machine, saws and other tools, malt mill, "The Knight of Malta," reams of paper, wax, French horn, pump, locks, tool chest, hoes, sheet copper, old iron, rope, etc., copying press, yawl [an incomplete summary of the contents]. On last sheet are lists of names and figures, probably a scratch sheet. Autograph document, in hand of A. Rawlins, laminated. This doc. is NOT part of the "Book of Sales of Mt. V. Prop." but a separate doc.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Estate

Financial records

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Letter, George Deneale to Colonel May

Unit ID MSS-680

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23752

Unit Date 1802 July 21

Text 38 (box)

Container 1802.07.21 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Alexandria. Unable to buy any good furniture at sale [of Mrs. Washington's estate]--all worth having previously divided among legatees--George Washington Parke Custis's inheritance of wine--purchased one of four large paintings at sale, view of Great falls of Potomack. Autograph letter signed, docketed "Copy Letter to Colo. May." Name on original manuscript appears as "G. Deneale."

Estimate of the sales of land to the legatees of George Washington's estate

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3500

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23865

Unit Date 1802 July - 1803 June

Text 38 (box)

Container 1802.07.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D. 16 pages. "Rough estimate of the sales of the estate purchased by the Legatees in order to give an idea of their relative situation to each other and to them (?) who will be creditors and who debtors." Accounts of the following individuals: Bushrod Washington, Howell Lewis, Lawrence Lewis, Alexander Spotswood, G. W. P. Custis, Robt. Lewis, Wm. A. Washington, Col. Thomas Lee, Wm. Robinson, Samuel Washington, Mrs. Law, Geo. A. Washington heirs, Thornton Washington heirs, Thomas Peter, Charles Carter, G. S. Washington, Fielding Lewis, Nicholas Fitzhugh, Dr. Peyton, Lawrence A. Washington, Burdet Ashton, Andrew Parks, Corbin Washington heirs, John Thornton.

Bond, Warner Washington to John Frey

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4651

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23753

Unit Date 1802 August 30

Text 38 (box)

Container 1802.08.30 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Bond. 1 page. Washington binds himself to Frey "in the full and just sum of forty two pounds four Shillings and ten pence ..." Two horses owned by Warner Washington (valued at 21 pounds 2 shillings five pence) are being held by Thomas Massir[?], sheriff of Frederick County as security. Printed and manuscript document, signed by Warner Washington.

Appointment of executors of George Washington's estate, George Steptoe Washington and Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4652

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23754

Unit Date 1802 November 15

Text 38 (box)

Container 1802.11.15 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Steptoe, 1771-1809

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.D. 2 pages. John Hewitt, Register of Wills, Washington County, District of Columbia acknowledges that an "authenticated copy of the last will and testament of George Washington deceased ..." has been recorded. Administration of the will is "hereby Granted and Committed unto ... George Steptoe Washington and Lawrence Lewis two of the executors by the said will appointed."

Letter and bill, Timothy Green to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID W-771

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23866

Unit Date 1802-1803

Text 38 (box)

Container 1802.00.00 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Green encloses his accounts against Lewis. Mar. 15, 1803 for advertising lands, June 29, 1802, advertising sale of sundries belonging to the estate of Martha Washington. Docketed by Lewis as "Timothy Green's Ac. With the Estate of Genl. Washington." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by L.L., $10.10 P. 86 5 March 1803." Laminated, watermark, postmarked.

Memoranda and resolutions of legatees of Washington's estate

Unit ID A-570

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23867

Unit Date 1802-1803

Text 38 (box)

Container 1802.00.00 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.D. 2 pages. Autograph document in hand of Bushrod Washington, laminated. Probably a list of papers dealing with the settlement of the estate, numbered, and in many cases contain page numbers, memorianda or resolutions dealing with estate settlement.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to unknown recipient

Unit ID RM-1115; MS-5798

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23755

Unit Date 1803 January 8

Text 38 (box)

Container 1803.01.08 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

Subject of the letter deals with dispersal of George Washington's property, including the sale of land and mules. It also discusses the terms of the hiring of nineteen of Mrs. Penelope French's enslaved people, in which Mrs. French was paid $700-800 a year throughout her natural life.

Keywords

Enslaved persons

French's farm (Mount Vernon, Va.)

Correspondence

French, Penelope Manley, approximately 1739-

Letter, Alexander Spotswood to the legatees of George Washington's estate

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3501

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23756

Unit Date 1803 January 11

Text 38 (box)

Container 1803.01.11 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Letter. 6 pages. Alexandria. A lengthy and detailed proposal for the equitable distribution of the Ohio-Kanawa lands. Expresses dissatisfaction with present plan of division. Requests another meeting of legatees at Dumfries; such a meeting however is opposed by legatees.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-749

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23757

Unit Date 1803 June 8

Text 38 (box)

Container 1803.06.08 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Informs him of meeting of legatees, at which decision was made "to sell amongst ourselves" all Washington's land except the Kanawha and Ohio lands -- lists lands sold and amounts received at sales of June 6 and 7 -- prices better than he expected -- executors to appoint an agent and surveyor to go to Ohio and Kanawha lands and lay them off in 23 parts before the next meeting of legatees -- he is embarrassed for funds -- will write to Dr. Smith about Bushrod [Bushrod, Jr., son of Wm. Augustine Washington]. Autograph letter signed, torn, laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Washington." [See also, "Book of Sales and of Mount Vernon property," 1800-1802 which lists some of same in detail].

Letter, Lawrence Lewis to Robert Lewis

Unit ID A-301

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23758

Unit Date 1803 July 22

Text 38 (box)

Container 1803.07.22 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Alexandria. Lawrence writes that he has received Roberts letter and Winchester's order for $1818. -- it will be placed to Roberts account with executors of General Washington on account of Roberts purchase of a tract of land in Berkeley. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by R. Lewis (?), "Letter from Lawce. Lewis on account of monies received for the Execrs. of Genl. Washington". Name on original manuscript appears as "Law. Lewis."

Bill and receipt, Hector Sanford Co. to Mr. Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2099

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23759

Unit Date 1803 August 18

Text 38 (box)

Container 1803.08.18 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Bill and receipt. 10 gilt arm chairs, $40. 12 Square back chairs, $22., these are docketed as Windsor chairs ...

Letter, John March to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2312

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23760

Unit Date 1803 August 26

Text 38 (box)

Container 1803.08.26 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Georgetown. Autograph letter signed, received $10.00 for one apotheosis of Gen'l Washington.

Letter, Richard Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B.77

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23761

Unit Date 1803 September 20

Text 38 (box)

Container 1803.09.20 (folder)

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Rippon Lodge. Returned yesterday from unpleasant excursion to find Kitty ill--glad to hear of Tommy's [Blackburn, Jr.] amendment--fever will prevent his riding to visit her--will wait for her visit and return with her. Autograph letter signed, fragment of integral cover, laminated, directed by Jerry. Name on original manuscript appears as "R.S. Blackburn."

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Richard Peters

Unit ID A-642

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23762

Unit Date 1803 September 25

Text 38 (box)

Container 1803.09.25 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Peters, Richard, 1744-1828

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon. Yellow fever in Alexandria has delayed Bushrods answer --now the "prevailing disorder" (likely also yellow fever) in Philadelphia has convinced Bushrod that no good could result from trying to carry on business -- he writes that the request of the gentlemen of the bar,

confirmed by Peters, is agreeable, so he requests Peters to attend if he safely can and to adjourn the Court to the next term. Autograph letter signed, docketed, postmarked "George Col. Sept. 26," integral cover, laminated.

Memorandum, William Augustine Washington

Unit ID MSS-572

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23763

Unit Date 1803 November 28

Text 38 (box)

Container 1803.11.28 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

A.D. Autograph document, in hand of W.A. W-n, docketed on reverse by W. A. W-n, "Memorandum of the Cloaths my Son George [Corbin] Washington carried with him to New England Novr. 28th 1803," and in another hand "also Books from Rock Hill and Books carried Alexandria from Col. W. A. Washingtons Library 1806." Lists both summer and winter cloths in detail.

Account, Free Negroes in Account with Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID A-570.6

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/4899

Unit Date 1803-1811

Text 38 (box)

Container 1803.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

This account in Lawrence Lewis' hand is the money expended for food and clothing for slaves during period 1803-1809. "Acct. Free Negroes $1645.05."

Keywords

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Enslaved persons -- Emancipation

Financial records

Clothing and dress -- Purchasing

Account book, Robert Lewis

Unit ID A-625

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23868

Unit Date 1803-1810

Text 38 (box)

Container 1803.00.00 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

Small, bound account book, A.D.S. 18 pages. Accounts of money received as interest of stock, as part of his claim to the estate of GW. Also, money received on like interest in behalf of Lucinda and Catherine D. Lewis, sale of stock belonging to Charles and John Lewis, Jr., memorandum of expenses, "Memorandum for the year 1805," which describes experiments made in planting crops and the results, "Memorandum of Monies Received and paid away on account of Charles Lewis - John Lewis - Robert Lewis junr. - Lucinda Lewis and Catherine Dade Lewis May - 1807."

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Estate

Financial records

Bill, John Beer to Warner Washington

Unit ID A-456

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23764

Unit Date 1804 January 5

Text 38 (box)

Container 1804.01.05 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. Winchester. Bill for £10.4.0 for books, including Morse's Geography, Bailey's dictionary, Bealy's Meditations, Stauntons Embassys, Anarchises, and Ferguson's [Lectury ?]. Receipt of books acknowledged by Francis W[hiting] Washington for his father Warner Washington. Autograph document, in hand of John Beer (?), fragment, docketed "Warner Washington."

Letter, Ralph Wormeley to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2093

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23765

Unit Date 1804 January 8

Text 38 (box)

Container 1804.01.08 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

Letter, Rosegill. He hopes the boxes of medicine arrived safely ... requests Col. W-n to pay the cost of the medicines to Dr. Jones. Name does not appear on original manuscript.

Letter, Earl of Buchan to George Ewing

Unit ID RM-493; MS-4076

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23766

Unit Date 1804 February 4

Text 38 (box)

Container 1804.02.04 (folder)

Creator Buchan, David Stewart Erskine, Earl of, 1742-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Edinburgh to Ewing at the American Consulate. Conveying to the President (T.J.) the ceremonial oaken box which he had earlier presented to Washington. Autograph letter signed, integral cover.

Letter, Julia Ann Blackburn Washington to John Frobel

Unit ID A-308

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23767

Unit Date 1804 February 11

Text 38 (box)

Container 1804.02.11 (folder)

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Ann Washington writes to assure Frobel that he will be able to get many pupils if he comes to Alexandria shortly -- several people have promised to send children to him, including Dr. Dick -- she wishes he could come soon -- Bushrod Washington will send his schooner to Richmond for Frobel if possible, though Col. Washingtons may get to Richmond sooner -- she wishes to see him an "inmate" at Mt. Vernon -- he will have at Mt. Vernon her 3 nieces and a nephew of her husband's who lives with them. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked "Washn. City Feb. 13", broken seal with arm, laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "Ann Washington."

Letter, Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Mary Pinckney

Unit ID RM-1192

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/3110

Unit Date 1804 February 19

Text 38 (box)

Container 1804.02.19 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages with cover, addressed and wax seal. Eleanor "Nelly" Parke Custis Lewis writes to her friend reminiscing about her life. Engraving "Mrs. Lawrence Lewis," also in the folder.

Keywords

Correspondence

Pinckney, Mary Stead, approximately 1751-1812

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19078

Unit Date March 1804 - April 1805

Text 39 (box)

Language English.

Letter, William Augustine Washington to unknown recipient

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2082

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23773

Unit Date 1804 April 2

Text 39 (box)

Container 1804.04.02 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Rock Hill. To "Dear Sir." Re: bond of the addressee held by William Augustine Washington.

Letter, William Craik to William A. Washington

Unit ID 2022-SC-007-012

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32651

Unit Date 1804 March 9

Text 39 (box)

Container 1804.03.09 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Craik, William, 1761-1807

Extent 1 Sheets1 page folded, 3 pages of text19 x 31 cm

Scope and Contents

William Craik writes to Col. William A. Washington regarding a deed from 1791 between Washington and Timothy Ringgold for lots in the Carrollsburg (which would eventually become Capitol Hill) which were divided between Washington and Commissioners of the city of Washington. William Craik admits he neglected to get the deed recorded and never returned it. Autograph letter signed, 1 page, docketed, with integral address panel, postmarked "Alexandria VA, March 10".

Keywords

Correspondence

Real property

Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Custodial History

George Washington Masonic National Memorial Catalog No. 1971.01.056

Letter, William Augustine Washington to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23774

Unit Date 1804 April 8

Text 39 (box)

Container 1804.04.08 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Rock Hill. Washington writes that Mr. [Chas.] Carter objects to paying interest on his bond -- Carter claims he was ready to pay money any time -- Washington believes Carter forfeited, by the condition of sale [of Washington's property], any indulgence of 12 months credit. Autograph letter signed, docketed by B.W., mutilated, laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "Wm. A. Washington."

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Elizabeth Powel

Unit ID A-417.46

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23776

Unit Date 1804 May 10

Text 39 (box)

Container 1804.05.10 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Powel, Elizabeth Willing, 1743-1830

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Bushrod writes to his "dear friend" Elizabeth Willing Powel that when he inherited Mount Vernon, he had to buy "new furniture for all the rooms of that extensive building" and farm machinery as well -- he borrowed money for this and the loan is due soon -- his wheat crop and the fishery both failed, however -- so he asks "with a little embarrassment" to borrow the amount from her, but insists on paying interest which she refused to accept on an earlier occasion. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, watermark (wheat sheaf). Name on original manuscript appears as "Bush. Washington."

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Judge Richard Peters

Unit ID A-642

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23777

Unit Date 1804 May 21

Text 39 (box)

Container 1804.05.21 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Peters, Richard, 1744-1828

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon. Bushrod writes that he is convinced the fire at Mt. Vernon was set by an incendiary, but he knows not whom to suspect -- he can impute no motive to any of his "domestics," all of whom exerted themselves to extinguish the fire -- still, great damage was done -- Mrs. Washington's health was impaired by the alarm, though she is recovering. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexa May 22," watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Bush. Washington". [It is thought the fire may have endangered the mansion].

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-20; MS-2022

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23778

Unit Date 1804 May 30

Text 39 (box)

Container 1804.05.30 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Concerns the sale of a schooner and or a slave named Arthur ... has been offered "... $600., or the vessel alone, ...". Autograph letter signed, integral cover, Alexandria, docketed "Judge Washington." Name on original manuscript appears as "Bush. Washington."

Insurance policy, Bushrod Washington for barn at Mount Vernon

Unit ID RM-885 ; MS-5377

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33058

Unit Date 1804 August 18

Text 39 (box)

Container 1804.08.18 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1785-1830

Extent 1 Sheets1 sheet folded, 2 pages with text39 x 31 cm

Scope and Contents

Insurance policy with The Delaware Insurance Company of Delaware made by George Harrison on behalf of Bushrod Washington for brick barn [stable] at Mount Vernon. Coverage for $4,000 for the year with payment of 1 percent. Printed document with autograph details signed by Thomas Fitzsimons, 1 page, docketed on the reverse.

Keywords

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Stable

Legal documents

Bond, Fairfax Washington, Whiting Washington, and Warner Washington to the Commission of the Peace, Frederick County

Unit ID A-456

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23779

Unit Date 1804 September 3

Text 39 (box)

Container 1804.09.03 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Bond for $20,000 for Fairfax and Whiting Washington as executors of their mother Hannah Fairfax Washington's estate, to make inventory and deliver all legacies, etc. Partly printed, laminated. Signed by Fairfax, Whiting and Warner Washington and witnessed by the court.

Keywords

Washington, Hannah Fairfax, 1742-1804

Provenance for Stuart painting, George Beck

Unit ID RM-971; MS-5554

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23780

Unit Date 1804 November 1

Text 39 (box)

Container 1804.11.01 (folder)

Scope and Contents

George Beck provenance information concerning a Stuart Painting.

Letter, Philip Key to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3502

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23781

Unit Date 1804 November 1

Text 39 (box)

Container 1804.11.01 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

3 page. Key, Judge Washington's attorney in the friendly suit of Fitzhugh and Peter vs. B. Washington, executor of the estate of George Washington, concerning the sale of certain Maryland lands, prepares an answer to the court explaining his clients position. Included is a letter requesting Judge Washington to make any changes in the text which he believes are necessary.

Account, William Augustine Washington with J. Fox

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2095

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23784

Unit Date 1804

Text 39 (box)

Container 1804.00.00 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

Account, William Augustine Washington with J. Fox. Legal and copying fees include copy of Henry Ashton's will, proving "Fisher's" deed, swearing jury, etc.

Letter, Lawrence Lewis to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID W-1238/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23785

Unit Date 1805 January 16

Text 39 (box)

Container 1805.01.16 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Woodlawn. Lewis gives an account for $304.30 paid by him to Howell Lewis and chargeable to all of legatees of Gen. Washington's estate -- he is unable to collect from various people whose addresses he does not know, or for other reasons -- Gabriel Lewis has just returned and the Kanawha lands are divided -- asks Bushrod to send him a receipt for $100. paid Bushrod's mother [Hannah Bushrod Washington]. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by Bushrod Washington, and in Lewis's hand "Dr. James Patton in Acct. with the Estate of Genl. Washington," and in another hand "Executor of Mrs. Washington's Estate," laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "Law. Lewis."

Letter, Fairfax Washington to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23791

Unit Date 1805 February 2

Text 39 (box)

Container 1805.02.02 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Fairfield. Fairfax Washington writes regarding the recently-arrived mourning ring left to his deceased mother [Hannah Fairfax Washington] as legacy by George Washington -- he gives Lewis directions for having it delivered to him -- mentions also a miniature of the general, previously received, that the two items constitute the whole of the legacy left to his mother. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed "The Receipt of his Mother's legacy," mounted.

Bill and receipt, Thomas Corcoran to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2109

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23792

Unit Date 1805 February 6 and 9

Text 39 (box)

Container 1805.02.06 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

Bill and receipt. $2.25 for shoes, 9.00 for cossaks (boots).

Letter, Bushrod Washington, Jr. to Edward Shippen Burd

Unit ID A-660

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23793

Unit Date 1805 February 7

Text 39 (box)

Container 1805.02.07 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1785-1830

Creator Burd, Edward Shippen, 1779-1848

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Rock Hill and Georgetown. Bushrod Washington Jr. writes to Burd about local and regional political battles involving the impeachment of judges, including Judge Samuel Chase of the Supreme Court, and Randolph's treatment of Chase, as leader of the impeachment. Washington also speaks critically of "Duane," probably William J. Duane the politician, or perhaps his father the newspaper editor. Autograph letter signed, laminated, watermark (1803). Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Washington."

Letter, Bushrod Washington to unknown recipient

Unit ID RM-708; MS-4851

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23794

Unit Date 1805 March 21

Text 39 (box)

Container 1805.03.21 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. To "Dear Sir." Concerns Bushrod Washington's insurance policy on Mount Vernon, from the Mutual Insurance Company.

Promissory note, Whiting Washington to James Milton

Unit ID A-456

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23795

Unit Date 1805 March 23

Text 39 (box)

Container 1805.03.23 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Promissory note. D.S. 1 page. For £78 Virginia money before 15th Oct. -- signed by Whiting Washington; witnessed by Nehemiah Garrison. On reverse, dated April 16, 1805, Jas. Milton assigns note to Robt. Milton. Document signed, in hand of James Milton, fragment, docketed.

Statement, Defense of title to Woodlawn, Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID W-819/C

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23796

Unit Date 1805 April 29

Text 39 (box)

Container 1805.04.29 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Biographical / Historical

In 1715 Col. G. Mason (father of Sarah and grandfather to Commodore Brooke) died, leaving among other children, by his last wife two sons and one daughter Sarah Mason-left several tracts of land to sons who died under age and their property left to their sister--she married, under age, in 1734 to Thomas Brooke--before her marriage to protect her estate a settlement made of her lands and slaves upon her and Thomas Brooke during their life and heirs of her body by Brooke or any other husband--in failure of heirs her half-brother George--Articles of Agreement between G. Mason and Brooke who gave £2,000 bond for its execution--in 1735 George died intestate--Brooke never executed the agreement but sold most of his wife's land and ran the money, then died--Mrs. Ann Mason, widow of George, brought suit against Sarah and Thomas Brook (deceased) for breach of bond and won--conveyances made by Brooke cannot be disputed.

Lewis's search of title goes back to William Travers, who by deed from Proprietors, March 22, 1677, got 788 acres--son Samuel conveyed it by deed July 1, 1685 to brother Rawleigh--conveyed by him to William Lambert, Dec. 2, 1692--conveyed by him to George Mason, April 19, 1693--left by will to sons who died underage--descended to sister Sarah who with husband Thomas Brooke sold it to Zephaniah Wade, October 20, 1738--Z. Wade Conveyed 300 acres on Nov. 26, 1739 to Saml. Magruder for Eliza. Spencer--it was reconveyed to Z. Wade on Aug. 4, 1744--Jan. 16, 1745 sold to John Littleton--on his death left to 2 sons and is now property of William Butler Harrison--the remaining part of 788 acres was sold by Z. and Violiner Wade to John Brown Dec. 15, 1739--left at his death to Ann, a daughter who married Charles West--they deeded it to Geo. Washington, Oct. 27,1772--he willed it to Lewis.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 6 pages. A statement as to the title to Woodlawn drawn up by Lawrence Lewis because of a threatened suit over the land by descendants of Sarah Mason Brooke; it embodies Col. George Mason's statement on the history of the lands ownership. Lewis's search of title goes back to William Travers, who by deed from Proprietors, March 22, 1677, got 788 acres. The Woodlawn part of that property was later owned by George Washington (who had gotten it on 27 October 1772) and then willed by him to Lawrence Lewis and Eleanor ("Nelly") Parke Custis Lewis. Autograph document signed, by Lawrence Lewis, docketed "Col. Geo. Mason's Statement," and in another hand, "as to title of Woodlawn."

Keywords

Mason, George, 1725-1792

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19079

Unit Date May 1805 - December 1806

Text 40 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Bushrod Washington Jr. to Edward Shippen Burd

Unit ID A-660

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23801

Unit Date 1805 May 18

Text 40 (box)

Container 1805.05.18 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1785-1830

Creator Burd, Edward Shippen, 1779-1848

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Mount Vernon. Agrees with Burd that horseracing is the favorite sport of Virginians -- mentions races in Virginia and Pennsylvania and Washington -- says spring at Mt. Vernon is the "season when nature presents its most pleasing colours" -- admires ladies in the neighborhood "but none of them has enslaved my happiness" -- speculates that closer relations between Pennsylvania

and Virginia might be fostered by intermarriage between the states -- mentions Mr. [Thomas] Jefferson's use of hieroglyphics. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexa. Va. May 18," torn, laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Washington."

Letter, Lawrence Lewis to the Sheriff of Fairfax

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3503

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23802

Unit Date 1805 June

Text 40 (box)

Container 1805.06 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

1 page. Estate of GW.A notice of a forthcoming bond for Keating and Murray. Amount: $1.00.

Receipt, George Blakely to John Bassett

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23803

Unit Date 1805 July 1

Text 40 (box)

Container 1805.07.01 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Autograph document signed, fragment, docketed "Blakey Recpt. for a Bay mare June 1805." Receipt for 25 pounds for a bay mare.

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23804

Unit Date 1805 July 10

Text 40 (box)

Container 1805.07.10 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Arlington House. Custis writes that his account with the estate of George Washington will be paid as soon as his crop can be marketed -- expresses distress of Fitzhugh family because of Mrs. Fitzhugh's illness -- he wishes the Kanawha lands were apportioned for he wishes to sell his share, even at great loss. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by B. Washington, mounted, watermark.

Policy of assurance for revaluation of Mount Vernon dependencies, Bushrod Washington

Unit ID R-180; MSS-754

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23806

Unit Date 1805 August 31

Text 40 (box)

Container 1805.08.31 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Buildings insured were 2 Negro Quarters, Office, Smokehouse, Wash house, Carriage house, and 2 Stables ... "real sum insured" was $4576.00 ... signed by Rob't Mitchell.

Keywords

Business records

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Richard Peters

Unit ID A-642

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23807

Unit Date 1805 September 13

Text 40 (box)

Container 1805.09.13 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Bushrod writes to Peters that he has heard of the sickness in Philadelphia, Baltimore, Norfolk, New York and Philadelphia (yellow fever) -- asks if they should hold court for "your District"? -- thinks judges and lawyers would attend, but would jury men and witnesses also attend if in danger of sickness? -- would it be better to postpone until winter? -- intends to spend a few days at Wheatland near Charlestown, Jefferson County. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by Peters, "16 ansd. repeating what I wrote him on the 15th substance," postmarked Alexa Va. September 14," watermark.

Receipt, Thomas Beall to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2115

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23808

Unit Date 1805 November 12

Text 40 (box)

Container 1805.11.12 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

Receipt for $200. as part payment of a $500. loan ...

Letter, Samuel Washington to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23809

Unit Date 1805 December 24

Text 40 (box)

Container 1805.12.24 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Culpeper County. Capt. Hammond [husband of Samuel's deceased sister Mildred] wants him to buy his share of Kanawha lands left him by George Washington's legacy -- he can't afford it -- asks for an opinion on how much he should lease or buy it for -- can Hammond have other compensation in place of this land? -- Hammond embarrassed for money now -- he gave draft on executors and it was refused. Autograph letter signed, integral cover. Name on original manuscript appears as "Saml. Washington."

Letter, Bushrod Washington Jr. to Edward Shippen Burd

Unit ID 2018-SC-025

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14587

Unit Date 1806 January 14

Text 40 (box)

Container 1806.01.14 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1785-1830

Creator Burd, Edward Shippen, 1779-1848

Extent 3 pages25 x 21 cm, folded

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed with integral address panel. Bushrod writes about spending Christmas in Dumfries by invitation of "very fine girls," although his trip was cut short when his father came down

with gout. He also gives news of the Federal City, which is "thronged with beautiful girls and other strangers," including "a number of Turks and Indians." He shares an anecdote about the Turkish ambassador asking Thomas Jefferson for "six wives" and writes about a dinner hosted aboard a frigate by Jefferson for a group of Native American men. Bushrod also writes of the rising power of Napoleon in France and about the Carters of Philadelphia.

Keywords
Native Americans
Correspondence
Jefferson, Thomas, 1743-1826

Receipt, to the estate of George Washington

Unit ID RM-457; MS- 3504

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23812

Unit Date 1806 January

Text 40 (box)

Container 1806.01.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents
Receipt. Certifying proof of a Mr. Peytons deed to the District of Columbia. Amount: $52.00. Estate of GW.

Keywords
Washington, George, 1732-1799

Receipt, George W. Riggs to Mrs. Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2098

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23869

Unit Date 1806 March 1

Text 40 (box)

Container 1806.03.01 (folder)

Scope and Contents
Receipt. A.N.S. 1 page. $1.00 for watch repair docketed, "paid by Mrs. W. from Butter Sold."

Letter, Julia Ann Blackburn Washington to Elizabeth Scott Rankin

Unit ID RM-61; MS-2131

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23813

Unit Date 1806 March 13

Text 40 (box)

Container 1806.03.13 (folder)

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents
A.L.S. 3 pages. Mt. Vernon has sent her some books ... will send more ... invites the Rankins for a visit ... regards from all the family ... Autograph letter signed, integral cover. Name on original manuscript appears as "Ann Washington."

Articles of agreement, Jesse Richardson and William Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-378; MS-2463

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23814

Unit Date 1806 March 15

Text 40 (box)

Container 1806.03.15 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents
Articles of Agreement, Jesse Richardson with Wm. A. Washington for purchase of a tract of land, held jointly by Wm. A. Washington and Lawrence Butler, of 1000 acres in Pulaski County, Kentucky. Jesse Richardson to pay Col. Washington with young horses, to the amount of the purchase. Valuation to be

established.

Letter, Bushrod Washington, Jr. to Edward Shippen Burd

Unit ID A-660

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23815

Unit Date 1806 March 27

Text 40 (box)

Container 1806.03.27 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1785-1830

Creator Burd, Edward Shippen, 1779-1848

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Mount Vernon. Has been amusing himself reading Mr. John Randolph's Philippicks, his invectives against democrats -- this includes Randolphs threat to impeach Madison and Jefferson -- he has many politicians under his control through fear of being exposed by him -- mentions having received a report of Mr. Pitt's death [Wm. the younger] in England -- comments on the European situation -- the British Navy is the only thing between Napoleon and world domination -- U.S. should do nothing to injure Britain at this time -- since his aunt [Ann Blackburn Washington] has determined not to visit Philadelphia this Spring, he will stay and keep her company. Autograph letter signed, with integral cover, postmarked "Alexa Va Mar. 30," docketed, laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Washington."

Receipt, John Tayloe to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2205

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23816

Unit Date 1806 April 28

Text 40 (box)

Container 1806.04.28 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

$6.75 pd. in full.

Letter, Lawrence Lewis to Gabriel Lewis

Unit ID W-694

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23870

Unit Date 1806 May 25

Text 40 (box)

Container 1806.05.25 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Woodlawn. Gen. Mason going to Kentucky will carry this letter -- acknowledges payment of $40 -- Warner was with them, mentions his trip to Orleans -- their father [John Lewis] is well -- speaks of Dr. Stuart's land in Mason County, Ky., 5000 acres on Tripletts creek and 9000 on Locust creek -- advertised for sale -- he sends tax money by Gen. Mason -- asks Gabriel Lewis to help Mason -- talks of affairs of the day -- the ship Leander -- General Miranda landed in Spanish America, the province of Caraccas, takes the island of Marquireta, the towns of Camana -- Barcelona on the river Neveri, in full march for the capital of the colony -- this information by Capt. Risbrough from Martinique, Miranda has proclaimed the independence of the province. Concludes with a full 2 page postscript by Nelly, here separately cataloged. Autograph letter signed, with 2 p. additional note by Nelly Custis Lewis, cover marked "Hond by Genl. Tomson Mason, laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "Lawr. Lewis."

Account, George Lewis with John Baxter

Unit ID RM-842; MS-5297

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23817

Unit Date 1806 June 5

Text 40 (box)

Container 1806.06.05 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 1/4 page. Baxter charges a total of L8, 2 shillings for smithing services including "Making 2 large Ramshare ploughs" and mending carriage wheels and selling a "whip saw." Balance paid. Document signed, docketed.

Letter, Bushrod Washington, Jr. to Edward Shippen Burd

Unit ID A-660

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23818

Unit Date 1806 July 18

Text 40 (box)

Container 1806.07.18 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1785-1830

Creator Burd, Edward Shippen, 1779-1848

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Caroline Springs near Fredericksburg. Papers desired by Burd will need to be retrieved from recording office in [Washington] -- Bushrod will be in the Fredericksburg area for a while -- reveals his approaching marriage to Miss [Henrietta] Spotswood -- they will live on his estate in Westmoreland and later procure an establishment near Alexandria -- please tell Rush of the upcoming wedding -- he asks for European news -- "our present President" [Jefferson] means to stand for reelection. Autograph letter signed, integral cover docketed, laminated, postmarked "Freds Va Jul 20." Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Washington."

Letter, William Augustine Washington to Alexander Spotswood

Unit ID RM-397; MS-2530

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23819

Unit Date 1806 July 18

Text 40 (box)

Container 1806.07.18 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

Rock Hill. Col. Washington explains that his son Bushrod, Jr, will share equally with his brothers in the Col.'s estate. His income will be adequate to support a wife. At the time young Bushrod was engaged to Spotswood's daughter, Henrietta.

Letter, William Augustine Washington to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23871

Unit Date 1806 August 25

Text 40 (box)

Container 1806.08.25 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Washington, Rock Hill. Introduces Bushrod Washingtons own nephew, George Corbin Washington, who just arrived after tedious passage of 20 days, and is "so much grown that I suppose you would scarcely know him" -- Bushrod, Jr. and new wife Henrietta Spotswood are very happy -- Bushrod, Jr. wishes to trade his Kanawha land for land near Centerville -- what is Bushrod's opinion of this land? -- desires Bushrod to help him find purchaser for his lands, Blenheim and Haywood -- wishes to sell, pay debts and divide rest among children -- "there seems to be little hope of getting out of debt

by cropping" -- he presses suit against Mr. [Wm.] Robinson for £560 -- Robinson has no claim to money from land sold to George Washington and others after death of his daughter [Ann A. Washington]. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, mounted, docketed "Wm. A. Washington about Mr. Robinson's claim," laminated, watermarks. Name on original manuscript appears as "Wm. A. Washington."

Bill, Thomas Corcoran to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2105

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23820

Unit Date 1806 December 18

Text 40 (box)

Container 1806.12.18 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

Bill. $2.25 for 9 lbs. of sole leather ...

Poem "Washington's Requiem" by Virginia Cary

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23810

Unit Date 1806

Text 40 (box)

Container 1806.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Poem "Washington's Requiem" by Virginia Cary. D. 1 page. A poem in praise of G.W., written in 1800 or 1806 "on seeing a picture of Mount Vernon with the grave of Washington." (Date might be 1800). Date on original catalog appears 180[6 ?].

Letter, David Stuart to Timothy Pickering

Unit ID A-832

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23811

Unit Date 1806

Text 40 (box)

Container 1806.00.00 (folder)

Creator Pickering, Timothy, 1745-1829

Creator Stuart, David, 1753-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Deals with two letters reputedly written by G.W. to [Thomas Jefferson] after the Mazzei letter [Thos. Jefferson to Philip Mazzei, Ap. 24, 1796; famous controversial letter, after which G.W. was said never to have written T.J. again]--Tobias Lear employed by Judge W-n to assort the General's papers, and letters now missing, plus a diary for important presidential years--[accuses no one, but implies Lear took them]--tries to reconcile General's statement [that he never wrote T.J. again after the Mazzei letter] with truth--congratulates Pickering on speech against embargo--mentions [John] Adams "lives a mournful spectacle of blind and courtly obedience to Presidential will." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, [first part of letter missing], laminated.

Keywords

Correspondence

Account, estate of George Washington with Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID A-570

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23872

Unit Date 1806-1818

Text 40 (box)

Container 1806.00.00 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

Account, Estate of George Washington with Lawrence Lewis. A.D. 2 pages. Account of money spent and

Account, Estate of George Washington with Lawrence Lewis. A.D. 2 pages. Account of money spent and received by Lewis as executor of G.W.'s estate - includes taxes on Kentucky land, City taxes, taxes on property in Alexandria, rents paid to Mr. Fitzhugh for rent of land for free negroes and money for support of free negroes. Autograph document in hand of Lewis, docketed by Lewis "No. 3 the Estate of Genl. Washington in Acct. with Lawe. Lewis." Laminated, watermark.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Estate

Financial records

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19080

Unit Date January 1807 - December 1808

Text 41 (box)

Language English.

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23821

Unit Date 1807 January 10

Text 41 (box)

Container 1807.01.10 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Arlington House. The amount paid Dr. Peyton about settles Custis's account to estate -- asks Bushrod to send old bonds he gave at 1st sale to Woodlawn, where he can pick them up, along with any papers relating to his estate the "Forest of Washington," bequeathed him by the General. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by Bushrod W., laminated.

Letter, Bushrod Washington, Jr. to Edward Shippen Burd

Unit ID A-660

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23822

Unit Date 1807 February 7

Text 41 (box)

Container 1807.02.07 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1785-1830

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Rock Hill. Bushrod comments on Aaron Burr's efforts to separate western states -- thinks his plan an absurd for one of his intellect and feels he cannot succeed -- Burr should be arrested and tried if any crime can be found -- mentions the costly delays of Congress -- says his fondness for ladies is increased by his high opinion of his wife, Henrietta Spotswood -- makes comments on Burd's romance. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed "Bushrod Washington Mt. Vernon," postmarked "Washington City, Feb. 14", laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Bushrod Washington."

Letter, James Madison to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3505

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23823

Unit Date 1807 March

Text 41 (box)

Container 1807.03.00 (folder)

Creator Madison, James, 1751-1836

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

Letter, 1 page. Madison transmits to Bushrod Washington the papers of Fielding Lewis who died before

Letter, 1 page. Madison transmits to Bushrod Washington the papers of Fielding Lewis who died before they could be processed. Name on original manuscript appears as "J. Madison."

Letter, Bushrod Washington to James Reid

Unit ID A-409

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23824

Unit Date 1807 March 10

Text 41 (box)

Container 1807.03.10 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon. As Bushrod is leaving home for an extended period he asks to leave charge of nephews John and Bushrod [Corbin ?] Washington, who are in school, to Reid -- asks Reid to furnish them with any clothing or other articles they need -- no extravagances -- and 2 or 3 dollars a month pocket money. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated. Note while the letter appears to be addressed to 'James New,' the editors at the Washington Papers discovered that Bushrod Washington's poor handwriting actually is written to James Reid.

Letter, John Marshall to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID 2018-SC-095

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17775

Unit Date 1807 April 17

Text 41 (box)

Container 1807.04.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Marshall, John, 1755-1835

Extent 1 pages23 x 19 cm, folded

Scope and Contents

Marshall writes that, at the request of Bushrod Washington, he is sending "the enclosed letters" (not present) but was unable to find "the letter of Mr. S. Washington to which that of the 2d of April is an answer." Marshall was given access to the papers of George Washington to write his biography. Bushrod Washington and Lawrence Lewis served as executors of Washington's estate and were likely requesting papers back from Marshall in order to settle Washington's account with his nephew Saumel T. Washington.

Keywords

Correspondence

Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Receipt, Robert Washington to Daingerfield Lewis

Unit ID A-516

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23825

Unit Date 1807 April 25

Text 41 (box)

Container 1807.04.25 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A receipt in Washington's hand for "4 Hhs. and 21 1/2 Bs. corn." Docketed "Memorandum of Corn". Autograph document signed, in hand of Washington, fragment, docketed "Memorandum of Corn". For 4 Hhs. and 21 1/2 Bs. corn.

Keywords

Receipts (financial records)

Letter, Lawrence Lewis to Gabriel Lewis

Unit ID W-681

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23826

Unit Date 1807 July 22

Text 41 (box)

Container 1807.77.22 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Woodlawn. They haven't heard from him in a long while and tax money due -- has he heard of the atrocious outrage by British Admiral Berkley on the flag of the United States [Chesapeake-Leopard affair] -- Commodore Douglas, the Triumph and Melampus, the Bellona and the Leopard, schooner Revenge to go to England with dispatches -- meanwhile seaports to be fortified -- "Something like War this, spirit of 76 up" -- "War rather than a disgraceful peace" -- hopes to see him -- Gabriel "must want more Negroes by this time, I shall have it in my power to furnish you" -- Eleanor (Nelly) sends good wishes, but says Gabriel hasnt answered her letter. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked Alexa Va. July 22, laminated, docketed, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Law. Lewis." Date on original catalog card appears as [1807] July 22.

Letter, Bushrod Washington, Jr. to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID MSS-571

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23827

Unit Date 1807 September 8

Text 41 (box)

Container 1807.09.08 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1785-1830

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. New Port. Awaits confinement of his wife [Henrietta Spotswood] hourly [Anne Eliza Washington, born 1807]--anxious to go to Westmoreland to see about workmen and how house goes along--sure Laurel Grove will be ready for occupancy by time Henrietta's confinement is over--will see him shortly to get things for housekeeping--expects kitchen furniture to come highest--purchases to be made--will get by on minimum this year--can get these articles in Alexa.--for money to pay workman, will sell Mr. Spotswood 500 acres in Ky. [W. A. W-n] offered him--will pay [his father] a dollar per acre--hears treaty has been ratified, if so will enhance price of [ ]--George [Corbin W-n] must look like a married man by now--requests he see that corn field at Laurel Grove be laid down in wheat--Mr. Rose, who holds his note for $400 is to issue writ against him--asks [father] to let him have money out of first crops and he can deduct this from his wheat crop when it is ready. Autograph letter signed, with long postscript on cover, docketed by W. A. Washington "My Son Bushrod's Letter agreeing to give me one Dollar pr. acre for 500 acres Land in Kentucky the half of 1000 Acres between Majr. Butler and myself and to be conveyed in the same way as my Agreement with Jesse Richardson. Sept. 8th 1807." Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Washington."

Letter, George Calvert to John Law

Unit ID RM-1150; MS-5844

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23873

Unit Date 1807 November 13

Text 41 (box)

Container 1807.11.13 (folder)

Creator Law, John, 1784?-1822

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Regarding settling account of Mrs. Law.

Receipt, John Tayloe to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2204

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23828

Unit Date 1807 November 20

Text 41 (box)

Container 1807.11.20 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

$1.50 pd. on account of John Chew ... [addressed to Colo. Washington, most likely William Augustine Washington].

Receipt, Thomas Beall to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2118

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23829

Unit Date 1807 November 21

Text 41 (box)

Container 1807.11.21 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

Receipt for $200. for 6 months house rent ...

Letter, Julia Ann Blackburn Washington to Sally Sinclair

Unit ID RM-37; MS-2043

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23830

Unit Date 1807 November 22

Text 41 (box)

Container 1807.11.22 (folder)

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Rippon Lodge. Long letter about the health and travels of her husband and brother ... sends this letter by her husband, Bushrod W-n ... regrets Miss Sinclair and Betsy cannot visit her this winter ... Autograph letter signed, integral cover. Name on original manuscript appears as "Ann Washington." Someone had docketed the letter and has identified writer and recepient.

Letter, William Augustine Washington to Thomas Beall

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2114

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23831

Unit Date 1807 December 15

Text 41 (box)

Container 1807.12.15 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

1 page. Request for three bushels of corn. Docketed "5 Baggs lent at 3 Bushells each in the car at several different times."

Account, Eliza Parke Custis Law account with Thomas Law

Unit ID RM-1150 ; MS-5847

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33608

Unit Date 1807-1809

Text 41 (box)

Container 1807.12.30 (folder)

Language English.

Abstract Financial account of Eliza Parke Custis Law with Thomas Law from December 1807 to February 1809. Most relate to household expenses, includes an order of prints by Vanderlyn and two payments 'in favor of William Causten' [William Costin?]. Autograph document, 2 pages, docketed on the reverse.

Extent 1 Sheets1 page folded, 2 pages with text34 x 21 cm

Keywords

Financial records

Law, Elizabeth Parke Custis, 1776-1831

Law, Thomas, 1756-1834

Bill and receipt, Thomas Corcoran to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2101

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23874

Unit Date 1807-1809

Text 41 (box)

Container 1807.00.00 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

Bill and receipt. 8 entries - all for shoes apparently for the Negroes... 10 pairs for $16.82." Receipted by Corcoran on Oct. 10, 1809.

Account, William Augustine Washington with Elisha Riggs

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2075

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23875

Unit Date 1807-1808

Text 41 (box)

Container 1807.00.00 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

Account. A.D. 3 pages. Docketed. Interesting record of dress making materials... Variety of fabrics represented, gloves, fans, stockings, etc.

Bill, Thomas Corcoran to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2108

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23832

Unit Date 1808 January 14

Text 41 (box)

Container 1808.01.14 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

3 pairs of shoes for $3.50. Bill made out by Wm. Parsons for Thomas Corcoran. Addressed to Colonel Washington, most likely William Augustine Washington.

Letter, Lawrence Washington to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-378; MS-2464

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23833

Unit Date 1808 June 9

Text 41 (box)

Container 1808.06.09 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lawrence Augustine, 1774-1824

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Grape Hill. Reports advertisement in Winchester paper of 2 tracts of land owned by A[ndrew] Park. (Lawrence probably son of Samuel and his 4th wife Anne Steptoe).

Letter, George Calvert to John Law

Unit ID RM-1150; MS-5845

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23876

Unit Date 1808 August 25

Text 41 (box)

Container 1808.08.25 (folder)

Creator Law, John, 1784?-1822

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Regarding debts of Mrs. Law. To Mr. John Law, Washington.

Letter, John Law to George Calvert

Unit ID RM-1150; MS-5846

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23877

Unit Date 1808 August 26

Text 41 (box)

Container 1808.08.26 (folder)

Creator Law, John, 1784?-1822

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Regarding repayment of Mrs. Law's debts, his proposal and conditions for taking responsibility for them.

Check, William Augustine Washington to R.L. Elliott

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2180

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23834

Unit Date 1808 November 9

Text 41 (box)

Container 1808.11.09 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

Bank of Columbia, Georgetown.$2.15 ...

Check, William Augustine Washington to John Brown

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2181

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23835

Unit Date 1808 November 25

Text 41 (box)

Container 1808.11.25 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

Bank of Columbia, Georgetown.$30.00.

Check, William Augustine Washington to John Peter

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2182

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23836

Unit Date 1808 December 8

Text 41 (box)

Container 1808.12.08 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

Bank of Columbia, Georgetown.$5.00 ...

List of fees, Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-812; MS-5235

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23878

Unit Date 1808-1812

Text 41 (box)

Container 1808.00.00 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

List of fees against Lawrence Lewis, Fairfax County. D.S. 1 page. Fees owed by Lewis to the Fairfax County court through his business as executor of George Washington's estate. Signed by William Moss, clerk of the court.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19081

Unit Date January 1809 - July 1811

Text 42 (box)

Language English.

Bill and receipt from George Upperman, signed by Sarah Tayloe Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2102

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23841

Unit Date 1809 February 7

Text 42 (box)

Container 1809.02.07 (folder)

Scope and Contents

For repairing a wagon wheel.

Keywords

Receipts (financial records)

Letter, George Lewis to Gabriel Lewis

Unit ID W-807

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23842

Unit Date 1809 February 10

Text 42 (box)

Container 1809.02.10 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Fredericksburg. Sends this by Gabriels friend Byrd Willis who visits Kentucky intending to settle there -- George hopes Byrd will look at his (Georges) land there if he gets as far as Green River -- Warner and Gabriel's letter was received -- Warner Lewis speaks well of Georges land on Lost Creek -- would like Gabriel to show it to Byrd -- Gabriel did not like Georges proposal about the division of their land -- attack of gout keeps George home but he will try to get to Kentucky and arrange a better division of the land -- Gabriel's father, John Lewis, is well. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "G. Lewis."

Check, William Augustine Washington to Dr. Charles Worthington

Unit ID RM-366; MS-3094

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23843

Unit Date 1809 March 17

Text 42 (box)

Container 1809.03.17 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

Signed check made payable to Docr. Charles Worthington for the amount of $38.00.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID RM-538; MS-4182

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23844

Unit Date 1809 April 24

Text 42 (box)

Container 1809.04.24 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Philadelphia. Expresses his happiness that her health has improved, apparently due to the efficity of a medicinal concoction of his own devise. Describes his heavy work schedule of Supreme Court cases and a visit to a circus, which he enjoyed immensely.

Letter, Lawrence Augustine Washington to Bushrod Washington and Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3506

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23845

Unit Date 1809 May 29

Text 42 (box)

Container 1809.05.29 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lawrence Augustine, 1774-1824

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

2 pages. Consents to a proposal for the Dismal Swamp property purchase by Gen. Lee from G. Washington's estate. He believes the proposal will satisfy the interests of the legatees.

Check, William Augustine Washington to John Wilson

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2183

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23846

Unit Date 1809 June 3

Text 42 (box)

Container 1809.06.03 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

Bank of Columbia, Georgetown.$11.41 ...

Letter, Lawrence Augustine Washington to Samuel Washington

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4653

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23847

Unit Date 1809 July 8

Text 42 (box)

Container 1809.07.08 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lawrence Augustine, 1774-1824

Scope and Contents

Letter. Hawthorn. Concerns "a box of papers which related to the executorship" of the estate of Lawrence's father Samuel Washington [1734-1781]. Lawrence asks Samuel to help clear the name of his deceased brother George Steptoe Washington [1771-1809] by altering previous testimony Samuel had made regarding these papers. "I feel a confidence ... that this act of justice, to my brother's memory will be done with promptness." Name on original manuscript appears as "Lawrence A. Washington."

Letter, Daniel C. Brent to William Washington

Unit ID 2022-SC-007-010

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32645

Unit Date 1809 September 23

Text 42 (box)

Container 1809.09.23 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 Sheets1 page folded, 4 pages with text19 x 25 cm

Scope and Contents

Daniel C. Brent, Dumfries Virginia, writes to Col. William Washington, concerning land and timber upon the property located in Stafford, Virginia, and the mortgage left between General "Light Horse" Harry Lee and Mrs. Fitzhugh which is currently held up the county court. Henry Lee was placed in debtors' prison as a result for not paying on his land transactions. Autograph letter signed, 3 pages, with integral address panel. Docketed.

Keywords

Correspondence

Real property

Washington, William, 1752-1810

Custodial History

George Washington Masonic National Memorial Catalog No. 1971.01.060

Bond, Lawrence Augustine Washington and Comfort Wood to Cornelius Baldwin

Unit ID A-456

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23849

Unit Date 1810 January 15

Text 42 (box)

Container 1810.01.15 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lawrence Augustine, 1774-1824

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Bond of Lawrence A. Washington and Comfort Wood, administrator and administratrix of Robert Wood, deceased, to deliver 4 head horses to "Edward McGuire's Hotel in Winchester," the place of appointed sale of the 2nd Saturday in February. Partly printed, endorsed, laminated. Signed by Lawrence A. Washington and Comfort Wood.

Bill and receipt, Joseph Milligan to Sarah Tayloe Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2103

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23850

Unit Date 1810 January 26

Text 42 (box)

Container 1810.01.26 (folder)

Scope and Contents

1 Bible, $3.00. Receipted by Eben. Macdonald.

Letter, Lawrence Lewis to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID A-371

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23851

Unit Date 1810 February 13

Text 42 (box)

Container 1810.02.13 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Woodlawn. Lawrence writes regarding Gen. Lee's account with the estate of George Washington -- he is unable to locate Lees bond -- also mentions statement of Mr. Bassett's account with estate -- in a postscript he says that he found Lees bond amongst the Suffolk papers. Autograph letter signed, with postscript on integral cover, mounted, red seal, (good, with heraldic device). Name on original manuscript appears as "Law. Lewis."

Lieutenant Colonel Wharton to Eliza Parke Custis Law

Unit ID RM-90; MS-2238

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23852

Unit Date 1810 February 27

Text 42 (box)

Container 1810.02.27 (folder)

Creator Law, Elizabeth Parke Custis, 1776-1831

Scope and Contents

L. 1 page. Re: Col. Wharton acknowledges with great pleasure the gift from Mrs. Law of a waistcoat which belonged to General George Washington. Letter, handwritten, unsigned, no cover, postmark, etc.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Warner Lewis

Unit ID A-372

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23853

Unit Date 1810 March 24

Text 42 (box)

Container 1810.03.24 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Bushrod mentions receiving tax money for Mr. Turner's land -- will settle with your uncle [Lawr. Lewis] also will get him to sign the power of attorney so he can sell the Kentucky lands which belong to the devisees of Gen. Washington -- gives information of Kentucky lands: deed from Gen. Lee to Washington for 5000@ dated Nov. 5, 1798 -- was recorded in Kentucky court of appeals Dec. 7, 1799 -- gives James Nourse's description of tract of 2000@ on Rough Creek -- Philips certifies to adjoining tract, 3000@ -- Gen. Spotswood's favorable account of the adjoining country -- whole creek navigable -- other claims to parts of land -- one [Woodson ?] -- letter of Dec. 1802 from a Mr. Thomas Lewis claiming interference with his claim -- thinks there is a mistake -- Lawrence Lewis and Bushrod Washington will allow Warner Lewis reasonable compensation for visiting and examining the above lands. (virtually identical to another copy in collection, except that this one has docketing: "Copy of Letter and Power of Atty to Mr. W. Lewis".) Autograph letter signed, docketed by B.W., "Copy

of Letter and Power of Atty to Mr. W. Lewis", silked, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "B. Washington." Photocopy in PS file.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Warner Lewis

Unit ID W-788

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23854

Unit Date 1810 March 24

Text 42 (box)

Container 1810.03.24 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Bushrod mentions receiving tax money for Mr. Turner's land -- will settle with your uncle [Lawr. Lewis] also will get him to sign the power of attorney so he can sell the Kentucky lands which belong to the devisees of Gen. Washington -- gives information of Kentucky lands: deed from Gen. Lee to Washington for 5000@ dated Nov. 5, 1798 -- was recorded in Kentucky court of appeals Dec. 7, 1799 -- gives James Nourse's description of tract of 2000@ on Rough Creek -- Philips certifies to adjoining tract, 3000@ -- Gen. Spotswood's favorable account of the adjoining country -- whole creek navigable -- other claims to parts of land -- one [Woodson ?] -- letter of Dec. 1802 from a Mr. Thomas Lewis claiming interference with his claim -- thinks there is a mistake -- Lawrence Lewis and Bushrod Washington will allow Warner Lewis reasonable compensation for visiting and examining the above lands. (virtually identical to another copy in collection, except that this lacks docketing.) Autograph letter signed, laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Bush. Washington." Photocopy in PS file. [See copy of same letter, same date, docketed by B. W-n, "Copy of Letter and Power of Atty to W. W. Lewis"].

Letter, Anna Maria Thomasina Blackburn Washington to George Fayette Washington

Unit ID RM-9; MSS-2012

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23855

Unit Date 1810 April 20

Text 42 (box)

Container 1810.04.20 (folder)

Creator Washington, Anna Maria Thomasina Blackburn, 1790-1833

Creator Washington, George Fayette, 1790-1867

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Woodlawn. Family letter... her health not good; under the care of Dr. Dangerfield ... her friend, Eliza Smith, wrote of the activities of their friends ... Miss Vanderings, Frederick Campbell, P Coleman, Dr. Nelson, Miss Re, M. Randolph are some of the names mentioned in the letter ... Autograph letter signed, integral cover. Name on original manuscript appears as "A. M. W."

Letter, Anna Maria Thomasina Blackburn Washington to George Fayette Washington

Unit ID A-680

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23856

Unit Date 1810 May 3

Text 42 (box)

Container 1810.05.03 (folder)

Creator Washington, Anna Maria Thomasina Blackburn, 1790-1833

Creator Washington, George Fayette, 1790-1867

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. Anna Maria writes her dear brother news of the "Doctor" [Stuart] and family, a visit at Ossian Hall, and "Aunt Lewis" and family at Woodlawn -- wishes to have thread spun to knit stockings for her two brothers George Fayette and Charles for they are "much more pleasant in Summer than cotton" but is having trouble finding someone to do the spinning for her -- Aunt Lewis has knitted purses for them. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, watermark (RG). Name on original manuscript appears as "A. M. W."

Letter, John Minor to David Stuart

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24708

Unit Date 1810 August 4

Text 42 (box)

Container 1810.08.04 (folder)

Creator Stuart, David, 1753-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Includes account of fees against Stuart at the end of the letter with entries from 1806 to 1810. Addressed to "Doctor David Stuart, Ossian Hall, Fairfax County." Docketed "Genl. Minor acct."

Keywords

Correspondence

Financial records

Bill, Thomas Corcoran to Sarah Tayloe Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2106

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23857

Unit Date 1810 November 2

Text 42 (box)

Container 1810.11.02 (folder)

Scope and Contents

3 pairs shoes, $5.00.

Constitution, Rules and Regulations of the Mutual Assurance Society against Fire on Buildings in the State of Virginia

Unit ID RM-188; MS-2576

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23848

Unit Date 1810

Text 42 (box)

Container 1810.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Text, quarto with paper binding. 26 pages. Consists of rules and regulations of the Mutual Assurance Company against Fire in Buildings in the State of Virginia. Same company which insured Bushrod Washington's Mount Vernon.

Certificate of freedom for Norman Washington

Unit ID MS-5904

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/21696

Unit Date 1811 April 24

Text 42 (box)

Container 1811.04.24 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Printed form with [manuscript] completions: "City and County of New-York, ss. I [Charles Dickinson] one of the Alderman of the City of New-York, and a Judge of the Court of Common pleas, called the Mayor's Court, ... Do Certify, That on this day [Norman Washington] Residing in the said city a [Black] man exhibited proof before me, reduced to writing, of the freedom of him ... I Do Further Certify that the said [Norman] ... was born at [Mount Vernon] in [the State of Virginia] and that he [was born] free .... Given under my hand, this [Twenty fourth] day of April in the year one thousand eight hundred and eleven.]" Includes physical description of Norman Washington; and gives his age as "about Twenty Seven years." 1 page, 20 x 17 cm.

Keywords

Free papers

Freedmen

New York (N.Y.)

Note from Bushrod Washington to unidentified recipient

Unit ID 2018-SC-044-002

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14115

Unit Date 1811 June 7

Text 42 (box)

Container 1811.06.07 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Extent 1 pages

Scope and Contents

Autograph note signed and initialed by Bushrod Washington, regarding a mortgage payment and deed certification.

Letter, James Neale to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID A-238

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23858

Unit Date 1811 July 1

Text 42 (box)

Container 1811.07.01 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Philadelphia. Neale desires information of Margaret Keith from Ireland, who accompanied Gen. Washington on all his campaigns in the Revolution until 1779 or 1780 -- she had several illegitimate children, of which the writer seems to be one -- he has been enabled to rise in a small degree above his lowly beginnings. Autograph letter signed, integral cover badly burned and torn, laminated, docketed by B.W. Name on original manuscript appears as "James G.W. N."

Statement of debts, Samuel Washington

Unit ID RM-892; MS-5390

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23859

Unit Date 1811 July 27

Text 42 (box)

Container 1811.07.27 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Statement of debts, Samuel Washington. D.S. 12 pages, folio. Drawn up to effect a settlement of a dispute between Lawrence Washington, Bushrod Washington and Joseph Nourse (U.S. Treasury). Includes various members of Washington family and sizable debt owed to John Parke Custis, deceased.

Letter, David Stuart to Robert Beverley

Unit ID W-1459/B; A-320

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23860

Unit Date 1811 July 29

Text 42 (box)

Container 1811.07.29 (folder)

Creator Stuart, David, 1753-1814

Creator Beverley, Robert, 1769-1843

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Note asking Mr. Beverley to send $26.4 by the bearer. Robert Beverly was executor of William A. Washington's estate. Autograph letter signed, quarter sheet.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19082

Unit Date August 1811 - July 1813

Text 43 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Thomas Evans to Thomas Beall

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2189

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23879

Unit Date 1811 August 11

Text 43 (box)

Container 1811.08.11 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Introduces Beall to a Mr. Bennett (?) who has proposed marriage to Evans' daughter, who, it seems, has been cared for by Mr. and Mrs. Beall. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Tho. B. Evans."

Letter, John Thornton, Augustine Washington, and Samuel Washington to Bushrod Washington and Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23880

Unit Date 1811 August 29

Text 43 (box)

Container 1811.08.29 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. The heirs of Thornton Washington, son of Samuel, give their written assent to Bushrod to "Dismiss suit against Col. Lee" if the land in question can be sold at good price -- they wish to settle affairs of the Thornton Washington estate. Autograph letter signed, in hand of ? , docketed by B.W. "T. and Sam Washington Rock Hall."

Letter, Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Gabriel Lewis

Unit ID W-682

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23975

Unit Date 1811 October 21

Text 43 (box)

Container 1811.10.21 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Llewellyn. Family matters -- Parke often talks with her about him [Gabriel] -- distance from Kentucky is nothing, as Warner will prove -- Warner with them now but soon to return to Lexington and Logan -- Gabriel's wife and two boys [Richard Bibb and John Gabriel Lewis] -- Mary Ann to stay with Mrs. Lee -- wishes to see him and his family in Virginia again -- wishes he were there to act as nursemaid, housekeeper etc. for her again -- Warner is o.k. at this, but he has a roving disposition and won't remain long in one place -- Howell [Lewis] studying mathmatics in Alexandria -- wishes he [Howell] would use influence with his cousin, "Queen Dolla lolla" [Dolly Madison?] to get reinstated in Navy with more advantageous appointment -- "I have at Woodlawn the finest bed of Mint for Juleps that I have ever seen" -- would brew them for his father's [John Lewis's] use -- sends gifts to his boys and wife -- Mr. Lewis and "my four darlings" send regards. Autograph letter signed, laminated, watermarked. Name on original manuscript appears as "Eleanor."

Letter, Marie-Joseph Paul Yves Roch Gilbert du Motier, Marquis de Lafayette to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2063

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/4081

Unit Date 1811 December 15

Text 43 (box)

Container 1811.12.15 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lafayette, Marie Joseph Paul Yves Roch Gilbert Du Motier, marquis de, 1757-1834

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Extent 2 pages1 bifolium sheetUnfolded: 21 x 34 cm; Folded: 21 x 17 cm

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Living in retirement at LaGrange ... some general information on state of European politics ... heard that John Marshall to publish a 2nd. edition of his Life of W-n ... requests Bushrod to send him his (L-e's) correspondence with Gen. W-n and copies of GW's letters to him ... Lafayette's papers lost in "revolutionary storms of Europe." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, Paris. Name on original manuscript appears as "Lafayette." Sequel: Bushrod apprently sent the correspondence which is now (1963) in the library of Lafayette College. See also 1811 D.B. Warden to Dec. 20 Bushrod W-n.

Letter, David Bailie Warden to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2062

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23881

Unit Date 1811 December 20

Text 43 (box)

Container 1811.12.20 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Paris. Offers to act as the go-between for Lafayette and Bushrod correspondence ... also Mr. Graham of the State Dept. if Bushrod agrees to send the GW-Lafayette correspondence ... Autograph letter signed, integral cover. Name on original manuscript appears as "D. B. Warden." See 1811 - Lafayette to Bushrod Wn Dec. 15.

Receipt, Peyton Drew to Robert Lewis

Unit ID W-1250

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23882

Unit Date 1811

Text 43 (box)

Container 1811.00.00 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

Receipt, 1 page. Receipt for recording the Memorial of G. Washington's ex[ecutors] deed "to you." Partly printed ms., fragment, docketed "Robt. Lewis" and "Stafford."

Summary of a suit against the estate of George Washington

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3507

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23976

Unit Date 1811-1823

Text 43 (box)

Container 1811.00.00 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. A summary of the Cresap suit against the estate of GW, regarding the title to Round Bottom, (Ohio River) sold by GW in 1798 to Archibald McClean of Alexandria. The summary appears to be in the handwriting of B. W-n. The litigation lasted over 15 years and the substance of the suit remained the

same. Therefore the absence of a specific on the document makes it difficult to place.

Condolence letter, General Henry Lee to Col. Nicholas Rogers

Unit ID RM-1150 ; MS-5841

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33609

Unit Date [18]12 January 6

Text 43 (box)

Container 1812.01.06 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lee, Henry, 1756-1818

Extent 1 Sheets1 sheet folded, 3 pages with text20 x 25 cm

Scope and Contents

General Henry Lee writes to Col. Nicholas Rogers sending his condolences regarding the recent death of Rogers' wife Eleanor. Autograph letter signed, 2 pages.

Keywords

Correspondence

Condolence notes

Rogers, Nicholas, 1753-1822

Bank certificate, John Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-431; MS-3406

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23883

Unit Date 1812 January 11

Text 43 (box)

Container 1812.01.11 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, II, 1789-1832

Scope and Contents

Bank certificate, Signed by John A. Washington for the amount of $180.00.

Order to pay, George Corbin Washington to Thomas Beall

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2113

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23884

Unit Date 1812 February 14

Text 43 (box)

Container 1812.02.14 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

Order to pay, Union Bank Geo. Town. George Corbin Washington to Thomas Beall. Pay Thomas Beall on demand $476.10.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Robert Harper

Unit ID A-409

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23885

Unit Date 1812 March 19

Text 43 (box)

Container 1812.03.19 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Mount Vernon. Reports his success with pisé [or rammed earth] buildings -- has built ice house and 2 porter's houses -- Bushrod is "perfectly satisfied with the cheapness, the strength and durability of these buildings" -- considers building a 2 story house for nephew in this fashion on the west of the Blue Ridge. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed "Mar. 19th 1812 recd. 24th," postmarked "Alexa. Mar. 23." Name on original manuscript appears as "Bush. Washington."

Letter, Benjamin Berry to Thomas Beall

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2195

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23886

Unit Date 1812 March 25

Text 43 (box)

Container 1812.03.25 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Independence. Describes the merits of 2 tracts of land in Montgomery Cty., both for sale, one nr. The Court House, the other about 8 miles from Georgetown. Autograph letter signed, integral cover. Name on original manuscript appears as "Benj. Berry."

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to George Deneale

Unit ID R-292; MS-1103

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23887

Unit Date 1812 April 4

Text 43 (box)

Container 1812.04.04 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Name on original manuscript appears as "George W. P. Custis." Mentions a note having been endorsed by Colo. Deneale--unable to collect the money and requests further indulgence--is paying a certain amount and will endorse a note for $500.

Letter, Benjamin Rush to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23888

Unit Date 1812 May 2

Text 43 (box)

Container 1812.05.02 (folder)

Creator Rush, Benjamin, 1746-1813

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Philadelphia. Advises Bushrod Washington on his wife's treatment "to complete the conquest which Mrs. Washington has happily made in part over her attachment to laudanum" -- Rush directs a gradual lessening of the dose to nothing -- suggests various infusions, including ginger tea, bitters, spirits of hartshorne, and strong porter or wine -- asks Bushrod to pass on his words that "the habitual use of opium is often attended with the most serious and distressing consequences [including] idiotism and madness" -- he hopes her resolution to be cured is equal to her judgment on the subject of the letter. Autograph letter signed, docketed by B.W. "Doct. Rush Advice for Mrs. Washington", laminated.

Receipt, Robert Beverley to Charles Worthington

Unit ID RM-366; MS-3095

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23889

Unit Date 1812 May 12

Text 43 (box)

Container 1812.05.12 (folder)

Creator Beverley, Robert, 1769-1843

Scope and Contents

Receipt. Payment in full for medical services.

Bond, Henry Washington and Warner Washington, Jr. to John Morgan

Unit ID A-456

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23890

Unit Date 1812 May 24

Text 43 (box)

Container 1812.05.24 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Bond. D. 1 page. Document docketed "Washington to Morgan $234.6", laminated.Bond to pay $468.12 with the condition that the bond is void if $234.06 is paid by Sept. 15 1813. Signed by Henry and Warner Washington [Jr.]. Witnessed by Benj. Taylor. On reverse, "By cash of the within by Benj. Taylor Sixty five dollars (signed) B. Taylor, March 20 1813" and "June 18 1813 by Cash of Benj. Taylor Eighty Dollars."

Check, George Washington Parke Custis to James Dawson

Unit ID W-946/A; A-140

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23891

Unit Date 1812 July 23

Text 43 (box)

Container 1812.07.23 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

Check. A.D.S. 1 page. Custis's check on Farmers Bank of Alexandria for $145. Autograph document signed, endorsed by Dawson, canceled.

Letter, John Harper to Eliza Jane Harper

Unit ID A-516

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23892

Unit Date 1812 November 29

Text 43 (box)

Container 1812.11.29 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L. 2 pages. Washington. Harper's name does not appear on original manuscript, but in this letter to his daughter he describes his recent visit to Mount Vernon -- says he was well-received but that the place is quite run down except for the mansion itself -- the garden and hothouses (with their lemon trees) did earn his praise.

Articles of agreement, George Corbin Washington to John Gray

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2094

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23893

Unit Date 1813 February 13

Text 43 (box)

Container 1813.02.13 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

D. 2 pages. Gray agrees to purchase W-n's land in Westmoreland Cty. on the Potomac $20. an acre for 800 acres and $10. an acre for the balance pending a survey ... Gray to pay 100 shares of $100. each of Potomac Bank Stock when deeds are drawn ... payments out lined ... Washington reserves the grave yard and 50 ft. sq. at Wakefield to include the spot on which GW was born ... witnessed by Bushrod W-n, R. G. Robb, James Miller.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Robert Beverley

Unit ID RM-378; MS-2465

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23894

Unit Date 1813 March 28

Text 43 (box)

Container 1813.03.28 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Beverley, Robert, 1769-1843

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Offers to dismiss the suit against him initiated by Bushrod Washington, Jr., and accept the provision made for him in his father's will (Wm A. W-n) "in discharge of the sum which Colo. Washington recd as his guardian from the Executors of Genl Washington."

Letter, John Minor to David Stuart

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24709

Unit Date 1813 April 28

Text 43 (box)

Container 1813.04.28 (folder)

Creator Stuart, David, 1753-1814

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Previously sent remittance of a balance owed back to him. Discusses a Superior Court suit of Mr. Washington. Addressed to "Doctr. David Stuart, Ossian Hall, near Alexandria." Docketed "Genl. Minor" with date.

Letter, William White to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-789; MS-5188

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23895

Unit Date 1813 July 10

Text 43 (box)

Container 1813.07.10 (folder)

Creator White, William, 1748-1836

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Philadelphia. Bishop William White. Concerns a candidate for the ministry, Mr. Milnor, who White believes will be "useful to our Church, and to the Causes of Religion in general ..." White is editing a defense of Church doctrine and will send Washington a copy. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Simon Summers

Unit ID MSS-244

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23896

Unit Date 1813 July 11

Text 43 (box)

Container 1813.07.11 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

Letter, Mount Vernon. To Simon Summers, Surveyor of Henrico County. Requests him to make survey of some of his land--leave letter in p.o. saying when to expect him. Name on original manuscript appears as "Bush. Washington". On reverse is docket "Rough Plat and notes of one of Judge Washington's fields." and notation "at request of Judge Washington." There follows survey notes dated July 25-26, 1813, and the two names "John Bryan and Robbert Dunnington C.C."

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Richard Peters

Unit ID RM-299; MS-2930

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23897

Unit Date 1813 July 19

Text 43 (box)

Container 1813.07.19 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Peters, Richard, 1744-1828

Scope and Contents

The letter addresses several legal questions to Peters and ends with the admonition that the British fleet is expected hourly and "will do great mischief should these ships pass the fort" (Fort Washington) where "the Adams (a vessel), some gunboats and about 2000 men" are understood to be stationed.

Memorandum of agreement, George Fayette Washington and Matthew Ranson

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23898

Unit Date 1813 July 27

Text 43 (box)

Container 1813.07.27 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Fayette, 1790-1867

Scope and Contents

Memorandum of agreement, D. 3 pages. Agreement for sale of 85 1/2 acres of timbered land and 125 acres cleared land by Washington, near Charlestown -- Ranson to pay $60 per acre for wooded and $40 per acre for cleared -- terms of payment -- Washington to have it surveyed and give proper title. Document, docketed, laminated. Signed by Geo. F. Washington and Mathw. Ranson, witnessed by John Yates.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19083

Unit Date August 1813 - December 1815

Text 44 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Sarah Proud to Sarah Arnold

Unit ID A-161; M-977

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5131

Unit Date 1813 September 6

Text 44 (box)

Container 1813.09.06 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Georgetown. A chatty letter containing one of the very early descriptions of Mount Vernon during the occupancy of Bushrod Washington: Went by barge -- 16 miles -- left at sunrise -- the plantation reduced to 4000 acres -- about 60 working slaves besides house servants and 15 or 20 children -- appearance of neglect, need for superintendence visible -- present appearances did not comport with dignity of the great man who left it -- garden contains rare and wonderful exotics, lemon and fig trees, fine apples, coconuts -- gardener a german, has been there 25 years -- house has "a charming situation, with a fine growth of tall venerable trees at one end of it, with seats around many of the trees. There is a piazza the whole length of the house in front pav'd with large square stones. It commands a fine view of the river and adjacent country. We were invited into the "banqueting-room," to see the celebrated chimney-piece, which is superb marble of various colours, exquisitely wrought ..." -- pictures of the present owners, Mrs. Crawford her sister, furniture like that of dining rooms, in addition a large organ and a tall piece of furniture "that I did not know the use of" -- did not see the Judge or Mrs. Washington -- heard her piano sounding at a distance -- she is in very delicate health -- spends most of her time with her music -- scarcely ever sees her servants except her spinners to whom she gives their weekly portion of spinning -- "sister Ann remark'd how well she should like to be

mistress of such an establishment, and put things in order, cloathe the naked children, (for strange as it may seem, we saw such) ... We went to the vault where moulders all that was mortal of Washington" -- describes Col. Wharton, death of his wife -- was once a friend -- to meet the celebrated Mrs. General Wilkinson and sister, french women from New Orleans -- has several fine birds, a mocking bird. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked "Georget Col., laminated, watermark (Amies and a dove of peace). Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Proud."

Promissory note, Warner Washington, Jr. and William A.G. Dade

Unit ID A-456

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23905

Unit Date 1813 October 10

Text 44 (box)

Container 1813.10.10 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Promise to pay $460.66 2/3 for value received from John Washington, to Wm. A.G. Dade as administrator of estate of Gwynn W. Baylor [possibly Walker Gwynn Baylor, born Virginia ca. 1780]. Docketing notes it is "Benefit of Mrs. J. A. Baylor." Signed by Warner Washington [Jr.] and witnessed by Francis W[hiting] Washington. Document signed, fragment, docketed "Mr. Washingtons note to Wm. A.P. Dade $460.66 2/3 benefit of Mrs. F.A. Baylor." Signed by Warner Washington [Jr.] and witnessed by Francis W[hiting] Washington.

Deed, Robert Grayson to George Fayette Washington

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23906

Unit Date 1813 November 17

Text 44 (box)

Container 1813.11.17 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Fayette, 1790-1867

Scope and Contents

D.S. 3 pages. Deed of land, 309 acres of land in Jefferson County to George Fayette Washington in exchange for payment of 4 bonds. If bonds are paid to Washington in time, deed to be void. Witnesses Matthew Ranson, John Yates, William Stanhope.

Stock certificates, Snickers's Gap Turnpike Company, Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3508

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24710

Unit Date 1813-1828

Text 44 (box)

Container 1813.00.00 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

Printed stock certificates. Purchased at various times between 1813 and 1828.

Receipt, Robert Read to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2194

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23907

Unit Date 1814 January 4

Text 44 (box)

Container 1814.01.04 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

$6.50 for subscription to the Federal Republican.

Letter, Lawrence Lewis to Warner Lewis

Unit ID W-769

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23908

Unit Date 1814 January 6

Text 44 (box)

Container 1814.01.06 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Woodlawn. Lawrence and Eleanor rejoice in his safe arrival -- bank deposit agreeable to promise -- asks him to pay back taxes on land sold Joseph Lewis -- encloses notes of tenants on Rough Creek land -- send his five dollars to Federal Republican to have their paper sent to Warner at Russellsville -- they now publish a daily for $10 too -- news, Bonaparte's complete overthrow, loss of 82,000 men -- messenger from England with peace dispatches, prices dropped at the news -- rumor of a cabinet council to consider peace -- Armstrong the only one for war -- demo.'s upset over Boney's upset -- strange that men rejoice in his successes and upset at his defeat -- our relations with France if exposed would reveal corruption -- Warner's father [John Lewis] indebted to George Washington estate, how to close account -- fears it is not in his power to pay it. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked, laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "Law. Lewis."

Letter, Simon Sommers to Joseph Lewis

Unit ID RM-414; MS-3233

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23909

Unit Date 1814 February 4

Text 44 (box)

Container 1814.02.04 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. He hopes to hear Congress's report concerning the Glebe Land and land in the District, but disappointed so far. Also in regards to new jail in Alexandria, he believes citizens should not have to pay taxes for new jail as they were already taxed for the one in Fairfax County. To the Hon. Joseph Lewis, a Member of Congress.

Receipt, John Littlejohn to David Stuart

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23910

Unit Date 1814 February 21

Text 44 (box)

Container 1814.02.21 (folder)

Creator Stuart, David, 1753-1814

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. John Littlejohn, collector of the revenue for the 22nd collection district of Virginia, collects duty of $10.00 from David Stuart for and upon a four wheel carriage called a coachee which is owned by Stuart.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Robert Morris

Unit ID 2022-SC-017

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/37516

Unit Date 1814 September 24

Text 44 (box)

Container 1814.09.24 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Extent 1 pages1 folded sheet20 x 25 cm

Keywords

United States -- History -- War of 1812

Morris, Robert, 1734-1806

Letter, Anna Maria Washington Thornton to George Fayette Washington

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23911

Unit Date 1815 February 12

Text 44 (box)

Container 1815.02.12 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Fayette, 1790-1867

Creator Thornton, Anna Maria Washington, 1788-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Greenwood. Anna writes to her brother George Fayette of her ill health over a long period -- pain in breast and cough -- describes the medicines she has been taking and efforts to get a doctor from Fredericksburg or elsewhere -- hopes to visit him in summer by packet "if the British will be good enough to keep out of the way." -- writes of her children, Charles and Churchill -- scolds him for not writing. Autograph letter signed, (under cover of letter of March 1) watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "A. M. Thornton."

Keywords

Correspondence

Medicine -- History -- 19th century

Letter, Anna Maria Washington Thornton to George Fayette Washington

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23912

Unit Date 1815 March 1

Text 44 (box)

Container 1815.03.01 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Fayette, 1790-1867

Creator Thornton, Anna Maria Washington, 1788-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. She sends the letter written fortnight ago [see letter of 12 February 1815 -- it was not sent earlier because Jack was struck with rheumatism and could not carry it to Alexandria -- again rebukes her brother for not writing -- her health is improved, but pain and cough continue. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked "[ ] Mar. 2," laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "A. M. Thornton."

Letter, Tobias Lear to Robert Brent

Unit ID RM-398; MS-2534

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23913

Unit Date 1815 April 19

Text 44 (box)

Container 1815.04.19 (folder)

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

Letter, to Robert Brent, Department of War. Lear writes as official of the Department of war, Accounts Office on official business.

Letter, Anna Maria Washington Thornton to George Fayette Washington

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23918

Unit Date 1815 June 14

Text 44 (box)

Container 1815.06.14 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Fayette, 1790-1867

Creator Thornton, Anna Maria Washington, 1788-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Greenwood. Expresses concern over a report of her brother's illness -- describes her own poor health -- will try to come up to see him if he is still ill -- explicitly prays to the Lord for his consolation and recovery. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, directed "by Jack Cole", watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "A. M. Thornton."

Letter, Lawrence Lewis to Robert Lewis

Unit ID A-625

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23919

Unit Date 1815 September 22

Text 44 (box)

Container 1815.09.22 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. Lawrence writes to console his brother Robert on the recent death of his son, who was preserved so long to him, which only made the wound deeper -- Lawrence offers Christian consolations -- postscript says that the watch key was received as gift. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, watermark, in pencil "on my brother Robert's death 1823." Name on original manuscript appears as "Law. Lewis."

Letter, Sarah Tayloe Washington to Robert Beverley

Unit ID RM-378; MS-2466

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24711

Unit Date 1815 September 30

Text 44 (box)

Container 1815.09.30 (folder)

Creator Beverley, Robert, 1769-1843

Scope and Contents

A.N.S. 2 pages. Third person note to "Uncle Beverley" informing him that some lands are scheduled to be sold for taxes if they are not played. Mentions that certain lots acquired under the Byrd lottery should be claimed for her children. Sarah Tayloe Washington (Widow of Col. Wm A. Washington). S. T. Washington refers to herself as "Miss."

Letter, Thomas Johnson to Reverend Hatch

Unit ID A-516

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24712

Unit Date 1815 October 4

Text 44 (box)

Container 1815.10.04 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed "Gov Johnson and Genl. Washington," written on reverse "Signer Constitution and Sup. Court," and on face of letter "This is from Gov. T. Johnson of Md. who nominated Washington to be Commander in Chief," laminated, watermark (5 pt. star enclosing CS). Name on original manuscript appears as "Thos. Johnson." Johnson encloses one of General Washington's letters, of which he has several, which Hatch may keep -- apparently as a collectible relic.

Memorandum of agreement, Francis Washington and James English

Unit ID A-456

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23920

Unit Date 1815 November 5

Text 44 (box)

Container 1815.11.05 (folder)

Scope and Contents
Memorandum of agreement, D. 1 page. Francis Washington is to deliver 1000 bushels of wheat to James English's father's barn sometime in November -- Washington to be paid 7 shillings per bushel. Document, docketed "English and Washington agt." Date on original catalog card appears [1815]. Signed by Warner Washington, Francis Washington and James English. Witnessed by Reade Washington. Receipt on reverse for money signed by Francis W. Washington, dated November 5, 1815.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19084

Unit Date January 1816 - August 1820

Text 45 (box)

Language English.

Summons, Commonwealth of Virginia to the Washington family

Unit ID RM-957; MS-5511

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23921

Unit Date 1816 February 10

Text 45 (box)

Container 1816.02.10 (folder)

Scope and Contents
A.D.S. 1 page. Summons to the Washington Family pertaining to a lawsuit.

Keywords
Legal documents

Resolution of Virginia General Assembly for a monument to George Washington

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23922

Unit Date 1816 February 16

Text 45 (box)

Container 1816.02.16 (folder)

Scope and Contents
D. 2 pages. Handwritten copy of a unanimous resolution by the General Assembly of Virginia that the governor be allowed to open correspondence with Bushrod Washington to permit the remains of George Washington and Martha Washington to be reinterred near the Virginia capital beneath a monument to be erected at public expense. Document, docketed "Copy of Resolutions for the erection of a Monument to the Memory of George Washington," watermark.

Letter, Elizabeth Powel to Eliza Parke Custis Law

Unit ID A-572.1

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23923

Unit Date 1816 February 27

Text 45 (box)

Container 1816.02.27 (folder)

Creator Powel, Elizabeth Willing, 1743-1830

Creator Law, Elizabeth Parke Custis, 1776-1831

Scope and Contents
A.L.S. 3 pages. Philadelphia. Regrets that Eliza's insistance on journeying in cold wet weather has caused her suffering illness -- Powel hopes she and her sisters won't let their opposite political views come between them -- discusses Mr. Sergeant and Mr. Hopkinson of Pennsylvania, now in congress -- pleased Eliza resides with Col. [Tobias] Lear and wife [Frances Dandridge] -- recounts "a vague report in circulation here" that she and Mr. Law are to be reconciled for their child's sake -- mentions that is in her 74th year. Autograph letter signed, laminated, watermark (dove of peace). Name on original manuscript appears as "Eliz. Powel."

Letter, Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Mr. Pitken

Unit ID RM-1183.001

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/3286

Unit Date 1816 April 19

Text 45 (box)

Container 1816.04.19 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. In hand of a third party. Mrs. Lewis presents to Mr. Pitkin a cup and saucer that used to belong to George Washington.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to an unidentified newspaper

Unit ID RM-398; MS-2531

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23924

Unit Date 1816 July 30

Text 45 (box)

Container 1816.07.30 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

Letter, Mount Vernon, to an unidentified newspaper. Bushrod asks that the paper discontinue its ad for sale of part of the Mount Vernon estate.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to John Wickham

Unit ID RM-1222

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/3101

Unit Date 1816 August 30

Text 45 (box)

Container 1816.08.30 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Deposited $50 to his credit in the bank of Alexandria.

Letter, Lafayette to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID TC 1216 ; 2020-SC-022

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/28398

Unit Date 1816 September 15

Text 45 (box)

Container 1816.09.15 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lafayette, Marie Joseph Paul Yves Roch Gilbert Du Motier, marquis de, 1757-1834

Extent 2 pagesAutograph letter signed and integral address panel with wax seal intact24 x 18 cm

Description

Lafayette writes to Bushrod Washington to introduce associates, including Col. Bernard, who will be traveling in Virginia, and to ask about the transfer of his letters to George Washington back in France.

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Letter, Eliza Parke Custis Law to Henry Jackson

Unit ID RM-539; MS-4185

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23925

Unit Date 1816 November 20

Text 45 (box)

Container 1816.11.20 (folder)

Creator Law, Elizabeth Parke Custis, 1776-1831

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Philadelphia. To Henry Jackson, Charge des Affaires of the U.S. in Paris. Sending several packets for friends in France. Mentions her engagement to Col. de Greffe, from whom she has not heard since June 18. He has lost his rank and fortune abroad and she is anxiously hoping for his return. Letter will be delivered by M. de Chenney. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, wax seal. Name on original manuscript appears as "Eliza Parke Custis."

Transfer of land title, George Corbin Washington and others

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2110

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24713

Unit Date 1816-1819

Text 45 (box)

Container 1816.00.00 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 2 pages. Transfer of land title, George Corbin Washington and others. 1816, Jan. 31: Geo. C. Washington to James Magruder of land called the "Lodge" agreeable to Washington's contract with Samuel Fitzhugh ... 1816, June 24: Magruder conveys it to Jacob Wagner ... 1816, June 26: Magruder directs Washington to convey "Lodge" to Wagner ... 1819, Mar. 23: Wagner directs Washington to convey it to Robt. and John Oliver ... 1819, Apr.: "Lodge" deeded by Thos. Beall of Geo. Town to The Olivers ...

Letter, George Corbin Washington to Robert Beverley

Unit ID RM-378; MS-2467

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23926

Unit Date 1817 January 29

Text 45 (box)

Container 1817.01.29 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Creator Beverley, Robert, 1769-1843

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Reports that it is too late to submit the claim this season. But, if he has a seat next year he will do everything in his power to procure its admission. Autograph letter signed, integral cover.

Letter, Sarah Tayloe Washington to Robert Beverley

Unit ID RM-378; MS-2468

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23927

Unit Date 1817 March 2

Text 45 (box)

Container 1817.03.02 (folder)

Creator Beverley, Robert, 1769-1843

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Haywood. S. T. Washington, daughter of Col. Wm A. and Sarah Tayloe (3rd wife). Letter to her uncle asking for one hundred dollars. Refers to property in Richmond which is rightfully her family's and the Byrd lottery properties. (Great niece of GW thru elder brother Augustine). Autograph letter signed, wax, seal, W-n Family cipher - excellent impressions.

Receipt, William Fitzhugh to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-730; MS-4917

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23928

Unit Date 1817 March 8

Text 45 (box)

Container 1817.03.08 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

Receipt, A.D.S. 1 page. Fitzhugh's receipt to Lewis (on behalf of the executors of George Washington's estate) "for rents due on a tenement on the Ravensworth tract." Note on verso records payment "on acct. of Land rented for Free Negroes." Autograph document signed, with notes on verso in the hand of Bushrod Washington.

Letter, Elias Cornelius to Polly Cornelius

Unit ID RM-550; MS-4201

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23929

Unit Date 1817 July 22

Text 45 (box)

Container 1817.07.22 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Long description of his impressions of Washington, including an account of a visit to Mount Vernon. He met Bushrod Washington and later dined at Woodlawn with Nelly Custis Lewis. She presented him with an ivory button said to have belonged to G.W. Autograph letter signed, integral cover. An ivory button accompanied this letter and is in the museum collections.

Indenture, George Corbin Washington and David English

Unit ID RM-841; MS-5293

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23930

Unit Date 1817 August 14

Text 45 (box)

Container 1817.08.14 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

Indenture. D.S. 4 pages. George Corbin Washington, nephew of Bushrod Washington, as trustee of George Washington's lot in Washington, DC, sells to English the General's Capitol Hill lots. George Washington's house on Capitol Hill was destroyed by fire during the War of 1812.

Circular letter, Bushrod Washington and Lawrence Lewis to Robert Lewis

Unit ID A-657

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23931

Unit Date 1817 November 27

Text 45 (box)

Container 1817.11.27 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

Circular letter, L.S. 1 page. A printed letter to legatees of George Washington's estate regarding Henry Banks' claim to the Kentucky land forming part of the estate -- Banks's claim is good and he has agreed to make equal division of land -- his agent will sell it and divide proceeds -- legatees need either to return a power of attorney in this matter or, if they desire to deal separately, contact Banks themselves. Letter signed, integral cover, (addressed in hand of L. Lewis), laminated). Names on original manuscript appears as "Bush. Washington" and "Law Lewis."

Letter, William Hempstone to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2179

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23936

Unit Date 1818 January 27

Text 45 (box)

Container 1818.01.27 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Montgomery County, Maryland, Medley Hills. Mentions an enclosed certificate [missing] attesting to his Revolutionary service in the 7th Maryland Regiment and Regiment No. 1 ... Autograph letter signed, integral cover.

Bills against the executors of George Washington's will

Unit ID 2019-SC-016-002-010

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19524

Unit Date 1818 May-1825 December

Text 45 (box)

Container 1818.05.00 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 9 Leaves

Scope and Contents

8 bills and 1 undated envelope. Bills charged to Lawrence Lewis and Bushrod Washington as executors of George Washington's estate.

Keywords

Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Letter, Bushrod Washington to William Lunell

Unit ID RM-1102; MS-5778

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23937

Unit Date 1818 July 29

Text 45 (box)

Container 1818.07.29 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Mount Vernon. Bushrod Washington responds to Mr. Lunell concerning his uncle's, George Washington, character and personality. He describes him as being "comtemplative", "reserved", "distinguished" yet "kind and affectionate" to relatives, and having "consummate wisdom." He mentions his fondness for "rural employment" and skill at managing his plantation.

Land agreement, Lawrence Lewis and Matthew Ranson

Unit ID RM-813; MS-5245

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23938

Unit Date 1818 November 21

Text 45 (box)

Container 1818.11.21 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 2 pages. An agreement whereby Lewis (George Washington's nephew) will sell approx. 550 acres in Jefferson County, called Rock Hall, to Ranson for $17,115. The transaction is to occur as soon as Lewis receives the deed; the land was involved in a lawsuit between the "Executors of Genl. Geo. Washington Plaintiff and Gerard Alexander and other Defendants."

Letter, Bushrod Washington to William Whann

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2303

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23939

Unit Date 1819 April 10

Text 45 (box)

Container 1819.04.10 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Philadelphia. To the Cashier, Bank of Columbia, Georgetown. Re: Payment of $300 note. Name on original manuscript appears as "Bush. Washington." Autograph letter signed.

Letter, Charles Goldsborough to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2217/A-C

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23940

Unit Date 1819 September 15

Text 45 (box)

Container 1819.09.15 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 12 pages. Annapolis. Gov. Goldsborough's defense of his congressional conduct in 1814 when the question of removing the seat of gov't from Washington was discussed and a resolution voted on ... a Maj. Peter has charged the Gov. with being hostile to the Capital City ... Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Goldsborough."

Elegy to George Washington, George Denny

Unit ID RM-789; MS-5195

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23941

Unit Date 1819

Text 45 (box)

Container 1819.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Elegy of George Washington. A.D.S. 1 page. Written "on board the Steam Boat" "We come, kind Sir, to gaze upon the earth That gave Columbia's mighty hero birth. We come to heave the patriotic sigh Upon the tomb, where now his ashes lie ..." On cover is a signature: "Eleanor P. Lewis."

Deposition of George Fayette Washington

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23942

Unit Date 1820 May 2

Text 45 (box)

Container 1820.05.02 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Fayette, 1790-1867

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Deposition of George Fayette Washington before WIlliam Waters, justice of the peace in Washington, D.C. -- deposer is the only surviving son of George A. Washington, late a Lieutenant in Virginia continental line -- claim for U.S. bounty lands -- his brother Charles A. and sister Anna Maria Thornton are dead, and sister's sons Charles A. ad Churchill J. Thornton to receive half. Document signed, docketed "Memo. May 2d to ex. and Rept. tomorrow," watermark.

Keywords

Legal documents

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Elizabeth Scott Rankin

Unit ID RM-61; MS-2132

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23943

Unit Date 1820 August 19

Text 45 (box)

Container 1820.08.19 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

Letter. Is returning the shoes which are not Mrs. Washington's ... please return to rightful owner ... Name does not appear on original manuscript.

Manuscripts Box 46

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19093

Unit Date September 1820 - December 1820

Text 46 (box)

Language English.

Account, James Taylor to George Fayette Washington

Unit ID RM-857; MS-5313

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24714

Unit Date 1820 October 17-1827 December 31

Text 46 (box)

Container 1820.10.17 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Fayette, 1790-1867

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 2 pages. Account of payment due Taylor from Washington mostly on taxes that Taylor had paid on behalf of Washington in Kentucky and Ohio. Possibly George Fayette Washington. Autograph document signed, docketed. Name on original manuscript appears as "George F. Washington."

Letter, Betty Lewis Carter to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-691; MS-4703

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23965

Unit Date 1820 October 25

Text 46 (box)

Container 1820.10.25 (folder)

Creator Carter, Betty Lewis, 1765-1830

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Lynchburg. Distressed over his illness -- Nelly Custis Lewis away from Woodlawn. Mentions Washington Custis going to the aid of a relative in Mississippi. Other family news. Autograph letter signed, integral cover. Name on orginal manuscript appears as " B. Carter."

Letter, Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Dr. Parrish

Unit ID RM-647; MS-4578

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23966

Unit Date 1820 November 7

Text 46 (box)

Container 1820.11.07 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L. 2 pages. Writing in the third person, Eleanor expresses her gratitude for Dr. Parrish's treatment of her "suffering child" and encloses payment for his services. Dr. Parrish noted Mrs. Lewis' connection with GW and the identity of the child [Agnes] who died under his care. Autograph letter, integral cover.

Visitor account, M.R. Nowland

Unit ID RM-293; MS-2910

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23967

Unit Date 1820 November 12

Text 46 (box)

Container 1820.11.12 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 2 pages. Labeled at top "Extract." Description of visit to gardens, greenhouses and tomb. Visit was probably conducted by John C. Ehlers. Autograph document signed, laminated.

Manuscripts Box 47

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19094

Unit Date January 1821 - December 1821

Text 47 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Dr. Alexander Moore to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-789; MS-5189

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23968

Unit Date 1821 January 15

Text 47 (box)

Container 1821.01.15 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 12 pages. Shirley, Virginia. Moore speaks of his philosophies of life and death: "Death .. is ... the brightest and most glorious moment to man .. if death was the body's enemy, it was the soul's good friend." Discusses his ideas about a treatment for yellow fever which Moore "accidently" discovered in 1817. It involves the use of mercury and calomel. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed.

Bond, Warner Washington and Perrin Washington to Joshua Gore

Unit ID A-456

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23969

Unit Date 1821 January 18

Text 47 (box)

Container 1821.01.18 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Bail bond of Warner Washington [Jr.] for $687.10, issued by the clerk's office of the Supreme Court of Law of Frederick county, because of a debt to Alexander Porter -- returnable the first Monday in February Signed by Warner and Perrin Washington. A printed form with manuscript additions. Document signed, partly printed.

Letter, Dr. Alexander Moore to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-789; MS-5190

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23970

Unit Date 1821 February 4

Text 47 (box)

Container 1821.02.04 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 5 pages. Shirley, Virginia. Moore explains that he wishes to leave Virginia and return to South Carolina, where "I meet with encouragment in my profession, and great civility in my social intercourse with an enlightened and polished people." Claims that he is "without money," he asks Washington to lend him money to travel to South Carolina. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed.

Letter, William Washington, Jr. to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23971

Unit Date 1821 April

Text 47 (box)

Container 1821.04.00 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Princeton. William writes to his half brother requesting money to pay spring session bill at school (as he had to do in the fall) and some doctor bills -- he has written home for money, but there seems to be no money in Westmoreland -- he has been ill -- will try to see Judge Bushrod Washington who is in Trenton. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed "W.A. Washington Jr.", laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "Wm. A. Washington."

Check, John Augustine Washington II to N. Herbert

Unit ID 2018-SC-076-002

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/15882

Unit Date 1821 May 16

Text 47 (box)

Container 1821.05.16 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, II, 1789-1832

Extent 1 pages6 x 16 cm

Scope and Contents

A mansucript check for cash of the Bank of Potomac, signed by John Augustine Washington II. To be paid to N. Herbert of Alexandria for dividends due on his stock.

Keywords

Checks (bank checks)

Letter, Abraham Fleaharty to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3509

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23972

Unit Date 1821 May 19

Text 47 (box)

Container 1821.05.19 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

Letter, 2 pages. Mason Co. on the Kanawa. As the sole tenant of this parcel of land Fleaharty requests the position of manager. He pleads his case with true rustic eloquence. Mentions having salt on property.

Bond, Warner Washington, Perrin Washington, and Reade Washington to Alexander Porter

Unit ID A-456

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23973

Unit Date 1821 June 1

Text 47 (box)

Container 1821.06.01 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Bond for $750.22 for Warner Washington [Jr.] to deliver 10 head of horses to court house in Winchester on July 2. Signed by all three Washingtons. Document, partly printed, docketed "Porter ass vs. ? Washington D Bond 18th Oct. [Natirisel ?] and Jud. 618" and "Notice given to all parties on the 21st day of Sept. to 4th day of October Court", laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as " Warner Washington."

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23974

Unit Date 1821 December 31

Text 47 (box)

Container 1821.12.31 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Woodlawn. Angela [about 8 yrs. old] writes to her brother of visitors to their home -- their sister [Parke] is away at a wedding at Mrs. Van Ness's -- their mother, E.P. Lewis, adds her own note to Lorenzo on the verso -- she writes that a letter from him to Ped [Angela] would give her much pleasure -- did he receive $5 she sent in a letter before Christmas? -- Parke is in Washington for the wedding -- concludes with family news. Autograph letter signed, integral cover in hand of E.P. Lewis, postmarked "Alexa Jan. 1", torn and mutilated, laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Date on original catolog card appears as 1821 [Dec.] 31 Monday.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19095

Unit Date January 1822 - March 1823

Text 48 (box)

Language English.

Land paper, to Palemon H. Winchester by James Monroe

Unit ID A-226; H-1210

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5585

Unit Date 1822 January 7

Text 48 (box)

Container 1822.01.07 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D.S. Land paper presented to Palemon H. Winchester of Madison Co. by James Monroe.

Receipt, William Thomson to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2120

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24485

Unit Date 1822 April 4

Text 48 (box)

Container 1822.04.04 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

Receipt for corporation taxes pd. by Washington for Thomas and Ann Beall and for himself.

Letter, Charles Ruggles to Sarah Ruggles

Unit ID A-833

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24486

Unit Date 1822 April 28

Text 48 (box)

Container 1822.04.28 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Washington. Early description of Mount Vernon--went to visit Mt. V. with Mr. Sibley of Michigan and Mr. Schoolcraft, author and minerologist--custom seems to be to go thru mansion and

around grounds with no ceremony, no matter whether Judge W. and family are there or not--"The house is of wood - old, plain and has rather a gothic appearance ... A stranger is struck with the plainness, and I may add, the stiffness of appearance by which the whole is characterized."--"The changes [since G.W.'s death] which have taken place are ... chiefly produced by decay - few from purposed alteration; and on the whole one would be led to think that the General paid no great regard to ornament and that whatever he attempted in that way he was unsuccessful."--exotic fruits and flowers in green house--"Many of the ornamental trees and shrubs appear to have been planted promiscuously, without order or regularity. This was far more agreable to my eye than the sharp points and angles in which the box borders of the garden were arranged--plucked a piece of cedar from G.W.'s tomb. Autograph letter signed, watermark. Early description of Mount Vernon.

Letter, Richard Peters to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-791; MS-5197

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24487

Unit Date 1822 May 24

Text 48 (box)

Container 1822.05.24 (folder)

Creator Peters, Richard, 1744-1828

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Belmont. Discussion of slavery: "Some Legalized Kidnappers might be usefully employed in scouring our State of all your fugitive slaves; and if you could colonize all the sooty race, nothing better could be done." Peters is angered at the abolitionists, those "antiflagellating benevolents". Finally, Peters hopes Washington regains his health, "so that you may be strong, and work hard on your colonization Scheme; so that all [the slaves] may be returned to the happy regions of their forefathers..." Mentions Bushrod's "malady," lamenting that "your appetite was often your worst enemy; and its indulgence in improper gratifications has often nourished, in place of destroying your disease... I once knew a hardy Scotchman killed, when convalescent and recovering from a bilious complaint, by gratifying his appetitite in the treat of a boiled scotch herring." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed.

Early description of Mount Vernon, unknown author

Unit ID A-735

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24488

Unit Date 1822 June 15

Text 48 (box)

Container 1822.06.15 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L. 4 pages. Fairfax County. Early description of Mount Vernon in an unsigned, incomplete letter -- description of house -- "The whole structure has lately undergone a thorough repair and has in every respect the same appearance as when the General died, except a small portico which the Judge has erected at the south end of the mansion." -- description of bowling green and trees, gardens, and exotic plants -- description of main hall and key to Bastille -- "The Judge now uses the General's study as a dining room. The General's library contains a huge and handsome collection of Books." -- American and fallow deer on the estate. Autograph letter, incomplete, unsigned, laminated. Name does not appear on original manuscript.

Public notice, Bushrod Washington

Unit ID W-1264

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24489

Unit Date 1822 July 4

Text 48 (box)

Container 1822.07.04 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Printed notice of July 4, 1822 over Bushrod Washington's name, forbidding permission to steam boat parties and other groups to use Mt. Vernon for "eating, drinking and dancing parties" --

"unpleasant circumstances" led to his notice -- "respectable strangers" can still continue to visit, except on Sundays -- below this is printed a later form letter stating that the published notice has been ignored and he intends to sue boat companies who bring parties to Mt. Vernon -- on reverse is "Copy of Mr. Scott's statement of the debt due Tracy." in hand of Bushrod Washington -- the account covers 1824-1826. Document, printed, docketed "Mr Scott's statement of bal. due 1 Jany 1826" and "Bushrod Washington protest against making Mt. Vernon a dance and lunch [ ] 1822." [On reverse is "Copy of Mr. Scott's statement" 1826 Jan. 1].

Letter, Catharine Wager to Charlotte Griggs

Unit ID 2018-SC-016-005

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14118

Unit Date 1823 January 2

Text 48 (box)

Container 1823.01.02 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 2 pages

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Harpers Ferry to Charles Town. Letter about the preparation of a wedding cake.

Letter, Bushrod Washington and Lawrence Lewis to George Fayette Washington

Unit ID A-698.7

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5586

Unit Date 1823 January 3

Text 48 (box)

Container 1823.01.03 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Creator Washington, George Fayette, 1790-1867

Scope and Contents

L.S. 1 page. Printed circular letter requesting agreement of legatees of George Washington's estate to bring suit in court of District of Columbia in order to settle and pay out remaining assets of estate -- signed by Bushrod Washington and Lawrence Lewis -- a note is added in Bushrod Washington's hand, requesting to know heirs of Mrs. Anna Maria Thornton [Geo. F. Washington's sister] -- this added note is dated 23 January 1823. Letter signed, printed, with additions in hand of Bush. W., integral cover in hand of B.W., laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Bush. Washington."

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Estate

Letter, George Corbin Washington to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24490

Unit Date 1823 January 20

Text 48 (box)

Container 1823.01.20 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Georgetown. George Corbin writes his uncle that he has just returned from Green Hill -- this morning he saw Mr. Beverly who is undecided about selling his [Negro] boy to Bushrod Washington -- Dick is about 18 years old and has resided in the District about 3 years -- questions legality of removing a slave to Virginia by purchase -- advises Bushrod to consult Virginia law on this -- he purchased some of finest English and Dutch cattle at sale of the property of Mr. Wm. Williams of Frederick County. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by B.W., postmarked Georn. Ca.,

Jan. 21," laminated, red seal. Name on original manuscript appears as "G. C. Washington."

Keywords
Slavery
Correspondence

Early description of Mount Vernon and certificate of authenticity for painting of Great Falls, Joseph May to S.A. Elliot

Unit ID W-2

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24491

Unit Date 1823 February 11

Text 48 (box)

Container 1823.02.11 (folder)

Scope and Contents
Early description of Mount Vernon and certificate of authenticity for painting of Great Falls. Also includes copy, same date.

Letter, Lawrence Lewis to the Superior Court of the Chancery of the Winchester District

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3510

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24492

Unit Date 1823 March 23

Text 48 (box)

Container 1823.03.23 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents
Letter, 2 pages. To the Superior Court of the Chancery of the Winchester District. Answer of the complaint against him by Geo. Wm. Fairfax and others regarding his trusteeship of the estate of Ferdinand Fairfax and Eliza Blair Fairfax. He wishes to relinquish his responsibility due to failing health.

Manuscripts Box 49

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19096

Unit Date April 1823 - April 1824

Text 49 (box)

Language English.

Letter, John Ashton to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24494

Unit Date 1823 May 6

Text 49 (box)

Container 1823.05.06 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents
A.L.S. 3 pages. King George County. Written by a grandson of Augustine Washington, George Washington's half-brother, this letter asks about dividing the remainder of George Washington's estate among his immediate family -- his brother and sister have died, so how should their share be divided? -- Bushrod's reply, dated 1823 May 27, is drafted on page 3 of the manuscript -- the judge gives his opinion of legal distribution of remainder of the estate among heirs of Ann Ashton -- a suit has been brought for final settlement and the courts will decide. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by B.W. "letter and answer." [Bushrod W.'s answer is drafted on back sheet of letter]. [John N. Ashton was a grandson of Augustine Washington, G.W.'s half-brother].

Keywords
Correspondence
Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Estate

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Charles Lewis

Unit ID A-371

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/31844

Unit Date 1823 May 16

Text 49 (box)

Container 1823.05.16 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Extent 2 pages2 pages, 1 with text of letter, 1 with name "Charles Lewis, Esq"35 x 24 cm

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter, signed. "Bush. Washington" writes to Charles Lewis Esq, regarding a possible arbitration or suit. Letter mentions Mr.Thomas Swann, Mr. Robert I. Taylor, and Mr. Walter Jones. Handwritten note at the bottom.

Keywords

Correspondence

Legal documents

Letter, Joseph Erwin to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24495

Unit Date 1823 September 12

Text 49 (box)

Container 1823.09.12 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. New Orleans. Erwin writes in regard to collecting an account -- he doesn't want to call on "our mutual friend Johnny Anderson" for payment of his note, because Anderson considers himself a great man thereabouts and he has promised to pay upon the sale of his crop -- "our friend Henry Johnston will be our next governor." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, mounted, postmarked "New Orl. L Sept 15," watermark.

Letter, John Augustine Washington II to St. George Tucker

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2305

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24496

Unit Date 1824 February 7

Text 49 (box)

Container 1824.02.07 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, II, 1789-1832

Creator Tucker, St. George, 1752-1827

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Jefferson. Re: A suit against a "John Washington" administrator of the estate of John Throckmorton. Name on original manuscript appears as "Washington."

Letter, Richard Peters to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-789; MS-5191

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24498

Unit Date 1824 February 22

Text 49 (box)

Container 1824.02.22 (folder)

Creator Peters, Richard, 1744-1828

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Belmont. A discussion of a legal case, Penn vs. Cline, and Peters' opinion on land

speculators. Written on the anniversary of GW's birth, Peters relates that "This day brings into my mind many old recollections, both painful and pleasant" and that he is going into Philadelphia to celebrate the birthday. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Thomas Tod

Unit ID RM-927; MS-5466

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24499

Unit Date 1824 March 18

Text 49 (box)

Container 1824.03.18 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. "Dear Sir, The object of this letter is to give you the name and place of residence of the gentleman on whose account I spoke to you this morning, as they may escape your recollection. 'William Griffith, Burlington, New Jersey.' Sincerely yrs, Bush. Washington."

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19098

Unit Date May 1824 - April 1825

Text 50 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Frances Parke Butler to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3534

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24963

Unit Date 1824 May 10

Text 50 (box)

Container 1824.05.10 (folder)

Creator Butler, Frances Parke, 1799-1875

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. Expressing concern over L.L's indisposition News of the death of a friend killed by an explosion in a steam boiler. News of several marriages. Visit of Judge Johnson and Edward Livingston; good prospects for the Judge's election. Name on original manuscript appears as "F. P. Lewis (Butler)." Integral cover, wax seal (broken).

Letter, Richard Peters to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-789; MS-5192

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24964

Unit Date 1824 May 22

Text 50 (box)

Container 1824.05.22 (folder)

Creator Peters, Richard, 1744-1828

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Philadelphia. Peters writes about publications, sending Washington six copies for his approval before printing. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed.

Memorandum of agreement, Lawrence Lewis with Daingerfield Lewis

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4654

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24965

Unit Date 1824 May 24

Text 50 (box)

Container 1824.05.24 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.N.S. 1 page. "I this day made a settlement with Mr. Daingerfield Lewis of my private account with my Brother George Lewis and I find exclusive of the property sold by my Brother at Mill Brook he stands indebted to me Five hundred and twenty one dollars and fifty nine cents ..."

Letter, Frances Parke Butler to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3535

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24966

Unit Date 1824 May 29

Text 50 (box)

Container 1824.05.29 (folder)

Creator Butler, Frances Parke, 1799-1875

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Philadelphia. Letter with cross-writing. Wishing him a quick recovery from his indisposition. News of the preparations for her impending visit to Phila. News of her household. Integral cover, wax seal. Name on original manuscript appears as "F. P. Lewis (Butler)."

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Professor Benjamin Silliman

Unit ID W-509

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24967

Unit Date 1824 May 30

Text 50 (box)

Container 1824.05.30 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. GWPC's letter accompanies a plate of the States china which is given to Mrs. [Trumbull], the widow of the late Gov. Trumbull.

Receipt, Sheriff of Jefferson County to Bushrod Corbin Washington

Unit ID 2017-SC-008-021

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16515

Unit Date 1824 June

Text 50 (box)

Container 1824.06.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod Corbin, 1790-1851

Extent 1 Leaves8 x 16 cm

Scope and Contents

Partially printed form signed by Samuel J. Cramer.

Keywords

Receipts (financial records)

Financial records

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Burr W. Harrison

Unit ID RM-968; MS-5530

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24968

Unit Date 1824 June 24

Text 50 (box)

Container 1824.06.24 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents
A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Concerning the executors of Washington's will.

Letter, Lawrence Washington to Robert Beverley

Unit ID RM-378; MS-2469

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24969

Unit Date 1824 July 3

Text 50 (box)

Container 1824.07.03 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Creator Beverley, Robert, 1769-1843

Scope and Contents
A.L.S. 2 pages. Georgetown. Mr. Washington, speaking on behalf of all the legatees of Col. [Wm A] Washington requests a quick settlement of the estate. He and the others feel the delay has been extraordinary and unusual. Reference to Kanawah lands. (Post mark - "MaHa Bridge" Aug. 3, 1824). Autograph letter signed, Integral cover.

Articles of agreement, Bushrod Washington, Henry S. Turner, John Hooe, Jr.

Unit ID 2020-SC-003

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/21009

Unit Date 1824 August 4

Text 50 (box)

Container 1824.08.04 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Extent 2 pages

Scope and Contents
Autograph document signed in the hand of Bushrod Washington, for the sale of land in Prince William County called Yorkshire Farm.

Keywords
Legal documents
Real property
Turner, Henry S.
Hooe, John, Jr.

Letter, Felix Frestel to Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24970

Unit Date 1824 October 27

Text 50 (box)

Container 1824.10.27 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents
A.L.S. 3 pages. Writing in French, Frestel assures Nelly of his and G.W. Lafayette's affection for her -- they bid farewell to America where they have been received with such kindness -- can add nothing to what Georges has told her -- admonishes her to always remain as she is -- respects to her mother, grandmother and sisters. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, endorsed "recommended to the care of my M. friend George Washington Lafayette" laminated, watermark, in French.

Keywords
Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852
Lafayette, Georges Washington Louis Gilbert Du Motier, marquis de, 1779-1849 -- Travel

Letter, Marquis de Lafayette to Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24971

Unit Date 1824 November 7

Text 50 (box)

Container 1824.11.07 (folder)

Container OUT (folder)

Creator Lafayette, Marie Joseph Paul Yves Roch Gilbert Du Motier, marquis de, 1757-1834

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Extent 1 pages1 bifolium sheetUnfolded: 40 x 25 cm ; Folded: 20 x 25 cm

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Monticello. Lafayette expresses his affection for Nelly and her brother G.W.P. Custis -- and says he share more when he travels near her at the end of the month -- [This letter is also quoted by Nelly in letter of Nov. 22 to Eliz. Bordley Gibson]. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked "Char. Va. Nov. 10", laminated, red seal with device blurred, watermarks. Name on original manuscript appears as "Lafayette."

Keywords

United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783

Correspondence

Canada

Letter, Bushrod Washington to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-637; MS-4566

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24972

Unit Date 1824 December 12

Text 50 (box)

Container 1824.12.12 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Writing from Mount Vernon, Judge Washington provides his nephew with introductions to two Westmoreland Co. judges and gives advice on passing the Virginia bar. Name on original manuscript appears as "Bush. Washington."

Letter, Marquis de Lafayette to Eliza Parke Custis Law

Unit ID RM-1150; MS-5838

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24973

Unit Date 1824-1825

Text 50 (box)

Container 1824.00.00 (folder)

Creator Lafayette, Marie Joseph Paul Yves Roch Gilbert Du Motier, marquis de, 1757-1834

Creator Law, Elizabeth Parke Custis, 1776-1831

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Concerning meeting arrangements and introductions.

Account, Thomas Peter with estate of George Washington

Unit ID A-671

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24974

Unit Date 1824-1845

Text 50 (box)

Container 1824.00.00 (folder)

Creator Peter, Thomas, 1769-1834

Scope and Contents

D. 2 pages. Estate of Thos. Peter indebtedness to estate of G.W.--Receipted to G.W. Peter by John A.

Washington, attorney in fact for G.W.P. Custis, surviving executor of G.W. Document, endorsed "Thomas Peter and wife," and "Washington Exer. v. Washington Legatees, marked "No. 21."

Account, estate of George Washington with Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-173; MS-2515

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24975

Unit Date 1825 January 1 - 1833 January 15

Text 50 (box)

Container 1825.01.01 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.D. 2 pages. Lawrence Lewis's account with the Estate of Washington including expenses incurred by him from 1825 to 1833 for housing, food, clothing, medical attendance, and other items. Lewis states that all his other accounts with the Executor of the Estate are now settled and if anyone should desire to examine same he may do so. "On account of Old free Negroes of the Estate." Autograph document signed, folio size invoice.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Abraham Small

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24976

Unit Date 1825 January 15

Text 50 (box)

Container 1825.01.15 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon. Received copies of George Washington's letters from Chief Justice John Marshall -- will take them to Philadelphia in March -- proposes terms for publication and fee involved -- the Chief Justice thinks there will be 3 volumes. Autograph letter signed, draft. Name on original manuscript appears as "Bush Washington."

Check, Eleanor Calvert Custis Stuart

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/24977

Unit Date 1825 February 25

Text 50 (box)

Container 1825.02.25 (folder)

Creator Stuart, Eleanor Calvert Custis, approximately 1758-1811

Scope and Contents

Eleanor C. Stuart draws a personal check for $140.00 on the Bank of Alexandria.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19099

Unit Date May 1825 - May 1826

Text 51 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Burr W. Harrison

Unit ID RM-968; MS-5531

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25872

Unit Date 1825 May 4

Text 51 (box)

Container 1825.05.04 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon to Leesburg. Regarding land and rent on the Yorkshire farm.

Letter, John Augustine Washington II to Burr W. Harrison

Unit ID RM-968; MS-5532

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25873

Unit Date 1825 June 19

Text 51 (box)

Container 1825.06.19 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, II, 1789-1832

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. To Harrison in Leesburg. Regarding Harrison's brother's books to be returned.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to John Augustine Washington II

Unit ID RM-885 ; MS-5382

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33065

Unit Date 1825 July 6

Text 51 (box)

Container 1825.07.06 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Extent 1 Sheets1 sheet folded, 3 pages with text, partially torn.17 x 21 cm

Scope and Contents

Bushrod Washington, Alexandria, writes to his nephew, John Augustine Washington II, Mount Vernon, regarding books and supply of sugar in the store room. Bushrod asked his nephew to bring to Alexandria some papers from the "press which stands on the walnut chest of drawers in my outward study..." Papers relate to the administration of George Washington's estate. Autograph letter, signed. 1 sheet, partially torn.

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, John Augustine, II, 1789-1832

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Burr W. Harrison

Unit ID RM-968; MS-5533

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25874

Unit Date 1825 July 18

Text 51 (box)

Container 1825.07.18 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. To Harrison in Leesburg. Regarding rent on the Yorkshire farm.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Dear Sir

Unit ID RM-173; MS-2520

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25875

Unit Date 1825 July 19

Text 51 (box)

Container 1825.07.19 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Bushrod reports that he commenced cleaning the ditch in his large meadow but after riding to the meadow he found all hands would be required to take care of the hay which he plans to finish during the week. He thanks his neighbor for his offer to do the ditch but thinks he has the power to do it with his own help. He plans to invest some money and wants to purchase a share in the Dismal Swamp, if the sum is too large he would like to buy the share on partnership,

however, he prefers to do so alone. He says he will communicate his neighbor's hints to Bushrod Jr. about the road which he is sorry to hear has been so much neglected.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to John Augustine Washington II

Unit ID RM-885 ; MS-5383

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33066

Unit Date 1825 July 29

Text 51 (box)

Container 1825.07.29 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Extent 1 Sheets1 sheet folded, 3 pages with text, partial wax seal.17 x 21 cm

Scope and Contents

Bushrod Washington, Mount Vernon, writes to his nephew, John Augustine Washington, Charlestown Jefferson County Virginia, regarding the price of brandy. Autograph letter, signed. 1 sheet, partial wax seal.

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, John Augustine, II, 1789-1832

Letter, Marquis de Lafayette to Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25876

Unit Date 1825 August 12

Text 51 (box)

Container 1825.08.12 (folder)

Creator Lafayette, Marie Joseph Paul Yves Roch Gilbert Du Motier, marquis de, 1757-1834

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Lafayette thanks Nelly for her letter and regrets the impossibility of going to Woodlawn to visit before his Virginia visit -- will try to return early, about the 24th and come visit her and bring her to Washington to be there when Lafayette and his party depart. Name on original manuscript appears as "Lafayette."

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Justice Smith Thompson

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25877

Unit Date 1825 October 6

Text 51 (box)

Container 1825.10.06 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Thompson, Smith, 1768-1843

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Philadelphia. To Thompson at the Supreme Court of the U.S. Didn't write sooner because he wanted to examine Thompson's decisions carefully -- then "our domestic misfortunes occurred, which compelled me to take my family to the mountains" -- apologizing for his resulting silence, Bushrod then writes out his opinion on the several decisions made by Thompson, concurring in all. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, laminated, watermarked (M). Name on original manuscript appears as "Bush. Washington."

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to William Jarvis, Jr.

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3511

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25878

Unit Date 1825 November 10

Text 51 (box)

Container 1825.11.10 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Arlington. Letter of introduction for Lawrence Lewis requesting that he be shown the hospitality of Northhampton Co. Lewis wishes to go to Smith's Island.

Letter, John Trumbull to Lloyd Rogers

Unit ID RM-619; MS-4526

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25879

Unit Date 1825 November 20

Text 51 (box)

Container 1825.11.20 (folder)

Creator Trumbull, John, 1756-1843

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. New York. Concerning the full length portrait of George Washington in military uniform which he painted in July 1790 for Mrs. Washington. At the time of this letter, the portrait was owned by "Mrs. Custis" (Eliza Parke Custis Law). It descended in the family and is at present in the collection at Winterthur. (see Eisen, "Portraits of Washington", vol. 11, p. 417 and Morgan and Fielding, "The Life Portraits of Washington", p. 165.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Burr W. Harrison

Unit ID RM-968; MS-5534

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25880

Unit Date 1825 December 13

Text 51 (box)

Container 1825.12.13 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Regarding survey and boundaries of his land at Yorkshire farm.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Burr W. Harrison

Unit ID R-968; MS-5535

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25881

Unit Date 1825 December 29

Text 51 (box)

Container 1825.12.29 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon. His lawyer writes that no bond was found in chancery court. Mr. Harrison should let him know if there is one filed in the court where the judgment was rendered.

Letter, Marquis de Lafayette to Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25993

Unit Date 1825 December

Text 51 (box)

Container 1825.12.00 (folder)

Creator Lafayette, Marie Joseph Paul Yves Roch Gilbert Du Motier, marquis de, 1757-1834

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Lafayette hasn't written her earlier because wanted to be able to tell her when he can visit -- he must await arrival of members of Congress, who meet on the Monday -- he has an appointment to dine with Mr. Calhoun on Tuesday -- on the 15th he must go to commencement of Columbia College [now the George Washington University] -- so he will make a first visit to Nelly and Judge Washington "between Wednesday [the 7th?] and the 14th" -- they can visit more over the greater part of the winter -- he saw her son Lorenzo as the latter was going to Philadelphia. Autograph letter, integral cover, Signature cut out and his name written in at bottom of letter .Date on original catalog card appears [1824 ?]. Name does not appear on original manuscript.

Accounts of Lawrence Lewis with Treadwell Smith

Unit ID 2017-SC-007-002

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/15880

Unit Date 1826 January 11-October 7

Text 51 (box)

Container 1826.01.11 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Extent 1 pages

Scope and Contents

Berryville. List of accounts for merchandise purchased by Lawrence Lewis from Berryville merchant Treadwell Lewis. The purchases include French brandy, rice, salt, linen, blank books, paper, molasses, cups, pots, halters, calomel, laudanum, and other dry goods.

Keywords

Lists (document genres)

Financial records

Smith, Treadwell

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Burr W. Harrison

Unit ID RM-968; MS-5536

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25888

Unit Date 1826 March 30

Text 51 (box)

Container 1826.03.30 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Philadlephia. Disappointed not to have received payment from Mr. Hooe. Wishes to have the business closed.

Promissory note, Augustine L. Washington

Unit ID RM-378; MS-2470

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25889

Unit Date 1826 April 24

Text 51 (box)

Container 1826.04.24 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Promissory note payable to Augustine L. Washington for $329.55. Docketed on verso, Mr. Walter Johnson (C.L. Washington not identified).

Letter, Thomas Hayes to Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Hayes

Unit ID RM-656; MS-4588

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25890

Unit Date 1826 April 26

Text 51 (box)

Container 1826.04.26 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Washington. Describes a visit to Mount Vernon. Also mentions having dined with President John Quincy Adams.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Justice Smith Thompson

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25891

Unit Date 1826 May 9

Text 51 (box)

Container 1826.05.09 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Thompson, Smith, 1768-1843

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Mount Vernon. Bushrod writes "I had a short session in Phila. and decided but few cases, but most of them are interesting" -- he then gives an account of the five most important law cases he decided at Philadelphia -- asks Thompson's opinion on them and for a report of cases decided in Thompson's circuit. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexa. Ca. May 11." Name on original manuscript appears as "Bush. Washington."

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Burr W. Harrison

Unit ID RM-968; MS-5537

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25892

Unit Date 1826 May 10

Text 51 (box)

Container 1826.05.10 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Letter discusses payments on bonds and when payments on bonds are due - stresses the importance of comparing contracts and bonds. Autograph letter signed, seal, docketed.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to William Brent

Unit ID RM-338; MS-3025

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25894

Unit Date 1826 May 23

Text 51 (box)

Container 1826.05.23 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon. Brent is clerk of the District of Columbia. GW estate business. Judge Washington asks for deeds and bills of sale for lots in the District owned by General Washington. He suspects that George Corbin Washington may have recently sold lots which had previously been sold. Autograph letter signed, separate letter cover franked.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19100

Unit Date June 1826 - December 1827

Text 52 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Robert Beverley

Unit ID RM-378; MS-2471 A/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25908

Unit Date 1826 June 1

Text 52 (box)

Container 1826.06.01 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon. MS-2471 A - To Robert Beverley, Esq., Judge Washington asks Mr. Beverley to recommend a lawyer to represent Mr. Parks [husband of Harriot Washington] suit, for the executors of General Washington; MS-2471 B 1p., A copy of Robert Beverley's reply appears on the inside page, in handwriting of Mr. Beverley, dated June 2, 1826.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Burr W. Harrison

Unit ID RM-968; MS-5538

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25909

Unit Date 1826 June 2

Text 52 (box)

Container 1826.06.02 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Amounts and payments owed to himself and Mr. Turner by Mr. Hooe.

Letter, Samuel Washington to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25910

Unit Date 1826 June 10

Text 52 (box)

Container 1826.06.10 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Hermitage, Kanhawa City to Woodlawn. Samuel requests copy of George Washington's will to enable him to file writ of ejectment against present holder of land, to ascertain title to it.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Burr W. Harrison

Unit ID RM-968; MS-5539

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25911

Unit Date 1826 August 23

Text 52 (box)

Container 1826.08.23 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Blakely. Payments and bonds due him.

Letter, H.L. Turner to Burr W. Harrison

Unit ID RM-968; MS-5540

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25912

Unit Date 1826 December 24

Text 52 (box)

Container 1826.12.24 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. "Washington and Blackburn." Regarding rents due to himself and Judge Washington.

Account, Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID 2018-SC-018

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14588

Unit Date 1827-1829

Text 52 (box)

Container 1827.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Extent 4 pages

Scope and Contents

Account of blacksmith work done done for Lawrence Lewis at Woodlawn, 1827-1829.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to William Meredith

Unit ID RM-173; MS-2517

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25914

Unit Date 1827 March 28

Text 52 (box)

Container 1827.03.28 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Bushrod Washington regrets that he cannot accept Meredith's invitation to dinner on account of his wife's health. Washington reports that for the last 5 or 6 years he has been obliged to decline all invitations to dinner or evening parties. He asks Meredith to accept his apology.

Letter, Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Frances Parke Butler

Unit ID RM-1188.007

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26555

Unit Date 1827 May 26

Text 52 (box)

Container 1827.05.26 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

Letter from Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to 'My dear child,' Frances Parke Butler. This letter, written from Arlington while visiting her brother George Washington Parke Custis and 'Aunt Mary' briefly mentions Bushrod Washington's needed improvements to Mount Vernon, and repairs made to Woodlawn Plantation. She desires Parke send her a finished 'picture' of Parke herself, which she believes will be a 'faithful likeness.' She requests for it to be sent unframed and in placed in a morocco case for proper storage. Eleanor promises to send Parke various sundry goods, including corsets, corals, and silks. She also discusses family matters, including the death of Parke's 'Good Uncle Carter,' and the reaction of Eleanor's half sibling, also named Eleanor. Eleanor writes using a common 19th century practice of cross-writing. Autograph letter signed, 3 pages. Postmarked Alexandria, May 27.

Keywords

Correspondence

Butler, Frances Parke, 1799-1875

Provenance for shaving box

Unit ID RM-972; MS-5567

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25915

Unit Date 1827 June 24

Text 52 (box)

Container 1827.06.24 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Written provenance of George Washington's shaving box by Phil Pendleton.

Letter, R.C. Weightman to Samuel Burch

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25994

Unit Date 1827 June 29

Text 52 (box)

Container 1827.06.29 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Regarding the measurements of water from the spring at the back of Judge Washington's house.

Letter, George Corbin Washington to Joseph Gales

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25917

Unit Date 1827 October 2

Text 52 (box)

Container 1827.10.02 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Rockville, MD to Washington, D.C. The writer comments on the recent election in Maryland of two Jacksonian legislators, rather than administration men, explaining that the administration voters split their votes between too many candidates -- he claims that the electoral election will show a difference, and that an administration man will win, securing the district for John Quincy Adams -- gives permission to print this, leaving off his name. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked by hand "Rockville Md. 2nd Oct," letter marked "to the editor," laminated, watermark (6 pt. star). Name on original manuscript appears as "Geo. C. Washington."

Letter, Richard Henry Lee to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-789; MS-5193

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25916

Unit Date 1827 October 3

Text 52 (box)

Container 1827.10.03 (folder)

Creator Lee, Richard Henry, 1794-1865

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Lee requests Bushrod Washington's recommendations for a teacher of "settled character" to teach the solid branches of education at a new female academy in Leesburg, Va., administered by Lee's sister. Autograph letters signed, integral cover, docketed.

Letter, Robert Lewis to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-173; MS-2524

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25918

Unit Date 1827 December 14

Text 52 (box)

Container 1827.12.14 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Fredericksburg. Lewis tells Bushrod that he is mindful of his obligation on the part of Genl. Washington's Estate. He reports that two gentlemen have funds of his in their hands which he shall authorize his brother to collect. He will borrow from a bank in order to cover the rest of the obligation. Name on original manuscript appears as "Robt. Lewis."

Letter, George Hamilton to William Lee

Unit ID RM-173; MS-2525

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25919

Unit Date 1827 December 20

Text 52 (box)

Container 1827.12.20 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Richmond to Spotswood, Nottingham near Fredericksburg. Hamilton relates to Spotswood that no decision had taken place relative to his claim but it would be brought before Chief Justice Marshall on Monday next. Hamilton reports other legal matters relative to the case. He adds that he will be at home during Christmas and invites him to ride up for a visit.

Manuscripts Box 53

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19101

Unit Date January 1828 - December 1828

Text 53 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Marquis de Lafayette to Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID W-1251 A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25920

Unit Date 1828 January 11

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.01.11 (folder)

Creator Lafayette, Marie Joseph Paul Yves Roch Gilbert Du Motier, marquis de, 1757-1834

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. La Grange to Woodlawn. General Lafayette expresses his sympathy with Nelly and her family over the recent death of her grandson E.G.W. Butler, son of Parke and Mr. Butler -- his own recently-married granddaughter is ill with a serious complaint in lungs -- George W. Lafayette's daughter Natalie is recently married -- he and George are going to Paris soon because they have been elected deputies of "This and the neighboring district of Meaux" -- agrees that Cincinnati is a delightful place, but acknowledges that Nelly will be happier with her daughter in New York when Gen. Gaines moves there -- sends his regards to many of Nelly's family members by name -- received letter from G.W.P. Custis "who I see has produced two very good plays." -- comments on Betty's [Eliza P. Custis's] poor situation and health. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked "New York Mar 4," written on cover "forwarded by your obt. ser. Wm. Whittock Jr. 4 March 1828," laminated, red seal.Name on original manuscript appears as "Lafayette."

Keywords

Correspondence

La Fayette Family

Custis Family
Butler, Edward George Washington, 1800-1888 -- Death and burial

Letter, Jared Sparks to Robert Lewis

Unit ID RM-862; MS-5319

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25921

Unit Date 1828 February 25

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.02.25 (folder)

Creator Sparks, Jared, 1789-1866

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Send thanks for copies of George Washington letters but disappointed in not receiving GW autographs "as it was my intention to distribute them in Europe among eminent persons ... I was particularly gratified with your account of Gen. Washington's devotional habits ..." Autograph letter signed, integral cover.

Letter, George Fayette Washington to Churchill Thornton

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25922

Unit Date 1828 February 26

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.02.26 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Fayette, 1790-1867

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Waverly to Charles Town, Va. He expresses satisfaction that his nephew Churchill seems to be more truly pious than most young people -- offers spiritual support and direction in a letter full of biblical allusions. Autograph letter signed, docketed "From Uncle Washington Feby. 26 1828," badly mutilated, laminated.Name on original manuscript appears as "Geo. F. Washington."

Letter, Jane Thornton to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID Rm-173; MS-2521

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25923

Unit Date 1828 March 16

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.03.16 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Culpepper. Jane Thornton encloses two checks for partial payment of the claim Bushrod preferred against her. She will send the balance when it is convenient as her family is currently troubled by illness. She extends an invitation to Bushrod to visit should he ever be called to her part of the country. She is disappointed that he will not be sending his two sons to school near her.

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25924

Unit Date 1828 March 27

Text 53 (box)

Container 1808.03.27 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Custis apologizes for the delay in paying George Washington's estate the money he owes it -- he was disappointed in getting money from Eastern Shore of Va., and must await market for

crops -- "I have been often in want of a single dollar" -- the market is very low at present. Autograph letter signed, mounted. Name on original manuscript appears as "George W. P. Custis."

Letter, Eliza Parke Custis to John Lutz

Unit ID RM-1204

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/3108

Unit Date 1828 April 14

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.04.14 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Law, Elizabeth Parke Custis, 1776-1831

Scope and Contents

The letter includes a swatch of velvet cloth worn by George Washington stitched to the letter to thank Lutz for his time as the Sergeant of Washington guard at Valley Forge.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Relics

Correspondence

Letter, George Corbin Washington to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-173; MS-2522

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25925

Unit Date 1828 April 14

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.04.14 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. G.C. Washington acknowledges General Stewarts acceptance of the draft on him. He reports that they are still engaged with the tariff [in Congress] and fears it will occupy some time as its fate is still in doubt. Name on original manuscript appears as "G. C. Washington."

Letter, Anna Maria Thomasina Blackburn Washington to Lewis William Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2067

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25926

Unit Date 1828 April 16

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.04.16 (folder)

Language French.

Creator Washington, Anna Maria Thomasina Blackburn, 1790-1833

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Pleased with her son's use of French ... distressed to hear that Aunt Thornton has been unwell ... father and friends in the neighborhood send greetings ... Autograph letter signed, cover, written in French.

Letter, Alexander Macomb to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2214 A/C

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25927

Unit Date 1828 April 24

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.04.24 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 9 pages. Recommends defeat of congressional resolution to abolish office of Major General ... act of Congress of Mar. 1799 settled the divisions of army units and officers on recommendation of Washington and Hamilton ... Name on original manuscript appears as "A. Macomb." Autograph letter signed, watermark : "HUDSON."

Letter, Jane C. Washington to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-885 ; MS-5378

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33061

Unit Date 1828 April 28

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.04.28 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Extent 1 Sheets1 sheet folded, 3 pages with text. burnt edges40 x 24 cm

Scope and Contents

Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington writes to her uncle, Bushrod Washington, Philadelphia, regarding family health and education. The letter has a Charlestown postmark. Autograph letter signed. 1 sheet with burnt edges.

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Letter, Walter Smith to George Corbin Washington, 1828 May 7

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2083

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25928

Unit Date 1828 May 7

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.05.07 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Georgetown. Re: Senate bill to widen the draw of the Potomac Bridge from 35' to 50' or 55' ... Smith favors a draw of not less than 60' as boats are of larger and larger design ...

Certificate, Potomac Company to Fielding Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3512

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25929

Unit Date 1828 June 3

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.06.03 (folder)

Creator Potomac Company

Scope and Contents

For one share of stock in the Potowmack Company. Value is 444.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Robert Lewis

Unit ID RM-173; MS-2518

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25930

Unit Date 1828 June 30

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.06.30 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

Draft copy. A.L.S. 1 page. Bushrod Washington calls Robert Lewis's attention to the matter that certain

sources have not paid their obligations and that the duty of legally enforcing such payment may be necessary. Name on original manuscript appears as "Bush Washington." Autograph letter signed, (Draft-Copy).

Letter, Lucy Payne Todd to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID R-314; MS-1133

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25931

Unit Date 1828 July 12

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.07.12 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Regrets she cannot raise the money to pay a debt to the estate---has tried to raise money on her property in Kentucky---hopes to see Judge W-n in Jefferson this summer or fall when she hopes to pay part or all. [Lucy Payne, sister of Dolly Payne Madison, first married George Steptoe W-n---after his death she married a Mr. Todd of Ky.---they were married in the White House during Madison's presidency] Information received from Mrs. Todd, V-R FOR West Va.

Letter, Robert Lewis to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-173; MS-2523

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25932

Unit Date 1828 July 22

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.07.22 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Fredericksburg. Lewis reports that he has nearly recovered from a serious illness. He relates that suits have been instituted against his debtors in order to meet his engagements with the Executors of Genl. Washington. Lewis will be in Fredrick, he hopes, during the month of August and would like to meet Bushrod there in order to explain more satisfactorily his prospects. Name on original manuscript appears as "Robt. Lewis."

Letter, Robert Perkins Letcher to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2172

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25933

Unit Date 1828 July 27

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.07.27 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Comments on an approaching election and his confidence in success ... Name on original manuscript appears as "Letcher." Autograph letter signed, watermark : "AMIES PHILADA."

Letter, S.A. Washington to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3536

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25934

Unit Date 1828 August 4

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.08.04 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Smyrna Harbor. Written on board the U.S.S. Java in the Mediterranean. News of their trip abroad, including a visit to the "Plains of ancient Troy." Also the story of an encounter on board the

ship, The Warren, with the "Celebrated Greek Pirate" Marmaduke.

Letter, Lucy Payne Todd to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-173; MS-2519

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25935

Unit Date 1828 September 17

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.09.17 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Lucy Todd apologizes to Bushrod for leaving without conversing with him about settling her debt to him. Her situation was complicated by a suit brought by Charles Todd against her which required $2000 for satisfaction. She asks Bushrod to accept 40 shares of bank stock to liquidate as much of the debt as possible.

Account, Elizabeth Carter with Thomas Byrd

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3513

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25995

Unit Date 1828 September-1829 May

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.09.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 3 pages. List of sundries purchased by the month. All personal items. Two tears with some loss of text.

Letter, Jane C. Washington to Bushrod Washington and Ann Washington

Unit ID RM-885 ; MS-5379

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33062

Unit Date 1828 October 2

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.10.02 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Extent 1 Sheets1 sheet folded, 4 pages with text. burnt edges.40 x 25 cm

Scope and Contents

Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington, Philadelphia, writes to her uncle, Bushrod Washington, regarding family health and education. The letter mentions the death of Judge Richard Peters, longtime friend of Bushrod's. The letter has a Charlestown postmark. Autograph letter signed. 1 sheet with burnt edges.

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Letter, Eliza Parke Custis Law to Mrs. Gideon Snow

Unit ID A-607

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25936

Unit Date 1828 October 18

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.10.18 (folder)

Creator Law, Elizabeth Parke Custis, 1776-1831

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 2 pages. Eliza presents her friend the attached clipping of two words ["that it"] cut from something written by George Washington -- she also attached a small piece of velvet worn by him -- all

in thanks for Snow's kindnesses since Eliza's arrival in Boston. Name on original manuscript appears as "Eliza Parke Custis." Autograph document signed, laminated.

Keywords
Correspondence
Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Relics

Receipt, P. Clay to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25937

Unit Date 1828 October 31

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.10.31 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 2 pages. Receipt from auditor's office in the state of Kentucky for 72 cents tax paid on 576 2/3 acres of land in Logan County, due from 1827.

Letter, Henry Clay to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-789; MS-5194

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25938

Unit Date 1828 December 12

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.12.12 (folder)

Creator Clay, Henry, 1777-1852

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Secretary of State Clay (under J.Q. Adams) regrets to inform Washington that he does not have a position in the Department of State for the son of Washington's friend. "If any existed your own recommendation ... would be entirely sufficient." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed.

Letter, Jane Thornton to My Dear Nephew

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2091

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25939

Unit Date 1828 December 22

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.12.22 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Re: an accounting of the way in which the nephew's son spent his money while with the Thorntons ...

Letter, Eliza Parke Custis Law to Andrew Jackson

Unit ID RM-646; MS-4577

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25940

Unit Date 1828 December 25

Text 53 (box)

Container 1828.12.25 (folder)

Creator Rogers, Elizabeth Parke Custis Law, 1797-1822

Creator Jackson, Andrew, 1767-1845

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Christmas greetings and congrats on his election to the Presidency. Also mentions a locket she has sent containing the hair of General and Mrs. Washington, General Lafayette and her own. Autograph letter signed, integral cover docket by AJ.

Manuscripts Box 54

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19102

Unit Date January 1829 - March 1830

Text 54 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Marquis de Lafayette to Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25956

Unit Date 1829 January 10

Text 54 (box)

Container 1829.01.10 (folder)

Creator Lafayette, Marie Joseph Paul Yves Roch Gilbert Du Motier, marquis de, 1757-1834

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. La Grange to Woodlawn. Lafayette writes that he is always glad to welcome Nelly's American friends in France -- he has several great-grandchildren -- Miss Henrietta Douglas in town and they talked of Woodlawn -- admitting that it is "not proper" for him to meddle in American politics, he offers a comment on American election of 1828 anyway in view of Nelly's "electioneering wishes" having been accomplished -- he wishes there had been less abuse on both sides -- recommends trip to Europe for Eliza Parke Custis Law, and grieves for her dejected state. Name on original manuscript appears as "General Lafayette." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, marked "Recd and forwarded by your Obt Ser. Wm. Whittock Jr.," laminated, Postmarked "New York Mar. 10," red seal with device of man's head (George Washington's).

Keywords

Correspondence

Vice-presidents -- United States -- Election

Letter, Eliza Parke Custis Law to Gideon Snow

Unit ID A-607

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25957

Unit Date 1829 April 22

Text 54 (box)

Container 1829.04.22 (folder)

Creator Law, Elizabeth Parke Custis, 1776-1831

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Washington to Boston. Eliza encloses a check for $103 (this is return of a loan plus interest) -- insists on sending the interest, too -- apologizes for delay -- will "resort to harsh measures" to recover what is her due, and then will have plenty money -- has been very ill -- Mr. Rogers has come and taken away last child of her daughter to Baltimore, and now she is desolate and alone -- Gen. Lafayette wants her to come to him in France, but she doesn't want to leave her country and travel alone -- "I must totter on the the grave alone." Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. Custis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmaked "Washn. City Apr. 22," laminated, black seal with waffle design, watermark (S and A Butler U.S.).

Letter, Jane C. Washington to Bushrod Washington and Ann Washington

Unit ID RM-885 ; MS-5380

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33063

Unit Date 1829 June 28

Text 54 (box)

Container 1829.06.28 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Extent 1 Sheets1 sheet folded, 4 pages with text. partially torn.40 x 19 cm

Scope and Contents

Jane Charlotte Washington writes to her uncle and aunt, Bushrod Washington and Julia Ann Washington, Mount Vernon, regarding family updates and describes her journey home from Mount Vernon. Letter contains a Charlestown postmark. Autograph letter, signed. 1 sheet, partially torn.

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Milo Mason

Unit ID MSS-250

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25958

Unit Date 1829 July 1

Text 54 (box)

Container 1829.07.01 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon to Fort Washington. Must decline invitation to dine--Mrs. W. afraid he will have another attack like that he just had, if he goes--her excitement on matter so strong he cannot bring himself to go without her consent--invites him and other officers over to dine. Name on original manuscript appears as "Bush. Washington." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed.

Letter, Bushrod Washington to Milo Mason

Unit ID RM-21; MSS-2023/A-D

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25959

Unit Date 1829 July 5

Text 54 (box)

Container 1829.07.05 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. A note fixing the time for "...you, the other gentlemen, and the ladies of the fort [Fort Washington] to dine with me ...." sends Mrs. M. a few apricots... Name on original manuscript appears as "Bush. Washington." Autograph letter signed, integral cover. Mt. Vernon docketed "Hon. Bush. Washington 5th July 1829."

Letter, Jane C. Washington to Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-885 ; MS-5381

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33064

Unit Date 1829 October 27

Text 54 (box)

Container 1829.10.27 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Extent 1 Sheets1 sheet folded, 4 pages with text. Partially burnt edges.40 x 24 cm

Scope and Contents

Jane Charlotte Washington writes to her uncle, Bushrod Washington, Philadelphia, regarding family health. She is grieved to hear of Bushrod's illness. Letter contains a Charlestown postmark. He would die the following month. Autograph letter, signed. 1 sheet with partially burnt edges.

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Burial request, Bushrod Washington to David Calwell

Unit ID A-301.288

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25960

Unit Date 1829 November 14

Text 54 (box)

Container 1829.11.14 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

Possibly from John Augustine Washington. A.D. Requests interview to be confidential--doesn't know how his case will end, and has aversion to usual practices [at death]--his body not to be restrained in any way, not to be buried until signs of decay are seen--coffin to have holes bored in lid and sides [for air] in case of resuscitation--directions for removing his body to Mt. Vernon--nephew John [Augustine] Washington has been asked to come up. Autograph document, laminated, watermark (Hudson). Date on original catalog card appears [1829] [Nov. 14].

Letter, Bushrod Washington, Jr. to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-301.275

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25962

Unit Date 1829 December 30

Text 54 (box)

Container 1829.12.30 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1785-1830

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Mount Vernon to Washington City. Bushrod Washington Jr., writes that Cousin John [Augustine Washington] is doing the inventory of the late Judge Bushrod Washington's estate -- the two of them are having some doubt as to bequests, particularly about what books should be considered part of the law library -- they suggest a solution, and are trying to iron out difficulties on that point and to clarify one boundary line -- he suggests George mind his health and travel in a closed carriage rather than by horseback -- Bushrod Jr's. family is expected at Mt. Zephyr today. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by Geo. C. Washington, written in a later hand "Son of Col. Wm. A. Washington and brother of Hon. G.C. Washington, on business concerning settlement of Gen'l Washington's estate," postmarked "Alexa. Ca Dec. 30," laminated.

Note, Clement Comer Clay to W. Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2176

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25963

Unit Date 1830 January 16

Text 54 (box)

Container 1830.01.16 (folder)

Creator Clay, Clement Comer, 1789-1866

Scope and Contents

Autograph note, 1 page. Accepts dinner invitation ...

Account, Lorenzo Lewis with Smith Peake and Company

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3514

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25964

Unit Date 1830 January - December

Text 54 (box)

Container 1830.01.00 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

Account, 3 pages. List of household sundries purchased by Lorenzo Lewis by the month.

Letter, William Augustine Washington to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2178

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25965

Unit Date 1830 February 1

Text 54 (box)

Container 1830.02.01 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Richmond. Results of his search re: Revolutionary claims of John Thornton and Jane W-n Thornton in 1788 ... quotes from a resolution of the Committee of Claims ... nothing conclusive ... Name on original manuscript appears as "W. Aug. Washington."

Letter, Mary Lewis Conrad to Esther Maria Lewis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25966

Unit Date 1830 February 13

Text 54 (box)

Container 1830.02.13 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Esther Maria Coxe, 1804-1885

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Alexandria to Philadelphia. The eclipse--Aunt Rosalie [Stuart 's] engagement [to George Turberville ?]--her landscape painting-- attending lectures--Sonny [Parke's son, E.G W. Butler]--Mr. Hervian has finished cousin Mary [Custis] portrait. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Date on original catalog card appears [c. 1830] Feb. 13. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, marked ." Forwarded by Mr L. L [ ], laminated.

Letter, William Augustine Washington to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25967

Unit Date 1830 March 12

Text 54 (box)

Container 1830.03.12 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Haywood to Georgetown. He writes to his brother, the Congressman, asking for information on whether there is or will be a bill during this session before Committee on Territories for establishment of the Huron Territory -- he also wants all pamphlet speeches on Foot's Resolution -- wants to collect them all and have them bound. Name on original manuscript appears as "Wm. Aug. Washington." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, and in later hand." Brother of Go. C. Washington"," postmarked by hand "Mattox Bridge 12 March 1830," free.

Letter, John Howe Peyton to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-378; MS-2472

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25968

Unit Date 1830 March 15

Text 54 (box)

Container 1830.03.15 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mr. Peyton wishes to follow through a suit against the estate of Andrew Parks and Wm A. Washington regarding land titles of sales of certain Kanawah acreage and Federal City lots which formed part of the estate of General Washington. Name on original manuscript appears as "Peyton, John H." Autograph letter signed, (on inside page - see Wm A. W-n letter to Robert Beverly of May 17, 1830).

Manuscripts Box 55

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19103

Unit Date April 1830 - July 1831

Text 55 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Edmund Jennings Lee to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2081

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25969

Unit Date 1830 April 8

Text 55 (box)

Container 1830.04.08 (folder)

Creator Lee, Edmund Jennings, 1772-1843

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Alexandria. Writing to support passage of a bill to incorporate the Alexandria Canal Co ...

Letter, Sarah Tayloe Washington to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25970

Unit Date 1830 May 18

Text 55 (box)

Container 1830.05.18 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Haywood to Georgetown. Sarah Washington expresses her sympathy on the grave illness of George Corbin Washington's only daughter [Eleanor Ann Washington] -- she herself has a "floating gout" caused, she believes, by sorrows for the losses of others -- she shares family news, mostly health-related -- Lawrence Washington, husband of her daughter Sarah, has bought Combleton and they reside there [Westmoreland County] -- Sarah mourns the loss of carriage horses, which with her inability to walk keep her confined -- when the family goes north every year for 3-4 months, she is "totally alone." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked by hand "Mattox Bridge 18 May 1830," watermark (dove of peace, and No. 2).

Memorandum on papers related to Washington's Farewell Address, J.A. Hamilton and Jared Sparks

Unit ID A-301.157

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25971

Unit Date 1830 May 24

Text 55 (box)

Container 1830.05.24 (folder)

Creator Sparks, Jared, 1789-1866

Scope and Contents

A.D. 2 pages. A list of the letters and whether in hands of Sparks Hamilton--a note at the end says "those marked S. are in my possession, and were among the papers sent to me from Mount Vernon by Judge Washington." Autograph document, in hand of J. Sparks, laminated.

Letter, Lawrence Washington to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25972

Unit Date 1830 June 24

Text 55 (box)

Container 1830.06.24 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Haywood to Georgetown. Lawrence announces news of death of Geo. C. Washington's half brother, William. A. Washington [Jr.] of bilious fever and hemorrhage . (Lawrence Washington was husband of Geo. C.'s half sister Sarah Tayloe Washington, and son of Henry Washington of Westmoreland City.) He wanted George Corbin Washington to hear the news directly before reading it in the newspapers. Name on original manuscript appears as "Law. Washington." Autograph letter signed, docketed, integral cover, postmarked by hand "Mattox Bridge June 25, 1830", free, laminated watermark (Amies Philada. No. 2, dove of peace and No. 2).

Letter, Samuel Washington to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25973

Unit Date 1830 June 25

Text 55 (box)

Container 1830.06.25 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Kanawha to Woodlawn. Samuel writes a plea to Lawrence Lewis, the sole remaining executor, for any information about the final settlement of George Washington's estate -- Samuel and children are heirs of sister Mildred Hammond's share as well -- their present circumstances would make additional money very acceptable. Name on original manuscript appears as "Samuel Washington." Letter, integral cover, postmarked by hand "Coulsmon Va. June 29," in handwriting of someone else, watermark (anchor,and Holdship).

Affidavit, Eliza Parke Custis Law

Unit ID RM-289; MS-2905

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25974

Unit Date 1830 July 4

Text 55 (box)

Container 1830.07.04 (folder)

Creator Law, Elizabeth Parke Custis, 1776-1831

Scope and Contents

Reproduction, 1 page. Statement of authenticity, written and signed by Eliza P. Custis, dated at Washington on July 4th 1830, regarding a trunk given to her by her brother George Washington Parke Custis that had been used by her grandmother, Martha Washington, and accompanied her each winter when she joined the General at his winter quarter during the Revolution.

Letter, Eliza Parke Custis Law to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25975

Unit Date 1830 July 13

Text 55 (box)

Container 1830.07.13 (folder)

Creator Law, Elizabeth Parke Custis, 1776-1831

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Washington to Woodlawn. Eliza explains that she is not asking Lewis for money or for much of his time -- she writes that she is planning on going to Salt Sulphur, White Sulphur and Sweet

Springs for her health -- further, she intends to go to her land near there, that had been left her by George Washington -- she asks Lewis for letters of recommendation to procure aid in establishing her claim, and for his description of the route from the Springs to Point Pleasant and stopping places along road. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. Custis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "City of Washington Jul 14", laminated, watermark.

Letter, Fairfax Washington to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25976

Unit Date 1830 July 14

Text 55 (box)

Container 1830.07.14 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Fairfax Washington writes that the estate has no money to pay Lewis the interest already past due at this time -- he must depend on present crop for any money -- as sending it now would be a "fatal interruption" to the next crop, he asks indulgence for one last time until he can finish seeding. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Battletown Va. Jul 19", laminated, watermark.

Letter, Marquis de Lafayette to Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25977

Unit Date 1830 July 17

Text 55 (box)

Container 1830.07.17 (folder)

Creator Lafayette, Marie Joseph Paul Yves Roch Gilbert Du Motier, marquis de, 1757-1834

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. La Grange to Woodlawn. Internal evidence suggests that this is a postscript to a letter from G.W. Lafayette to Nelly. The elder Lafayette writes that his son (G.W. Lafayette) reelected member of House of Deputies -- anxious about Eliza Custis's health -- hopes "the marriage of Hortensia Monroe, of which I have lately Heard, may procure for her more consolation with respect to her grand children than she has been [ ] to receive from their father." Name on original manuscript appears as "Lafayette." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked "New York Sept 1", red seal.

Keywords

Correspondence

Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852 -- Family

Monroe, Hortensia

Lafayette, Georges Washington Louis Gilbert Du Motier, marquis de, 1779-1849

Letter, Edward Butler to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3537

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25978

Unit Date 1830 September 28

Text 55 (box)

Container 1830.09.28 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Alexandria to Audley. Description of two newly acquired fine mares, and arrangements concerning their registration and pedigree papers.

Letter, Eliza Parke Custis Law to Gideon Snow

Unit ID A-607

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25979

Unit Date 1830 October 24

Text 55 (box)

Container 1830.10.24 (folder)

Creator Law, Elizabeth Parke Custis, 1776-1831

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 5 pages. Washington to Boston. Eliza writes that Mr. Blagden was to take letter, but did not stop in to visit, only sending his card -- perhaps he was told she wouldn't receive strangers -- she broke up housekeeping and is living quietly in lodgings -- she goes soon for several months to her sister's (Nelly Lewis's), in Alexandria where she has gone to procure masters for youngest child [Angela] -- had rather be there than at other brother and sisters where she once lived with her child and then grandchildren -- R[ogers], since his marriage, has kept [grand]children from her -- she hasn't seen them for 18 months -- she lives in state of anxiety and distress, with constant pain in her side -- she relates her efforts to help Snow's son politically -- she is now in Gadsby's National Hotel near Bank of Washington -- complains of the difficulty in getting good servants -- "the liberation of many negroes within the last twelve or fifteen years, has rendered them generally worthless - utterly corrupted the slaves, so that now 'tis almost impossible to hire a decent servant." -- Mary Lee Randolph Custis is engaged to marry youngest son of General Lighthorse Harry Lee [that is, Robert E. Lee]. Name on original manuscript appears as "Eliza P. Custis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, directed "Hond. by the Revd. George Washington Blagden," but crossed out, postmarked "Washington City.[ ]Nov.[ ]," laminated, watermark.

Check, Lawrence Lewis to Thomas Baird

Unit ID W-773/C

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25980

Unit Date 1830 December 27

Text 55 (box)

Container 1830.12.27 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

Check. A.D.S. 1 page. Fragment. Order to the Cashier of the Potomac Bank to pay $58.17. Signed, canceled, endorsed by Baird, signed by Lawrence Lewis as executor of George Washington's estate. (See also Baird's bills dated April 28, 1831 and 1830-1.) Name on original manuscript appears as "Law. Lewis." Autograph document signed, canceled, endorsed by Baird, signed by L. Lewis as Executor of G.W.'s estate.

Bill, Thomas Baird to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID W-773/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25981

Unit Date 1831 January 27

Text 55 (box)

Container 1831.01.27 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

Bill. A.D.S. 1 page. Bill for stone work for the vault at Mount Vernon. $58.17. receipted by Baird on Jan. 27, 1831, docketed by L. Lewis "Acct and Recpt. for Stone for the Vault at Mt. Vernon $58.17 27 Jany 1831". [See also Baird's bill dated April 28, 1831 and check dated Dec. 27 1830]. Name on original manuscript appears as "Tho. E. Baird." Autograph document signed, receipted by Baird on Jan. 27, 1831, docketed by L. Lewis "Acct and Recpt. for Stone for the Vault at Mt. Vernon $58.17 27 Jany 1831."

Letter, Marquis de Lafayette

Unit ID RM-1016; MS-5246

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25982

Unit Date 1831 February 10

Text 55 (box)

Container 1831.02.10 (folder)

Language French.

Creator Lafayette, Marie Joseph Paul Yves Roch Gilbert Du Motier, marquis de, 1757-1834

Scope and Contents

Formal letter in French signed by Marquis de Lafayette as president of the Comite Central Polonais.

Letter, Steven Decatur to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2212

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25983

Unit Date 1831 February 13

Text 55 (box)

Container 1831.02.13 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Encloses memorandum [now missing] expresses gratitude for W-n's efforts in his behalf ... Autograph letter signed, integral cover. Union Hotel watermark: "AMIES PHILADA", dove, black wax seal, oval impression.

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Isaac Orr

Unit ID W-839

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23729

Unit Date 1831 February 25

Text 55 (box)

Container 1831.02.25 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Arlington House. Custis writes to Rev. Orr that the state of the river is preventing access to Georgetown which prevented earlier answer -- he declines election as Director of African Education Society -- agricultural and literary avocations make it impossible to give it full attention -- wishes the Society all success -- in a postscript asks Orr with Mr. McNeall to render into Latin an inscription intended for a tomb for Washington's mother: "To Mary The Mother of Washington The Virginian Matron Who gave to her Country and the World A Hero without ambition, A Patriot without reproach Aetatis 85." Autograph letter signed, docketed "G.W. Custis letter to Isaac Orr July 25. 1831."

Letter, John Augustine Washington to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID W-802

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25984

Unit Date 1831 March 4

Text 55 (box)

Container 1831.03.04 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, II, 1789-1832

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon to Georgetown. Maj. Lawrence Lewis has finished new vault -- he came today to examine the coffins -- many cannot be moved without going to pieces -- your father's coffin [Wm. A. Washington] is entirely to pieces, cannot be moved -- better send someone to make a new coffin -- Major Lewis will move them next week or so -- my health is bad -- have written Mr. Roberson on this subject -- have not received receipt for George's first six months' tuition and board -- please ask them to send bill and receipt -- George's expenses greater than they should be, especially for his shoes

-- my other son is at Mr. Brent's school and his shoes are much less. Name on original manuscript appears as "John A. Washington." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by G.C.W., laminated, watermark (Mode), postmarked "Alexa Ca. Mar. 4," marked"Free."

Receipt, Isaac Camwell

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3515

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25985

Unit Date 1831 April 6

Text 55 (box)

Container 1831.04.06 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Receipt. 1 page. Cloth and thread purchased for Negro clothing. Amount $7.80.

Keywords

Slavery

Clothing and dress -- Purchasing

Receipts (financial records)

Financial records

Genealogy chart, Washington family

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3516

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25986

Unit Date 1831 April 15

Text 55 (box)

Container 1831.04.15 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Genealogy chart, Washington family. Has a key for the several proprietors of Mount Vernon. Appears to be inaccurate.

Bill, Thomas Baird to the Estate of George Washington

Unit ID W-773/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25987

Unit Date 1831 April 28

Text 55 (box)

Container 1831.04.28 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. Bill for $5.00 for stonework for the vault at Mount Vernon. Autograph document signed, receipted by Baird, docketed "Genl. Washington's Estate to Thos. E. Baird $5. April 28 1831." [See also Baird's bill dated 1830-31, and L. Lewis's check to Baird dated Dec. 27, 1830].

Letter, Jane Charlotte Washington to Mrs. Milo Mason

Unit ID W-808

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25988

Unit Date 1831 May 10

Text 55 (box)

Container 1831.05.10 (folder)

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon to Fort Washington. Has directed the gardener to take over the first peas--hopes they will be acceptable to her and Major Mason--sister is recovering--husband's business kept her from going to her--tomorrow we set off--letter from Augustine [John A. W-n ?]--"boys are all well"--thanks her for inviting Augustine to spend vacation with her son but Mr. W. thinks him too young and volatile to be without parental or teacher's control--respects to Mr. and Mrs. Webb. Name on original manuscript appears as "J. C. Washington." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, written in a later hand is incorrect information, "Mrs. J. C. Washington wife of Judge Bushrod Washington," laminated.

Receipt, Lawrence Lewis to Isaac Camwell

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3517

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25989

Unit Date 1831 May 31

Text 55 (box)

Container 1831.05.31 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

For linen and thread - $1.69 1/4.

Letter, Samuel Washington to the Monumental Committee of Fredericksburg

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25990

Unit Date 1831 June 3

Text 55 (box)

Container 1831.06.03 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Kanawha. Acknowledges receipt of circular letter regarding their desire to reinter remains of Mrs. Mary Washington in church and erect monument--from knowledge of her simple likes, he dissents from scheme as her only surviving grandchild of the name--suggests a plain monument erected on spot she's buried now as best memorial--thanks them for intended honor. Name on original manuscript appears as "Saml. Washington." Autograph letter signed, docketed "From Capt. Samuel Washington of Kanhawa. his refusal to give up the remains of Mary the Mother of Washington with all the other near relatives to be placed in a contemplated Church in the town of Fredericksburg", laminated. [Letter to members of Monumental Committee of Fredericksburg].

Letter, Monumental Committee of Fredericksburg to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25991

Unit Date 1831 June 8

Text 55 (box)

Container 1831.06.08 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. They have been appt. a committee by citizens of Fredericksburg and vicinity to "rescue from oblivion the spot, where by her own selection lie intered the remains of your venerated and respected relative Mrs. Mary Washington"--requests assent and co-operation in raising a monument. Letter, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexa Ca June 8," laminated, watermarks.

Power of attorney, Lawrence Lewis for retrieval of two escaped slaves

Unit ID 2016-SC-032

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5597

Unit Date 1831 June 10

Text 55 (box)

Container 1831.06.10 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

The son of George Washington's sister, Lawrence Lewis authorizes Thomas Griggs to bring back a slave named Shadrach and his brother Arlington who ran away separately from Lewis' farm near Battletown.

Keywords

Fugitive slaves -- Virginia

Legal documents

Letter, Mary Lewis Conrad to Esther Maria Lewis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25992

Unit Date 1831 July 27

Text 55 (box)

Container 1831.07.27 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Esther Maria Coxe, 1804-1885

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. Alexandria to Audley. Name on originaly manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis."

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19104

Unit Date August 1831 - December 1832

Text 56 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Sarah Tayloe Washington to Robert Beverley

Unit ID RM-378; MS-2474

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25999

Unit Date 1831 August 2

Text 56 (box)

Container 1831.08.02 (folder)

Creator Beverley, Robert, 1769-1843

Scope and Contents

Haywood. Describes her poor health and her unhappy situation since the death of her son William Augustine. Mrs. Washington asks Mr. Beverley to clear up some trouble she is having proving the payment of a debt. Signature on manuscript appears as "Sarah Washington Senior." Autograph letter signed, 2 pages, with integral address panel.

Letter, Lorenzo Lewis to I.R. Coxe

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3538

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26000

Unit Date 1831 November 11

Text 56 (box)

Container 1831.11.11 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L. 2 pages. Audley. Copy of letter. Negative reply to the request that Nancy Coxe spend the winter in Philadelphia with the Lewis family.

Letter, Thomas Washington to Walter Jones

Unit ID RM-378; MS-2475

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26001

Unit Date 1831 November 26

Text 56 (box)

Container 1831.11.26 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Nashville. Relates to a suit between a Mr. Ervin and a Mr. Blake. Autograph letter signed, integral cover. (Thomas Washington not identified. Possibly Thomas Blackburn W-n, son of George Corbin Washington). 1802-1894.

Letter, Jared Sparks to Robert Gilmore

Unit ID RM-862; MS-5320

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26002

Unit Date 1832 January 31

Text 56 (box)

Container 1832.01.31 (folder)

Creator Sparks, Jared, 1789-1866

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Boston to Baltimore. Promises to supply Gilmore with autograph letters, particularly "those of Revolutionary note." Complains about William Sprague, GW document collector. Asks Gilmore to ask Charles Carroll about his memories of the Conway Cabal, "particularly the names of those, who were unfavorably disposed towards [Gen. Washington] in Congress." Autograph letter signed, address leaf, seal, postmark.

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Letter, Lawrence Lewis to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID W-770

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33173

Unit Date 1832 February 17

Text 56 (box)

Container 1832.02.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Extent 1 Sheets1 sheet, two pages with text25 x 40 cm

Scope and Contents

Lawrence Lewis writes to George Corbin Washington regarding the remains of their uncle George Washington. Notes that 'Cousin John' - John Augustine Washington - refused to have Washington's remains disturbed despite the two houses of Congress desire to place them in the cellar (used for coal and wood) of the Capital which Lewis finds insulting. Mentions an already approved equestrian statue of Washington to be placed in a square as a better location under which to place Washingtons's remains. Expresses that the final movement of Washington to the new vault complied with their uncle's last expressed wish despite the public's claim that the remains belong to them and should be given upon demand. Autograph letter signed, 3 pages, with integral address panel. Postmarked - Alexandria 'Feb 17'.

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Receipt, Henry Brown to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26003

Unit Date 1832 March 3

Text 56 (box)

Container 1832.03.03 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Receipt. Henry Brown, State Treasurer. Tax receipt for year 1831 for 500 acres of land in Union County, Ohio. Signed by D[eneas?] Adams, Chief Clerk. Partly printed form, docketed.

Letter, Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington to Eliza Rankin

Unit ID RM-61; MS-2133

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26004

Unit Date 1832 May 8

Text 56 (box)

Container 1832.05.08 (folder)

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Mr. W-n's health fluctuating* ... will be traveling again this summer, pleased that she is nicely situated with brother's family ... invitation to Mount Vernon if W-ns in residence next winter ... Autograph letter signed, integral cover. *John A., Sr. died on June 26, 1832.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Frances Parke Butler

Unit ID RM-1188.008

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26556

Unit Date 1832 May 26

Text 56 (box)

Container 1832.05.26 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Scope and Contents

Letter to Frances Lewis Butler from her sister and mother. Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, also nicknamed 'Tiffin,' writes to her sister about her recent trip to Washington, D. C. where she witnessed debates in the Senate and House. Confesses that she also attended a '[Henry] Clay meeting' and rather enjoyed it. Reports that members from the meeting later visited Mount Vernon and Mr. Bradford of Virginia delivered an excellent and appropriate address at the tomb. Mentions other family members. Nelly adds her own letter to the latter part of the document, commenting on 'Sonny's' portrait [by Chapman] and the response of a visitor as the "best likeness of a child he ever saw." It is the greatest ornament in their parlor. Writes about the weather, picking wild strawberries and various family members as well as upcoming travel plans. Autograph letter signed, 4 pages. Postmarked Alexandria, May 28.

Keywords

Correspondence

Butler, Frances Parke, 1799-1875

Letter, John Augustine Washington II to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26005

Unit Date 1832 June 7

Text 56 (box)

Container 1832.06.07 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, II, 1789-1832

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon to Woodlawn. Information on fees paid by his uncle [Bushrod W-n] in suit Cresap vs. McLai[n ?]--Maria [Anne Maria Washington ?] suffering from chills and fever. Name on original manuscript appears as "John A. Washington." Autograph letter signed, docketed.

Letter, Thomas Foster to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26006

Unit Date 1832 June 26

Text 56 (box)

Container 1832.06.26 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. House of Representatives to Georgetown. Announces death of John A. Washington about 2 o'clock while writer was with a party at Mt. Vernon--Dr. Mason with him--had been better but sudden hemorhage carried him off in minutes--hasten to distressed family if it is convenient.Date on original catalog card appears [1832] [June 26].Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed "Announcing death of John A. Washington of Mt. Vernon," watermark (D.I. Canfield).

Bond, George Corbin Washington to John Augustine Washington II and Bushrod Washington

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26112

Unit Date 1832

Text 56 (box)

Container 1832.00.00 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Creator Washington, John Augustine, II, 1789-1832

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

Bond. D. 1 page. G.C.W. to pay $711.10 for his shares of stock of Potomac Co., under will of B. Washington, deceased--obligation being he must refund on demand due proportion of any deals or just demands hereafter appearing against B. Washington, deceased. Document, unsigned, [on reverse is form for same transaction with G.C.W-n in his position as trustee for Bushrod Washington Jr.'s children,] watermark.

Account of taxes, Thomas Beall

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2121

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26113

Unit Date 1832-1835

Text 56 (box)

Container 1832.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 1 fragment. Thomas Beall of Georgetown, heirs of Washington County. Mostly real property taxes ...

Manuscripts Box 57

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19105

Unit Date January 1833 - February 1834

Text 57 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington to Eliza Rankin

Unit ID RM-61; MS-2134

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26007

Unit Date 1833 January 4

Text 57 (box)

Container 1833.01.04 (folder)

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Encloses stock gilli seed ... will send Polianthus seeds and roots

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Encloses stock gilli seed ... will send Poliianthus seeds and roots ... planning to board in Alexandria until late Mar ... sons at Howard School ... wants Maria to attend [Benjamin] Hallowell's school ... accepts offer of White fig and passion fruit ... will make every effort to keep up with MV without involving the children's estates ... Autograph letter signed, integral cover.

Letter, Tappan Wentworth to John S. Burleigh

Unit ID A-259; MS-1294

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26008

Unit Date 1833 March 12

Text 57 (box)

Container 1833.03.12 (folder)

Creator Wentworth, Tappan, 1802-1875

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Richmond. Visited downstairs rooms only--furniture all changed from G.W.'s day--key of Bastille and marble mantle and numerous statues and paintings--"you may not be aware that the best likeness of Washington was what might almost be said to have been a chance drawing on a pitcher. This is preserved in an elegant frame and under a green veil"--description of old and new tombs--" ... the tomb itself though by way of distinction called new is in a state delapidation [sic] disgraceful to the nation if indeed the nation had anything to do with it"--8 or 10 slaves on estate--old negro acted as guide, told anecdotes--mulatto woman--"the blood of some of the W. family no doubt ran in her veins"--all servants there expected tips from visiters--good description of the state capitol in Richmond and city guard which is [he thinks] designed to hold slaves in check. Name does not appear on original manuscript. Early description of Mt. Vernon. Autograph letter, integral cover docketed "Tap Wentworth," laminated, watermark.

Resolution of thanks to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2072

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26009

Unit Date 1833 March 16

Text 57 (box)

Container 1833.03.16 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

Resolution of thanks by Washington Board of Aldermen, to George Corbin Washington, E.F. Chambers, and L. Jarvis. Public appreciation of their successful support of Congressional measures to promote interests of city of Washington ... to be honored at a dinner ...

Journal, Caroline Moore

Unit ID RM-895; MS-5393

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26119

Unit Date 1833 April 18 - May 15

Text 57 (box)

Container 1833.04.18 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D. Travel journal including a description of a visit to Mount Vernon. April 18 - May 15, 1833.

Letter, Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington to George Humphreys

Unit ID RM-31; MS-2037

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26026

Unit Date 1833 May 6

Text 57 (box)

Container 1833.05.06 (folder)

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Washington. Requests Humphreys to look into the "situation, price and payments of

A.L.S. 4 pages. Washington. Requests Humphreys to look into the "situation, price and payments of Flore's farm" ... would like to purchase a small farm for daughter, Maria ... brother Bush'd [bro-in-law probably] in Ohio disposing of a tract of her land ... her sister and others in Fredericksburg for corner stone laying of monument to Mary Ball W-n ... Barrows, the, donor, taking care of them ... Name on original manuscript appears as "Jane C." Autograph letter signed, (1 1/2 of text), integral cover; the docket identifies the writer.

Letter, Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Dear Sir

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3418

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26027

Unit Date 1833 August 24

Text 57 (box)

Container 1833.08.24 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 6 pages. Woodlawn. Lengthy account of use of snake-weed as a cure for hydrophobia. Where found, how to prepare and administer. Several case histories.

Letter, Churchill Thornton to George Fayette Washington

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26028

Unit Date 1833 September 5

Text 57 (box)

Container 1833.09.05 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Fayette, 1790-1867

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Pha. Alms House to Brucetown Frederick County, Virginia. Asks about money loaned by him to Dr. Snyder and not repaid--could have made several hundred dollars in a few days by investing it in stock--will subscribe to Saturday Evening Post for him-- approves of sending cousin Charles to college. Name on original manuscript appears as "Churchill." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked "Phil Oct 4", docketed "The Funeral," laminated, watermarked (J.L. Robeson, Phila.).

Letter, unknown author to Eliza Monroe Hay

Unit ID RM-1150; MS-5842

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26114

Unit Date 1833 November 6

Text 57 (box)

Container 1833.11.06 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Letter with envelope addressed to Mrs. Hay, nee Monroe. Envelope docketed in French, "recommander aux (?) de Monsieur Daveral, Charge d'affaires du Etats Unis a Naples (?)." Personal letter, family news, etc.

Letter, P.H. Hooffs to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3539

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26029

Unit Date 1833 November 12

Text 57 (box)

Container 1833.11.12 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Alexandria. Re: crop of wheat and shipments of flour.

Lette, Louis McLane to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-301.165

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26030

Unit Date 1833 December 10

Text 57 (box)

Container 1833.12.10 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S 3 pages. Department of State, Washington. Quotes from G.W.'s letter to President of Congress in 1781 requesting that writers be employed to copy down revolutionary documents of his which were never copied and are on loose sheets--Congress did so, and is in possession of some--if he (J.A.W) has more, would he consent to have it deposited among National Archives? Copy certified and sealed in 1850 as true copy of record in file of State Dept.

Letter, George Corbin Washington to Louis McLane

Unit ID A-301.164

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26031

Unit Date 1834 January 3

Text 57 (box)

Container 1834.01.03 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 6 pages. Georgetown. Writes to answer letter stating govt's desire to have official papers of G.W. to put in national Archives in State Dept.--description of documents in his possession--estimates of no. of papers in collection he will consent to being deposited in national archives--would like to give the papers but feels he cannot--"I am willing that the Government shall possess all the papers of a general character or in any manner connected with the Colonial revolutionary and political history of the country, only reserving such as are of a privat nature, or which it would be obviously improper to make public."--doesn't know what price to ask--papers at present in possession of Mr. [Jared] Sparks for publishing--will discuss terms with govt.--has portion of G.W.'s library relating to public records of the country and will sell them too. Autograph letter signed, draft, docketed "Letter to Hon. L. McLane Bill No 446 Washington Papers, Books etc Jany. 3d. 1834 No. 3," laminated. [Below is added as a note "These Books were delivered with the papers to the State Department. No additional allowance being made for them"].

Letter, George Fayette Washington to Jane Frame

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26032

Unit Date 1834 January 11

Text 57 (box)

Container 1834.01.11 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Fayette, 1790-1867

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Waverly to Charles Town. Reflections on new year and transitory nature of life--advice to her. Name on original manuscript appears as "Geo. F. Washington." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, marked "A New Years Gift," laminated, directed "per Mr.[ ].

Letter, W.D. Beall to George Fayette Washington

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26033

Unit Date 1834 January 17

Text 57 (box)

Container 1834.01.17 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Fayette, 1790-1867

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Georgetown. Answers inquiry of [nephew of Geo. A. Washington] regarding military rank and bounty claim of Geo. A. W-n--"It appears from the rolls furnished the War Dept that Maj. W[ashington] was returned as a Lieutenant at the close of the war, which was probably the rank he held in the Regiment from which he was taken to perform the duty of Aid de Camp. According to the existing military laws the appointment of Aid gives the title of Major without the command or compensation, and officers, upon relinquishing that Situation, which is frequently the case, return to duty in their regiments with the rank held before leaving them. Upon disbanding the Army, I presume, therefore, that the officers were mustered out of service according to their regimental rank and not agreeably to the rank held in the Staff."--Maj. W. entitled to 2666 2/3 acres Va. bounty land--State troops already pd. in lands by govt. but not Continental troops, of which Maj. W. seems to have been member. Autograph letter signed, watermark (P and C).

Broadside subscription order for the Life and Writings of Washington by Jared Sparks

Unit ID 2018-SC-014

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14667

Unit Date 1834 February 21

Text 57 (box)

Container 1834.02.21 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 pages19 x 23 cm

Scope and Contents

Printed form completed in manuscript. The top half of the form is a prospectus for Jared Sparks's Life and Writings of Washingotn, with Historical Notes, Illustrations, Engravings, &c. It features a wood engraving of the "Evacuation of Boston, from a Revolutionary medal." The bottom of the form certifies that Oliver B. Dorance - a lawyer and freemason from Portland, Maine - has paid 5 dollars for volumes two and three of Sparks's book. The receipt is signed by Benjamin R. Downes on behalf of the publisher.

Keywords

Broadsides (notices)

Sparks, Jared, 1789-1866

Manuscripts Box 58

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19106

Unit Date March 1834 - November 1834

Text 58 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Ashbel Green to Bernard Whitman

Unit ID MSS-298

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26037

Unit Date 1834 March 8

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.03.08 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Philadelphia to Waltham. Refers to his [Green's] review of Jefferson's papers--Jefferson's claim that G.W. "belonged to the School of Infidelity" is slanderous--sends him pamphlet on the subject --during revolution when G.W. was at Morristown N.J., "[G.W.] was, at his particular request, admitted to commune at the Lord's Table, with the Presbyterian church of that place, then under the pastoral care of the Revd. Dr. Timothy Jones. There were, not long since, and I believe there still are, living, eye-witnesses of this fact."--the Genl. and Mrs. W. attended Baptism of T. Lear's child in 1791. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, endorsed "Rev Dr Green, the most aged and most distinguished of the old presbyterians," red seal broken off.

Promissory note, Putnam Washington to Joshua Blue

Unit ID A-456

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26039

Unit Date 1834 April 15

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.04.15 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Promissory note. Promise to pay $87.88 nine months after date. Document, fragment, endorsed "P. Washington and C. Burwell Note," laminated. Assigned to Thos. Timbalake, May 9, 1834 $40. receipted Sept. 9, 1835.

Letter, Daniel Webster to Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington

Unit ID RM-431; MS-3408

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26040

Unit Date 1834 May 9

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.05.09 (folder)

Creator Webster, Daniel, 1782-1852

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. Senate Chamber, Washington. Letter of introduction for friends.

Letter, Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26041

Unit Date 1834 May 26

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.05.26 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Iberville, Louisiana to New Orleans. Writes in a humorous vein about Conrad's sudden preference for rural retreats--received articles from Mr. Krumbhaar; sorry they are not what he wanted--have Mr. Krumbhaar procure berths or staterooms on ship for them--Sonny and Sissy send love [Parke's children, E.G.W. Butler and E.A. Isabella Butler]. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked by hand "Iberville La May 27 1834", laminated, black seal.

Check, George Washington Parke Custis to William Costin

Unit ID W-946/B; A-140

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26042

Unit Date 1834 June 5

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.06.05 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Creator Costin, William, 1780?-1842

Scope and Contents

Check. A.D.S. 1 page. Check on Bank of the Metropolis for $27. Autograph document signed, fragment, cancelled.

Letter, Charles Goldsborough to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2208

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26043

Unit Date 1834 June 24

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.06.24 (folder)

Creator Goldsborough, Charles, 1765-1834

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Cambridge E.S. Md. Explains his absence from stockholders mtg. of the Canal Co., sending his vote for Geo. C. W-n as President ... Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Goldsborough." Autograph letter signed, integral cover.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26044

Unit Date 1834 June 30

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.06.30 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. To New Orleans. Arrived at White Sulpher after fatiguing journey [from La.]--Commodore Biddle here--describes scenery and their location, a cabin.

Includes a letter from Nelly written crosshatch across Mary Eliza Angela Conrad's. She and Angela talk constantly of him--teases him about Angela--the Magill (?) ring and his profile are carefully guarded by Angela--trip very fatiguing and miserable--stay at the springs a while to restore health--then to Audley, but will return to [Woodlawn] before his visit--speaks of friends on voyage home--rejoices that he doesn't use tobacco in any form--his brother Alfred--anxious lest Ive's humor toward him will change--he is a mad man. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26045

Unit Date 1834 July 4

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.07.04 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. White Sulphur to New Orleans. She is finishing a dress for her mother--hopes his journey will be safe. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Date on original catalog card appears [1834] [July 4].

Includes letter from Nelly written in crosshatch. A.L.S. 4 pages. Worried about Parke; no news from her--they go on to Sweet Springs--hopes this will benefit Angela who has had 3 attacks of nervous pain in her face--if they aren't at Woodlawn by mid-August when he visits, go to postmaster in Alexandria and then come to A[udley]--if he goes to Fred[erick], go to Berryville (sometimes called Battletown,) and Audley is just 2 miles--admonishes him not to say "cursed" or any other bad words because her sister [in-law] Mrs. Custis disapproves--[Here she leaves room for a postscript by M.E.A. Lewis] describes their location--live in brick house, one of a row of them called "Paradise Row"--Mr. Custis and Mr. Bowers of New Orleans are here--a band and dancing here--few genteel men there--friends at the spring.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26046

Unit Date 1834 July 12

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.07.12 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. White Sulphur Spring to New Orleans. "You are unreasonable to call me cold, and an icicle. I am neither."--denies going out with handsome young men. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover in hand of E.P. Lewis, marked "Sulphur Springs Va. July 12, 1834," postmarked "White Sulr. Sprs. Va, Jul. 13," laminated.

A long letter by E.P. Lewis is added as a postscript in crosshatch. A.L.S. 3 pages. Altho Angela seems cold to him, she really thinks of him all the time--Commodore Biddle--Harry [Henry] Clay is here--life and people at White Sulphur--asks that Conrad's sisters write Angela a line or two giving their approbation of his fiancee, but not to let Angela know she suggested it--Beau Nash of White Sulphur, Lewis Caldwell--thinks her health will be completely restored by the Springs.

Form for relinquishing Washington papers to the U.S. Government, Jared Sparks to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26047

Unit Date 1834 September 5

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.09.05 (folder)

Creator Sparks, Jared, 1789-1866

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

Form for relinquishing Washington papers to the U.S. Government, drawn up by Jared Sparks for Geo. C. Washington to copy. [See letter of same date, Sparks to G.C. Washington].

Letter, Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26048

Unit Date 1834 September 8 or 9

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.09.08 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Tudor Place to Philadelphia. Arrived last evening after tedious trip down canal--detoured at Harpers Ferry--leave tomorrow for Woodlawn. Anxiety over his health--will be ready to receive him any day after tomorrow--hopes he was enlightened by the good company of his journey--advises him to put his loved ones under protection of [God]--left Audley of Friday, was sick all way to Charlestown--is well now--talk of acquaintances--don't forget the profiles.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26049

Unit Date 1834 October 17

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.10.17 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. She misses him--entertaining guests--has received more songs to learn--will commence some keepsakes for his brothers and sisters--remind him of promise not to keep house with Mr. [John ?] S[li]d[el]l this winter--cautions him to be careful of his eyes--numbers all her letters so he can tell if any are lost--writes of every one's good opinion of him. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked [ ] D.C. Oct 18," marked No. 1, laminated.

A postscript by E.P. Lewis. The Dr. says the disease is called Ptirgium [Ptergium] and requires an operation--she tore up her obnoxious letter and did her best to make them (?) happy while they were here.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26050

Unit Date 1834 October 18

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.10.18 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Woodlawn. Received his letter from Norfolk--she watched his boat for 15 min. thru a spy glass, but could see no one aboard--his brother [Alfred Conrad] arrived today--admonishes him to be careful of his eyes and do not let any not a first rate surgeon perform the operation [for Ptergium]. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, laminated, black seal blurred, "favrd. by Mr. Alfred Conrad."

Letter from Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis follows: A.L.S. 3 pages. Sends him a rose kissed by Tiffin [Angela]--[Angela] misses him badly--his brother's stay makes them all happy--he says he will come again in Jany.--his clothes he lent haven't been returned--warns Charles to have nothing further to do with Mrs. F. la Dianola, or a scandal may result--don't get into any altercations on politics or other matters--she has finished transfering card baskets and given them a coat of varnish--will make another basket and box and will make 2 pr. [screens] for his house. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. L." Date on original catalog card appears [1834] [Oct. 18]. Autograph letter signed, directed "Favr'd by Mr. Alfred Conrad," [letter added to letter from M.E.A. Lewis to Charles Conrad, same date].

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26051

Unit Date 1834 October 21

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.10.21 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. His brother Alfred has left--will commence making the [guards ?] for his brothers--"I looked at the names you carved yesterday"--. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis."

Autograph letter signed, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Oct 2[]", laminated, marked "No. 2 by mail."

Letter by Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis follows in crosshatch: A.L.S. 3 pages. Anxiety over his long sea journey--anxious over his eyes--get best medical opinion and nursing care if an operation is necessary--Alfred [Conrad] promised to come in Jany., but she advises Charles not to risk it--his brother Alfred's impediment--"I would not have you condescend to B.[?] in any way, and if she slights this attention leave them to themselves." --Lt. Richard Lee went to Texas with $15000 and never heard of since--warns Charles not to go to Texas or Mexico--Ferd[inand Coxe, Esther Maria Coxe Lewis's brother] is here doing nothing much--he is very indolent--Angela spends much time walking. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. L.." Autograph letter initial signed.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26052

Unit Date 1834 October 25

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.10.25 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. If he hasn't answered [Lorenzo's] letter, please do--Dr. Physick's opinion agrees with Dr. Washington's regarding Charles' eyes--is reading "Mrs. Trollop's tour in Belgium and Western Germany"--her opinion of Mrs. Trollope's veracity--Capt. Bell "of opossum and persimon notoriety" visited--has been playing Backgammon with Ferdinand [Coxe]--she practices her music--her father has made her a frame for flowers in a room with constant fire--announcement of Mr. Wm. Taylor of Point-Coupee marriage to Miss Thom of Culpeper County--"I think he has treated my friend Virginia shabbily"-warns him about care of his eyes. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Oct. 27," marked "No 2," laminated red seal blurred.

A postscript is added by E.P. Lewis: A.L.S. 1 page. Anxious about his safe arrival and his eyes. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. L.." Autograph letter initial signed.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26053

Unit Date 1834 October 28

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.10.28 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Woodlawn. Glad he's arrived safe at Charleston--scolds him for flirtation--the Wirt girls--"..the good City of New Orleans has disgraced itself by firing a salute to Mr. [Geo.] Poindexter." Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, docketed, integral cover, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Oct. 31," laminated, broken black seal. Date on original catalog card appears 1834 O[ct.] 28.

A long letter follows from E. P. Lewis in crosshatch; A.L.S. 3 pages. His safe arrival in Charleston--his "besetting sin" a weakness for soft dark eyes--warns him to be careful of his looking at pretty faces, to remember the A.C.'s and the Pyles--the Wirt girls are flirts, break engagements without 2nd thought--her anxiety about his unguarded and trusting attitude toward others--he must overcome this--cautions him about using his eyes--sends regards to friends in New Orleans. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. Lewis." Autograph letter signed. Date on original catalog card appears [1834] [Oct. 28].

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26054

Unit Date 1834 November 1

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.11.01 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. Laughed at his letter about the Wirt girls--they are the objects of much scandal--Mrs. Butler (alias Fanny Kemble's) book softened before being printed for American public--her attacks on American manners--Mrs. Trollope's descriptions of German and American society--wife of her cousin [Mary W. Lewis] Willis [wife of Byrd Willis and daughter of Geo. Lewis] died of epidemic in Pensacola. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Nov. 2," marked "No. 3", laminated.

A postscript follows by E.P. Lewis: A.L.S. 2 pages. Adds to Angela's tale of the scandals about the Misses Wirt--cautions him against flirtations--reminds him of his flirtation with Mrs. Pyle.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26056

Unit Date 1834 November 5

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.11.05 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Woodlawn. Received his letter from Montgomery[Ala.]--can procure no teachers in music or French, so teaches herself--reads Trevelyan's novel--"Aunt Anna and myself drank your health and safe return in a Bumper, after Mother and Father had left the table." Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C., Nov. 6," marked "The 3rd letter from E. P. L.," black seal with swan and nest and motto.

Long postscript by E.P. Lewis follows. A.L.S. 3 pages. Cautions him about straining his eyes--Tiffin [Angela] will continue to write weekly, but she will write only if anything worth relating comes up--talk of mutual friends--she has transferred pair of screens for [Charles and Angela's] domicile--A. to do a pr. for the drawing room--has done several pieces of handwork for them--box for chess men, card basket, etc.--Mr. Moore is here with Mr. L[ewis] settling accts. of Genl. W-n's estate--questions Conrad on origin of the woolsack in Parliament--advice for taking care of cloths and keeping warm and dry.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26058

Unit Date 1834 November 8

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.11.08 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Gives him an example of her daily schedule--scenery near Woodlawn--father [Lawr. Lewis] promises to take them in carriage "as far as it can go towards Porters Battery, and we are to walk the rest of the distance"--has information on friends in New Orleans--asks about building of water works and gas works there--finished reading Trevelyan. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E.

A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Nov. 9," marked "No. 4," laminated, red seal obscured.

A postscript by E.P. Lewis follows: A.L.S. 2 pages. Copies for him a few verses from a novel "Pinmoney," called "The Undying One"--inquires about Leonard R. Aling in Tampico.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26059

Unit Date 1834 November 16

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.11.16 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. Received letter from N. Orleans--Aunt [Mary]Custis and her daughter Mrs. [Robt. E.] Lee visited--her friend Mrs.[ ] Powell--Cousin Mary [Custis Lee] will live in Washington this winter--"They are my favorite Aunt and cousin"--expects to take up painting for winter but is indolent. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Nov. 16," marked "No. 5," laminated, red seal smeared.

A postscript by Mrs. E.P. Lewis follows: A.L.S. 2 pages. Advice on frugality and his health--chimney in parlour which was so unsightly is now done over.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

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Unit Date 1834 November 19

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.11.19 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Glad Alfred [Conrad's brother] liked her--his eyes--will write on Saturday. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed.

Postscript by E.P. Custis Lewis follows in crosshatch. A.L.S. 4 pages. [Angela] studies her French and exercises for his sake--cautions him about his eyes--even if he were to go blind [Angela] would stick by him--fears he was angered or hurt by her [warnings on flirtations]--[Angela] begins drawing in crayon--one of Charles Conrad's uncles was [G.W.P. Custis'] intimate friend--her family--Col. House died of cholera in Georgetown--stories of [Geo.] Poindexter's cheating at cards--mutual friends. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. L." Autograph letter initial signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Nov. 20," black seal obscured.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

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Unit Date 1834 November 22

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.11.22 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. Charles' eyes--brother [Lorenzo Lewis] and family arrived [from

Philadelphia]--has new music to learn--received several gifts--[Lorenzo] heard nothing of the Pyles--Ferdinand Coxe confined to his room-[Lorenzo] brought 2 Jackson medals to add to her cabinet--[Lorenzo and family] leave soon and return after Xmas for a while--hopes his business progresses--has just read "The Camp and Court of Napoleon"--. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Nov. 24," marked "No. 6", red seal obscured.

A long postscript by E.P. Lewis follows. A.L.S. 2 pages. The twins [Lawrence Fielding and John Ed. Coxe Lewis]--gifts to Angela--a friend brought Tiffin [Angela] a piece of the Plymouth Rock for her cabinet--warns him not to eat oysters because they are thought to cause cholera--always keep strong mint lozenges by him. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. Lewis." Autograph letter signed.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26062

Unit Date 1834 November 29

Text 58 (box)

Container 1834.11.29 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. Received letter written after trip to Baton Rouge--family and mutual friends--her music improves but little, though she practices diligently--has read a life of Marshall Ney and cannot admire him--now is reading a History of Bayard--ships lost in violent storms. ame on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C., Dec. 1," marked "No. 7," red seal obscured.

A postscript follows by E.P. Lewis. A.L.S. 2 pages. Lorenzo inquired about the Pyle's but could learn nothing--"I trust you will never think it necessary to renew your acquaintance with them anywhere." Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. L." Date on original catalog card appears [1834] [Nov. 29]. Autograph letter initial signed.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19107

Unit Date December 1834 - March 1835

Text 59 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26063

Unit Date 1834 December 5

Text 59 (box)

Container 1834.12.05 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. [Lawrence Lewis] requests to pay money he owes to servant--[Lorenzo] and family arrived safe at Phila.-watched eclipse of [sun] thru smoked glass--skipped thru "The Polish Chiefs" a story of Kosciusco's love--because of this Aunt Anna called her a cold blooded Yankee, and that no warm blooded Virginian could have resisted such a tale of woe--is reading Jeanie Deans/The Heart of Midlothian [Scott]--admires characters in this book much. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Dec. 6," marked "No. 8," red seal with obscured device.

There follows a long postscript by E.P. Lewis: A.L.S. 2 pages. Shocked to read in his letter,"Really, from the style of your letters one would suppose that you were the fiancee, not she, you are more jealous

than she is ... "in answer to her admonitions [regarding flirting]--lectures him about respect due to a parent and old lady--will abstain hereafter from advising him.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26064

Unit Date 1834 December 13

Text 59 (box)

Container 1834.12.13 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Woodlawn. Glad Supreme Ct. decided in his favor--"that poor man Parker" who has aroused ire of people in N. Orleans--is reading the novel "Henri Quatre"--the gig is a very dangerous carriage; tells a story of Mr. Mason being injured in one--great no. of shipwrecks this fall; hopes he won't return by water --speaks of friends in La.--thanks for the oranges. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Dec. 15," marked "No. 9," laminated, red seal obscured.

There follows a postscript written by E.P. Lewis. A.L.S. 1 page. Asks that both forget their quarrel and think carefully before writing anything better left unsaid.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26065

Unit Date 1834 December 19

Text 59 (box)

Container 1834.12.19 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. Dr. Henry Daingerfield visits--he threw mistletoe leaves in fire to see if Charles is constant--visiters--her French gets tedious, and she spends much time reading--is reading a hist. of Spain--coming marriage of Susan [Randolph] Taylor and Moncure Robinson [civil engineer building Philadelphia and Reading R.R.]-received as Christmas gift "Landscape Annual" for1835--is doing handiwork. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Dec.[ ], marked "No 10", laminated, red seal blurred.

There follows a long postscript by E.P. Lewis. A.L.S. 2 pages. Is trying to make him a birthday gift--thanks for information about Woolsack [in Brit. Parliament]--hopes to see him on Supreme Ct. some day--congratulations on birth of [a nephew].

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26066

Unit Date 1834 December 28

Text 59 (box)

Container 1834.12.28 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Woodlawn. Weather--much snow--business detains Lorenzo in Phila.--Parke's son "Sonny" [E.G.W. Butler] going to school in Baton Rouge--hopes he will read the books every day or at

least every Sunday for her gratification--[ice] skating a favorite amusement in this part of the country--will get [Lorenzo] to make a sleigh when he comes--friends--snow 21 inches deep. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, laminated, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Dec. 31," marked "No. 12," laminated, red seal blurred.

A postscript by E.P. Lewis follows. A.L.S. 1 page. Wishes he could have partaken of her [Christmas] pies, cake and jellies.

Account on the payments on the estate of George Washington, Lawrence Lewis

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26121

Unit Date 1834-1836

Text 59 (box)

Container 1834.00.00 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.D. 2 pages. Account of payments on the estate of George Washington. Summary of payments received and paid on the estate of GW. Includes a reference to Wm. Yeaton enclosing the tomb at Mt. Vernon in 1835. Expenses incurred on behalf of old Negroes.

Keywords
Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Estate

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26067

Unit Date 1835 January 4

Text 59 (box)

Container 1835.01.04 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. Unable to get mail to town on time because of weather--snow 21 inches deep on Dec. 29--visiters--[Lorenzo] leaves Audley tomorrow--has been told a states righter is afraid to visit because she treated a Virginia gentleman so badly--discusses friends and C.'s relatives--a new hotel, gas lights, and water works for N. Orleans--stays by the fire reading novels, of Miss [Maria] Edgeworth and Walter Scott--doing needlework for [Lorenzo]. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Jan. 5," marked "No. 13," laminated, red seal blurred.

Postscript follows from E.P. Lewis. 2 pages. Bad weather--deepest snow in 35 years--quotes from letter of E.B. Gibson's about Angela.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26122

Unit Date 1835 January 9

Text 59 (box)

Container 1835.01.09 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Wishes Charles to visit Parke when he next goes up river--news of friends--anecdote of Fanny Kemble, now Mrs. [Pierce] Butler (her efforts to get brown as an Indian at New Port)--weather--river frozen over--has read "Woodstock." Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Jan. 10," marked "No.

14," red seal blurred.

A postscript by E.P. Lewis follows. A.L.S. 2 pages. Begs him to break practice of sleeping with window open in winter--has been painting birds from Wilson's Ornithology for Lolen [Lorenzo]--promises to paint Cherry Bird and humming bird for Angela--grandmother's recipe for lip salve, from Glass' Cookery--some oranges have been frozen in storeroom for keeping.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26068

Unit Date 1835 January 17

Text 59 (box)

Container 1835.01.17 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. Brother [Lorenzo] and family here--crosses Shenandoah River on ice, carrying the two babies [Lawrence Fielding, and John R.C. Lewis]--is reading "Last Days of Pompeii"--comparison of Bulwer's and Scott's novels--guests--approves Mr. [Henry] Clay's report on the subject of war with France--" ... it is well that he is sometimes correct"--fears Charles thinks her a little "to far north in my disposition"--[Lawrence Lewis says for him to keep the money Mr. Bullitt has for him].

A.L.S. 2 pages. Begs him to "let bygones be bygones"--hopes he received her peace-making postscript--hopes she hasn't hurt or angered him--still [painting] birds for her children.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad to Charles Conrad

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26069

Unit Date 1835 January 24

Text 59 (box)

Container 1835.01.24 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Woodlawn. Entreats him never to mention again in any way the unfortunate postscript which her mother wrote [see letter of Dec. 5, 1834]--gratified he has kept his promise to her about playing cards--attack on Gen. Ripley--visit to Mt. Vernon--Miss Harriet Martineau to visit Woodlawn--[English miscellaneous writer, literary lion of the time]--a fancy ball in Washington-- [Lorenzo] anxious for him to send the "curious snakes" to add to his collections of natural subjects. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Jan 26," marked "No. 16," laminated.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad to Charles Conrad

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26070

Unit Date 1835 January 30

Text 59 (box)

Container 1835.01.30 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Woodlawn. Pleased he is reading [religious] books she gave him--Miss [Harriet] Martineau will be unable to come to Woodlawn after all--Lorenzo goes to Washington to pay her their respects and make apologies--she is to get invitation to big fancy dress ball on Feb. 22, her first--Esther's brother Ferdinand [Coxe] goes to W. Indies to restore health--is reading Miss Martineau's "Poor Laws and Paupers"--actresses and actors--a postscript, dated Jan. 31, tells of storm with thunder and

lightening--Lorenzo's children. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, docketed, integral cover, postmarked "Jan. 31 Alexandria D.C.," marked "No 17," laminated.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26071

Unit Date 1835 February 7

Text 59 (box)

Container 1835.02.07 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. Unable to account for irregularity of mail--his attendance at a Masquerade--wants to have complete confidence in him, even in trifles--Miss Mason married to Mr. [Sidney S.] Lee, brother of [Robt. E. Lee]--intend to visit Arlington--Miss Martineau [Harriet]--she is reading Henry Bulwer's "France" "[France: Social, Literary and Political", 1834, 1st part of work called "The Monarchy of the Middle Classes", (1836)]--tells him of clipping from Liverpool paper complimentary to Senators--a new bonnet--Parke not to send Sonny [E.G.W. Butler] to school until next year. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C., Feb. 9," marked "No 18," red seal blurred.

A postscript by E.P. Lewis follows, A.L.S. 2 pages. Glad he liked the [silhouette of Angela ?] --glad he's taken her advice [on his health]--Miss M[artineau].

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26072

Unit Date 1835 February 16

Text 59 (box)

Container 1835.02.16 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Woodlawn. Aunt [Martha] Peter and Brittania [Peter Kennon] visiting--fancy dress ball canceled, and a common subscription ball to be held on Feb. 22 instead--she won't go--Miss Charlotte Taylor married to [Moncure] Robinson--talk of war with France--Bulwer's "France"--Miss Nannie Mason's marriage--Mr. Wm. Patterson's death, merchant of Baltimore--talk of railroad line to N. Orleans--Mrs. Owens, her cousin, comes to visit [Otwayana Carter Owens, daughter of Betty Lewis Carter]--Mother learns new type of painting, done with "forms." Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Feb. 18," marked "No. 19," red seal blurred.

Postscript from E.P. Lewis follows, A.L.S. 1 page. Hears scarlet fever is in [New Orleans]--gives a treatment for it.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26073

Unit Date 1835 February 22

Text 59 (box)

Container 1835.02.22 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Woodlawn. Charles' success as a lawyer--relations with France--Livingston has left Paris and French minister will leave Washington--she looks forward to war--she won't go to ball given by Batchelors of Washington--reading--news of friends--Mrs. Krumbhaar--family news--improvements in N. Orleans--. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Feb. 25," marked "No. 20," laminated, red blurred seal.

A postscript follows by E.P. Lewis, A.L.S. 1 page. All have had influenza--she still sits up late after others are in bed--is painting birds for her children.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26074

Unit Date 1835 February 26

Unit Date 1835 March 1

Text 59 (box)

Container 1835.02.26 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Woodlawn. Trip to Arlington--to be a supper for the bride--[Miss Mason, bride of R.E. Lee's brother Sidney S. Lee]--will leave letter at home and mother will finish it when she returns--New Orleans friends. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked "Alexandria D.C., Mar. 2," marked "No. 21," laminated, broken black seal.

A postscript follows from E.P. Lewis to Charles Conrad, dated March 1, 1835. A.L.S. 3 pages. Arrived at Arlington in snow storm--[Angela] ill with nervous headache--descript. of Angela's dress--she wore Charles' ring--groom far superior in appearance and heart to bride [Sidney Smith Lee and Miss Nanny Mason]--description of both--couple to live with Mrs. Fitzhugh, widow of Mrs. Custis' brother--the Bachelor's Ball--Capt. Bell--news of friends and relatives.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad to Charles Conrad

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26075

Unit Date 1835 March 5

Text 59 (box)

Container 1835.03.05 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Arlington. Bridal party left Sunday--river frozen over for 3rd time this winter--had wanted to attend session of Cong. but didn't--gossip over marriage of [Moncure] Robinson & Charlotte Taylor--pleased that he is going to visit her sister [Parke Lewis Butler]. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Mar [ ]", watermark.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad to Charles Conrad

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26076

Unit Date 1835 March 14

Text 59 (box)

Container 1835.03.14 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Arlington. Visiting family and friends in Georgetown and Alexandria--claims she has no

A.L.S. 3 pages. Arlington. Visiting family and friends in Georgetown and Alexandria--claims she has no opportunities for flirtation--reading Life of Crabbe the Poet--will read [Henry] Lee's Life of Napoleon next--Congress adjourned without making any provision for defense against French. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C., Mar. 15," marked "No. 2 from A[rlington]", broken red seal, watermark.

Letter, Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26077

Unit Date 1835 March 18

Text 59 (box)

Container 1835.03.18 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Woodlawn. [Angela] still at Arlington and [Lorenzo] and family are there too--often sees Charles in her dreams--Washy [G.W. Lewis]--visited tree where his and Angela's names are [carved]--does needlework--instructions on getting and killing venemous snakes for L[orenzo]'s natural history collection--he lately prepared a crossbill. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. L." Autograph letter initial signed, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Mar. 19," broken black seal.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad to Charles Conrad

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26078

Unit Date 1835 March 21

Text 59 (box)

Container 1835.03.21 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Arlington. Denies she has found any other who would make her wish to be free again--proposed a schedule of visits to Georgetown and Washington--visited W-n one day, the capitol, Senate and House, fountain near the Naval monument--new improvements in N. Orleans--has painted a small head in miniature--visiters at Arlington--teaching Mrs. Nannie [Mason] Lee to transfer. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Mar. 22," marked "No 3 from A[rlington]."

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Unit Date April 1835 - September 1835

Text 60 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26079

Unit Date 1835 April 1

Text 60 (box)

Container 1835.04.01 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. News of his aunt Mrs. Thruston's death--[Parke] wrote her that he had not yet visited Iberville--news of an Episcopal Bishop in N. Orleans, and laws regarding gambling houses--

E.P. Lewis working her a piano cover--"the Sister of Mrs. Washington" is to be married--will cut out a dress for sister--visited a Public Garden in Georgetown. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Apr 2," marked "No. 22," laminated, broken red seal.

A postscript from E.P. Lewis follows: A.L.S. 2 pages. She went to Georgetown in a storm to bring [Angela] home--Ed [Butler] has been very sick since returning from [N. Orleans]. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. L." Date on original catalog card appears [1835] [April 1]. Autograph letter initial signed.

Letter, William Yeaton to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID W-689/F

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26080

Unit Date 1835 April 4

Text 60 (box)

Container 1835.04.04 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Alexandria to Woodlawn. Sends sketch [enclosed] of wall and gateway on one side--engages to erect the wall 45' square, 10' high--describes how it will look--with gateway and gate similar to the sketch for $600. Name on original manuscript appears as "W. Yeaton." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, docketed by D. L. L. [The new tomb].

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26081

Unit Date 1835 April 8

Text 60 (box)

Container 1835.04.08 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Woodlawn. It was a year ago this day that they first saw each other--denies she has a fever of ambition--just wants him to distinguish himself in his profession--father [Lawrence Lewis] gone on horseback to Mt. Vernon--[Lorenzo] and family have left--[E.P. Lewis] still working on piano cover--[Lorenzo] has added many birds [stuffed] to his collection--John and Ferdinand [Coxe], Esther's brothers--his prospective visit to Iverville and Parke and her family--thinks he should not leave [New Orleans] until his business there is finished. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Apr. 10," marked "No. 23," laminated.

There follows a postscript by E.P. Lewis: A.L.S. 1 page. Recalls their first meeting and his merry face--will send him a barrel of cider--thinks he should drink it to help combat small pox and varioloid [a mild smallpox among those innoculated or who have had it] now in New Orleans. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. L." Date on original catalog card appears [1835] [Apr. 8]. Autograph letter initial signed.

Letter, Jared Sparks to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-301.155

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26082

Unit Date 1835 April 13

Text 60 (box)

Container 1835.04.13 (folder)

Creator Sparks, Jared, 1789-1866

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Cambridge to Washington, D.C. Does not think Washington can get a loan on security of

A.L.S. 3 pages. Cambridge to Washington, D.C. Does not think Washington can get a loan on security of the papers, since he has already made them over to the govt.--when he finishes with the paper he will bundle up private papers and send to W-n--"Strictly speaking all the papers pertaining to the period in which Genl. Washington held no office are private, but I suppose the spirit of your contract included only family papers, and such as related to his private affairs,"--must have written authority from Washington to hand over papers to any but him--Mr. Forsyth has made formal demand for the papers and will take it to court, but doesn't think he will succeed--he will hand papers over as soon as he is through with them. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmark "Cambridge Mass Apr 13," red seal.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26083

Unit Date 1835 April 17

Text 60 (box)

Container 1835.04.17 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. Approves his action in refusing nomination to legislature [state?]--[Lorenzo] and family have returned to Audley--late snows destroy fruit blossoms--urges him to go to [Iverville, La.] to see Parke and family--have lost many trees in the bad winter--has lately read amusing stories in Waldie's circulating library--asks if Miss H[arriet] Martineau has visited N. Orleans yet--fisheries operating--shad. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria Apr. 18," marked "No. 24," broken red seal.

There follows a postscript by E.P. Lewis: The 15th was anniversary of party given [Angela] by Charles and others in La., and toast drunk to him. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. L." Date on original catalog card appears [1835] [Apr. 17]. Autograph letter initial signed, integral cover.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26088

Unit Date 1835 April 25

Text 60 (box)

Container 1835.04.25 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. Esther's brother John [Coxe] brings his bride to Audley--her brother Ferdinand [Coxe] recovered his health in West Indies--Woodlawn beautiful, will be at height in 2 weeks--read Wash. Irving's "Tour through the Praries," "The Siege of Vienna" by Madam Pickle, and [Oliver] Goldsmith's Greece--visiters at Woodlawn--"I am always nervous in the spring and in warm weather." Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. Apr. 29 (?)", marked "No. 25," red seal, broken.

A postscript follows, from E.P. Lewis: A.L.S. 2 pages. Wishes he could be there to see Woodlawn in Spring--doesn't like new grooms costume (a full suit of black), considers this symbol of mourning, not appropriate for wedding--Ferd[inand][Coxe] asks about chances of success as druggest in New Orleans--"What has possessed your Govr. to quarrel with his best friends." Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. L." Date on original catalog card appears [1835] [Ap. 25]. Autograph letter initial signed.

Letter, Lawrence Lewis to William Yeaton

Unit ID W-689/G

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26123

Unit Date 1835 April

Text 59 (box)

Container 1835.04.00 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. The Wall is intended to enclose the Vault at Mount Vernon, to secure it against injurys it is every year subject to." describes in detail how he wants the wall at George Washington's tomb built -- sketch of section of wall -- asks for an estimate. Name on original manuscript appears as "Law. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, docketed "Copy of a letter to W. Yeaton of Alexa respecting the building a wall around the Vault at M. Vernon", laminated.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26089

Unit Date 1835 May 3

Text 60 (box)

Container 1835.05.03 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. Descript. of Woodlawn in Spring--fishing boats on river--Cousin America [Peter Williams] and Robert Lee have visited--roads have prevented church attendence--will receive "Frances Anna [Kemble] Butler's Journal"--Governor White's[of La.] unpopularity--his reprimand by legislature--learning new song, "Dunbarton's Bonnie Dell"--thanks Charles in [Lorenzo's] name for the snakes [which Charles sent him for stuffing]. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C., May 5," marked "No. 26," red seal broken, watermark (line of arrows).

A postscript from E.P. Lewis follows: A.L.S. 2 pages. Charles' uncle's grief after his wife [Mrs. Thruston's] death--Parke and her children ill--friends and acquaintances. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. L.".Date on original catalog card appears [1835] [May 3]. Autograph letter initial signed.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26091

Unit Date 1835 May 10

Text 60 (box)

Container 1835.05.10 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Woodlawn. Went on visit to Mt. Vernon--Cousin Jane [Washington]--reading Fanny [Kemble] Butler's Journal--disappointed in it--has poor opinion of Americans-Miss Butler's opinion of American Society--Gov. White [of Louisiana]. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C., May 11," marked "No. 27," watermark, laminated.

There follows a postscript by E.P. Lewis: A.L.S. 1 page. Unseasonable weather--"I hope all your good Citizens build Bathing rooms in their new Houses as they are so necessary and so easily made where there are waterworks." Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. L." Date on original catalog card appears [1835] [May 10]. Autograph letter initial signed.

Letter, Jared Sparks to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-301.156

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26090

Unit Date 1835 May 11

Text 60 (box)

Container 1835.05.11 (folder)

Creator Sparks, Jared, 1789-1866

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Cambridge to Georgetown, Washington, D.C. Has confirmed his own opinion that money cannot be borrowed on security of the [Washington] papers since title to them has gone to govt.--cannot advance any money himself because every cent is tied up in publication of Writings--assures him he is working every minute to complete publication--Mr. Forsyth's efforts to institute suit against him for the papers will come to nothing, because "my contract with Judge [Bushrod] Washington gives me a right to use the papers till the work is completed." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked Cambridge Mass. May 11," laminated.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26092

Unit Date 1835 May 17

Text 60 (box)

Container 1835.05.17 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. His safe return from up river--she has lost 10 lbs. since winter ("much to my joy")--visiters--will try to learn to play guitar. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. May 18", marked "No. 28," red seal.

There follows a postscript by E.P. Lewis: A.L.S. 2 pages. Woodlawn. Weather has prevented [Angela] exercising--fruits lost--cautions him about taking measles--she had them for 2nd time at 23 and was very ill--can injure sight or lungs. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. L." Date on original catalog card appears [1835] [May 17]. Autograph letter initial signed.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26093

Unit Date 1835 May 24

Text 60 (box)

Container 1835.05.24 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. Dinner at Mt. Vernon--anecdote of Jane [Washington] relating to Tom Moore--shells and coins added to her "Cabinet"--[E.P. Lewis] is working another [piano] cover in cornucopia designs--family news. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C., May 26," marked "No. 29".

A postscript follows from E.P. Lewis: Parke thinks him the only man worthy of [Angela]--description of "the robe of ceremony" [Angela's wedding dress?]--cholera and measles in New Orleans--news of friends. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. L." Date on original catalog card appears [1835] [May 24]. Autograph letter initial signed.

Letter, Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis and Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26094

Unit Date 1835 May 28-29

Text 60 (box)

Container 1835.05.28 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. Assures him the matter of the unfortunate postscript is forgotten [E.P. Lewis to Charles Conrad, Dec. 5, 1834] and that she has no intentions of delaying or trying to stop his and Angela's marriage--reiterates her affection for him--does want some idea of when he can come, in order to have things ready--Angela will add a postscript in the morning. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. L." Autograph letter initial signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C. May 29," broken black seal.

A postscript follows from M.E.A. Lewis: A.L.S. 2 pages. Woodlawn. Teases him about his haste in suspecting some evil from an innocent postscript--does not want him to leave N. Orleans until his business is finished there--instructs him to burn this letter. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Date on original catalog card appears [1835] May 29. Autograph letter signed, postscipted to a letter of E.P. Lewis to Charles Conrad, dated May 28.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26095

Unit Date 1835 May 30

Text 60 (box)

Container 1835.05.30 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn. The piano tuned and she is told her voice is improved--requests C. to bring his flute with him if he has one--in her father's absence, has been directing planting of vegitables--damask roses--reading Thomas Campbell's Life of Mrs. Siddons--Miss [Harriet] Martineau at Mt. Vernon--Miss Martineau and Miss Hannah Moore--is a Socinian--news of friends. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexandria D.C., June 2", marked "No. 30," laminated.

There follows a postscript from E.P. Lewis: Repeats her sorrow that he could have been so unhappy over misinterpreting her remarks--to avoid cholera, avoid "night air, shrimps, uneasiness of mind, etc." Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. L." Date on original catalog card appears [1835] [May 30]. Autograph letter initial signed.

Letter, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad and Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26096

Unit Date 1835 June 5

Text 60 (box)

Container 1835.06.05 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Woodlawn. This will be her last letter to him before he leaves N.O.--the fall of the Planters' Hotel in N.O.--will visit Alexandria, Arlington and Washington--to read "The Conquest of Florida

by Hernando de Soto," by Theodore Irving--Washington Irving's writings. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. E. A. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed "Last letter from M.E.A.L. received June 20th 1835," postmarked "Alexandria D.C. June 6" marked "No. 31," laminated.

There follows a postscript by E.P. Lewis: Hopes he leaves N.O. shortly [for Virginia]. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. L." Date on original catalog card appears [1835] [June 5]. Autograph letter initial signed.

Letter, Lewis William Washington to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2190

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26097

Unit Date 1835 July 20

Text 60 (box)

Container 1835.07.20 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Bacons Castle. Description of his activities and trip to Norfolk, Old Point Comfort, and Cabin Point ... Name on original manuscript appears as "L. W. Washington." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, watermark.

Note of authenticity, Benjamin Graves

Unit ID W-2408/C; A-1121

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26098

Unit Date 1835 September 3

Text 60 (box)

Container 1835.09.03 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Note of authenticity. Re: George Washington's powder bag + puff.

Letter, Samuel Bayard to Robert Beverley

Unit ID RM-173; MS-2516

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26099

Unit Date 1835 September 10

Text 60 (box)

Container 1835.09.10 (folder)

Creator Bayard, Samuel, 1767-1840

Creator Beverley, Robert, 1769-1843

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 5 pages. Princeton to Georgetown. Bayard reports that his daughter, Mrs. J.E. Washington, has received Beverly's letter and he is now answering it as per her request. Bayard passes on to Beverly some legal opinions he has gathered relating to the appointing of an Executor, and a Guardian relative to the settlement of the Estate of Col. William Washington.

Check, George Washington Parke Custis

Unit ID W-489

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26100

Unit Date 1835 September 28

Text 60 (box)

Container 1835.09.28 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

Check on the Bank of the Metropolis to bearer, for $13. Autograph document signed, fragment, cancelled.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19116

Unit Date October 1835 - April 1837

Text 61 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Juliet Washington to Robert Beverley

Unit ID RM-378; MS-2476

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26109

Unit Date 1835 October 6

Text 61 (box)

Container 1835.10.06 (folder)

Creator Beverley, Robert, 1769-1843

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Juliet Washington, neé Juliet E. Bayard of Princeton, New Jersey. She was the widow of Wm A. Washington (1804-1830) who was the grandnephew of GW. Requests money from the estate if convenient. Will return to Westmoreland within the month to apply to the Court to be appointed administratrix and guardian of her daughter.

Check, Lawrence Lewis to William Yeaton

Unit ID W-689/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26110

Unit Date 1835 October 13

Text 61 (box)

Container 1835.10.13 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. Check drawn on the Potomac Bank for $350. Autograph document signed, fragment, canceled, endorsed by W. Yeaton.

Letter, Lawrence Lewis to William Yeaton

Unit ID W-689/C

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26111

Unit Date 1835 October 23

Text 61 (box)

Container 1835.10.23 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Check for $200 on Potomac Bank of Alexandria. Autograph document signed, fragment, endorsed by Yeaton, canceled.

Bill, William Yeaton to the Executors of George Washington's estate

Unit ID W-689/E

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26128

Unit Date 1835 October 29

Text 61 (box)

Container 1835.10.29 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Yeaton's bill for erecting wall with iron gate pr. contract--additional expence connected with it--total $628.15. Autograph document signed, docketed "Receipt for Vault $618.15 Oct. 29. 1835." Receipted by Yeaton.

Check, Lawrence Lewis to William Yeaton

Unit ID W-689/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26129

Unit Date 1835 November 16

Text 61 (box)

Container 1835.11.16 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

Check, A.D.S. 1 page. Check drawn on the Potomac Bank for $68.58. Paid on behalf of the executors of George Washington's estate. Autograph document signed, fragment, canceled, endorsed by W. Yeaton.

Sketch, iron gate at Tomb

Unit ID W-698/D

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26480

Unit Date 1835

Graphic Materials 61 (box)

Container 1835.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Sketch of iron gate at New Tomb. Date on original catalog card appears [1835]. Drawing in pencil. Unknown artist.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Tomb

Memorandum of agreement, Lawrence Lewis and William Yeaton

Unit ID W-698/H

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26481

Unit Date 1835

Text 61 (box)

Container 1835.00.00 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 3 pages. Memorandum of an agreement made for enclosure and gateway at New Tomb--it is headed by a sketch with dimensions for the wall and entranceway and contains specifications of materials to be used and method of construction and cost. Autograph document, in hand of Lewis, laminated, [no name inserted in contract]. [Yeaton contracted to build wall and entrance way for $600. See letter of Yeaton to L. Lewis, April 4, 1835].

Report, Virginia legislature on the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company loan

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2187

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26482

Unit Date 1835

Text 61 (box)

Container 1835.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 3 pages. Report of the Virginia legislature on the C and O Canal Co. loan. Covers three points: (1) how loan of last session was spent; (2) the erroneous estimates for completion of Canal to Cumberland; (3) the expenditures for internal improvements. Date on original catalog card appears c. 1835.

Letter, Juliet Washington to Robert Beverley

Unit ID RM-378; MS-2477

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26130

Unit Date 1836 April 20

Text 61 (box)

Container 1836.04.20 (folder)

Creator Beverley, Robert, 1769-1843

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mrs. Washington asks for clarification of the letter just received in which the sum of $3,930 was mentioned as having been received from Mr. Street. It is her understanding that half that sum ($1,965) is rightfully hers and her daughters. She encloses a draft for that amount payable to her uncle Samuel H. Smith. A blank draft is also enclosed in case the sum is less than the amount of the draft.

Stock certificate, Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2191

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26131

Unit Date 1835 May 6

Text 61 (box)

Container 1836.05.06 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

Stock certificate. 21 shares of capital stock for George C. W-n and signed by him as president of the Co. Embossed seal and engraving of a section of the Canal.

Letter, George Corbin Washington to William Ross

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2084

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26132

Unit Date 1836 June 12

Text 61 (box)

Container 1836.06.12 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Defense of the action of the B. of Directors of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Co. in hiring James McCulloch as advisor on internal improvements, he was not hired to lobby for passage of a bill appropriating $2 million to the Canal Co. ...

Letter, Bushrod Corbin Washington to Burr W. Harrison

Unit ID RM-968; MS-5542

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26133

Unit Date 1836 June 15

Text 61 (box)

Container 1836.06.15 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod Corbin, 1790-1851

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Claymont.

Letter, Jared Sparks to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-301.153

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26134

Unit Date 1836 September 20

Text 61 (box)

Container 1836.09.20 (folder)

Creator Sparks, Jared, 1789-1866

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Cambridge. Dr. Sprague of Albany secured permission from Judge [Bushrod] Washington to take certain autographs and substitute a copy--this done before papers were sold to Congress--doesn't wish it to be thought that he himself took liberties with mss. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed.

Letter, George Corbin Washington to John Forsyth

Unit ID A-301.160

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26135

Unit Date 1836 October 11

Text 61 (box)

Container 1836.10.11 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Georgetown. He has filled his part of the contract to sell G.W.'s papers to govt.--has delivered all public papers in his possession to State Dept.--Mr. Sparks overdue in turning over papers to him--he had thought Sparks contract with Bush. W-n over because of long time he had papers--lists mss. and volumes turned over to Archives. Name on original manuscript appears as "G. C. Washington." Autograph letter signed, draft, endorsed "To the Hon. John Forsyth Secy. of State, Oct. 11th 1836," watermark.

Letter, Lorenzo Lewis to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3540

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26136

Unit Date 1836 November 30

Text 61 (box)

Container 1836.11.30 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Expressing concern to his father that he has not heard from him as he expected. Urging him to move to winter quarters. Report on the harvest of his corn crop. Report of the death of a Negro (Randal) due to ill-treatment by "that infurnal Overseer of Dogles."

Keywords

Correspondence

Slavery

Manuscript play, The Monongahela, or Washington on the First Great Field of his Fame by George Washington Parke Custis

Unit ID RM-1197

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/3109

Unit Date 1836

Text 61 (box)

Container 1836.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

An unpublished play, produced in New York on September 30, 1830 for one night only.

An unpublished play, produced in New York on September 30, 1839 for one night only.

Keywords
Monongahela, Battle of the, Pa., 1755

Letter, Jane Charlotte Washington to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2018-SC-069-002

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/15856

Unit Date 1837 January 20

Text 61 (box)

Container 1837.01.20 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents
Autograph letter signed. Mount Vernon. Jane writes to her son that she is at Mount Vernon settling accounts. She discusses family news and difficulties with postage.

Keywords
Correspondence
Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, Lewis William Washington to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2184

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26137

Unit Date 1837 February 3

Text 61 (box)

Container 1837.02.03 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents
A.L.S. 4 pages. Baltimore. Describes the costumes at a fancy dress ball at Mr. Cohens in Baltimore ...

Receipt, Legal services, the estate of Aaron Leggett

Unit ID RM-877 ; MS-5352

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/31822

Unit Date 1837-1839

Text 61 (box)

Container 1837-1839 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 pages2 pages of text32 x 20 cm

Keywords
Receipts (financial records)
Leggett, Aaron, 1792-1860 -- Estate

Letter, Frances Parke Butler to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3520

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26138

Unit Date 1837 March 12

Text 61 (box)

Container 1837.03.12 (folder)

Creator Butler, Frances Parke, 1799-1875

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents
A.L.S. 4 pages. Integral cover, seal (broken).

Letter, George H. Duffy to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-418; MS-3352

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26139

Unit Date 1837 April 1

Text 61 (box)

Container 1837.04.01 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

Contains a dimensional drawing of a coffin for a letterhead, describing water damage to the burial vault at Mount Vernon, including damage to the coffin of George Washington.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19117

Unit Date May 1837 - December 1838

Text 62 (box)

Language English.

Letter, James Buchanan to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2175

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26147

Unit Date 1837 May 1

Text 62 (box)

Container 1837.05.01 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Creator Buchanan, James, 1791-1868

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Gives him a forwarding address in Baltimore . Name on original manuscript appears as "J. Buchanan." Autograph letter signed, integral cover.

Letter, George Corbin Washington to Colonel William Ogden Niles

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2080

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26148

Unit Date 1837 May 11

Text 62 (box)

Container 1837.05.11 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 pages. Georgetown. Forwarding the desired documents and the Congressional Directory for 1836. Autograph letter signed, integral cover.

Letter, Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington to Christian and Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-431; MS-3410

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26149

Unit Date 1837 June 28

Text 62 (box)

Container 1837.06.28 (folder)

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. Mount Vernon. To John Augustine Washington III? Discusses the harvest. Says she is being viewed as one of the curiousities of the place by the visitors.

Letter, Andrew Parks, Jr. to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3521

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26150

Unit Date 1837 July 11

Text 62 (box)

Container 1837.07.11 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Kanawa Salines, Virginia, to Berryville, Clark County. Answers a letter Lewis addressed to his deceased father about a delay in the sale of some property in Kanawa. Assures Lewis of the integrity of the prospective buyer William Tompkins. Integral cover postal stamp.

Letter, Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3522

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26151

Unit Date 1837 July 21

Text 62 (box)

Container 1837.07.21 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. New Orleans to Audley. Last page of letter written by MEA Conrad to Lewis. She (Eleanor) has added her own note. Family letter. Integral cover, postmark and seal.

Letter, John Struthers to Lawrence Lews

Unit ID RM-703; MS-4809

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26153

Unit Date 1837 September 5

Text 62 (box)

Container 1837.09.05 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Philadelphia. In regards to work done on the sarcophagus of Washington. Includes a measured watercolor drawing of the bas-relief sculpture on top of the sarcophagus.

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to Jane C. Blackburn Washington

Unit ID 2017-SC-008-003

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/12383

Unit Date 1837 November 23

Text 62 (box)

Container 1837.11.23 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents

Letter written by a sixteen-year-old John Augustine Washington III in Alexandria, Virginia to his mother Jane C. Washington at Blakeley plantation near Charlestown, West Virginia. The address on the back page of the letter notes that the letter was delivered by Jim Mitchell ("Jim Mitchum") with a note from John Augustine that says "I let Jim have $1.00 for his expenses." Jim Mitchell, who was later employed by the Mount Vernon Ladies Association, was enslaved by the Washington family at the time.

John Augustine tells his mother "Mr. Skidmore finished his work at Mount Vernon yesterday, but I have not seen him yet so that I cant say what has been done" and also notes "On Saturday I went to Georgetown, Cousin and his family were not at home so that I could not get the pictures." He reports that West Ford has taken the cloth that arrived for Jane from Dumfries down to Mount Vernon and

discuses butter sales, corn production, hogs, and resuming his studies. He also asks Jane if the servants are "conducting themselves well" and is worried they will give her "a good deal of trouble coming in with their complaints."

Keywords
Slavery
Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)
Correspondence
Mitchell, Jim, 1795-1870
Ford, West, approximately 1784-1863

Letter, Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2017-SC-008-010

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16511

Unit Date 1837 December 22

Text 62 (box)

Container 1837.12.22 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents
Autograph letter initialed. Janes writes that she is sending down "four large shoulder of Bacon" to Mount Vernon, along with two enslaved men, Willoughby and Gabriel, who she hopes will be "faithful and useful." She writes, "have them comfortably fixed my dear son treat them kindly, and I trust they will both prove valuable servants. Gabriel will require a strict tho kind discipline. Sarah or Milly must wast and mend for them." Jane also writes that she has had a letter from West Ford asking for the money she owes him. She instructs John Augustine to pay her pew fee and then pay Ford.

Keywords
Slavery
Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)
Correspondence
Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861
Johnson, Gabriel, 1820-
Ford, West, approximately 1784-1863

Letter, Lawrence Washington to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2074

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26154

Unit Date 1837 December 25

Text 62 (box)

Container 1837.12.25 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents
Requests George C. to be his security in Md. in the institution of a suit as an executor of Mr. Payne's estate ...

Receipt, J.J. Chew to the Executors of the estate of George Washington

Unit ID A-301.278

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26155

Unit Date 1837 December

Text 62 (box)

Container 1837.12.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents
Receipt A.D.S. 1 page. For $1.50, for 4 quarters continuance at rules and 2 continuances on court docket 50 against Lee. Small fragment, partly printed, endorsed "Washington Bushrod to Est.," and "Fairfax." Signed by J. J. Chew.

Memorandum account, Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID W-774/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26152

Unit Date 1837-1839

Text 62 (box)

Container 1837.00.00 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. For hauling sarcophagus to Mt. Vernon, pd hire of hack for Struthers and workmen to Mt. V. to put up ditto, clothing for Gabriel, "ditto for 1839 to 9th June when he died deduct his meal 7 bushels from his usual allowance to him for the half year", for coffin and digging grave, etc., with amounts given. Fragment. See reverse of letter to Lewis from M. Snyder, dated Dec. 31, 1838, asking for taxes due on house.

Keywords

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Enslaved persons

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Tomb

Articles of agreement, between Rice Levi, John A. Washington, and Jane C. Washington

Unit ID 2022-SC-005-002

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/31870

Unit Date 1838 January 6

Text 62 (box)

Container 1838.01.06 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 pages1 page with text. torn bottom left corner.22 x 35 cm

Scope and Contents

Unsigned articles of agreement between Rice Levi, John A. Washington, and Jane C. Washington for Rice Levi to "undertake the management and cultivation of the ... Washington's himself and farm at Mount Vernon".

Keywords

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Washington, John Augustine, II, 1789-1832

Letter, Robert Cash to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3523

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26156

Unit Date 1838 January 28

Text 62 (box)

Container 1838.01.28 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Lewis was in La. Cash describes the mule he inspected at Mt. Airy, but did not think him worth $75. Is still looking for a suitable animal. Needs thread to mend harness. Corn (wheat) looks good, have 205 bushels. Mr. Howard charges 75c per day and wishes to receive the balance as soon as possible.

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Gales and Seaton

Unit ID W-381

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26157

Unit Date 1838 February 22

Text 62 (box)

Container 1838.02.22 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Arlington House. Sends small extract of Appendix--has been unwell--must write a letter a day "all on one subject" [G.W.]--goes to Alexa. to celebrate "The 68th Anniversary it has been my good fortune to witness the celebration of ..."--then comes the Coronation and "What next." Name on original manuscript appears as "George W. P. Custis." Date on original catalog card appears [1838 ?] Feb. 22. Autograph letter signed, docketed at bottom "Letter written by George Washington Parke Custis presented by C.F. Gunther Chicago", laminated.

Letter, Richard Washington to Henry Harrison

Unit ID RM-968; MS-5543

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26158

Unit Date 1838 February 28

Text 62 (box)

Container 1838.02.28 (folder)

Creator Harrison, Henry Tazewell, 1796-1881

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Washington, D.C. to Leesburg. Regarding the estate of Nathaniel Hinkle.

Will, Burwell Bassett

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26159

Unit Date 1838 March 13

Text 62 (box)

Container 1838.03.13 (folder)

Creator Bassett, Burwell, 1764-1841

Scope and Contents

Will. D. 2 pages. G.W. Bassett appointed executor--leaves all property to nephew G.W. Bassett, who is required to pay annually [300] dollars per year to Bassett Claiborne, "under the fear that the said Claiborne is not very careful."--all debts to be paid--codicil of Feb. 20, 1840 emancipates his "servant," Pleasant. Document, copy by J.D. Christian, county clerk, laminated. Proved in New Kent Court, Mar. 11, 1841, no subscribing witnesses to will, so handwriting and signature sworn to by Morris H. Tench and James Stamper.

Letter, Frances Parke Butler to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3541

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26160

Unit Date 1838 March 29

Text 62 (box)

Container 1838.03.29 (folder)

Creator Butler, Frances Parke, 1799-1875

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Hoping that he will visit them at Bayou Goula. News of her children. She is anxious for news of the Lorenzo Lewis family. Name on original manuscript appears as "F. P. Butler." Integral cover, wax seal.

Letter, John Forsyth to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-301.158

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26161

Unit Date 1838 May 12

Text 62 (box)

Container 1838.05.12 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Department of State to Georgetown. After examining Washington papers delivered to Dept. of State as per contract, finds a number of documents included in agreement are missing, and copies substituted for many others--a list of these is enclosed--"You will be so obliging as to have the missing volumes and documents supplied without delay, and also to procure the return of the original letters for which copies have in some instances been substituted." [Attached is a list of 2 pp and description of missing papers. There are pencil notations, probably by G.C.W., indicating if papers are considered private or whether they are lost]. Autograph letter signed, docketed, "correspondence in relation to the Washington papers", separate cover, postmarked "Washington City D.C. May 12," franked by Forsyth, red seal, watermarks. Attached is a list of 2 pp and description of missing papers. There are pencil notations, probably by G.C.W., indicating if papers are considered private or whether they are lost.

Letter, John Forsyth to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26162

Unit Date 1838 May 12

Text 62 (box)

Container 1838.05.12 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

Copy, 2 pages. Copy inclosed with letter of Dec. 15,1838, Forsyth to G.C. Washington; see also original of same letter with enclosure. Letter, docketed, watermark (H and O).

Letter, Charles Conrad to Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26163

Unit Date 1838 September 20

Text 62 (box)

Container 1838.09.20 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Philadelphia to near Berryville, Virginia. Delayed in Phila. while sister puts her children in school--Mrs. Coxe purchasing materials for embroidery [for Angela]--leave for N. York tomorrow and then to Audley--family news--love to [Oliver?]. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked "Philada, Pa. Sep. 22." Name on original manuscript appears as "[Chas.?] M. Conrad."

Letter, Lorenzo Lewis to Mary Eliza Angela Lewis Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26164

Unit Date 1838 October 10

Text 62 (box)

Container 1838.10.10 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Audley to Woodlawn. Sends receipts to be given to [Parke] and Butler--he will pay Dr.'s bill for [Charley Conrad]--instructions for paying bills--Butler gave him $40. when he left New Orleans. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, watermark (JM), directed by "Mrs. Lewis." Name on original manuscript appears as "L. Lewis." Date on original catalog card appears [1838?] Oct. 10.

Letter, Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2017-SC-008-015

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16504

Unit Date 1838 November 1

Text 62 (box)

Container 1838.11.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed with integral address panel. Mount Vernon to the University of Virginia. Jane writes to her son about work taking place at Mount Vernon, where she has spent almost all of $800 she brought down with her. She reports that Skidmore has "finished the large room which is now to be plastered and painted." Mr. Ball has nearly finished the stables, and West Ford is still engaged with the enclosures. She writes of Mount Vernon , "The dear old place will be more comfortable and decent in appearance, than we have known in years - but it draws deeply on a limited income to make it so." She also includes information on other enslaved peoples, Sambo, Levi and Gabriel.

Keywords

Enslaved persons

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Correspondence

Ford, West, approximately 1784-1863

Anderson, Sambo, -1845

Johnson, Gabriel, 1820-

Letter, Lorenzo Lewis to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3524

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26165

Unit Date 1838 November 13

Text 62 (box)

Container 1838.11.13 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Audley to Woodlawn. News of autumn wheat crop and cattle at Audley. The weather is unusually sever that the farmer may be injured. Wants his father and mother to live full time at Audley. Wants to discuss the possible rental of Woodlawn with them before they make a decision.

Bill, to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3525

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26166

Unit Date 1838 November 29

Text 62 (box)

Container 1838.11.29 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. To Woodlawn. The books ordered by Lewis can not be supplied. Includes: Sparks, Life of

Washington, The Cultivator.

Letter, John Forsyth to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-301.159

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26167

Unit Date 1838 December 15

Text 62 (box)

Container 1838.12.15 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

L.S. 1 page. Department of State. No answer being received to his letter of May 12, he sends a copy and requests answer. Letter signed, docketed, watermark. [See copy of letter, John Forsyth to Geo. C. Washington, May 12, 1838].

Letter, George Corbin Washington to John Forsyth

Unit ID A-301.161

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26168

Unit Date 1838 December 24

Text 62 (box)

Container 1838.12.24 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 6 pages. Georgetown. Apologies for delay in writing--has complied with terms of agreement regarding Washington papers--Judge W. gave away some autographs and substituted copies on unimportant letters--has retained letters of private character--refers McLane's letter of Dec. 10, 1833, to him, asking his terms for sale of letters, and his reply of Jan. 3, 1834 [see letter in question], agreeing to turn over all except private papers, or those whose publication would be improper at the time--refers to Forsyth's list of missing papers [see under letter of May 12 1838] and states which ones he regards as private and thus not included in the contract, and which are missing--refers to [Jared] Sparks' letter of [Sept. 20, 1836] which he encloses--knows of no letters being removed from bound volumes other than those accounted for by Mr. Sparks, except for corresp. between Genl. Washington and John Nicholas in relation to a letter addressed to G.W. over signature of Wm. Langhorne [see letter, Aug. 20, 1798 Bushrod W-n to G.W.; also letter of G.W. to Bush. W-n in Writings, XXXVI, 408-409, dated Aug. 12, 1798 ,] "as this correspondence deeply implicates the conduct of a distinguised individual of that day."--however, he will send the letters and he [Forsyth] may decide whether to keep or return them--despite fact Sparks published many of private papers, doesn't feel this makes him liable to part with them under contract--feels govt. paid very little of their value anyway, and has been more than compensated by evidence on fraudulent claims which papers revealed. Autograph letter signed, draft, docketed "Letter to the Hon. J. Forsyth Dec. 24, 1838 in reply to his letters dated May 12th 1838 and Dec. 15th 1838." Name on original manuscript appears as "G. C. Washington."

Receipt, J.J. Chew to the Executors of the estate of George Washington

Unit ID A-301.279

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/21695

Unit Date 1838 December

Text 62 (box)

Container 1838.12.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. For $1.00 for 4 quarters continuance at rules against Lee. Signed by J.J. Chew. Fragment, partly printed, endorsed "Washington Bushrod and c. 1.00 Frx." [See 2 other similar receipts dated 1837 and 1839].

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19118

Unit Date January 1839 - December 1839

Text 63 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Lawrence Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID RM-878; MS-5361

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26312

Unit Date 1839 February 5

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.02.05 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Woodlawn. Forwards receipt for freight of Joe, a slave -- "do not put yourself to much trouble with the fellow, if you cannot sell him readily send him to your plantation and make him work, your Overseer may teach him better manners, he has never had the lash upon his back yet, perhaps a few will do him good, if it should become necessary." -- ask Butler to enquire of his House what ship carried his [L.L.'s] cow pease -- has heard nothing of them -- "I observe by a paper Angela sent me your [sic] are taking an active part in the Legislature of your State -- Should anything very interesting occur tell Angela to send me the paper leaving one and end open for the Postmaster to see the contents, they are very particular, the one sent was torne open, and received in rather [dirty?] condition." Autograph letter signed, written on reverse of cover directed to L. Lewis, laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Lawr. Lewis."

Letter, Lawrence Lewis to A. Moore

Unit ID W-1238/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26313

Unit Date 1839 February 8

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.02.08 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Woodlawn to Alexandria. Enclosed letter will tell him of wishes of Rev. Edward C. Mc Guire--brother charged with pair of pistols at private sale [of G.W.'s estate]--place am't. due for them, $30., to his own acct.--wants to clear up unfinished business--"my health warns me to be quick in my movement." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, endorsed "mentions purchase of Gen Washington's Pistols purchased at the private sale," cover is covered with figures, laminated, dove of peace. Name on original manuscript appears as "Lawr. Lewis."

Memorandum, Agreement between Charles Washington and Walker

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26314

Unit Date 1839 March 1

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.03.01 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Walker to rent for one year Washington's farm called Johnson Spring [Fairfax County] [This was probably part of G.W.'s original River Farm, Wellington or an adjoining tract]--to pay one third of crops. Document, in hand of and signed by Charles A. Washington [?] endorsed "Contract - Washington and Walker," laminated.

Letter, Hannah Lee Washington Alexander to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/4991

Unit Date 1839 March 11

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.03.11 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Alexander, Hannah Lee Washington, 1811-1881

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed with integral address panel. Hannah writes of family news about Thornton Washington and Harriette Meade (cousin), as well as the marriage "of Madaronia Todd to Mr. Quinn… from Kentucky." She describes "violent colds and sore throats… some of the black people are sick – poor little Lucy died on Thursday night of a congestive fever…"

Keywords
Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, Jesse Skidmore to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID W-774/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26315

Unit Date 1839 April 2

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.04.02 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S 1 page. Alexandria to Woodlawn. Respecting work to be done on the vault [New Tomb] at Mount Vernon--Mr. Ball is fishing--can get Mr. Phillips--experience with hydraulic cement and proper proportion of lime and sand. Autograph letter signed, [probably written and signed by someone else] integral cover, torn, docketed by L.L., laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "J. Skidmore."

Letter, Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID RM-410; MS-3307

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26316

Unit Date 1839 May 3

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.05.03 (folder)

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Mount Vernon to University of Virginia. Jane writes her son on his 18th birthday. She tells him family events that have occurred. Informs him of the death of his neice Louisa. "The work here (Mt. Vernon) is much behind hand and crops the very little that can be seen, looks miserably. I shall endeavour to have the oyster shells hauled from the Shore as soon as they finish planting Corn."

Letter, Jesse Skidmore to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-878; MS-5361

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26317

Unit Date 1839 May 14

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.05.14 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Respecting the cost of materials for the stone sill and gate at vault [New Tomb]--price not given--brick work and carpenters work, prices given. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by L.L. "Respecting Cost of work to vault at Mt. Vernon."

Letter, William Yeaton to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID W-774/D

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26318

Unit Date 1839 May 21

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.05.21 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Alexandria. Examined wall and vault again and sketched design he thinks most appropriate--describes designed he intends--cannot give estamate of cost yet--screen of ornamental iron as sketched $50-$60. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed "Respecting vault at Mount Vernon," part of cover torn off. On reverse are sketches of iron gates and vaults.

Keywords
Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Tomb

Letter, William Yeaton to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-848; MS-5361

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26321

Unit Date 1839 June 1

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.06.01 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Concerning repair of the New Tomb, including the arch. Mentions a carpenter named Skidmore.

Keywords
Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Tomb

Letter, William Yeaton to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID W-774/E

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26322

Unit Date 1839 June 3

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.06.03 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Alexandria to Woodlawn. Business takes him to Washington--may go to Baltimore until Wed.--will meet him Thursday at Mount Vernon [concerns work on New Tomb]. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by L. L., directed "Pr Sam," laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "W. Yeaton."

Keywords
Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Tomb

Letter, William Yeaton to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID W-774/F

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26323

Unit Date 1839 June 13

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.06.13 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Alexandria to Woodlawn. No bricks to be had [for work on New Tomb]--the New Court House and New Meeting House have taken them all--in two weeks may be plenty--can get them in Washington and have them sent down with the lime in boats that run wood--Mrs. [Jane] Washington's project, unless it is done before the abutments are raised, hopes it will be suspended as it will be dangerous after the arch is finished--wants $100 to pay workmen etc.--his own salary--will save money by ordering lime from N. Y. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, directed "Pr. Sam," watermark (R.

Amies). Name on original manuscript appears as "W. Yeaton."

Keywords
Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Tomb

Judith B. Alexander to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID RM-410; MS-3308

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26324

Unit Date 1839 June 17

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.06.17 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Caledon to University of Virginia. John's aunt writes to him about boat transportation from Fredericksburg to Mount Vernon. "Steam boats go up three times in the week and stop at Boyd's Hole Saturday and Sunday and Tuesdays, one of the Boasts the Phoenix will board you I rather think at M. Vernon." She tells him of the news she has learned by riding through the neighborhood. Stampless address leaf.

Letter, William Yeaton to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID W-774/G

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26325

Unit Date 1839 June 20

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.06.20 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Alexandria to Woodlawn. About bricks for the new tomb--Mr. Brockett's kiln [in Alexa.]. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, watermark (R. Amies). Name on original manuscript appears as "W. Yeaton."

Keywords
Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Tomb

Visitor account, L. Osgood

Unit ID A-618

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26327

Unit Date 1839 June 28

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.06.28 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D. 17 pages. "A Visit to Mount Vernon" by L. Osgood. Autograph document, put together in book form, subheading "Mt. Vernon in 1839 by a Native of this Country," dated at Washington, D.C.

"I am under the disagreeable necessity of saying I was never more disappointed in my life, than on this visit. The home of Washington in life His resting place in death, the most hallowed spot in America's soul and a place visited yearly by thousands should be suffered to moulder and decay apparently with its once illustrious possessor."--piazza supported by 2 "natural colemns from the forest"--engraving of Bastille hanging directly above key--rooms downstairs, including mantle "presented to him by Lafayette [Vaughan]"--greenhouse burned 4 yrs. ago, but part of blackened walls standing--most of plants, shrubbery etc. destroyed in fire--took lemon from a tree planted by G.W.--outbuildings all of brick and very delapidated--many abandoned--only a small part of garden cultivated, along walks and the strawberry beds, rest in weeds--"The old gardner seemed very proud of once belonging to Washington and took more interest in talking of his former gardening than exhibiting the present as well he might."--ate some cherries there--gave servant quarter for lemon and cherries--saw splendid portrait of Mrs. [John A.] Washington and "one son and two daughters" [actually 2 sons, 1 daughter and nephew]--by [John Gadsby] Chapman--tomb delapiated too--"The two sarcophaguses are placed in wooden boxes or pens placed without the vault in the enclosed yard the vault is very damp, and a kind of acid is produced by water leaking through the bricks and mortar is so powerful as to rot mahogany

boards in three years and two Gentlemen from Philadelphia [Wm.] Strickland an Architect and the gentleman that manufactured the Sarcophagus of Washington when they took it to Mt Vernon and discovered the state of the vault they said the acid would dissolve the marble in seven years and in consequence of this unfortunate circumstance the sarcophagus are cooped in the open yard and hid from the eye of the Visitor."--Lewis [Wm.] Washington [son of Geo. C. W-n], who has a farm 4 mi. from Mt. Vernon has his own servants prepairing for the masons who will put new arch to vault laid in hydraulic cement--wall enclosing vault badly done, crumbling already.

Keywords
Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Letter, William Yeaton to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID W-774/H

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26328

Unit Date 1839 July 4

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.07.04 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. To Woodlawn. Announcing his agreement with Mr. [Joseph] Dudley, the bricklayer [for work on new tomb]--requirement for workmen, lime, nails, planking etc.--need for money to pay the workmen Saturday night--must he buy supplies from Mr. Smoot, or can he get them where most suitable? Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed by Lewis "Yeaton stating the terms on which Dudley is employ'd; also "4 1/2 day working on new wall the balance of the time of 2 weeks in painting," and cover is filled with figuring. Name on original manuscript appears as "W. Yeaton."

Keywords
Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Tomb

Letter, William Yeaton to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID W-774/I

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26329

Unit Date 1839 July 6

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.07.06 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Alexandria to Woodlawn. Lawrence has selected Mr. Hoop his cashier to pay--Y. will now select material--fears Smoot has no Carolina yellow heart pine needed for the ribs of the arch [for the new tomb]--cement from Smoot--workmen will want a room in one of the out houses--details about work--will see Thos. W. Smith about having screen [fancy iron gate for new tomb]--air-slacked lime. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, on cover is notation "Judge Washington died 26 [ ] 29 aged 71 years [ ]. Name on original manuscript appears as "W. Yeaton."

Keywords
Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Tomb

Account, Joseph Dudley to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID W-774/K

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26330

Unit Date 1839 July 13-15

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.07.13 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

Account. A.D. Fragment. Rough notes for about two weeks work by Bricklayers on the new tomb--price of labor, cart and food for laborers given. Autograph document, in hand of L. L., fragment.

Keywords
Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Tomb

Letter, Lawrence Lewis to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3542

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26331

Unit Date 1839 July 15

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.07.15 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S 3 pages. To Audley. Reports a visit by Augustine Washington, clearing up a mix-up by revealing that Mr. Washington had failed to mail an earlier letter he had taken from Lawrence Lewis to Lorenzo, for Mrs. Lewis had found the letter several days later on the mantel at Mount Vernon. Also advice about the sale and purchase of horses.

Agreement, William Yeaton and Joseph Dudley

Unit ID W-774/J

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26332

Unit Date 1839 July 15

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.07.15 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Agreement. A.D.S. 1 page. Agreement with [Joseph] Dudley for L. Lewis for work at Mt. Vernon, with rates for him, his assistant and two laborers. Autograph document signed, in Yeaton's hand, docketed by W.Y. "for Mr. Dudley." For brickwork on New Tomb.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Tomb

Letter, T.B. Barclay to Mr. Lawrence

Unit ID RM-1126; MS-5810

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26333

Unit Date 1839 August 13

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.08.13 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. Barclay writes of his friendship with Bushrod Washington and visiting Mount Vernon.

Letter, Richard Washington to Burr W. Harrison

Unit ID RM-968; MS-5545

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26334

Unit Date 1839 September 25

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.09.25 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Washington, D.C. Concerning his claim and affidavit with the Hinkle estate.

Letter, John Prosser Tabb to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/4992

Unit Date 1839 October 22

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.10.22 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Tabb, John Prosser

Scope and Contents

Tabb writes about various illnesses, the Whig Convention in Richmond, and a $50 note.

Keywords
Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, Hannah Jane Conrad to Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26335

Unit Date 1839 November 2

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.11.02 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Care of Lorenzo Lewis, Berryville. Writes at E.P.L.'s request to give particulars of [Angela's] illness and death--during her sickness, she talked little and disliked anyone else talking, even a whisper annoyed her--seemed not to consider that she was dying, so made no wishes and left no messages--E.P.L. must not blame herself for not coming in the spring--Angela understood that her father couldn't come and had said she would go to him the next Summer--Angela's children--Mrs. Butler [Parke] had a little boy who lived only a few days. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, redirected to "Arlington House near Alexandria, District of Columbia," laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "Hannah Jane."

Letter, Charles Conrad to Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26336

Unit Date 1839 November 9

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.11.09 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. New Orleans, care of Lorenzo Lewis, Berryville. She may have set out on journey southward but Lorenzo will open letter--has been to Baton Rouge [where the children are]--while there, received letter from Major B[utler] telling of [Parke's] baby son who lived only 3 days--could not bring himself to break up housekeeping and sell his furniture, but cannot bear to go back to the once happy home, so he will live with [brother] Frank and [wife] Hannah Jane--trying to absorb himself in his work--glad [Lawrence Lewis] is doing well. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, forwarded to "Arlington House near Alexandria, District of Columbia," postmarked [ ] Nov. 9," laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. M. Conrad."

Letter, Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington to Rice Levi

Unit ID RM-689; MS-4701

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26337

Unit Date 1839 November 10

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.11.10 (folder)

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Blakely to Mount Vernon. Inquires about family and business at Mount Vernon. "Mr. Skidmore has I suppose been down and repaired the Pillars and Colonades." Reminds him to collect rent from tenants.

Power of Attorney, Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID W-776

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26338

Unit Date 1839 December 3

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.12.03 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. Appoints Lorenzo Lewis of Audley, Clark County [now Frederick County, Va.] as attorney to act for her in her dower rights as widow of Lawrence Lewis. Autograph document signed, witnessed by Mary Custis Lee, proved before George W. P. Custis as one of the U. S. Justices for Cty of Alexandria, District of Columbia, laminated.

Receipt, J.J. Chew to the Executors of the estate of George Washington

Unit ID A-301.280

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26339

Unit Date 1839 December

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.12.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Receipt. Fragment. 1.00 for four quarter continuance at rules against Lee. Signed by J.J. Chew. Fragment, partly printed, endorsed "Washington B 1.00 Fairfax." See 2 other similar receipts dated 1837 and 1838.

Inauguration account, Mr. Stone

Unit ID RM-1177; MS-5914

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26340

Unit Date 1839

Text 63 (box)

Container 1839.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Inauguration account. Letter to the editor regarding George Washington's first inauguration. This letter was addressed to Col. William L. Stone, editor of the New York Commercial Advertiser. It offers an eye-witness account of George Washington's arrival in New York City for his first inauguration as president, written to correct an earlier published reminiscence by a Mr. Denini entitled 'Half Century Reminiscence' that appeared in the Commercial Advertiser. Whether this letter was also published is not yet determined.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Inaugurations

Correspondence

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19119

Unit Date January 1840 - December 1842

Text 64 (box)

Language English.

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Reverend R.R. Gurley

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2301

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26410

Unit Date 1840 February 25

Text 64 (box)

Container 1840.02.25 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Arlington House. GWPC is trying to get Congress to take one of his paintings. Also is pursuing some action in favor of a widow. Mentions work on his memoirs.

Letter, Lorenzo Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26411

Unit Date 1840 April 6

Text 64 (box)

Container 1840.04.06 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Audley. His sad business [death of father] has kept him from writing--uneasy at not hearing from his mother [E.P. Lewis, then in La. with Charles Conrad]--hopes Charles can come to Va. in summer with [E.P.L.] because hot weather in N.O. very bad on [E.P.L.]--sends copy of [Lawrence Lewis's] will--his mother's share in Audley is 1/3, so he will pay her $1000 per year for her part--wants Conrad to pay her $250 quarterly and draw on him at 30 days or sight on Washington or Baltimore bank--bonds of Valery Hebert which Butler holds in trust, are to go under will to Conrad--Charles's namesake [Charles Conrad Lewis]. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked "Winchester Va. Apr. 3," laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "L. Lewis."

Letter, John Taliaferro to Jane C. Blackburn Washington

Unit ID 2019-SC-024

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19566

Unit Date 1840 May 13

Text 64 (box)

Container 1840.05.13 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Taliaferro, John, 1768-1852

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed with integral address panel. Washington, D.C. to Mount Vernon. Taliaferro writes to Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington introducing her to a young gentleman from Connecticut who would like to visit Mount Vernon out of "reverence" for George Washington.

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Letter, Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID W-801

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26413

Unit Date 1840 May 25

Text 64 (box)

Container 1840.05.25 (folder)

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Mount Vernon to Georgetown. Death of Aunt Blackburn detained her at Blakeley--engaged in having the remains of "our rever'd Uncle and Aunt [Bushrod and Anne Blackburn W-n] my beloved Husband [John A.] and dear Sister Mary Herbert inter'd in the Vault."--shocked at bad condition of some of coffins in vault--Cousin Lorenzo Lewis "had his ... Father laid in a grave immediately within the door-Crosswise"--details of grave she planned--West Ford prepared a coffin for G.C.W.'s nearest relatives--also had one made for Mr. Herbert and children but not room for them--only for one more and she wishes to be buried at feet of husband, uncle, aunt and sister--does not desire favors from government--"we are unwilling to sell our inheritance ... yet as the Nation already shares it with us, sense of justice points out necessity of an appropriation ... to enable us to keep up the improvements and meet the expences we are daily subjected to by the publick."--"endless intrusions and sacrifice of every thing like private right and domestic privacy ... arises frequently from a sincere ... desire of honouring the memory of Genl. Washington; 'Tis a feeling calculated to inspire and strenghthen virtuous and patriotic principles, and cement more firmly the ties that bind us together as a Nation. We have done, and shall continue to do all we can to keep the place from intire decay - it is yearly becoming more expensive and difficulty to do so; the buildings all ought to be thoroughly repaired, or they must in a few years go down - when that occurs-if unable to do better, I trust the family will erect a "Log Cabin," and still let the place descend to the name and family of Washington ..."--son [John] Augustine in Jefferson--her daughter and niece Mrs. Thos. Washington. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, black seal (blurred), docketed by G.C.W., postmarked "Alexandria May [?]."

Letter, Thomas Towly to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3543

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26414

Unit Date 1840 August 29

Text 64 (box)

Container 1840.08.29 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. University of Virginia. Acknowledgement of receipt of a draft of $300 from L.L., and thanking him for his letter of introduction of Dr. Coxe.

Letter, Thomas Turner to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3544

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26415

Unit Date 1840 November 19

Text 64 (box)

Container 1840.11.19 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Philadelphia. Announcing that they are finally happily settled in a new home, except for a few complaints of city life: "Above all, I want the invigorating exercise of horseback, this walking on hard pavements, in tight cloaths, is anything but recreation to me, a square or two and I am sick of it." Integral cover. Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Turner."

Letter, John Prosser Tabb to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14340

Unit Date 1840 December 11

Text 64 (box)

Container 1840.12.11 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Tabb, John Prosser

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Personal letter, family news, business, etc.

Keywords

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Lorenzo Lewis

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3545

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26416

Unit Date 1840 December 16

Text 64 (box)

Container 1840.12.16 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Arlington House to Audley. Custis proposes to borrow $1000 from the estate of General Washington. "I am wretchedly poor at present." Shows how the money in the estate is very loosely handled. John Mason's property at High Point just sold for $46,000. Integral cover. Name on original manuscript appears as "George W. Custis".

Tax receipt, W.D. Gilkeson to George Fayette Washington

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26417

Unit Date 1840

Text 64 (box)

Container 1840.00.00 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Fayette, 1790-1867

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Tax receipt, Sheriff of Frederick County, Virginia. Receipt for $38.44 for land tax, slaves, horses, levies. Document, partly printed, signed by d[eputy] s[heriff] W.D. Gilkeson.

Label, Champagne bottle "Mount Vernon Brand"

Unit ID RM-952; MS-5505

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26418

Unit Date 1840

Text 64 (box)

Container 1840.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Champagne label from the Beall/Washington wedding. Label reads "Mount Vernon Brand. Sillery mousseux premier Qualite. Imported by Ed Simms."

Letter, John Prosser Tabb to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14341

Unit Date 1841 January 21

Text 64 (box)

Container 1841.01.21 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Tabb, John Prosser

Keywords
Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, George Washington Bassett to George Fayette Washington

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26419

Unit Date 1841 March 6

Text 64 (box)

Container 1841.03.06 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Fayette, 1790-1867

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Eltham to Bruce Town. Informs him of death of their uncle [Burwell Bassett, Jr.] on Feb

A.L.S. 3 pages. Eltham to Bruce Town. Informs him of death of their uncle [Burwell Bassett, Jr.] on Feb. 26--his last hours--he would have been 77 the 15th of this month--would have no doctor and no minister--wife very ill--informs G.F.W. that his uncle left a will and he [G.W.B.] is sole heir [see will dated Mar. 13, 1838]. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked by hand "Buchamsville Va March 7th," laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "G. W. Bassett."

Letter, Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2017-SC-008-018

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16500

Unit Date 1841 March 15

Text 64 (box)

Container 1841.03.15 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed with integral address panel. Jane writes about John Augustine's studies and mentions that some of the family attended the inauguration of William Henry Harrison, where they were kindly received and "surprised and charmed with the grace and agreeableness of young Mrs. Harrison." She writes that the city was "swarmed with office seekers." She also writes that she received a "woful letter" from West Ford about the lack of long forage at Mount Vernon.

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Ford, West, approximately 1784-1863

Letter, Edward G.W. Butler to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3546

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26420

Unit Date 1841 April 21

Text 64 (box)

Container 1841.04.21 (folder)

Creator Butler, Edward George Washington, 1800-1888

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. An explanation of his part as an intermediary in a payment transaction with Mr. Herbert, with Mr. Conrad's consent. Request for an aquittance. Discussion of the possibility of a war with England. Report of a hard winter on his Plantation, and the price of sugar.

Letter, William Page to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3547

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26421

Unit Date 1841 June 8

Text 64 (box)

Container 1841.06.08 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Washington, D.C. to Audley. Discussion of Mr. John Woodside, a young man with intentions of becoming a farmer; proposal that L. L. take him under his care. Integral cover.Name on original manuscript appears as "Wm. B. Page". It is possible this is the Philadelphia doctor "Page, William Byrd, 1817-1877" but further research will need to verify that.

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to James Scott

Unit ID RM-838; MS-5289

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26422

Unit Date 1841 August 3

Text 64 (box)

Container 1841.08.03 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. As landlord to Mary Ellis, "alias Mary Mortimer, I directed Mr. James Scott, Overseer of the Poor, to use the sale of the effects of said Mary, after her decease, and to devote the proceeds of the sale (as far as $48, being the rents due me)" to the benefit of her orphaned children.

Letter, Charles Conrad to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3548

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26423

Unit Date 1841 October 29

Text 64 (box)

Container 1841.10.29 (folder)

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Louisville. Discussion of arrangements for quarters on board the steam boat, "Caddo."

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to Jane C. Blackburn Washington

Unit ID 2017-SC-010-001

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/12762

Unit Date 1841 December 13

Text 64 (box)

Container 1841.12.13 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Creator Alexander, Anna Maria Washington, 1817-1850

Scope and Contents

Letter from John Augustine Washington III to his mother mentioning his poor health, West Ford, an enslaved woman named Betty, and the state of affairs at Mount Vernon. A note to "Dearest Mother" is added on at the end of the letter by John Augustine's sister, Anna Maria Alexander.

Keywords

Enslaved persons

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Correspondence

Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Ford, West, approximately 1784-1863

Letter, George Washington Peter to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3549

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26424

Unit Date 1842 January 9

Text 64 (box)

Container 1842.01.09 (folder)

Creator Peter, George Washington, 1801-1877

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Georgetown to Audley. Name on original manuscript appears as "Geo. W. ? Peter.

Integral cover, wax seal.

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to Jane C. Blackburn Washington

Unit ID 2017-SC-008-014

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16506

Unit Date 1842 February 26

Text 64 (box)

Container 1842.02.26 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed with integral address panel. John Augustine writes to his mother about ways of making more money at Mount Vernon, including erecting a tavern at the Gum Spring and allowing a steamboat company to run a ship to Mount Vernon for a fee. This will "avoid the inconvenience of a number of hacks, and having persons tampering with the servants."

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to Jane C. Blackburn Washington

Unit ID 2018-SC-058-001

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14378

Unit Date 1842 March 7

Text 64 (box)

Container 1842.03.07 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. Mount Vernon to Charlestown. John Augustine writes to his mother about Gabriel Johnson, an enslaved man who has run away. He suspects Gabriel has gone to Jefferson County, where Jane is. Autograph letter signed with integral address panel.

Keywords

Fugitive slaves -- Virginia

Correspondence

Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Johnson, Gabriel, 1820-

Letter, Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2018-SC-058-002

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14379

Unit Date 1842 March 11

Text 64 (box)

Container 1842.03.11 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. to Mount Vernon. Jane writes in response to Augustine's letter dated March 7, 1842 that Gabriel Johnson, the enslaved man who ran away from Mount Vernon, has arrived at Jane's plantation. Jane writes, "Please come up without delay." Autograph letter signed with integral address panel.

Keywords

Enslaved persons

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Correspondence

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Johnson, Gabriel, 1820-

Letter, Thomas Washington to Daniel Webster

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4655

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26425

Unit Date 1842 March 18

Text 64 (box)

Container 1842.03.18 (folder)

Creator Washington, Thomas Blackburn, 1812-1854

Creator Webster, Daniel, 1782-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Nashville. Washington informs Webster that R.J. Meigs, District Attorney of the United States for the Middle Tennessee district, has tendered his resignation and Washington requests that Webster, Secretary of State under John Tyler at this time, refuse it. Washington explains Meigs' motives and adds that Meigs resigned "... in a momentary fit of spleen; ...". Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmark.

Letter, Thomas Turner to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3550

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26426

Unit Date 1842 March 25

Text 64 (box)

Container 1842.03.25 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Philadelphia to Audley. Congratulations on "`Conrad's' election to the Senate," but expressing a general feeling of disgust with the current political situation. Urging L.L. to make arrangements for a visit to Philadelphia. Integral cover. Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Turner."

Letter, Bushrod Corbin Washington to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID RM-410; MS-3310

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26427

Unit Date 1842 May 14

Text 64 (box)

Container 1842.05.14 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod Corbin, 1790-1851

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Brown's Hotel, Washington, D.C. to Mount Vernon. Bushrod describes the slow work in the Dismal Swamp to his nephew. He also comments on the Wise and Stanley affair. Tells about the sale of lumber. "6" rate, stampless cover.

Letter, Samuel Phillips Lee to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID RM-431; MS-3408

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26428

Unit Date 1842 May 25

Text 64 (box)

Container 1842.05.25 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. Washington, D.C. Discusses his requirements for a horse to purchase. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. P. Lee."

Letter, Thomas Turner to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3551

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26514

Unit Date 1842 May

Text 64 (box)

Container 1842.05.00 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Looking forward to a visit from L. L. in Philadelphia, though wishing that he could go South instead to Woodlawn to escape the confines of the city. Report on the difficulties John Coxe is facing in the Senate and in the services. Integral cover. Name on original manuscript appears as "T. Turner."

Letter, West Ford to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2021-SC-008

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32242

Unit Date 1842 August 27

Text 64 (box)

Container 1842.08.27 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Ford, West, approximately 1784-1863

Extent 1 Sheets1 sheet, 4 pages of text

Scope and Contents

West Ford, a former slave of the Washington family who was later freed and employed as overseer of Mount Vernon, writes to John Augustine Washington III, present owner of Mount Vernon, who is away at Blakeley, regarding wool, barrels of fruit, sweet potatoes, flock of sheep, sale of wheat, and weather. Autograph letter signed, 3 pages, with integral cover.

Keywords

Correspondence

Enslaved persons -- Emancipation

Farm management

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, T.B. Washington to R.W. Levi

Unit ID 2022-SC-005-001

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/31869

Unit Date 1842 September 6

Text 64 (box)

Container 1942.09.06 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 pages 2 pages with text20 x 26 cm

Scope and Contents

T.B. Washington writes to Rice Levi regarding Mr. Levi managing the farming transactions.

Letter, George Corbin Washington to unknown

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26443

Unit Date 1842 October 1

Text 64 (box)

Container 1842.10.01 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Private papers of Judge [Bushrod] Washington were not left to him, but probably are in

possession of Mrs. Jane Washington--Genl. Washington's papers devised to him by Judge Washington. Autograph letter signed, laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "George C. Washington."

Receipt, Thomas Beall

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2212

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26444

Unit Date 1842

Text 64 (box)

Container 1842.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Receipt for county tax on $1350 at $.15 on the dollar.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19120

Unit Date January 1843 - May 1844

Text 65 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Charles Thornton to George Fayette Washington

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26445

Unit Date 1843 February 3

Text 65 (box)

Container 1843.02.03 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Fayette, 1790-1867

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. G.F.W. neglected to answer his inquiries in last letter--desires to know exact location of their land in Ohio on Scioto River--search his papers for any reference to the land--title supposed to be derived from his grandfather Geo. A. Washington--G.F.W. should give him power of attorney so he can do something about their land if he finds it--his Kentucky land--low price of cotton--"This country is almost universally bankrupt." Name on original manuscript appears as "C. A. Thornton." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked "Woodville Feb. 3."

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Alexander Moore

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26446

Unit Date 1843 February 15

Text 65 (box)

Container 1843.02.15 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Arlington House to Alexandria. He has a full settlement of accts. for articles purchased at sale of G.W.'s effects, all in Judge Washington's handwriting--asks Moore to check his accts. and find how he got debited for large amounts--desires complete settlement of estate. Name on original manuscript appears as "George W. P. Custis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated.

Letter, John Redman Coxe to Esther Maria Coxe Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3526

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26447

Unit Date 1843 March 11

Text 65 (box)

Container 1843.03.11 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Esther Maria Coxe, 1804-1885

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Philadelphia to Audley. Letter comes with a copy of the will of Sarah Coxe, Esther's mother. Her father is writing her to explain the bequest she is to receive. Integral cover, postmark.

Letter, Frances Parke Butler to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3552

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26448

Unit Date 1843 June 25

Text 65 (box)

Container 1843.06.25 (folder)

Creator Butler, Frances Parke, 1799-1875

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Thanking him for his kindness for taking into his care his young nephew Edward Butler, and discussing the arrangements. Expressing the need to get Edward out of the state of Louisiana:"the less he sees of this state: its manner and its morals, the better for himself." Name on original manuscript appears as "F. P. Butler." Integral cover, wax seal.

Letter, Thomas Turner to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3553

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26449

Unit Date 1843 July 9

Text 65 (box)

Container 1843.07.09 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. Philadelphia to Audley. He is eager to see L. L. again, admonishing him for not writing. He is much dismayed at the "moral and physical deteterioration of this fallen world," and his greatest comfort is his children, Angela "as Bad as she can be she is sweet," and Phil "so lovely a fellow he does nothing but laugh." He recently attended the funeral of L. L.'s sister from Baltimore.

Letter, John Lloyd to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID RM-410; MS-3311

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26450

Unit Date 1843 July 12

Text 65 (box)

Container 1843.07.12 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Baltimore. Lloyd sends J.A.W. information and rates of the Baltimore Life Insurance Company.

Letter, Randolph Coyle to Andrew Jackson

Unit ID W-159

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26451

Unit Date 1843 August 26

Text 65 (box)

Container 1843.08.26 (folder)

Creator Jackson, Andrew, 1767-1845

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Washington City. Letter and a copy. Requests that Jackson consider returning the "circular chair" previously owned by Washington to his family so that his son might take possession. Explains history of the chair given to Dr. Craik, then eventually to his family who gave it to Jackson. Now Mr. Coyle would like it back for his family. Says if Jackson had other plans for the chair, to consider his request withdrawn.

Note, Bushrod Corbin Washington

Unit ID RM-813; MS-5246

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26452

Unit Date 1843 August 28

Text 65 (box)

Container 1843.08.28 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod Corbin, 1790-1851

Scope and Contents

Autograph signed note, 1 page. A note that permits Bushrod's slave, Letty Williams, to travel from Jefferson County to Mount Vernon, Alexandria, and Washington, D.C. to visit her relatives for "the Space of four weeks." She is the wife of a free man named Soloman Williams. Bushrod Corbin Washington was George Washington's grand-nephew.

Letter, Jared Sparks to Jane C. Blackburn Washington

Unit ID 2016-SC-029

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/4990

Unit Date 1843 October 27

Text 65 (box)

Container 1843.10.27 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Sparks, Jared, 1789-1866

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed with integral address panel. Sparks writes to Jane, "My Dear Madam, I am about to publish a series of American Biographies, and I should be glad to include in it a Life of Lawrence Washington, if the materials exist for writing such a Life. Have not his papers been preserved at Mount Vernon?..." A note on the address panel indicates this letter was forwarded to John Augustine Washington III to respond to.

Keywords

Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Washington, Lawrence, 1718-1752

Letter, H. T. Harrison to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2020-SC-004

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/21010

Unit Date 1843 November 27

Text 65 (box)

Container 1843.11.27 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Harrison, Henry Tazewell, 1796-1881

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed with integral address panel. Leesburg to Mount Vernon. Harrison writes about Washington hiring Joseph McFarland as overseer.

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

McFarland, Joseph

Letter, Bushrod Washington Herbert to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2017-SC-010-003

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23139

Unit Date 1843

Text 65 (box)

Container 1843.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Herbert, Bushrod Washington, -1888

Scope and Contents

A letter signed BWH, possibly from Bushrod Washington Herbert, to his cousin John Augustine Washington III. In the letter, BWH asks what Remington is going to do with Muddy Hole Farm. If Remington sells, BWH thinks John Augustine should rent it to West Ford "as before." Autograph letter signed, 2 pages.

Keywords

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, Dolley Payne Madison to Eleanor Love Selden Washington

Unit ID MSS-574

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26453

Unit Date 1843 May 4

Text 65 (box)

Container 1844.05.04 (folder)

Creator Madison, Dolley, 1768-1849

Creator Washington, Eleanor Love Selden, 1824-1860

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Asks her kindness in receiving "these interesting ladies and their accompanying gentlemen" at Mt. Vernon. Name on original manuscript appears as "D. P. Madison." Autograph letter signed, embossed mark in upper left hand corner (crown).

Letter, C.C. Stuart to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3554

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26454

Unit Date 1844 May 5

Text 65 (box)

Container 1844.05.05 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Chantilly to Audley. Concerning the payment to Mr. Hammond for Bonds held by L. L.

Letter, William Taliaferro to Warner Taliaferro

Unit ID RM-15; MS-2017

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26455

Unit Date 1844 May 10

Text 65 (box)

Container 1844.05.10 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Mount Vernon. Brief account of the wedding festivities for Dr. John Prosser Tabb of Gloucester and Miss Rebecca Lloyd of Alexandria ... requests his father to send the barrouche for the return to Gloucester party will be coming with him ... visited George W.P. Custis at Arlington ... now with Mr. Augustine Washington at Mount Vernon ... Autograph letter signed, integral cover.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19121

Unit Date June 1844 - October 1845

Text 66 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Hartley Crawford to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2112

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26464

Unit Date 1844 June 3

Text 66 (box)

Container 1844.06.03 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. War Department, Office of Indian Affairs. Informing him of his appointment as Cherokee Commissioner ...

Letter, William Wilkins to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2111

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26465

Unit Date 1844 June 3

Text 66 (box)

Container 1844.06.03 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. From the War Department. Notification that his salary as Cherokee Commissioner begins from the date of the commission. . . . .

Letter, Jared Sparks to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2017-SC-008-004

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/12384

Unit Date 1844 June 5

Text 66 (box)

Container 1844.06.05 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Sparks, Jared, 1789-1866

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. Cambridge to Mount Vernon. Letter from historian and George Washington biographer Jared Sparks to John Augustine Washington III proposing he write a life of Lawrence Washington. Sparks writes "I was already acquainted with the principal incidents in the life of Lawrence Washington, and although the papers would not seem to furnish materials for a biography of much extent, yet I think a Life of moderate length might be written, which would be interesting and fill a proper space in the 'Library of American Biography.' If you will forward me the papers, I will do the best that I can with them."

Sparks says George Washington's papers were sent to him in "one of the packets sailing from Alexandria to Boston." He directs that the papers be put in a box and be addressed to him, care of Little and Brown, Booksellers, Boston. Sparks specifies that John Augustine should put all the papers into the box without removing any, because even seemingly unimportant documents are of use to the

historian. Sparks promises to return all the papers in the same condition in which they were received.

Sparks requests John Augustine to send him the portrait of Lawrence Washington from Mount Vernon so that an engraving can be made for the book. As assurance that the portrait will be returned safely, Sparks mentions how Mr. Custis sent the portrait of Martha Washington from Arlington that now appears in one of the volumes of Washington's Writings.

Keywords
Correspondence
Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861
Washington, Lawrence, 1718-1752

Letter, Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2017-SC-008-009

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16512

Unit Date 1844 July 16

Text 66 (box)

Container 1844.07.16 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter intialed with integral address panel. Jane writes about the baptism of John Augustine's daughter Louisa and other family news, including the sale of Selby by Hannah Lee Washington and the marriage of her son Richard to his cousin Christian Maria. She also writes about crops and finding a good overseer. She adds, "I am very sorry you cannot commence the repairs at [Mount Vernon] this autumn. The buildings are getting in ruinous condition."

Keywords
Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)
Correspondence
Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, West Ford to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2017-SC-010-002

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/12763

Unit Date 1844 September 6

Text 66 (box)

Container 1844.09.06 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Ford, West, approximately 1784-1863

Scope and Contents

Mount Vernon to Blakely. West Ford reports on illnesses at Mount Vernon: "i am very sorry to say to you that we have had a great deal of sickness Jessie Clark was take the 3 day of the month he was as crazy as he could be he did not know any person i had to send for doctor Powel." He also mentions that Jim Mitchell has been "laid up" and that July and Hannah, though "not yet confined," have been scarcely able to work. Andrew is also still sick. Ford also reports that he has begun breaking up and clearing land but has not been able to "break more than acre."

Keywords
Slavery
Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)
Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861
Mitchell, Jim, 1795-1870

Letter, R. D. Coverte to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2018-SC-086-001

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17772

Unit Date 1844 October 14

Text 66 (box)

Container 1844.10.14 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

R. D. Coverte writes from Brooklyn following a visit to Mount Vernon in which he got the impression that John Augustine did not want to become a planter. Coverte inquires if he can rent Mount Vernon and 500 surrounding acres for a fair price.

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, John Northrup to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID RM-857; MS-5312

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26466

Unit Date 1844 November 20

Text 66 (box)

Container 1844.11.20 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Northrup, a Philadelphia real estate agent, offers to help Washington find a purchaser for Mount Vernon, understanding that "you wish to dispose of the property you now occupy. . ."

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to Eleanor L.S. Washington

Unit ID RM-410; MS-3312

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26538

Unit Date 1844 November 26

Text 66 (box)

Container 1844.11.26 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Creator Washington, Eleanor Love Selden, 1824-1860

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 1/4 pages. Copy. Mount Vernon. John gives his cousin calculations on the future value of her servants. He advises her not to sell them now. 1st page has cover embossing W. H. Harrison log cabin - 1840.

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to Dennis Johnston

Unit ID 2017-SC-008-007

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/12588

Unit Date 1844 December 22

Text 66 (box)

Container 1844.12.22 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

Retained copy of letter written by John Augustine Washington III to Fairfax County magistrate and landowner Dennis Johnston. In the letter, John Augustine states that based on a conversation with West Ford he believes Johnston is misinformed about the terms of Johnston's contract for cutting, hauling, and cording wood on the Mount Vernon estate.

Keywords

Correspondence

Johnston, Dennis, 1788-1852

Ford, West, approximately 1784-1863

Letter, Noblet Herbert to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2018-SC-076-001

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/15881

Unit Date 1845 February 11

Text 66 (box)

Container 1845.02.11 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Herbert, Noblet, Jr., 1826-1856

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed. Leesburg. N. Herbert, a cousin of John Augustine, writes about Alfred, an enslaved man who escaped from Mount Vernon and voluntarily surrendered himself to the Loudon County Jail in Leesburg. Herbert writes that slave traders Joseph Bruin of Alexandria and William Bale of Exeter were inquiring about Alfred but recommends that Augustine keep him.

Keywords

Fugitive slaves -- Virginia

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Correspondence

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Bruin, Joseph

Letter, W.F. Turner to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID RM-410; MS-3313

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26467

Unit Date 1845 May 5

Text 66 (box)

Container 1845.05.05 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

Correspondence, Richmond to Mount Vernon. Stampless cover.

Letter, Charlotte Cummings to her aunt and uncle

Unit ID MS-5869

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26468

Unit Date 1845 June 28

Text 66 (box)

Container 1845.06.28 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Philadelphia. Personal letter describing in part a visit to Mount Vernon and Washington, D.C. Mentions Gustavus Washington and the tombs of George and Martha Washington.

Letter, H. T. Harrison to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2018-SC-016-001

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/13918

Unit Date 1845 July 14

Text 66 (box)

Container 1845.07.14 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Harrison, Henry Tazewell, 1796-1881

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed. Leesburg. Harrison declines buying an enslaved woman named Julia from Augustine, claiming "she will not suit at all."

Keywords

Slavery

Correspondence
Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, Joseph McFarland to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2018-SC-058-003

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14381

Unit Date 1845 August 3

Text 66 (box)

Container 1845.08.03 (folder)

Language English.

Creator McFarland, Joseph

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed. John Augustine's overseer, Joseph McFarland, writes that he has had "a great deal of difficulty" with the enslaved worker Gabriel Johnson and has had to put Gabriel in Bruin's Slave Jail in Alexandria.

McFarland describes a scene in which Gabriel was "cursing & fighting" against some horses, and then began cursing McFarland when McFarland took the horse whip away from Gabriel. McFarland writes, "I put him with Mr. Bruen at 25 cts a day. Mr. Bruen thinks he would be mighty apt to run away. I did not flog him as Mr. Bruen persuaded me not for it would injure the sale of him." He then adds to Augustine, "Times is very different to what they was when you was here."

Keywords
Enslaved persons
Bruin's Slave Jail
Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861
Johnson, Gabriel, 1820-

Letter, Gabriel Johnson to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2018-SC-058-004

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14382

Unit Date 1845 August 6

Text 66 (box)

Container 1845.08.06 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Johnson, Gabriel, 1820-

Creator Hill, Henry P., active 1843-1845

Scope and Contents

Letter in the hand of Henry P. Hill, likely dictated by Gabriel Johnson from Bruin's Slave Jail in Alexandria. Gabriel tells his side of the story following an disagreement with Joseph McFarland, John Augustine's overseer at Mount Vernon. According to Gabriel, McFarland threatened to whip him, but Gabriel "told him that he could not whip me as I did not think any person but my master out to do it or at least to authorize it." McFarland tied Gabriel up, but he escaped. When he was recaptured, he was brought to the jail.

Gabriel writes, "I want you if you please Sir to come down and see about the matter and hope that you will be satisfied that at best I am not the only one to blame. I love you and your family and hope that you will believe me that I have the utmost sort of feelings for you and would not by any means offend you if I could avoid it. I am very anxious to see you here and feel fully the painfull uncertainty of my situation."

Keywords
Enslaved persons
Bruin's Slave Jail
Correspondence
Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, Joseph Bruin to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2017-SC-010-004

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/12765

Unit Date 1845 August 8

Text 66 (box)

Container 1845.08.08 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Bruin, Joseph

Scope and Contents

Letter from Alexandria slave dealer Joseph Bruin of the firm Bruin and Hill to John Augustine Washington III regarding an enslaved man named Gabriel who escaped from Mount Vernon and is now being held at Bruin's Slave Jail. Bruin writes, "I have to inform you of what I am willing to pay for your man now in my Jail we will give you $565 neat for him at this time if the prices should improve we are willing to pay what ever the prices may be but when you come down I am inclined to think we can trade if you wish to replace him you can inquire of others what he is worth to satisfy your self about his worth he is 5 feet 5 inches he's well formed but has some scars on his back also 2 scars from burns on his arms which are mear eye sore but dont disable him in the smallest degree. He's a very desirable negro - to those wishing to purchase. I have 2 or 3 more at this time that possibly will suit you they are young and likely and not sold for any fault."

Bruin's Slave Jail was famously featured in Harriet Beecher Stowe's Uncle Tom's Cabin.

Keywords

Enslaved persons

Bruin's Slave Jail

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Johnson, Gabriel, 1820-

Letter, Henry P. Hill to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2017-SC-010-005

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/12766

Unit Date 1845 August 19

Text 66 (box)

Container 1845.08.19 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Hill, Henry P., active 1843-1845

Scope and Contents

Letter from Alexandria slave dealer Henry P. Hill of the firm Bruin and Hill writing to John Augustine Washington III about an enslaved man named Gabriel who has escaped from Mount Vernon and is being held at Bruin's Slave Jail. Hill writes, "your man Gabriel by strict measurement is five feet five and a half inches... He is likely and a very good man of his stature and if you are offered more than we priced him at I think if you will excuse a stranger for the expression of his opinion in all candour, that you will certainly do well to take the offer." Hill says he is willing to arrange a sale or exchage with Washington, adding that there are only sixteen men at the jail at the time, but he expects "Sir Bruin may send in or bring others when he comes."

Keywords

Enslaved persons

Bruin's Slave Jail

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Johnson, Gabriel, 1820-

Letter, George Corbin Washington to Abbott Lawrence

Unit ID A-301.162

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26469

Unit Date 1845 September 9

Text 66 (box)

Container 1845.09.09 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 7 pages. Georgetown. Although he [Lawrence] refused a loan once, G.C.W. will apply for one again--also wants to discuss plans for G.W.'s private letters, books, and other relicks--cannot afford to deposit them in a safe place--"little reliance can be placed on the liberal disposition of Congress"--"I desire them to confide them to the guardianship of some institution or association formed for the purpose, where they would be safely preserved from any casualty for all time to come."--could sell the relics to foreign country, but "as an American and the nearest living relation of that great man, I could not reconcile it with duty to my country or a proper respect to his memory to transfer them to foreign hands."--"From the high character of Boston for munificence and public spirit ... it has been suggested to me, that citizens of that place would in all liklihood form an association for the purpose, and take charge of these relicks, or deposit them in some public institution ..."--deeply in debt--must get money or sell his farm--Green Hill in Montgomerie county--wants to borrow $5000 immediately, giving farm as security--also, a lien on the books, papers, etc.--should proposed disposition be made of these, loan of $5000 to be pd. immediately--will not offer family servants as security--if his plan for disposition of relicts can be done, they can arrange terms--he will name no price yet. Name on original manuscript appears as "G. C. Washington." Autograph letter signed, draft, docketed, with an envelope addressed to G.C. Washington and docketed by him "Correspondence with Abbot Lawrence Esq. in relation to the Washington papers and books," watermark.

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3555

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26470

Unit Date 1845 October 4

Text 66 (box)

Container 1845.10.04 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Accompanying letter to a money draft of $205, payable to Lorenzo, "being Virginia's money is the money most in use in the South," Report on his ill health. Name on original manuscript appears as "George W. Custis." Integral cover.

Letter, George Corbin Washington to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2092

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26471

Unit Date 1845 October 19

Text 66 (box)

Container 1845.10.19 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Georgetown. Re: agreement between John A. and Mr. Johnson for rent of Mt. Zephyr ... John A. Cannot be held responsible beyond the terms of the contract ... Integral cover.

Pressed leaves with note, Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID W-1304/A, B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26472

Unit Date 1845 October 20

Text 66 (box)

Container 1845.10.20 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

Pressed leaves and autograph note. "This branch of arbor vita was given me by my darling little Lewis Conrad the day before he left Audley Oct. 20th, 1845, for New Orleans. May God grant to my precious Charley and Lewis a safe and pleasant journey to New Orleans, health, happiness and improvement there, and a safe and happy return to me next Spring - May God grant my fervent prayers for them for Christs sake - Amen."

Description of Green Hill, George Corbin Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2078

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26473

Unit Date 1845 October 24

Text 66 (box)

Container 1845.10.24 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 2 pages. Green Hill of 800A., half in wood, 3 1/2 miles from Rockville, 9rm. house, large brick kitchen, barn, brick stable, sheds, corn house, poultry house, meat house, ice house, pigeon house, overseer's house, etc. lists livestock, servants ... values listed ... will take $12,000 for the property described ...

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19122

Unit Date November 1845 - August 1846

Text 67 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Bushrod Corbin Washington to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID MS-2087

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26474

Unit Date 1845 November 4

Text 67 (box)

Container 1845.11.04 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod Corbin, 1790-1851

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. This contains the wording for a power of attorney which George C. is to copy and execute and return to Bushrod C .... by the power of attorney Geo. C. appoints Bushrod C. and Thomas B. W-n his attorneys and proxies at mtgs. of Dismal Swamp Land Co .... there follows a not of explanation re: the power of attorney ...

Letter, Robert R. Prentis to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID 2017-SC-007-001

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/15879

Unit Date 1845 December 3

Text 67 (box)

Container 1845.12.03 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 2 pages

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed with integral address panel. Suffolk to Berryville. Robert R. Prentis, a lawyer in Suffolk, responds to a request by Lorenzo Lewis passed on to him from Bushrod Corbin Washington to obtain a decree for the sale of the interest for lands from the estate of George Washington lying in Nansemnond County and held by the firm of Washington Walker Co. Prentis advises Lewis that the land is of little value and that it would be better to sell the entire tract.

Keywords

Correspondence

Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Letter, H. T. Harrison to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2018-SC-016-002

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/13919

Unit Date 1845 December 15

Text 67 (box)

Container 1845.12.15 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Harrison, Henry Tazewell, 1796-1881

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed with integral address panel. Leesburg to Mount Vernon. Harrison talks about turning an enslaved woman named Julia into a house servant and hiring out an enslaved man named Bob.

Keywords

Enslaved persons

Correspondence

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, H. T. Harrison to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2018-SC-016-003

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14116

Unit Date 1845 December 29

Text 67 (box)

Container 1845.12.29 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Harrison, Henry Tazewell, 1796-1881

Scope and Contents

Leesburg. Harrison writes to Augustine about Julia, an enslaved woman, who has taken "French leave" after Harrison struck her half a dozen times with his horse whip for disobedience. Harrison thinks Julia may have gone to Mount Vernon and asks Augustine to write if he has seen her.

Keywords

Enslaved persons

Correspondence

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, George Mason to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID RM-410; MS-3309

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26483

Unit Date 1846 February

Text 67 (box)

Container 1846.02.00 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Hollin Hall. Mason discusses the retrocession of Alexandria from the District of Columbia

A.L.S. 4 pages. Hollin Hall. Mason discusses the retrocession of Alexandria from the District of Columbia to Fairfax County. Stampless address leaf.

Letter, Charles A. Thornton to George Fayette Washington

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26484

Unit Date 1846 May 29

Text 67 (box)

Container 1846.05.29 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Fayette, 1790-1867

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Bayou Goula to Frederick County, Virginia. Will try once more to come to terms regarding their business, before going to extreme measures--he is already yielding more than half his rights--dislike taking an honored relative to court--will he settle as he proposes or abide by decision of a court?--late brother [Churchill J. Thornton] owed him much at his death, and has title to their Ohio lands. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. A. Thornton." Autograph letter signed, integral cover postmarked by hand "Bayou Goula May 29th," laminated.

Letter, Bushrod Corbin Washington to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26485

Unit Date 1846 June 11

Text 67 (box)

Container 1846.06.11 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod Corbin, 1790-1851

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Clay Mont to Georgetown. No final decree in case yet, but will be at next court--sends last payments--will collect balance after harvest and send--mentions cousin Mary [a note in pencil identifies her as Miss Mary Peter, sister of Mrs. G.C. Washington]. Name on original manuscript appears as "Bush. C. Washington." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Chs. Town June 13."

Letter, Bushrod Corbin Washington to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26486

Unit Date 1846 June 18

Text 67 (box)

Container 1846.06.18 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod Corbin, 1790-1851

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Clay Mont to Georgetown. Encloses $100 note on Richmond Bank--directions for exchanging it--send receipt to him, as exect. of Judge Bush. W-n's estate--part payment of a decree in court against B.C. Washington and in favor of G.C.W., as administrator of Jane M. Washington, deceased. Name on original manuscript appears as "Bush. C. Washington." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed "B.C. Washington $100.," postmarked "Chs. Town Va., June 18."

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID A-621

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26487

Unit Date 1846 June 20

Text 67 (box)

Container 1846.06.20 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Arlington House to Berryville, VA. Lorenzo's desire to resign acting executorship of G.W.'s estate--persuades him not to give it up--he himself knows nothing of the estate, because Lawr. Lewis and Judge W. acted for all the executors--Lorenzo's duty to carry on in father's place, for estate settlement is near completion--to legalize proceedings, sign themselves "L. Lewis and B[ushrod C.] Washington, acting Executors for G.W.P. Custis sole surviving Ext. of the Estate of General George Washington"--print circular announcing decree of Supreme Ct. of U.S.--necessity of closing up case quickly. Name on original manuscript appears as "George W. P. Custis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked "Washington City, D.C., [23"].

Keywords
Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Estate

Letter, Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26488

Unit Date 1846 July 23

Text 67 (box)

Container 1846.07.23 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Arrived at [Audley] on Tuesday--Charles's children glad to see her--send their trunk--family and friends--his trip to New Port [for health]--Parke has bracelet plaited of Angela's hair--wants his, Charleys, and Lewis's to make suitable clasps in New York. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. L." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked "Berryville Va. Jul. 24," redirected to care of "J. Whitehead Esq. Merchants Exchange, New York," as per E.P.L.'s directions on cover, broken black seals.

Letter, Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26489

Unit Date 1846 August 2

Text 67 (box)

Container 1846.08.02 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Audley. Hopes he goes as far as Quebec for change of air and exercise--[Charles and Lewis Conrad]--Lorenzo returned from Lexington, where [G.W. Lewis] has been put in [V.M.I.]--Parke and children will arrive shortly--Charles and Lewis read to her--Brother Calvert gone to Capon Springs for health. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. L." Autograph letter initial signed, integral cover, postmarked "Berryville Va. Aug. 3," watermark.

Petition, George Washington's estate as a national property

Unit ID 2022-SC-007-007

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32642

Unit Date 1846 August 5

Text 67 (box)

Container 1846.08.05 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 Sheets1 page folded, 2 pages with text22 x 36 cm

Keywords
Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Tomb

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)
Petitions

Custodial History

George Washington Masonic National Memorial Catalog No. 1971.01.077a

Letter, Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26490
Unit Date 1846 August 8
Text 67 (box)
Container 1846.08.08 (folder)
Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852
Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Encloses letter to him--Parke and children arrived. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked "Berryville Va. Aug. 8," broken black seal.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19123
Unit Date September 1846 - March 1848
Text 68 (box)
Language English.

Letter, Harvey Lindsly to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/4996
Unit Date 1846 October 15
Text 68 (box)
Container 1846.10.15 (folder)
Language English.
Creator Lindsly, Harvey, 1804-1889

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. Washington, D.C. Informing him of the transfer of a bond to Mr. Lindsly.

Keywords

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to Mathew Harrison

Unit ID RM-968; MS-5546
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26492
Unit Date 1846 October 22
Text 68 (box)
Container 1846.10.22 (folder)
Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Asks him to inform Hammerly that the money toward his bond is due. He was supposed to make a payment weeks ago but Washington has not heard back from him. He would not be so rushed to receive payment except that he needs the money himself.

Letter, Samuel Lewis to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/4997

Unit Date 1847 January 1

Text 68 (box)

Container 1847.01.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Samuel

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Audley. Lewis writes about his slaves and their values.

Keywords

Slavery

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, Eliza A.S. Lloyd to Eleanor Love Selden Washington

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14338

Unit Date 1847 January 7

Text 68 (box)

Container 1847.01.07 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Baltimore. Personal letter. She has been sick before now and couldn't write. Updates of family, etc.

Keywords

Washington, Eleanor Love Selden, 1824-1860

Letter, George Mason to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/4998

Unit Date 1847 January 16

Text 68 (box)

Container 1847.01.16 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed with integral address panel. Mason quotes one Dr. Marne who was complaining about his lack of funds and complains about the weather. He also talks about a bill before the legislature and the locals in Fairfax ganging up on him.

Keywords

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

List of indebted individuals and amounts owed to Genl. George Washington's estate

Unit ID 2022-SC-007-011

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32650

Unit Date 1847 January 29

Text 68 (box)

Container 1847.01.29 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod Corbin, 1790-1851

Extent 1 Sheets1 page, 2 pages of text20 x 21 cm

Scope and Contents

Bushrod Corbin Washington writes to John Augustine Washington III, "a statement by which to settle with the legatees of General George Washington". Includes a list of names and heirs with "quota to pay off debts". Autograph document, 2 pages.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Estate

Lists (document genres)
Financial records
Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Custodial History

George Washington Masonic National Memorial Catalog No. 1971.01.063

Letter, Bushrod Corbin Washington to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26493

Unit Date 1847 June 21

Text 68 (box)

Container 1847.06.21 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod Corbin, 1790-1851

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Clay Mont to Georgetown. Sends check for $872.24, per decree in his favor in court, send receipt for this and $50 attorney fee sent by Mr. Greene to him [final settlement of Bush. Washington's estate, Bush. C. W-n, executor, in favor of G.C.W., adminis. of Jane M. Washington, dec.]. Name on original manuscript appears as "Bush. C. Washington." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, endorsed in G.C.W.'s hand "B.C. Washington June 21t. 1847 and T.C. Green's rect for $50 - atty fee - Legacy to Frances and Mary Washington recd. in full," postmarked "Cha. Town Va June 23," sums computed on cover, laminated.

Letter, Bushrod Washington Herbert to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2017-SC-008-019

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16499

Unit Date 1847 July 20

Text 68 (box)

Container 1847.07.20 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Herbert, Bushrod Washington, -1888

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed with integral address panel. Bushrod Herbert writes to his cousin about business and family news. The address panel contains three weeks of diary notes by John Augustine in pencil. He notes on August 27 that he went to Audley, where Lorenzo Lewis was "very ill and died after I left there." On September 2, his wife Nelly was attended to by a dentist named Dr. McCormick. On September 11, John Augustine notes that West Ford paid him "105.00 for 60 cords of wood and 8.23 for fruit and vegetables and 3.50 from Smoot for Louisa's lamb."

Keywords

Correspondence
Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861
Ford, West, approximately 1784-1863

Letter, Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26494

Unit Date 1847 August 14

Text 68 (box)

Container 1847.08.14 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Arlington to Newport, Rhode Island. Arrived from Chantilly by stage and hack--Charley

[Conrad's] poor health and instructions for nursing him--Charley's 10th birthday today--sea air and bathing will benefit him in New Port. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked "Alexandria D.C., Aug. 14," laminated.

Letter, Esther Maria Coxe Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26495

Unit Date 1847 August 17

Text 68 (box)

Container 1847.08.17 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Esther Maria Coxe, 1804-1885

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Audley to Newport, Rhode Island. Received letter telling of Charley's [Conrad] illness--Lorenzo ill with cough and pain in his head--Mrs. [E.P.] Lewis considering going up to New Port to nurse Charley--hopes Frank C[onrad], [Charles's brother] is better from sea air--Mr. [Henry] Clay to speak at New Port--Mrs. [Mary Custis] Lee here with 4 children--"Mr. and Mrs. W[ashington ?] are delighted with the portico" (?). Name on original manuscript appears as "E. M. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked "Berryville Va. Aug. 17," laminated.

Letter, Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26496

Unit Date 1847 August 22

Text 68 (box)

Container 1847.08.22 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Audley to Newport, Rhode Island. Charley's illness--use of bella donna for the disease [scarlet fever]--arrived with Sissy and Caro [Isabella and Caroline Butler] to find [Lorenzo] ill--his ailments and treatments. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. L." Autograph letter initial signed, postmarked "Berryville Va. Aug. 23," laminated.

Letter, Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26497

Unit Date 1847 August 28

Text 68 (box)

Container 1847.08.28 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. To Newport, Rhode Island. Announces Lorenzo's death--had 5 physicians--Mary [Custis] Lee his nurse and great comfort to him--"This is the 4th child I have lost by congestian."--don't leave New Port too soon, because of Charley's health. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. L." Autograph letter initial signed, integral cover, postmarked "Winchester Va. Aug. 30," laminated, watermark.

Letter, Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to Charles Conrad

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26498

Unit Date 1847 October 10

Text 68 (box)

Container 1847.10.10 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Audley to Washington, D.C. Beds and rooms prepared for their coming--urges him to leave Charley and Lewis [Conrad] with her this winter for their health--Esther to have an excellent tutor for the children--Bishop Meade in N. York procuring a tutor--stage from Winchester to Leesburg very small, agent refuses to use large one--Lewis [Conrad] injured his eyes by bad habit. Name on original manuscript appears as "E. P. Lewis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked "Berryville Va., Oct. [ ]," laminated, smeared black seal.

Letter, Bushrod Corbin Washington to Burr W. Harrison

Unit ID RM-968; MS-5541

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26499

Unit Date 1847 December 9

Text 68 (box)

Container 1847.12.09 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod Corbin, 1790-1851

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Washington copies out his wife's, Maria's, will (sister of Burr Harrison), and goes over several details of the will. His health is also declining since his wife's passing and he doesn't expect to live much longer. He plans on retaining four of his wife's slaves for the time he does have left.

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2022-SC-007-009

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32644

Unit Date 1847 December 17

Text 68 (box)

Container 1847.12.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Extent 1 Sheets1 page folded, 3 pages with text20 x 25 cm

Scope and Contents

George Washington Parke Custis writes to John Augustine Washington III with concerns about finalizing the settlement of the estate of George Washington including the sale of land near the Dismal Swamp in Nansemond County. Autograph letter signed, 2 pages, with integral address label.

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Estate

Dismal Swamp (N.C. and Va.)

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Custodial History

George Washington Masonic National Memorial Catalog No. 1971.01.064

Letter, Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2017-SC-008-002

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/12380

Unit Date 1847 December 24

Text 68 (box)

Container 1847.12.24 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents

Letter written by Jane C. Washington from Blakeley near Charlestown, West Virginia at Christmas time to her son John Augustine Washington III at Mount Vernon. Jane worries over John's recent illness with "chill fever" and reminds him "You now have an overseer, and it surely cannot be so necessary for you to go out at the dawn of day, and expose yourself to the inclemencies of weather in attending to farm business."

Jane writes "I am now quite alone, dear little John A. left me this morning; he is a happy cheerful fellow, and has been with me for some time. I have endeavoured to teach him, and think he has mad some progress both in reading and knitting, with which he is excedingly pleased declaring, he 'was never lonesome since he learned to knit,' the most monotonous and dullest of all employments."

Speaking of the enslaved persons of Blakeley plantation, Jane says "Christmas as you know always occasions considerable excitement, particularly with the poor Negroes, to whom it is a season of temporary freedom and feasting."

Keywords

Slavery

Correspondence

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2017-SC-008-008

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16513

Unit Date 1847 December 27

Text 68 (box)

Container 1847.12.27 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed with integral address panel, with note that the letter was carried by "Mr. W's servant Edmund who is returning home from Jefferson Cty."

Jane writes, "I saw no white face on Christmas day." She describes giving out provisions and supplies to the enslaved population, a few of whom assembled to hear her read in the morning and at noon. "They conducted themselves very soberly & orderly." Old Jenny thanked her for the "fine dinner." Jane also describes her Christmas with family - skating, setting traps, reading, and eating cakes and apples.

Keywords

Slavery

Correspondence

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Post office receipt and envelopes

Unit ID 2016-SC-029

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5000

Unit Date 1847-1861

Text 68 (box)

Container 1847.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Four envelopes addressed to John Augustine Washington III, three to Mount Vernon, one to Alexandria;

Four envelopes addressed to John Augustine Washington III, three to Mount Vernon, one to Alexandria, and one receipt for $2.24 postage to the Alexandria Post office.

Letter, William D. Brackenridge to A.J. Downing

Unit ID MS-5606

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26500

Unit Date 1848 January 12

Text 68 (box)

Container 1848.01.12 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Washington. Brackenridge, a horticulturist, is writing to Downing, a landscape gardener and architect, regarding a proposal before Congress to turn Mount Vernon into a park: "The one hundred and fifty-acres is purchased [for citizens of the United States], that is to be laid out as a Park, which is to contain a Botanic Garden and Arboretum..." Around this time Brackenridge was in charge of the rare plants in the national Botanical Garden at the Capitol. Downing's 1841 book, Landscape gardening, is a classic.

Letter, Eliza A. S. Lloyd to Eleanor Love Selden Washington

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/4989

Unit Date 13 January 1848

Text 68 (box)

Container 1848.01.13 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Baltimore. Personal letter with updates on family health, etc.

Keywords

Washington, Eleanor Love Selden, 1824-1860

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID MS-2070

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26501

Unit Date 1848 February 7

Text 68 (box)

Container 1848.02.07 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Mount Vernon. "I have been authorized by Mr. Custis to settle and close the unfinished business of Gen. Washington's estate." Asks questions he needs to know to complete handling of the estate.

Letter, Benjamin Rotch to Mrs. Rotch

Unit ID RM-55; MS-2126

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26502

Unit Date 1848 February 21

Text 68 (box)

Container 1848.02.21 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 6 pages. Washington. Interesting and critical commentary on life in Washington, the town of Alexandria, Va. and a description of Mt. Vernon ... few Whigs attend the "administration receptions" ... dine with Mr. [Daniel] Webster ... is going to see the East Room of Mrs. Polk ... found Alexandria "not worthy of notice" remarks on dilapidated condition of MV ... Integral cover. Wife's maiden name: Annie Bigelow Lawrence.

Senate Act, Miscellaneous No. 82 for the government's purchase of Mount Vernon

Unit ID RM-911; MS-5442

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26503

Unit Date 1848 March 10

Text 68 (box)

Container 1848.03.10 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Print Senate Act, 30th Congress, 1st Session, Miscellaneous. No. 82. "Memorial of Citizens of the United States, Praying The Purchase of Mount Vernon by the government." The "memorialists" wish the government to purchase one hundred fifty acres at Mount Vernon. They have the "most profound reverence and veneration for everything connected with the memory of the 'Saviour of America.'

Letter, Charles Francis Adams to Dr. George Parkman

Unit ID W-447

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26504

Unit Date 1848 March 17

Text 68 (box)

Container 1848.03.17 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Boston. "Among the final dispostions of my father, made by his last Will, I find the following, 'I give and bequest to my friend Dr George Parkman of Boston a seal enclosed with the image of General George Washington as a small token of the esteem and affection which i bear to him.'"

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19124

Unit Date April 1848 - December 1848

Text 69 (box)

Language English.

Receipt, John Augustine Washington III to Bushrod Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26505

Unit Date 1848 April 26

Text 69 (box)

Container 1848.04.26 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Creator Washington, Bushrod Corbin, 1790-1851

Scope and Contents

Receipt. Received $80 from B.C. Washington, who was acting for Geo. C. Washington, who in turn was trustee for Bush. Washington, Jr.--for "the proportion of the quota of Judge Bushrod Washington to be refunded to the estate of General Washington by the said George C. Washington as trustee ..." [This relates to a claim upon 22 of G.W.'s legatees or their heirs on account of a mortgage accepted by the 23rd. --upon foreclosure the mortgage had produced less than the amount of the debt, and, after prolonged litigation, General W.'s executors were held liable. They, in turn, transferred liability to the other legatees and their heirs]. Autograph document signed, fragment, docketed "1848."

Letter, James A. Pearce to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-301.152

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26506

Unit Date 1848 April 28

Text 69 (box)

Container 1848.04.28 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Senate desires to know of owner of books in G.W.'s library, what books there are and for what could they be purchased by Congress? Autograph letter signed, endorsed "From James A. Pearce in relation to the Library of Genl. Washington." Name on original manuscript appears as "J. A. Pearce."

Letter, George Corbin Washington to James A. Pearce

Unit ID A-301.151

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26507

Unit Date 1848 April 29

Text 69 (box)

Container 1848.04.29 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Quotes B.W-n's will on disposition of G.W.'s library--most valuable portion at Mt. Vernon, owned by Mrs. Jane C. Washington--comprises about 1500-2000 vols.--doesn't know Mrs. W's feelings but thinks "since she has expressed her willingness for a fair equivalent, to let Mr. Vernon with a portion of land attached, become the property of the Nation at its request, so in the same spirit of compliance with its wishes and those of Congress, she possibly might consent for a liberal consideration to have the books of Genl. Washington placed in so safe a depository as the library of congress, where they would be preserved for all time."--suggests they contact her about this--the books left to him were largely those of Judge Washington's--about 3-400 of G.W.'s books were included--he recently disposed of all these to an agent of the library of the British Museum--would have preferred American institution, but none were interested--defends his actions in so doing, since press has seen fit to [criticize] him for it. Autograph letter signed, draft, endorsed by G.C.W. "To Hon James A. Pearce in relation to the Library of Genl. Washington." Name on original manuscript appears as "G. C. Washington."

Letter, Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-301.149

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26508

Unit Date 1848 May 4

Text 69 (box)

Container 1848.05.04 (folder)

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. The portion of G.W.'s library remaining at Mt. V. is small, and they will not sell it--if necessary later, they prefer National Library--"In respect to the purchase of this place, dear cousin, by the U.S. Government. We still regard it as uncertain."--if G.C.W. and family accompany Eleanor to Bath, stop and see her at Blakeley [Jefferson Cty.] she goes there soon. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, black seal smeared (W).

Indenture, Lewis W. Washington and George Corbin Washington with William Corcoran

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2171

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26509

Unit Date 1848 June 6

Text 69 (box)

Container 1848.06.06 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

D. 3 pages. Indenture. Sale of part of a tract called Rock of Dumbarton in D.C. by the Washingtons to Corcoran ... belonged to George C. W-n's wife ... $3200 ... survey signed and sealed by the two Washingtons ...

Note of authentication, George Washington Parke Custis

Unit ID RM-327; MS-3002

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26511

Unit Date 1848 July 7

Text 69 (box)

Container 1848.07.07 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.N.S. 1 page. Note of authentication for daguerrotype likeness of two portraits of George and Martha Washington taken by John Grubb.

Letter, George Washington Bassett to John Augustine Washington

Unit ID 2022-SC-007-008

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32643

Unit Date 1848 August 5

Text 69 (box)

Container 1848.08.05 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Bassett, George Washington, 1800-1878

Extent 1 Sheets1 page folded, 4 pages with text20 x 25 cm

Scope and Contents

George Washington Bassett writes to John Augustine Washington regarding settlement of the Washington estate. References a Supreme Court decision and "Hammond's case." Autograph letter signed, 3 pages, with integral address panel, postmarked 'Richmond Aug 6'.

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Custodial History

George Washington Masonic National Memorial Catalog No. 1971.01.071

Letter, Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2017-SC-008-020

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16514

Unit Date 1848 December 14

Text 69 (box)

Container 1848.12.14 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed with integral address panel. Delivered by James Mitchum (Jim Mitchell). Jane writes that Zion Episcopal Church in Charles Town has burned down.

Keywords

Slavery

Correspondence

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Mitchell, Jim, 1795-1870

Letter, Charles Washington to unknown recipient

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26513

Unit Date 1848 December

Text 69 (box)

Container 1848.12.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Business about settlement of estate--the recent death of his grandmother, and his efforts to keep a home for her in her old age--contract with his grandfather--insists no personal interest in retaining possession of property for the present year.

Manuscripts Box 70

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19125

Unit Date January 1849 - December 1849

Text 70 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Jared Sparks to George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-301.154

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26559

Unit Date 1849 January 2

Text 70 (box)

Container 1849.01.02 (folder)

Creator Sparks, Jared, 1789-1866

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Cambridge to Georgetown. He has never seen G.W.'s missing diaries and Cash Memorandum Books returned all he had--Judge W. not home when he took papers from Mt. V., and altho Revolution papers in good order, private one and those before and after were in bad shape--noticed some diaries missing then--vol. of Orderly books missing at the time and nothing known of it by the Judge or Marshall--"I have recently been informed that one of the volumes of the "Diary," (I think for the year 1790, but am not certain) is now in possession of Mr. Bogart of New York, but how it fell into his hands I know not ... I have the impression, also, that I have heard of another volume somewhere, but I do not now recollect where it was said to be ... You know there was a rumor, that papers relating to the latter part of this period [the Presidency] were secretly taken from the office after the General's death. I once mentioned this to Judge Washington. He replied cautiously; "We have never charged any person with such an act," intimating, as I thought, that his suspicion was strong."--G.W.'s books which G.C.W. sold to Mr. Stevens have been purchased there by subscription and are deposited in library of the Boston Athenaeum. Autograph letter signed, cover, docketed "Important regarding missing Books and papers from Jared Sparks," postmarked "Cambridge Ms. Jan 2," laminated, watermarked (Lumsdon and Son 1848), red seal (crane). [A "Memorandum of Papers in 12 Boxes" is enclosed, in Sparks' hand, listing vols. of George Washington's correspondence & other documents with notation "Vol. III of orderly Books was never received. 10 vols. of Army Returns - being a part of the series of 117 vols. - were taken away by Colonel Washington"].

Letter, George Corbin Washington to Henry C. Murphy

Unit ID 2016-SC-014

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/3300

Unit Date 1849 January 6

Text 70 (box)

Container 1849.01.06 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Georgetown. Takes pleasure in answering his wish to have a book previously owned by General Washington. This note accompanies the book. Enclosed envelope also sealed with the Washington coat of arms, private seal of Washington.

Letter, George Corbin Washington to Henry C. Murphy

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2096/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26560

Unit Date 1849 February 12

Text 70 (box)

Container 1849.02.12 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Creator Murphy, Henry Cruse, 1810-1882

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 7 pages. Georgetown. Re: GW's papers ... resolution now before Congress re: papers ... Geo. Corbin owns W-n's private papers, his earliest writings ... unable to make a gratuitous offering of the papers to Congress ... in 1834 he accepted $25,000 for the public papers ...

Letter, Zachary Taylor to Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26561

Unit Date 1849 March 27

Text 70 (box)

Container 1849.03.27 (folder)

Creator Taylor, Zachary, 1784-1850

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. Washington D.C. to Berryville. Thanks for her interest in him and his family--her family always welcome at the White House--fear they will not find time to visit Audley while in Washington. Letter, signature cut out, in another hand, cover, franked by Z. Taylor, postmarked "Free [ ]," laminated, watermark (H and O). Date on original catalog card appears [18]49 Mar. 27. Name does not appear on original manuscript.

Letter, Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington to Judith B. Alexander

Unit ID RM-990; MS-5607

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26616

Unit Date 1849 March

Text 70 (box)

Container 1849.03.00 (folder)

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Creator Alexander, Judith Ball Blackburn, 1796-1866

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Mount Vernon to Caledon near Hampstead. Personal letter updating her on family health and affairs.

Letter, Zachary Taylor to Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26562

Unit Date 1849 April 12

Text 70 (box)

Container 1849.04.12 (folder)

Creator Taylor, Zachary, 1784-1850

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Washington to Audley. Assures her he would like to comply with her wishes [as regards political appointments], but he is swamped with applications, and his predecessor [Polk] filled all offices just before his term was up--will try to aid Col. Lee's son [G.W. Custis Lee?] get West Point appointment--explains system of choosing. Autograph letter signed, cover franked by Z. Taylor, postmarked "Washington DC 16 Apr," Free, red seal blurred, watermark. Name on original manuscript

appears as "Z. Taylor."

Document, Visit to Mount Vernon

Unit ID RM-628; MS-4548

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26563

Unit Date 1849 April 13

Text 70 (box)

Container 1849.04.13 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Document, 7 pages. Describes a trip to MV, by steamboat and hack from Washington. Mentions gate house lodges. Buildings and grounds in a dilapidated condition. Visited the New Tomb. Met J.A. Washington and was shown some of the first floor rooms and the key to the Bastille (misidentified as the key which confined Lafayette in the Prison at Ham.). Hopes that the gov't will purchase the estate.

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Daniel Bryan

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26564

Unit Date 1849 April 26

Text 70 (box)

Container 1849.04.26 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Arlington House to Alexandria. Regrets he has no more autographs of G.W. to give away--has given them for 40 years "andll over the civilized world," and the only letters he has left are those to his father, J. P. Custis, and some to himself when a student. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, mounted, on reverse of cover is cover addressed to Joseph B. Boyd Esq., Maysville Kentucky, postmarked Alexandria Va. Apr. 28; (probably forwarded to him by Bryan). Name on original manuscript appears as "George W. P. Custis."

Receipt, John Augustine Washington III to J. C. Sellman

Unit ID 2017-SC-008-017

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16502

Unit Date 1849 May 21

Text 70 (box)

Container 1849.05.21 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

Receipt from John Augustine Washington III for 11 dollars to be handed to J. C. Sellman of Baltimore to be handed to the widow of a fisherman named Joseph Hall found drowned near the bank of the river at Mount Vernon.

Keywords

Receipts (financial records)

Financial records

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to Burr W. Harrison

Unit ID RM-1090; MS-5757

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26565

Unit Date 1849 June 12

Text 70 (box)

Container 1849.06.12 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Washington corresponds to his attorney, B.W. Harrision, about his wife's father's estate.

Autograph, Zachary Taylor

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26566

Unit Date 1849 July 2

Text 70 (box)

Container 1849.07.02 (folder)

Creator Taylor, Zachary, 1784-1850

Scope and Contents

Autograph - Zachary Taylor. 5 small slips of paper signed "Z. Taylor," and 3 "E.P. Lewis" in Taylor's hand. One is endorsed "Written by Genl. Taylor in his office at the White House May 1849," all enclosed in a cover marked "Taylor's autographs' and "Keep with letter". [Probably goes with letter of Taylor to E.P. Lewis, dated July 2, 1849].

Letter, Zachary Taylor to Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26567

Unit Date 1840 July 2

Text 70 (box)

Container 1849.07.02 (folder)

Creator Taylor, Zachary, 1784-1850

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Washington to Georgetown. Received her letters by her grandson, Edward Butler--congrat. on daughter [Parke's] "eminent" arrival--will be glad to receive her and family on Tuesday, their day for receiving company--forwards some autographs, as requested. Autograph letter signed, cover, franked by Z. Taylor, postmarked "Free [ ], watermarked. Name on original manuscript appears as "Z. Taylor."

Letter, Edward Stabler to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID RM-410; MS-3314

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26568

Unit Date 1849 August 6

Text 70 (box)

Container 1849.08.06 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 6 pages. Sandy Spring to Alexandria. Stabler gives Washington advice on crops, soils, fertilizers and other agrarian areas of interest.

Letter, P. H. Hooff to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/4995

Unit Date 1849 August 13

Text 70 (box)

Container 1849.08.13 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Hooff, P. H.

Scope and Contents

Hooff congratulates Washington on buying a farm, Cloveread, for five hundred dollars.

Keywords

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, John Marbury to Dear Sir

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2116

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26569

Unit Date 1849 September 10

Text 70 (box)

Container 1849.09.10 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Georgetown. Mrs. Corcoran wishes to buy a lot in Georgetown formerly owned by the addressee's grandfather ... it is supposed that the addressee is the proper heir and the one to sell the property ...

Letter, Henry Augustine Washington to Lawrence Washington

Unit ID 2019-SC-002

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17770

Unit Date 1849 September 20

Text 70 (box)

Container 1849.09.20 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, H. A. (Henry Augustine), 1820-1858

Extent 4 pages

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Henry Augustine writes to his father about legal and financial matters. Henry Augustine Washington (1820-1858) and Lawrence Washington (1791-1875) were distant relatives of George Washington. Both paternal family lines trace back to John Washington (1632-1677).

Keywords
Correspondence

Letter, Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis to George Washington Parke Custis

Unit ID RM-185; MS-2571

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26570

Unit Date 1849 December 3

Text 70 (box)

Container 1849.12.03 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Audley. A short commentary on the weather and season. She then records for her brother a short but graphic description of Houdon's visit to Mt. Vernon and his making GW's Bust. "I wish I could give you all the information you desire in regard to Houdon's visit to Mt. Vernon. I was only six years old at that time, and perhaps have not retained any recollection of Houdon and his visit had I not seen the General as I supposed, dead, and laid out on a large table coverd with a sheet. I was passing the white servants Hall and saw as I thought the corpse of one considered my Father, I went in, and found the General extended on his back on a large table, a sheet over him, except his face, on which Houdon was engaged in putting on plaster to form the cast. Quills were in the nostrills. I was very much alarmed until I was told that it was a bust, a likeness of the General, and would not injure him. This is all I recollect."

Letter, George Fayette Washington to Charles Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26571

Unit Date 1849 December 4

Text 70 (box)

Container 1849.12.04 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Fayette, 1790-1867

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Greenwood to Alexandria. Writes his brother family news--bad weather--killed some of C.A.W.'s sheep for fear of their starvation--feared to lose them all--Aunt [Frances] [?] is said by some to be going to marry Bushrod [Corbin ?] Washington. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked by hand "Brucetown Va Decb. 6th,." Name on original manuscript appears as "G. F. Washington, Jr."

Keywords

Correspondence

Domestic animals

Letter, Zachary Taylor to Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26572

Unit Date 1849

Text 70 (box)

Container 1849.00.00 (folder)

Creator Taylor, Zachary, 1784-1850

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Baton Rouge. SummaryAlthough he has never met her, he has long admired her character and virtues as reported by various individuals--knows Col. and Mrs. Butler [E.G.W. Butler and Frances Parke Lewis Butler] very well--they are visiting him now and are in good health--hears that "notwithstanding you had readhed an age that but few attain, you enjoyed and was blessed with unusual good health ..."

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19126

Unit Date January 1850 - June 1851

Text 71 (box)

Language English.

Letter, George Corbin Washington to Lewis William Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2185

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26573

Unit Date 1850 February 13

Text 71 (box)

Container 1850.02.13 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Georgetown. Mary Peter to give him a general power of attorney ... authorizes him to sell a slave and his family if possible and to collect debts due her ... family business ... political matters discussed ... Name on original manuscript appears as "G. Washington."

Letter, Richard T. Brown to Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26574

Unit Date 1850 March 1

Text 71 (box)

Container 1850.03.01 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Middleway to Berryville. Sends poem that he promised [on Z. Taylor]--if she likes it, send [Taylor] a copy. [Poem is enclosed, entitled "The Crisis, To Gen: Zachary Taylor, President of the United

States"]. Autograph letter signed, cover with later docket "Poem to Taylor and letter, 1850," laminated.

Keywords
Taylor, Zachary, 1784-1850

Note, George Peter to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID A-671

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26617

Unit Date 1850 March 14

Text 71 (box)

Container 1850.03.14 (folder)

Creator Peter, George, 1779-1861

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents
A.N.S. 1 page. Note for the bank to pay Mr. Washington the sum of $754.40 as the executor of General Washington's will and against the estate of Mrs. Peter.

Note, George Corbin Washington to A. Scott

Unit ID RM-686; MS-4664

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26575

Unit Date 1850 April 11

Text 71 (box)

Container 1850.04.11 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents
A.N.S. 1 page. To Mr. A. Scott, the Cedars. Acceptance of a dinner invitation. Autograph note signed, with envelope.

Power of attorney, Mary Peter to Lewis William Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2173

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26576

Unit Date 1850 April 18

Text 71 (box)

Container 1850.04.18 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Scope and Contents
A.D.S. 1 page. Appoints him her general attorney to attend to all her business affairs ... confirms any action he has taken already ...

Letter, Massy Frame to Charles A. Washington

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26577

Unit Date 1850 July 28

Text 71 (box)

Container 1850.07.28 (folder)

Scope and Contents
A.L.S. 3 pages. Scolds him for not writing--is afraid he is ill--advises him to take a wife, so he won't be so lonely at Welllington. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated.

Membership certificate, Mr. Butler in the Washington National Monument Society

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5588

Unit Date 1850 August

Text 71 (box)

Container 1850.08.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Printed membership certificate for C.L.W. Butler for the donation of five dollars to the Washington National Monument Society.

Membership certificate, Mrs. Albert Goodyear in the Washington National Monument Society

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26618

Unit Date 1850 August

Text 71 (box)

Container 1850.08.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Printed certificate filled in for Mrs. Albert Goodyear for her donation of a dollar to the Washington National Monument Society.

Letter, W.W. Bliss to Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26581

Unit Date 1850 August 16

Text 71 (box)

Container 1850.08.16 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Baltimore to Audley. Upon examining Genl. [Zachary] Taylor's papers, came across letter to her without an address--encloses it to her--Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Bliss overcome by their bereavement [Taylor's death] [Bliss was Taylor's son-in-law]. Autograph letter signed, cover, postmarked "Baltimore Md. [ ] 17," stamped with early 5 cent stamp, watermark.

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-968; MS-5544

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26582

Unit Date 1850

Text 71 (box)

Container 1850.00.00 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

John A. Washington 1st statement of transfer of bonds by Mrs. Henderson to G. A. Washington.

Letter, George Corbin Washington to Judge Baldwin

Unit ID RM-398; MS-2532

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26586

Unit Date 1851 February 10

Text 71 (box)

Container 1851.02.10 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Encloses a letter by George Washington in compliance with a promise he gave.

Letter, Henry T. Harrison to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/4994

Unit Date 1851 March 29

Text 71 (box)

Container 1851.03.29 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Harrison, Henry Tazewell, 1796-1881

Scope and Contents

Harrison writes about the possible sale of Mount Vernon to the United States, "I wish you may succeed in making an even track with the government- Mt. Vernon ought to belong to the nation, in these disunion times- I think it wd. Have a wholesome influence - everything shd be done to perpetuate the memory of that great and good man GEORGE WASHINGTON..."

Keywords

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, Elizabeth Bordley Gibson to Mary Plumstead

Unit ID M-1135

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26587

Unit Date 1851 April 11

Text 71 (box)

Container 1851.04.11 (folder)

Creator Gibson, Elizabeth Bordley, 1777-1863

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Sends a profile of Washington.

Letter, Jared Sparks to Alexander Vattemare

Unit ID RM-907; MS-5410

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26588

Unit Date 1851 April 29

Text 71 (box)

Container 1851.04.29 (folder)

Creator Sparks, Jared, 1789-1866

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Expresses thanks for the books sent. Asks a favor in regards to Mr. Felton.

Bill, of Aaron Leggett

Unit ID RM-877 ; MS-5353

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/31823

Unit Date 1851 June 18

Text 71 (box)

Container 1851.06.18 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 pages20 x 12 cm

Scope and Contents

Bill for twelve hundred and fifty dollars. Autograph bill signed, Washington.

Keywords

Receipts (financial records)

Leggett, Aaron, 1792-1860

Letter, T.L. Forrest to the Editors of the Chicago Journal

Unit ID RM-245; MS-2729

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26589

Unit Date 1851 June 27

Text 71 (box)

Container 1851.06.27 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 12 pages. Description of an Early Visit to Mount. Vernon, with a group of Washingtonians including the 94 year old Mrs. Alexander Hamilton. Lengthy description of life in the Federal City and impressions of important political figures: Pres. Fillmore, Daniel Webster.

Manuscripts Box 72

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19127

Unit Date July 1851 - August 1852

Text 72 (box)

Language English.

Letter, W. B. Whitehead to John Augustine Washington

Unit ID 2022-SC-007-019

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32663

Unit Date 1851 July 9

Text 72 (box)

Container 1851.07.09 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 Sheets1 page, 2 pages with text22 x 27 cm

Scope and Contents

W.B. Whitehead write from Suffolk to John Augustine Washington at Mount Vernon concerning Gen. Washington's estate and a past debt. Autograph letter signed, 1 page, integral address with a Suffolk postmark.

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

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Letter, Thomas Maddox to Lewis William Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2198

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26609

Unit Date 1851 September 3

Text 72 (box)

Container 1851.09.03 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlee. Conveys appreciation of a Washington County agricultural group for use of Mr. W-n's dynamometer at a recent ploughing match ... discusses plows, agriculture, etc ... Autograph letter signed, integral cover.

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to Mathew Harrison

Unit ID RM-968; MS-5547

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26610

Unit Date 1851 October 27

Text 72 (box)

Container 1851.10.27 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. "I rec. yours of Oct 22nd, and as you request I send you a statement of the acct. between Hammerly and myself."

Letter, James M. Brown to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2017-SC-008-011

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16510

Unit Date 1851 November 5

Text 72 (box)

Container 1851.11.05 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Brown, James M.

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed. Brown writes about selling some of John Augustine's lands. On the back of the letter, he asks if the remains of George Washington's old coffin still in the old vault at Mount Vernon. If so, Brown, writes, he can identify the pieces and place them at the National Institute for "more perfect preservation."

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Old Tomb

Correspondence

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Receipt and envelopes, John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2016-SC-029

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26801

Unit Date 1851

Text 72 (box)

Container 1851.00.00 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

One receipt from the Alexandria Post Office for postage, $2.24. Four envelopes addressed to John Augustine Washington III.

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to O.B. Wilcox

Unit ID RM-676; MS-4622

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26611

Unit Date 1852 March 7

Text 72 (box)

Container 1852.03.07 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon to Fort Washington. Concerning the expected delivery of a "box of Game and Fish." Autograph letter signed, integral cover.

Letter, William Wilson Corcoran to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/4993

Unit Date 1852 March 10

Text 72 (box)

Container 1852.03.10 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Corcoran, W.W. (William Wilson), 1798-1888

Scope and Contents

Although he cannot visit Mount Vernon when he is in Washington DC, Corcoran asked to see John Augustine Washington in Washington "and talk about the matter in a much more satisfactory manner than it could be conducted in a correspondence..."

Keywords

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, Edward Randolph to Mary Randolph

Unit ID RM-803; MS-5218

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26612

Unit Date 1852 April 7

Text 72 (box)

Container 1852.04.07 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Washington to Philadelphia. Randolph, a Quaker, writes his mother that he visited Mount Vernon "and was much disappointed to find the natural beauties of the place such that all the neglect of owners and trespassing of strangers for half a century have only been able to impair but not ... destroy them." Comments on huts of negros. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmark.

Letter, Elizabeth A. L. Selden to Eleanor Love Selden Washington

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14339

Unit Date 1852 July 16

Text 72 (box)

Container 1852.07.16 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Personal, family letter. Sorry her letter to her at Mount Vernon will be missed since she left to go "over the Ridge" early.

Keywords

Washington, Eleanor Love Selden, 1824-1860

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Lewis William Washington

Unit ID A-301.171

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26613

Unit Date 1852 August 4

Text 72 (box)

Container 1852.08.04 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Arlington House to Bellair. Information on portraits of G.W.'s family--"It is certain there is no portrait extinct of Augustine, the Father of the Chief, nor does there exist one of his illustrious mother, such is the result of my researches and enquiries of more than half a century - John was the favorite Brother, a magnificent man and most resembling the Chief of all the brothers. Mrs. Lewis the only Sister, whom I very well remember, was the most majestic and imposing looking female I ever beheld, and was dearly beloved by the Great Man. - There is a good portrait of her. Samuel was tall, but not so stout, while Charles was a very large man without anything remarkable about him,"--cannot help him further in obtaining information on portraits of the family, but suggests asking in Stafford,

Westmoreland and Northumberland--the absurdity of the belief that G.W. was born in England. Name on original manuscript appears as "George W. P. Custis." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, torn, postmarked "Alexandria Va. Aug. 7," with a 3 cent stamp, bearing George Washington's picture, laminated.

Reminiscences of Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis by Elizabeth Bordley Gibson

Unit ID RM-812; MS-5234

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26614

Unit Date 1852 August

Text 72 (box)

Container 1852.08.00 (folder)

Creator Gibson, Elizabeth Bordley, 1777-1863

Scope and Contents

A.D. 5 pages. A friend of Nelly Custis Lewis for 58 years, Gibson writes a draft of her memories of Lewis and her relationship with the Washingtons. Martha Washington, her grandmother, implanted "in her mind pure and sound principles" for Nelly's life. Comments on Nelly's beauty, charms, the strength she rec'd from religion and political persuasion. Autograph manuscript, draft.

Keywords

Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19128

Unit Date September 1852 - December 1854

Text 73 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Henry T. Harrison to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2017-SC-010-003

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14337

Unit Date 1852 September 15

Text 73 (box)

Container 1852.09.15 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Harrison, Henry Tazewell, 1796-1881

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. "Dear Augustine, I send you the above check for $100 which I recd. Of Davis - you will please give Hamerly cr. For the same - Yrs. Truly, H.T. Harrison."

Keywords

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Cover for letters, Esther Maria Lewis to Charles Conrad and Lawrence Lewis Conrad

Unit ID MSS-700

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26615

Unit Date 1852 September 21

Text 73 (box)

Container 1852.09.21 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Esther Maria Coxe, 1804-1885

Creator Conrad, Charles Magill, 1804-1878

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. "For C.A. Conrad and L. Lewis Conrad - Letters from their Grandmother Lewis' Father (their Great Grandfather John Parke Custis) to Genl Washington." Autograph document, docketed "E.M. Lewis Sepr. 21st 1852."

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Benson Lossing

Unit ID A-430

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26621

Unit Date 1852 December 30

Text 73 (box)

Container 1852.12.30 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Creator Lossing, Benson John, 1813-1891

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Arlington House to New York. Congratulations on the completion of his work, and predicts a 2nd edition for it soon -- approves his prospectus of a field book of the Second War of Independence -- has just completed his four Revolutionary Battles and is working on his Magnus opus, Surrender of Yorktown painting -- describes it -- has a new studio fitted up in So. wing, where Mr. Stearns made copy of originals of Col. and Mrs. Washington -- Barnum's new pictorial magazine to rival Harper's--wants pictures in collection [at Arlington] preserved by engravings in his lifetime--would like Harper's to commission Lossing to do this--mentions "Washington in 1772 Mrs. W. in 1759, Mr. Custis by ... Pine in 1785 ... the magnificent picture of Col. Parke by Sir Godfrey Kneller etc etc."--will send him paper on "Levies and Drawing Rooms of the First President." Autograph letter signed, integral cover, postmarked "Alexandria Va., Dec. 30," early 3 cent stamp with George Washington's portrait, laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "George W. P. Custis."

Letter, possibly George Corbin Washington, declining nomination as Vice President

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2066

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26622

Unit Date 1852

Text 73 (box)

Container 1852.00.00 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L. 4 pages. Draft, Recipient of nomination declines as he intends to support Gen. Winfield Scott and the Whigs ... nomination made by the American National Convention (Know-Nothing Party)... Date on original catalog card appears [1852]. It has been suggested that the nominee was George Corbin Washington, a member of Congress from MD.

Letter, Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2018-SC-003

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14669

Unit Date 1853 January 30

Text 73 (box)

Container 1853.01.30 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed. Jane writes to her son about Clark Mills's proposed statue of Washington, "which out government has at this late but fortunate time, determined on having." She also asks her granddaughter Louisa to write about her acquaintance with Washington Irving.

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Irving, Washington, 1783-1859

Mills, Clark, 1810-1883

Certification of Benson Lossing's work, George Washington Parke Custis

Unit ID A-430

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26623

Unit Date 1853 March 24

Text 73 (box)

Container 1853.03.24 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Certifies that Lossing has been engaged for several days in making drawings of the Washington Treasures at Arlington House and has made "spirited and faithful sketches" of these and other superior works of art there. Autograph document signed, fragment.

Keywords

Lossing, Benson John, 1813-1891

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Benson Lossing

Unit ID RM-398; MS-2533

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26624

Unit Date 1853 April 9

Text 73 (box)

Container 1853.04.09 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Creator Lossing, Benson John, 1813-1891

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. GWPC discusses Lossings proposed article on Mount Vernon for Harper's magazine.

Letter, Emanuel Leutze to Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington

Unit ID RM-945; MS-5496

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26625

Unit Date 1853 April 17

Text 73 (box)

Container 1853.04.17 (folder)

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Dusseldorf on the Rhine. Sends a bottle of cologne as an expression of thanks for receiving "a stranger" as a guest at Mount Vernon.

Letter, Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2017-SC-008-001

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/12586

Unit Date 1853 July 8

Text 73 (box)

Container 1853.07.08 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents

Letter from Jane C. Washington to her son that she learned of the conditional sale of Mount Vernon to a company from the newspapers. She expresses her hope that, if the estate cannot stay in the family, that it may become "the honored and cherished property of the United States Government." At the end of the letter, Jane adds that she is "Earnestly praying my beloved son that you may in all things and at all times, be guided by Divine Wisdom." Jane and her son Richard plan to visit John Augustine in a few days. They will take the Canal Boat at Harpers Ferry to Georgetown, and then proceed to Alexandria where they will spend the night. She looks forward to enjoying the scenery along the Potomac. Jane also mentions that Washington Irving is still at John Pendleton Kennedy's place and relates news some of Irving's travels. Irving had visited Mount Vernon in early 1853. Jane was pleased to see Irving join in

her church's communion service last Sunday.

Keywords
Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)
Correspondence
Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861
Irving, Washington, 1783-1859

Survey by E. Johnston for John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID RM-655; MS-4587

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26626

Unit Date 1853 July 12

Text 73 (box)

Container 1853.07.12 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents
A.D.S. 1 page and survey drawing. Survey of 200 acres at Mount Vernon (land eventually sold to the MVLA) showing public road and wharf and delineating a 1/2 acre square around the tomb.

Custodial History
Note on folder says this document was on display for 20 years in a display case in the Ann Pamela Cunningham building.

Letter, Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2018-SC-023

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/15885

Unit Date 1854 January 20

Text 73 (box)

Container 1854.01.20 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents
Autograph letter signed with envelope. Jane congratulates John Augustine and his wife Nelly on the birth of their son Lawrence Washington. She also writes about the murder of her relative, Thomas Blackburn. Blackburn was fatally stabbed by another student while a cadet at VMI in Lexington.

Keywords
Correspondence
Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861
Washington, Eleanor Love Selden, 1824-1860
Washington, Lawrence Augustine, 1774-1824
Washington, Lawrence Augustine, 1774-1824

Letter, William W. Osborn and Charles E. Gildersleve to unknown recipient

Unit ID RM-963; MS-5525

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26627

Unit Date 1854 February 1

Text 73 (box)

Container 1854.02.01 (folder)

Scope and Contents
Printed letter, 1 page. Invitation, probably to John Augustine Washington III to participate in the Washington birthday commemorations held by the New York Order of United Americans. W.W. Osborn, Chairman, and Charles E. Gildersleve, secretary.

Letter, Benson Lossing to George Washington Parke Custis

Unit ID R-229; MS-1015

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26628

Unit Date 1854 April 4

Text 73 (box)

Container 1854.04.04 (folder)

Creator Lossing, Benson John, 1813-1891

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 6 pages. Hasn't heard from GWPC in long time--thanks Custis for offering the "Alpha and Omega" flags to the gov't--mentions having seen a "professed original painting" of GWashington at office of the "Albion" supposedly done by Sharples--eyes are a deep hazel instead of "Being the clear blue of the chief"--thinks mistake could have been made in copying--relates incident of Benj. Winthrop saving a portrait of Frederick the Great from destruction at the home of Mr. Monroe (President's son)--exhibition at National Academy of Design features two pictures of George Washington by Stearns--one in his retirement at Mount Vernon and One Death Bed Scene.

Letter, Thomas Blackburn Washington to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/4999

Unit Date 1854 April 21

Text 73 (box)

Container 1854.04.21 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Thomas Blackburn, 1812-1854

Scope and Contents

Thomas sends a letter of Jared Sparks (not present), and mentions "My father being the surviving executor of Judge Washington, at his death all executional power over that estate ceased, and for the purpose of setting up the estate it will be necessary for an administrator, with the will annexed to be appointed in your county. He also mentions that John Augustine's son is the first male to be born at Mt. Vernon "... to any of the proprietors bearing the name of the first Washington who owned the place... and you intend calling him Lawrence... the most appropriate name..."

Keywords

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Sparks, Jared, 1789-1866

Letter, William Robinson to Lewis William Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2068

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26629

Unit Date 1854 June 20

Text 73 (box)

Container 1854.06.20 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Georgetown. Gives the pedigree of one Peter Grayson Washington whose father was the nephew of "old Lund Washington of Hayfield" ... Peter W-n is supposed to have a gold-headed cane with Washington's coat of arms ...

Letter, Rebecca Scott to "My Dear Uncle"

Unit ID RM-686; MS-4665

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26630

Unit Date 1854 July 19

Text 73 (box)

Container 1854.07.19 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Georgetown. Recounting the funeral of George Corbin Washington

A.L.S. 2 pages. Georgetown. Recounting the funeral of George Corbin Washington.

Keywords
Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Mr. Callan

Unit ID R-328; MS-1151

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26631

Unit Date 1854 August 12

Text 73 (box)

Container 1854.08.12 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Arlington House. Will send his large painting of the Surrender of Yorktown to the City Hall to hang.

Letter, Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2017-SC-008-005

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/12379

Unit Date 1854 December 26

Text 73 (box)

Container 1854.12.26 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents

Letter written by Jane C. Washington from Blakely near Charlestown, West Virginia a few months before her death to her son John Augustine Washington III. Jane tells John she was "much interested and amused at your correspondence with the Richmond and Manchester Ladies. They no doubt are inspired by sincere and noble feelings of admiration and gratitude to the truly great and good Father of his Country, called forth and appointed by providence as such. His memory will be best preserved and handed down to posterity by the Constitution which he labored to build up and which I devoutly pray may ever be sustained by successive generations. Let dear old Mount Vernon continue forever, if it pleases an all wise providence, in the Washington family and name." Jane adds "I am not very well and fear I am becoming a confirmed Dispeptic, looking as yellow and shrivled as an old cucumber."

Keywords
Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)
Correspondence
Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Meeting minutes, Visitors of the Potomac Pavilion

Unit ID MS-2206

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26799

Unit Date ca. 1854

Text 73 (box)

Container 1854.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 4 pages. Minutes from the meeting of the "visitors of the Potomac Pavilion."

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19129

Unit Date January 1855 - March 1857

Text 74 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Unknown author to "my dear Steinberger"

Unit ID A-543.57

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26638

Unit Date 1855 January

Text 74 (box)

Container 1855.01.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Philadelphia. My dear Steinberger, my kinsman our friend John Alexander is about to visit the Pacific as flag Lieutenant of Admiral Bruce the newly appointed commander of the fleet. As is the fortune of war it may happen that he shall be in your neighborhood. I have thought it best to give him this introduction to you. Note on another page reads "Genl. Washington Five letters receved back from my friend Dr. A.L. Elwyn after publication in Minutes, Phila. (?) Jany. 4, 1854."

Will, George Washington Parke Custis

Unit ID A-671

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26639

Unit Date 1855 March 26

Text 74 (box)

Container 1855.03.26 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 4 pages. Will of George Washington Parke Custis. Bequeaths to daughter Mary Anna Randolph Lee use of his Arlington House estate and other lands, furniture, plate, etc. during her lifetime--on her death, to eldest grandson, George Washington Custis Lee--$10,000 to each of granddaughters--to W.H.F. Lee, White House estate--to R.E. Lee [Jr.] plantation in King William--other lands to be sold to pay legacies to granddaughters--lot in Washington to Col. Lee--family plate to be divided among grandchildren, "but the Mt. Vernon Plate altogether, and every Article I posses relating to Washington, that came from Mt. Vernon, is to remain with my Daughter at Arlington House during said Daughter's life, and at her death, to go to my eldest grandson, George Washington Custis Lee and to descend from him entire and unchanged to my latest posterity."--emancipation of his slaves "in such manner as to my Executors may seem most expedient and proper." Appoints as executors Robert Edward Lee, Robert Lee Randolph of Eastern View, Rt. Rev. Bish. Meade, and George Washington Peter. Document, in hand of [Mary Custis Lee ?,] docketed "The Last will and Testament of George W. P. Custis Made and Executed the 26th March 1855," and endorsed "Arlington 5 Dec. 1857, A true copy from the original in my possesion. [signed] R.E. Lee, Col. U.S.A."

Keywords

Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Letter, Jane Charlotte Blackburn Washington to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2017-SC-008-012

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16508

Unit Date 1855 April 9

Text 74 (box)

Container 1855.04.09 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed "Jean C. Washington." Jane writes to her son that an enslaved man named George has died. "He was very much reduced, not being able for some time to retian any nourishment. He was delirious, but never violent or ungovernable: fancying he saw lovely angel children near him - and when I read to him, was calm, and apparently pleased, tho' he seldom spoke." She adds, "I shall miss him very much, he was a faithful and affectionate servant - and in traveling watchful and attentive to my comfort." She had intended to send for Reverend Charles E. Ambler of Zion Episcopal Church in Charles Town for George's funeral, but "Mary Jane preferred 'Solomon,'" a Baptist preacher.

Keywords

Enslaved persons -- Diseases

Correspondence

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Edmund Law Rogers

Unit ID RM-183; MS-2254

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26640

Unit Date 1855 April 10

Text 74 (box)

Container 1855.04.10 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Creator Rogers, Edmund Law

Scope and Contents

Recommends that Rogers try to get his play performed on the New York Stage. He asks Rogers help. Custis feelds that it will be a successful drama. He reports that his health is as it was and his spirits are very much depressed.

Letter, John S. Wright to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2017-SC-008-016

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16503

Unit Date 1855 September 23

Text 74 (box)

Container 1855.09.23 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Wright, John S. (John Stephen), 1815-1874

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed by prominent Chicago machinery producer J. S. Wright. He writes to John Augustine with condolences on the death of his mother, Jane C. Washington. He writes that his mother and John Augustine's were alike: "Both were eminently kind. Religion made both cheerful, animated, companionable... we have known & tried a Mother's love."

Keywords

Condolence notes

Correspondence

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Letter, Benson Lossing to George Washington Parke Custis

Unit ID RM-326; MS-3001

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26642

Unit Date 1855 November 1

Text 74 (box)

Container 1855.11.01 (folder)

Creator Lossing, Benson John, 1813-1891

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Discusses Custis' comments on paintings by Wertmüller and Luetze. Mentions Lossing's desire to annotate and illustrate GWPC's Recollections.

Letter, Henry Wise to Lewis William Washington

Unit ID A-750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26643

Unit Date 1855 December 2

Text 74 (box)

Container 1855.12.02 (folder)

Creator Wise, Henry A. (Henry Alexander), 1806-1876

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Near Onancock. Received L.W.W.'s letter offering birth place and burial ground of "the

A.L.S. 1 page. Near Onancock. Received L.W.W.'s letter offering birth place and burial ground of "the Father's Family" to [Va.] on condition "that it shall be kept sacred."--asks him to say so to the legislature after inauguration--'If the Legislature won't, I will take the responsibility." Autograph letter signed, docketed.Name on original manuscript appears as "Henry A. Wise."

Letter, Edward Everett to George Livermore

Unit ID RM-701; MS-4749

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26644

Unit Date 1856 January 22

Text 74 (box)

Container 1856.01.22 (folder)

Creator Everett, Edward, 1794-1865

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Concerns Everett's research on George Washington's library.

Letter, Lewis William Washington to Henry Wise

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2071

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26646

Unit Date 1856 February 8

Text 74 (box)

Container 1856.02.08 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Creator Wise, Henry A. (Henry Alexander), 1806-1876

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Richmond. Now that Wakefield is to be cared for by Va., he proposes that the family burial plot and the spot on which stood the house in which GW was born he presented to Va. ... these had formerly been reserved by the family when the land was sold by George Corbin W-n to John Gray ...

Printed invitation with envelope, George Washington birthday celebration

Unit ID RM-715; MS-4898

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26647

Unit Date 1856 February 22

Text 74 (box)

Container 1856.02.22 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Printed invitation with envelope. "First Annual Washington Festival of Henry Clay Chapter ... at the National Hotel, Detroit ... to join in celebrating the Birthday of the immortal Washington." Name does not appear on original manuscript.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Jonathan Varden

Unit ID W-402

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26648

Unit Date 1856 March 10

Text 74 (box)

Container 1856.03.10 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Custis writes about the model of the Bastille and its history in the Washington family.

Print certificate, authentic wood from Mount Vernon

Unit ID RM-281; MS-2818

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26650

Unit Date 1856 November 12

Text 74 (box)

Container 1856.11.12 (folder)

Creator Crutchett, James, 1816-

Scope and Contents

Printed Certificate, certified by John A. Washington and witnessed by W. B. Magruder, Mayor of Washington, stating that the series of Lithographs advertised, are framed with wood cut from trees grown at Mount Vernon. It is also certified that Mr. James Crutchett is exclusive agent for this timber.

Print advertisement, Mount Vernon Gem

Unit ID RM-964; MS-5526

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26651

Unit Date 1856 November 12

Text 74 (box)

Container 1856.11.12 (folder)

Creator Crutchett, James, 1816-

Scope and Contents

Small printed broadside by H. Barnes of Boston, Ma. Engraving of MV and GW, engraved by American BANK Note Co. with certification by John A. Washington, III that James Crutchett has all rights to Mount Vernon Timber.

Letter, Jared Sparks to Louisa Lear Eyre

Unit ID 2017-SC-005

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/6711

Unit Date 1856 December 31

Text 74 (box)

Container 1856.12.31 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Sparks, Jared, 1789-1866

Creator Eyre, Louisa Lincoln Lear, 1831-1912

Scope and Contents

Sparks reports that he shipped Eyre's Washington Letters explaining that he obtained the copies of the letters from her father. He claims to have never seen the originals and mentions that a service called "Adam's Express" was hired to ship the package.

Copy of will, Frances Dandridge Henley Lear

Unit ID RM-865; MS-5324

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26652

Unit Date 1856

Text 74 (box)

Container 1856.00.00 (folder)

Creator Lear, Frances Dandridge Henley, 1779-1856

Extent Whole, but broken/torn into fragments at the folds.

Scope and Contents

Copy of will, Mrs. Frances Dandridge Henley Lear, third wife of Tobias Lear, of the city of Washington. Devisees include Louisa Lincoln Lear, Elizabeth and Fanny Lear Hawley. The forman to receive a miniature of George Washington with hair enclosed presented to Tobias Lear by Martha Washington. Jewelry, silver, books, furniture.

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to William Winston

Unit ID A-330

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/21694

Unit Date 1857 January 28

Text 74 (box)

Container 1857.01.28 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Description

Letter to his new steward about affairs on his estates -- poor condition of his negroes -- has had many complaints about their treatment -- "to get the negroes comfortably housed, & provided with clothes and blankets will be the first of acts of your administration" -- he knows nothing of what goes on on his estate -- settlement with Rail Road -- they have only the right away through the White House on the Pamunkey plantation, anything else must be paid for. Autograph letter signed, laminated.

Keywords

Enslaved persons

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Farm management

Letter, George Munford to Lewis William Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2174

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26655

Unit Date 1857 February 12

Text 74 (box)

Container 1857.02.12 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Washington has been appointed an aide on the Governor's staff ... encloses copy of a ltr. from George Washington to Col. John Cropper ... [Writings show several ltrs. from GW to Cropper].

Appointment, Lewis William Washington as Governor's aide-de-camp

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2216

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26656

Unit Date 1857 March 24

Text 74 (box)

Container 1857.03.24 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Adjutant General's office, Richmond. Appointed aide-de-camp with brevet rank of Col. of Cavalry ... signed by Wm. H. Richardson ...

Manuscripts Box 75

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19130

Unit Date April 1857 - August 1858

Text 75 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Jeannie Lloyd to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID RM-528; MS-4435

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26658

Unit Date 1857 April 17

Text 75 (box)

Container 1857.04.17 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Alexandria. Writes for Eleanor Love Washington who is still weak but recovering well. Hopes she will be able to return to Mount Vernon in a few days. Date on original catalog card appears [1857] April 17.

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to J. Pickett

Unit ID RM-60; MS-2130

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26659

Unit Date 1857 April 17

Text 75 (box)

Container 1857.04.17 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Arlington House. Receives large amt. of correspondence re: G Washington ... "cutting up fragments from old letters and accounts some of 1760, or nearly an hundred years ago, to supply the call for Anything ... of his venerated hands" ... encloses a 1772 account with GW autograph as a relic for the Tri Mont Society] ... Name on original manuscript appears as "George W. P. Custis."

Letter, George Fayette Washington to Cassius Lee

Unit ID MSS-251/a-b

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26660

Unit Date 1857 June 10

Text 75 (box)

Container 1857.06.10 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Fayette, 1790-1867

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Waverly. Sends letter of Mrs. M.W. as "a fit accompaniment-to one of G.W.'s sent earlier--her virtues. Autograph letter signed, separate cover, "Mrs. R. E. Lee", scribbled across cover. (A Note by Varina Jefferson Davis (undated) is filed with this statement of Authenticity).

Letter, Rembrandt Peale to G.P. Putnam

Unit ID 2022-SC-003

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/29874

Unit Date 1857 June 20

Text 75 (box)

Container 1857.06.20 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Peale, Rembrandt, 1778-1860

Extent 1 Sheets2 pages25 x 20 cm

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter, signed. Rembrandt Peale, known for his 'porthole portraits' of George Washington, recalls his father painting the earliest known image of Washington in 1772 as well as a miniature he painted for Martha Washington.

Keywords

Paintings

Correspondence

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Peale, Charles Willson, 1741-1827

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to N. H. Washington

Unit ID W-644

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26661

Unit Date 1857 June 24

Text 75 (box)

Container 1857.06.24 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

Certificate of authentication of a cane and spy glass possessed by N. H. Washington. An accompanying envelope further describes the spy glass's provenance from George Washington --N. H. Washington -- presented to William L. Yancey of Alabama -- given to Jefferson Davis, the piece was taken off of a British soldier who expired at Germantown during the Revolutionary War. Autograph letter signed, 1 page, with integral address panel; autograph note on envelope.

Keywords
Correspondence

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Anthony Kimmel

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2300

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26662

Unit Date 1857 September 4

Text 75 (box)

Container 1857.09.04 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Regrets not having been able to go with K. to Louisville. "Courage was not wanting, but strength was." Date on original catalog card appears [1857] Sept. 4. GWPC died on Oct. 10 of this year.

Letter, James Thomas to unknown recipient

Unit ID RM-122; MS-2341

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26666

Unit Date 1857 September 26

Text 75 (box)

Container 1857.09.26 (folder)

Creator Thomas, James

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Philadelphia. Thomas is writing to an unknown person offering to sell a silver salt cellar which once belonged to Martha Washington. The salt cellar is fully described.

Letter, W. Alexander to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID RM-410; MS-3315

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26667

Unit Date 1857 December 18

Text 75 (box)

Container 1857.12.18 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 1/2 pages. Charlestown to Mount Vernon. Alexander tells of his problems with draft notes and the Lucas'. He advises John to wait before selling his land. $0.03 stamp on address leaf.

Memoir, Rembrandt Peale

Unit ID RM-617; MS-4527

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26669

Unit Date 1857

Text 75 (box)

Container 1857.00.00 (folder)

Creator Peale, Rembrandt, 1778-1860

Scope and Contents

D. 12 pages. A lengthy memoir of Rembrandt Peale's involvement with W-n portraiture, beginning with his 3 sittings from life in Phila. in 1795 and recounting his self-described life-long "obsession" to create a perfect portrait of W-n. Describes evolution of his various styles of treating his subj: equestrian, porthole, etc. Includes criticism of other painters, anecdotes of George Washington, etc. May be a partial text of his lecture on the subject, see "Eisen", vol. 2.

General orders, William H. Richardson to Lewis William Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2199

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26670

Unit Date 1857 January 8

Text 75 (box)

Container 1858.01.08 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Scope and Contents

General Orders, 1 page. Ordered to report to Richmond on Feb. 22 for Celebration of the elevating of Equestrian Statue of George Washington ... specifies uniform to be worn ...

Envelope, General Winfield Scott to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2022-SC-007-001

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32634

Unit Date 1858 February 8

Text 75 (box)

Container 1858.02.03 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Scott, Winfield, 1786-1866

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Custodial History

George Washington Masonic National Memorial Catalog No. 1971.01.080

Letter, William H. Richardson to Lewis William Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2197

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26671

Unit Date 1858 February 4

Text 75 (box)

Container 1858.02.04 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Adjutant General's office. Uniform of Col. of Cavalry on Gov. staff same as that of U.S. Army ... may wear sword he mentioned ...

Letter, George Washington Lewis to R.L.T. Beale

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4656

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26672

Unit Date 1858 February 10

Text 75 (box)

Container 1858.02.10 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Letter concerning the donation of George Washington's birthplace and the Washington family burial grounds at Pope's Creek Plantation. Lewis W. Washington donated the land to the state of Virginia. Here Lewis writes Beale, state senator of Virginia, that Mr. John E. Wilson, the owner of the surrounding land, should be consulted. The donated land is "... situated in the heart of [Wilson's] arable fields ..." Name on original manuscript appears as "G. W. Lewis."

Letter, George Washington Lewis to Lewis William Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2073

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26673

Unit Date 1858 March 23

Text 75 (box)

Container 1858.03.23 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Claymont. Re: Wakefield and the family burial plot to be turned over to Va ... has written to Gov. Wise inviting him to visit Wakefield to make arrangements for memorials etc ... invites Col. W-n to come also ... Name on original manuscript appears as "G. W. Lewis."

Letter, William H. Richardson to Lewis William Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2200

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26674

Unit Date 1858 June

Text 75 (box)

Container 1858.06.00 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Adjutant General's office. Orders to report to Richmond in full uniform for ceremonies on July 5 ...

Letter, George Munford to Lewis William Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2215

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26675

Unit Date 1858 July 9

Text 75 (box)

Container 1858.07.09 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Executive deparment, Richmond. Requests a formal deed of tender of GW's Birthplace to the state of Va. so that the state may maintain its right-of-way to the birthplace and burial grounds ...

Letter, Benson Lossing to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID ER-5447

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26800

Unit Date 1858 August 2

Text 75 (box)

Container 1858.08.02 (folder)

Creator Lossing, Benson John, 1813-1891

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Poughkeepsie, N.Y. Says he has been requested by Harpers magazine to write an article on Mount Vernon since it has become a place of interest to the American people. Would he welcome a visit by Lossing to Mount Vernon?

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19131

Unit Date September 1858 - September 1859

Text 76 (box)

Language English.

Letter, George Munford to Lewis William Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2100

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26676

Unit Date 1858 September 8

Text 75 (box)

Container 1858.09.08 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Executive department, Richmond. Re: Wakefield ... acknowledges receipt of letter enclosing deed to Wakefield.

Letter, Edward Everett to Augustus Hayward

Unit ID RM-979; MS-5590

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26677

Unit Date 1858 October 18

Text 76 (box)

Container 1858.10.18 (folder)

Creator Everett, Edward, 1794-1865

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. and envelope. Everett writes concerning a speaking engagement about George Washington in Northbridgewater, Boston.

Letter, Mary Custis Lee to Benson Lossing

Unit ID RM-582; MS-4464

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26678

Unit Date 1858 October 22

Text 76 (box)

Container 1858.10.22 (folder)

Creator Lee, Mary Custis, 1835-1918

Creator Lossing, Benson John, 1813-1891

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Concerning the publication of her father's "Recollections"- they will split the profits. "Its success may materially aid us in continuing the hospitalities of this old and much frequented mansion."

Receipt, Edward Everett

Unit ID RM-979; MS-5591

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26681

Unit Date 1858 November 3

Text 76 (box)

Container 1858.11.03 (folder)

Creator Everett, Edward, 1794-1865

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. $100 receipt for Edward Everett for speaking engagement at North Bridgewater from Peabody Treasurer.

Letter, Mary Custis Lee to Benson Lossing

Unit ID RM-582; MS-4465

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26682

Unit Date 1858 November 3

Text 76 (box)

Container 1858.11.08 (folder)

Creator Lee, Mary Custis, 1835-1918

Creator Lossing, Benson John, 1813-1891

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Arlington. Regrets that their mutually edited book, "Recollections of Washington," by GWPC cannot be published more quickly.

Letter, Benjamin Howard Shackleford to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2018-SC-016-004

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14117

Unit Date 1858 November 28

Text 76 (box)

Container 1858.11.28 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Shackleford, Benjamin Howard

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed. Warrenton. Shackleford writes to accept Augustine's offer for the purchase of two enslaved boys named Bob and Armistead for $1200 each.

Keywords

Slavery

Correspondence

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to Edward C. Turner

Unit ID 2019-SC-038-001

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32238

Unit Date 1858 December 12

Text 76 (box)

Container 1858.12.12 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 2 Sheets1 letter and 1 envelope

Scope and Contents

John A. Washington III writes to "Dear Ned" sending a note via Louisa and a servant to ask Ned to call on him. Verso is a recipe. Autograph letter, signed.

Keywords

Correspondence

Turner, Edward C. (Edward Carter), 1816-1891

Letter, Mary Custis Lee to Benson Lossing

Unit ID A-638

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/4933

Unit Date 1858 December 13

Text 76 (box)

Container 1858.12.13 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lee, Mary Custis, 1835-1918

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Arlington. [Regarding publication of her father's Memoirs] Sends by Col. [R.E.] Lee her "Memoir" and other papers--also all letters between G.W. and her grandfather [J.P. Custis]--"I only suggest that if you publish the will of my ancestor it may be as well to omit for the sake of our Northern readers the names of all the slaves mentioned in the legacies."--sends him an engraving of Mrs. W. and a daguerre of Mrs. Lewis--title page to have title her father put to his work--hopes the work [G.W.P. Custis's Recollections] will come out shortly--will try to find the speech on the overthrow of Napoleon for Lossing--doesn't care for more mention of her name in title page than is there at present. Name on original manuscript appears as "M. C. Lee."

Keywords

Correspondence

Slavery

Lossing, Benson John, 1813-1891

Letter, Thomas Rossiter to Benson Lossing

Unit ID RM-1067; MS-5709

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26683

Unit Date 1859 January 22

Text 76 (box)

Container 1859.01.22 (folder)

Creator Rossiter, Thomas Prichard, 1818-1871

Creator Lossing, Benson John, 1813-1891

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Letter concerns his painting, "The Home of Washington." In his letter, he asks Lossing, a fellow artist, advice in finding who were the members of the Washington household in August 1784 during Layfayette's first visit to Mt Vernon. He wants to include them in his painting along with G. Washington, and Gen. Layfayette on the piazza at Mt. Vernon.

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to Benson Lossing

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26684

Unit Date 1859 January 29

Text 76 (box)

Container 1859.01.29 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Creator Lossing, Benson John, 1813-1891

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Sorry for delay in sending inscription on bust of Necker--copied it long ago, but forgot to forward it--"The Bust stands where it was placed by Washington himself." Name on original manuscript appears as "John A. Washington." [At top of paper is transcript of inscription on bust of Necker].

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to Edward C. Turner

Unit ID 2019-SC-038-002

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32239

Unit Date 1859 February 15

Text 76 (box)

Container 1859.02.15 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Extent 1 Sheets1 sheet, 2 pages of text

Scope and Contents

John A. Washington III writes to "Dear Ned" regarding the purchase of horses, cattle, and investments in cattle and guano. Also plans to call upon Turner with "Farmer" Jefferson in tow and "take him captive" and "pick you up and bring you both down with me -- so hold youself in readiness." Autograph letter, signed.

Keywords

Correspondence

Farm management

Turner, Edward C. (Edward Carter), 1816-1891

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to Eleanor Love Selden Washington

Unit ID RM-528; MS-4460

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5129

Unit Date 1859 February 25

Text 76 (box)

Container 1859.02.25 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Creator Washington, Eleanor Love Selden, 1824-1860

Scope and Contents

Includes negotiations for purchase of negro boy that was delayed. Instructs West to make a strong box for sending plows to Waveland and to mend the windows of the hot beds.

Keywords

Correspondence

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to Mrs. G.A. Myers

Unit ID MS-608

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26685

Unit Date 1859 May 10

Text 76 (box)

Container 1859.05.10 (folder)

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon. Sends her a Sago palm -- the one owned by George Washington is to go to the Ladies Association and another to go with him to Fauquier.

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to Benson Lossing

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26686

Unit Date 1859 August 21

Text 76 (box)

Container 1859.08.21 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Creator Lossing, Benson John, 1813-1891

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon. Paid Mr. Bennett for him and sends receipt--"Your proposition to enclose the other papers I loaned you to Mrs. Lee of Arlington is perfectly satisfactory to me"--cannot comply with his request to leave plan of Pohick in his keeping. Autograph letter signed, on lined paper. Name on original manuscript appears as "John A. Washington."

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to G.R.H. Hughes

Unit ID RM-1166; MS-5900

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26687

Unit Date 1859 September 24

Text 76 (box)

Container 1859.09.24 (folder)

Creator Washington, Jane Charlotte Blackburn, 1786-1855

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon. John Augustine Washington writes from Mount Vernon responding to a 12 September dispatch from G.R.H. Hughes. Washington inquires about the status of financial and legal matters, especially in relation to "my money attached by Ogden in the Marine Bank." He directs Hughes to "direct our interests, and if necessary, employ the best Counsel you can get to assist you. If the case goes against us in the Illinois State Courts, can we throw it into the Federal Courts and how long can we keep it open? ... Believing we are right and have been badly treated by Mr. Ogden, we are disposed to fight it out." Based on the docketing on the reverse, this appears to be Washington's file copy.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19132

Unit Date October 1859 - December 1860

Text 77 (box)

Language English.

Letter, George Fayette Washington to Mary Ann Lewis Scott

Unit ID RM-61; MS-2135/a-b

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26689

Unit Date 1859 October 6

Text 77 (box)

Container 1859.10.06 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Fayette, 1790-1867

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Mrs. W-n ill after leaving Old Point Comfort ... now that her recovery is under way he writes for his wife ... refers to "good old times at Wellington" ... nicely settled at Waverly ...

Drawing, plan of the wharf by Montgomery C. Meigs

Unit ID RM-12; MS-2015

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26690

Unit Date 1859 October 12

Graphic Materials 77 (box)

Container 1859.10.12 (folder)

Creator Meigs, Montgomery C. (Montgomery Cunningham), 1816-1892

Scope and Contents

Measured drawing marked "No. 2" of the Mount Vernon wharf ... plan drawn by M.C. Meigs, Capt. U.S. Engineer ... "4 Oct. Sup foot or $2800" ..."Recommended for adoption the front of the Wharf being made parallel to the thread of the Stream."

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to G.L. Byrd

Unit ID RM-930; MS-5469

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26691

Unit Date 1859 November 19

Text 77 (box)

Container 1859.11.19 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon. Returning from Norfolk where he met with an assemblage of the Dismal Swamp Land Company. Encloses money for taxes for land. Other personal business.

Letter, William Munford to Lewis William Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2203/a-b

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26693

Unit Date 1859 November 27

Text 77 (box)

Container 1859.11.27 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Letter signed, envelope. Date on original catalog card appears [1859] November 27.Name on original manuscript appears as "W. Munford." Covering ltr. for General orders to serve on general staff ... [See also General Orders #13 of same date].

General orders, Lewis William Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2202

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26695

Unit Date 1859 November 27

Text 77 (box)

Container 1859.11.27 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Scope and Contents

General Orders, 1 page, Copy. Assigned a Voluntary Aide on the General Staff. Head Quarters Charlestown. [See also Munford to W-n of the same date].

Provenance document, Clark Mills' bust of George Washington

Unit ID 2023-SC-004-003

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/35328

Unit Date 1859

Text 77 (box)

Container 1859.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Mills, Clark, 1810-1883

Extent 1 Sheets

Keywords

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Houdon, Jean-Antoine, 1741-1828

Letter, unknown to Esteemed Friend

Unit ID RM-877 ; MS-5354

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/31825

Unit Date 1860 January 10

Text 77 (box)

Container 1860.01.10 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 pages2 pages of text21 x 13 cm

Scope and Contents

Located with items pertaining to the estate of Aaron Leggett. Letterhead at top of page reads "Leather Manufacturers Bank, New York". Letter mentions parcels of land, cattle, and sheep.

Keywords

Correspondence

Leggett, Aaron, 1792-1860 -- Estate

Leggett, Aaron, 1792-1860

Letter, Winfield Scott to Lewis William Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2210

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26696

Unit Date 1860 January 16

Text 77 (box)

Container 1860.01.16 (folder)

Creator Scott, Winfield, 1786-1866

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. New York. Re: papers sent to him at West Point & concealed in a secret drawer during his absence ... recently found by accident ... mentions W-n's ordeal at Harpers Ferry ...

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to G.A. Myers

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26701

Unit Date 1860 January 21

Text 77 (box)

Container 1860.01.21 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mount Vernon to Richmond. Introduces friend and kinsman Charles A. Washington who visits Richmond to attend his brother, Major [Francis?] Washington, who is ill there. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, on lined paper, directed "to introduce Charles A. Washington Esqr."Name on original manuscript appears as "John A. Washington."

Letter, Alfred Gaither Foster to Letitia Gray Foster

Unit ID RM-567; MS-4243

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26702

Unit Date 1860 May 23

Text 77 (box)

Container 1860.05.23 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mentioning a possible pleasure excursion to Mount Vernon.

Letter, S.F. Beach to unknown

Unit ID RM-877 ; MS-5355

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/31827

Unit Date 1860 May 28

Text 77 (box)

Container 1860.05.28 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 pages2 pages of text20 x 14 cm

Scope and Contents

Letter mentions Aaron Leggett, Mt. Vernon, and Accotink.

Keywords

Correspondence

Leggett, Aaron, 1792-1860

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to Edward C. Turner

Unit ID 2019-SC-038-003

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32240

Unit Date 1860 June 5

Text 77 (box)

Container 1860.06.05 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Extent 2 Sheets1 letter, 1 envelope

Scope and Contents

John A. Washington III writes to "dear Ned", regarding the bay horse Ned took care of for him -- "I send Toby down for him, and unless you have use for him will ask the favour of you to send him up to me. Bob and Mr. Shinker(?) will be here on Friday. I would be pretty pleased if you would ride up with them." Autograph letter, signed.

Keywords

Correspondence

Turner, Edward C. (Edward Carter), 1816-1891

Letter, Eli K. Price to Samuel Powel

Unit ID A-543.25

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26703

Unit Date 1860 June 16

Text 77 (box)

Container 1860.06.16 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Dear Sir, We send to you all Mrs. Powel's papers which we find. We have not opened packages or read letters. If you find anything that should [ ] in the hands of W Birde [ ] you will please return them to us. The Washington letters were found among the Tilghman papers and returned to us by W. Tilghman for you. Very truly Sincerely, Alice K. Price. Autograph letter signed, + 1 envelope.

Receipt, the estate of Aaron Leggett

Unit ID RM-877 ; MS-5356

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/31824

Unit Date 1860 July 2

Text 77 (box)

Container 1860.07.02 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 pages22 x 11 cm

Scope and Contents

In account with James McEvan, Dr.

in account with James McEvan, Dr.

Keywords
Receipts (financial records)
Leggett, Aaron, 1792-1860 -- Estate

Account, MVLA with Charles Johnson

Unit ID RM-1039; MS-5679

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26802

Unit Date 1860 August 13

Text 77 (box)

Container 1860.08.13 (folder)

Scope and Contents
A.D. 1 page. Chas. Johnson Treas. In account with Mount Vernon Association. MVLA's account including charges for excursion tickets, board and lodging, oilcloth and gilding, advertising, and mending pipe frame.

Terms of sale, real, personal, and mixed property belonging to the estate of Aaron Leggett

Unit ID RM-877 ; MS-5357

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/31818

Unit Date 1860 August 22

Text 77 (box)

Container 1860.08.22 (folder)

Language English.

Material Specification Three manuscripts of the Terms of Sale of the Real, Personal, and Mised Property belonging to the Estate of Aaron Leggett, and sold by Francis L. Smith.

Extent 3 pages3 pages of text28 x 24 cm, 25 x 38 cm , 25 x 16 cm

Keywords
Muddy Hole Farm
Real property
Estate records
Leggett, Aaron, 1792-1860 -- Estate

Account of sales, real and personal property belonging to the estate of Aaron Leggett

Unit ID RM-877 ; MS-5358

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/31819

Unit Date 1860 August 22-24

Text 77 (box)

Container 1860.08.22-24 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 Volumes13 pages bound together with a green ribbon21 x 32 cm

Keywords
Real property
Estate records
Leggett, Aaron, 1792-1860 -- Estate

General orders, Samuel Beckley Holabird to Lewis William Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2213

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26704

Unit Date 1860 September 3

Text 77 (box)

Container 1860.09.03 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Scope and Contents

Orders. D.S. 1 page. West Point, NY. Acknowledgment of Lewis W. W-n's gift to the Adademy of a

Orders. D.S. 1 page. West Point, NY. Acknowledgment of Lewis W. W.'s gift to the Academy of a report by General Nathaniel Green to General George Washington ...

Letter, Lewis William Washington to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2017-SC-008-013

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16507

Unit Date 1860 September 25

Text 77 (box)

Container 1860.09.25 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed. Beall-Air. Lewis writes to his cousin John Augustine that he is "committing matrimony at Clover Lea with our sweet cousin Ella Bassett."

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, Winfield Scott to Lewis William Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2211

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26705

Unit Date 1860 October 23

Text 77 (box)

Container 1860.10.23 (folder)

Creator Scott, Winfield, 1786-1866

Creator Washington, Lewis William, 1812-1871

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. New York. Declines invitation to attend his wedding.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19133

Unit Date January 1861 - December 1870

Text 78 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Leslie Combs to Samuel Powel

Unit ID A-543.24

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26706

Unit Date 1861 March 12

Text 78 (box)

Container 1861.03.12 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. "The traitorous devils are still hoping to "drag" our glorious old Kentucky at the heels of [?] South Carolina but they will fail. They will make every effort to dragoon the legislature into Revolution but we shall meet them at every point ..." Clerk's Office of the Court of Appeals.

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to Edward C. Turner

Unit ID 2019-SC-038-004

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32241

Unit Date 1861 March 12

Text 78 (box)

Container 1861.03.12 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Extent 2 Sheets1 page ripped into two parts.

Scope and Contents

John A. Washington III writes to "dear Ned", regarding church matters ("Yesterday evening I heard from Bishop Meade -- He will not ordain Mr. Baker before his set time and makes no positive promise of lettig us have him then.") and meeting in the future ("It may be better to have the meeting next week, as it will give me time to hear form Warrenton as to the title of Walshs's property and whether James will allow time on the purchase money"). Autograph letter, signed.

Keywords

Correspondence

Turner, Edward C. (Edward Carter), 1816-1891

List of property taken by Federal Forces from the Mount Vernon Farm of John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2017-SC-010-006

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/12768

Unit Date 1861 June 8

Text 78 (box)

Container 1861.06.08 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A list of property, including enslaved persons, reported to be taken by the 16th New York Regiment from John Augustine Washington III's farm near Mount Vernon. Although John Augustine sold the Mount Vernon mansion and grounds to the Mount Vernon Ladies Association in 1858, he retained property in the surrounding area. The list of slaves includes Jim Mitchell and Edmund Parker, who were later employed by the Mount Vernon Ladies Association, and Gabriel Johnson, who had escaped in 1845 and been held at Bruin's Slave Jail.

A note and blind stamp on the fourth page indicate the list was received by R.H. Donavan of the Fauquier County Court on 19 April 1889.

Keywords

Enslaved persons

Business records

Lists (document genres)

United States -- History -- Civil War, 1861-1865

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Mitchell, Jim, 1795-1870

Johnson, Gabriel, 1820-

Letter, George R. H. Hughes to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID 2017-SC-008-006

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/12587

Unit Date 1861 July 3

Text 78 (box)

Container 1861.07.03 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Hughes, George R. H., 1832-1914

Scope and Contents

Letter from lawyer George R. H. Hughes, Chicago, to John Augustine Washington III informing him that his investments in Chicago real estate and bonds have not been successful. His previous letters to John Augustine have been unanswered, and Hughes writes that bond prices are "ruinous" in the present crisis and the best he can hope to realize for John Augustine is $37,500.

Hughes discusses the market in detail, warning John Augustine, "I have no idea that you will be able to get your money back the way things are going here, for five or ten years, and then prices would have to double to enable you to get back your outlay with interest."

Keywords

Correspondence

Correspondence
Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to E.C. (Ned) Turner

Unit ID RM-410; MS-3316

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26707

Unit Date 1861 August 5

Text 78 (box)

Container 1861.08.05 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Huntersville. John writes from camp with General Lee where he is an aide - de - camp. He says his overseer "informs me of the destruction of my property at Mount Vernon ..." No address leaf.

Letter, C.S. Edwards to Mrs. C.S. Edwards

Unit ID RM-1207

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/3107

Unit Date 1861 September 24

Text 78 (box)

Container 1861.09.24 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

C.S. Edwards writes to his wife about his visit to Mount Vernon and dinner in the mansion study during the Civil War. Includes envelope.

Note, Edward Everett

Unit ID ER-5827

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26840

Unit Date 1861 October 1

Text 78 (box)

Container 1861.10.01 (folder)

Creator Everett, Edward, 1794-1865

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Note reads "Washington was the greatest of good men and the best of great men. Edward Everett, Boston 1 Oct. 1861." Typescript copy with letter head "The Lincoln Library Shippensburg, PA."

Letter, John Prosser Tabb to John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/14342

Unit Date 1861 October 27

Text 78 (box)

Container 1861.10.27 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Tabb, John Prosser

Scope and Contents

Philadelphia to Alexandria. Tabb inquires into the operations of Washington's farm. Discusses the move from Mount Vernon.

Keywords

Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Letter, John Campbell and George Devereux to Mehitable Ward

Unit ID RM-1089; MS-5756/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26708

Unit Date 1863 March 12

Text 78 (box)

Container 1863.03.12 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Two letters, Philadelphia. A.L.S. 2 pages. John Campbell to Mehitable Ward. Letter describes "heavy silverplated dinner plates that belonged to George Washington. A.L.S. 1 page. George Devereux to Mehitable Ward. George Devereux writes a thank you upon receiving daguerrotype of her recently deceased son.

Letter, D. W. Salisbury to Anne Salisbury

Unit ID 2019-SC-007

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19529

Unit Date 1863 March 15

Text 78 (box)

Container 1863.03.15 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 4 pagesLetter split down the middle.

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Woodlawn. Letter addressed to "Dear Sister" with a description of Woodlawn plantation in 1863. Torn into two pieces at the fold.

Keywords

Correspondence

Woodlawn Plantation (Va.)

Letter, George C. Bradley to D.S. Bull

Unit ID RM-1184

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/3111

Unit Date 1863 May 13

Text 78 (box)

Container 1863.05.13 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Bradley writes to Bull about his visit to Mount Vernon during the Civil War.

Keywords

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Correspondence

Description of the transfer of George Washington's remains, Benjamin Silliman

Unit ID RM-712; MS-4895

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26709

Unit Date 1863 December 8

Text 78 (box)

Container 1863.12.08 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 3 pages. Silliman, an American chemist and geologist, quotes from a letter of John Struthers (sculptor of George Washington's sacrophagus) describing the transfer of George Washington's remains from the new tomb vault into the marble sacrophagus in October, 1837.

Confederate note, 50 cents

Unit ID RM-1124; MS-5805

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26710

Unit Date 1864 February 17

Text 78 (box)

Container 1864.02.17 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Currency paper. Value 50 cents. Issued by the Confederate States of America.

Letter, Anna Parker to Richard T. Parker

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2167

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26711

Unit Date 1864 May 13

Text 78 (box)

Container 1864.05.13 (folder)

Letter, Anna Parker to Richard T. Parker

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2168

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26712

Unit Date 1864 May 16

Text 78 (box)

Container 1864.05.16 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Boston. Has tried to deliver a breast pin containing hair of George Washington ... will Parker please call for it ...

Note, Edward Everett

Unit ID RM-987; MS-5604

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26841

Unit Date 1864 December 10

Text 78 (box)

Container 1864.12.10 (folder)

Creator Everett, Edward, 1794-1865

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Note reads "Washington was the greatest of good men and the best of great men. Edward Everett, Boston 10 Dec. 1864."

Letter, Aaron Oberly to Maria Woodford

Unit ID RM-1123; MS-5807/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26713

Unit Date 1865 April 30

Text 78 (box)

Container 1863.04.30 (folder)

Creator Oberly, Aaron S., 1837-1918

Scope and Contents

Collection of nine letters. Oberly writes his fiance, Maria Woodford, about his experiences in and around Washington, DC. One very detailed letter tells of a visit to Mount Vernon. Oberly served as an assistant surgeon in the U.S. Navy during the Civil War.

Letter, Aaron Oberly to Maria Woodford

Unit ID RM-1123; MS-5807/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26714

Unit Date 1865 May 4

Text 78 (box)

Container 1865.05.04 (folder)

Creator Oberly, Aaron S., 1837-1918

Scope and Contents

Collection of nine letters. Oberly writes his fiance, Maria Woodford, about his experiences in and around Washington, DC. One very detailed letter tells of a visit to Mount Vernon. Oberly served as an assistant surgeon in the U.S. Navy during the Civil War.

Letter, Aaron Oberly to Maria Woodford

Unit ID RM-1123; MS-5807/C

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26715

Unit Date 1865 May 7

Text 78 (box)

Container 1865.05.07 (folder)

Creator Oberly, Aaron S., 1837-1918

Scope and Contents

Collection of nine letters. Oberly writes his fiance, Maria Woodford, about his experiences in and around Washington, DC. One very detailed letter tells of a visit to Mount Vernon. Oberly served as an assistant surgeon in the U.S. Navy during the Civil War.

Letter, Aaron Oberly to Maria Woodford

Unit ID RM-1123; MS-5807/D

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26716

Unit Date 1865 May 9

Text 78 (box)

Container 1865.05.09 (folder)

Creator Oberly, Aaron S., 1837-1918

Scope and Contents

Collection of nine letters. Oberly writes his fiance, Maria Woodford, about his experiences in and around Washington, DC. One very detailed letter tells of a visit to Mount Vernon. Oberly served as an assistant surgeon in the U.S. Navy during the Civil War.

Description of a Mount Vernon visit, George Clymans

Unit ID RM-679; MS-4625

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26717

Unit Date 1865 May 11

Text 78 (box)

Container 1865.05.11 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 7 pages. Description of a tour of the Mansion and grounds with fellow soldiers from Sherman's Army of the Tennessee.

Keywords

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

United States -- History -- Civil War, 1861-1865

Letter, Aaron Oberly to Maria Woodford

Unit ID RM-1123; MS-5807/E

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26718

Unit Date 1865 May 11

Text 78 (box)

Container 1865.05.11 (folder)

Creator Oberly, Aaron S., 1837-1918

Scope and Contents

Collection of nine letters. Oberly writes his fiance, Maria Woodford, about his experiences in and around Washington, DC. One very detailed letter tells of a visit to Mount Vernon. Oberly served as an assistant surgeon in the U.S. Navy during the Civil War.

Letter, Aaron Oberly to Maria Woodford

Unit ID RM-1123; MS-5807/F

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26719

Unit Date 1865 May 13

Text 78 (box)

Container 1865.05.13 (folder)

Creator Oberly, Aaron S., 1837-1918

Scope and Contents

Collection of nine letters. Oberly writes his fiance, Maria Woodford, about his experiences in and around Washington, DC. One very detailed letter tells of a visit to Mount Vernon. Oberly served as an assistant surgeon in the U.S. Navy during the Civil War.

Letter, Aaron Oberly to Maria Woodford

Unit ID RM-1123; MS-5807/G

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26720

Unit Date 1865 May 20

Text 78 (box)

Container 1865.05.20 (folder)

Creator Oberly, Aaron S., 1837-1918

Scope and Contents

Collection of nine letters. Oberly writes his fiance, Maria Woodford, about his experiences in and around Washington, DC. One very detailed letter tells of a visit to Mount Vernon. Oberly served as an assistant surgeon in the U.S. Navy during the Civil War.

Letter, Aaron Oberly to Maria Woodford

Unit ID RM-1123; MS-5807/H

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26721

Unit Date 1865 May 22

Text 78 (box)

Container 1865.05.22 (folder)

Creator Oberly, Aaron S., 1837-1918

Scope and Contents

Collection of nine letters. Oberly writes his fiance, Maria Woodford, about his experiences in and around Washington, DC. One very detailed letter tells of a visit to Mount Vernon. Oberly served as an assistant surgeon in the U.S. Navy during the Civil War.

Letter, Aaron Oberly to Maria Woodford

Unit ID RM-1123; MS-5807/I

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26722

Unit Date 1865 June 8

Text 78 (box)

Container 1865.06.08 (folder)

Creator Oberly, Aaron S., 1837-1918

Scope and Contents

Collection of nine letters. Oberly writes his fiance, Maria Woodford, about his experiences in and around Washington, DC. One very detailed letter tells of a visit to Mount Vernon. Oberly served as an assistant surgeon in the U.S. Navy during the Civil War.

Letter, Robert E. Lee to Edward Hedden

Unit ID RM-837; MS-5287

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26723

Unit Date 1866 March 23

Text 78 (box)

Container 1866.03.23 (folder)

Creator Lee, Robert E. (Robert Edward), 1807-1870

Scope and Contents

Lexington. Lee acknowledges receipt of three articles that were removed from the Custis House (Arlington) during the Civil War and sent back to him by Hedden. Lee grants Hedden's request for the satin engraving of George Washington drawn by Dr. Charles Buxton. This letter of thanks accompanies the return of the picture to Hedden. Engraving owned by MVLA [W-2796]. Autograph letter signed, with envelope.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Relics

Letter, Edward Hedden to Robert E. Lee

Unit ID RM-837; MS-5288

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26724

Unit Date 1866 March 30

Text 78 (box)

Container 1866.03.30 (folder)

Creator Lee, Robert E. (Robert Edward), 1807-1870

Scope and Contents

New York. Hedden acknowledges receipt of Lee's letter and a satin engraving of George Washington by Dr. Charles Buxton. The engraving belonged to the Custis family when it was removed from Arlington House by Union troops. See Lee letter of March 23, 1866 [RM-837; MS-5287]. Engraving owned by MVLA [W-2796]. Autograph letter signed, 1 page.

Indenture, George Washington Lewis to L.H.L.D. Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3527

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26725

Unit Date 1868 June 25

Text 78 (box)

Container 1868.06.25 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Indenture. D. 1 page (in 2 pieces). Conveys 100 acres of land known as the Montery Estate, Clark Co., Va. to L.H.L.D. Lewis for $2,500.00. Contains a primisory note for that amount.

Letter, Mary Custis Lee to My Dear Sir

Unit ID RM-805; MS-5220

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26726

Unit Date 1868 October 10

Text 78 (box)

Container 1868.10.10 (folder)

Creator Lee, Mary Custis, 1835-1918

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Lexington. Apparently written to an editor or publisher regarding the publication of a book on the Custis family. She discusses illustrations of her grandfather John Parke Custis and Martha Parke Custis, both children of Martha Dandridge Custis Washington. She doubts the success of such a book "though it may be appreciated when passion and violence shall have ceased in the land -".

Advertisement, "Washington and his generals"

Unit ID RM-1120; MS-5803

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26727

Unit Date 1870

Text 78 (box)

Container 1870.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Print advertisement, "Interesting National Picture. Washington and his Generals, Drawn and Engraved by A.H. Ritchie." Published by Ritchie and Co. includes opinions of the press.

Manuscripts Box 79

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19134

Unit Date January 1871 - December 1894

Text 79 (box)

Language English.

Provenance document, Washington sword, George Washington Lewis

Unit ID RM-971; MS-5559

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26739

Unit Date 1872 January 19

Text 79 (box)

Container 1872.01.19 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Typescript copy of a document certifying the provenance of the sword. Signed G.W. Lewis, Judge of Westmoreland Co Virginia.

Provenance document, Martha Washington jewelry and Washington silver scraper

Unit ID RM-974; MS-5571

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26740

Unit Date 1872 April 22

Text 79 (box)

Container 1872.04.22 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Autograph document signed, "New Books." Provenance material for Martha Washington's breast pin, earrings; silver scraper used by Washington during his last illness.

Visitor's account of Mount Vernon, Isaac P. Noyes

Unit ID MS-5880

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26741

Unit Date 1872 May 17

Text 79 (box)

Container 1872.05.17 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Notebook or journal titled "A Visti to Mount Vernon, May 17th 1872 Isaac P. Noyes. Washington D.C. "S.G.O." 1872" Autograph document, 50 pages.

Letter, Mary Custis Lee to unknown recipient

Unit ID R-212; MSS-829

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26742

Unit Date 1873 April 14

Text 79 (box)

Container 1873.04.14 (folder)

Creator Lee, Mary Custis, 1835-1918

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Near Fish Haul, King William County, Virginia. Concerns some paintings she is having cleaned and repaired ... only other person to work on them was Volkmar, "who was considered the best repairer in this country" ...

Letter, Levi P. Luckey to James Hollingsworth

Unit ID H-785

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26842

Unit Date 1873 April 24

Text 79 (box)

Container 1873.04.24 (folder)

Creator Hollingsworth, John McHenry, 1823-1889

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Executive Mansion, Washinton D.C. Luckey was a personal secretary to Ulysses Grant. Discusses the transfer of "swords, etc." to the Association. He can come pick them up.

Bond, Andrew Kennedy and Andrew Hunter

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2207

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26743

Unit Date 1873 October 25

Text 79 (box)

Container 1873.10.25 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Bound in sum of $15,000 and appointed Special Commissioners by the Court to sell the Beall Air farm and/or real estate.

Letter, W.W. Montgomery to Samuel Powel

Unit ID A-543.23

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26744

Unit Date 1875 October 16

Text 79 (box)

Container 1875.10.16 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. "Dear Sir, My Aunt [ ] has given me to send to you the parcel of Genl. Washington's Letters of which you were inquiring and which have been in my grandfathers possession. How shall I send them to you?" Autograph letter signed, 1 envelope postmarked.

Visitor's account of Mount Vernon, Harry Chapman Westbay

Unit ID 2019-SC-022

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19565

Unit Date 1877 January 24

Text 79 (box)

Container 1877.01.24 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 2 pages

Scope and Contents

Manuscript account entitled "An excursion by steamboat on the Potomac" by Harry Chapman Westbay of Monett, Missouri. It describes the steamer leaving Washington City and traveling down the Potomac to Mount Vernon. Westbay describes being given a tour of Washington's tomb and mansion by Col. J. McHenry Collingsworth, superindendent of the Mount Vernon Ladies' Association. He writes that visiors are "at liberty to walk a round the grounds and through the houses."

Letter, Charles Wolcott to his brother

Unit ID RM-997; MS-5614

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26745

Unit Date 1877 September 18

Text 79 (box)

Container 1877.10.09 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Accompanied by six manuscripts and notes. Documents provenance of George and Martha Washington's hair given by Martha Washington to Mrs. Oliver Wolcott upon Washington's retirement from the presidency in 1797. Names include: Jane Conrad Wolcott, Olivia Wolcott, Oliver S. Wolcott. Hair in Mount Vernon Ladies Association Collection.

Copy letter, Don Diego de Gardoqui to George Washington

Unit ID RM-1188.001

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26549

Unit Date 1881 (copy)

Unit Date date of original, 1787 November 9

Text 79 (box)

Container 1881.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Gardoqui y Arriquibar, Diego, 1735-1798

Scope and Contents

Letter from Don Diego Gardoqui to George Washington, copied by the State Department in 1881. According to corresponding notes, the copy was made from a copy in the hand of Bushrod Washington. The original letter sent in 1787 accompanied the gift of a 4-volume Spanish edition of Don Quixote for Washington's library.

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Provenance document, Washington sword, Henry Howell Lewis

Unit ID RM-976; MS-5583

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26746

Unit Date 1882 June 20

Text 79 (box)

Container 1882.06.20 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Baltimore, Provenance pertaining to the Washington sword willed to George Lewis.

Letters from Fannie Washington Finch to Mary Claflin

Unit ID 2018-SC-098

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19572

Unit Date 1884 May 3-1886 July 1

Text 79 (box)

Container 1884.05.03 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Finch, Fannie Louisa Augusta Washington, 1828-1900

Scope and Contents

A series of letters from Fannie Washington Finch (also spelled Fanny), great-grandniece of George Washington, to Mary Claflin, wife of Governor William Claflin, regarding the sale of Washington family items. Fannie writes that she is reluctant to sell the family heirlooms but must because of her "pecuniary condition." Included in the letters is a list of items being sold, including a silver pitcher, coffee pot, mugs, tumblers, ladle, tablespoons, salts, sugar bowl, cream pots, glass water bottles, glass tumblers, glass goblets, glass dessert dish, snuff box presented by Thomas Lord Fairfax to General Washington, 4 wine marks owned by George Washington, a large bed quilt made from dresses worn by Martha Washington, 2 silver plated sauce dishes, miscellaneous chinaware, and an engraved plate of Col. William Augustine Washington.

Included with the letters is a manuscript "Extracts from newspapers, relating to Mrs Finch - great-grand niece of George Washington," genealogical information, lists of household goods, and an 1891 newsclipping about Fanny Washington Finch.

Keywords

Correspondence

Inventories

Provenance document, Washington sword, Ellshaw

Unit ID RM-976; MS-5564

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26747

Unit Date 1884 May 17

Text 79 (box)

Container 1884.05.17 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 7 pages. History of the blade worn by the "Father of Our Country" written by Ellshaw.

Provenance document, Mary E. Powel

Unit ID A-543.28

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26748

Unit Date 1885 January 17

Text 79 (box)

Container 1885.01.17 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Provenance document, A.D.S. 1 page. Letter explaining the provenance of many of the George Washington to Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Powel correspondence. Marked "Keep. Private to my brothers, not to be shown in Public."

Letter, W.W. Montgomery to Mary E. Powel

Unit ID A-543.22

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26749

Unit Date 1885 January 26

Text 79 (box)

Container 1885.01.26 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. "I delivered today the parcel of Washington's letters to your mother, and was very glad to have them pass into the custody of the rightful owner." Autograph letter signed, 1 envelope

postmarked w/stamp.

Letter, Harriet Bledsoe to unknown recipient

Unit ID RM-1150; MS-5860

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26843

Unit Date 1885 December 5

Text 79 (box)

Container 1885.12.05 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Bergen Point, N.J. Inquires after information on a Washington chair. Her friend told her the story and provenance of the chair but she is not certain her memory is correct and would like reaffirmation.

Visitor's account of Mount Vernon, Alice Pierce

Unit ID RM-887; MS-5385

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26771

Unit Date ca. 1885

Text 79 (box)

Container 1885.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Brief description of mansion and Washington's daily habits, Gen. Washington's bedroom, recounting of silver dollar myth. Manuscript signed by Pierce.Date on original catalog card appears as c1885.

Invitation, Centennial celebration for Washington's inauguration

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2193/A-C

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26751

Unit Date 1889 April 29

Text 79 (box)

Container 1889.04.29 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Invitation to the Centennial celebration of Washington's inauguration, for Mr. and Mrs. Irvine Keyser. Engraved invitation includes list of Committee members and card listing events.

List, Exhibits of celebration of 100th anniversary of inauguration of George Washington

Unit ID RM-1150, MS-5854

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33612

Unit Date 1889 April 29

Text 79 (box)

Container 1889.04.29 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 pages1 page and envelope20 x 25 cm

Scope and Contents

List of relics exhibits of celebration of 100th anniversary of inauguration of George Washington.

Letter, Lawrence Washington to Harrison Howell Dodge

Unit ID RM-975; MS-5576

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26750

Unit Date 1889

Text 79 (box)

Container 1889.00.00 (folder)

Creator Dodge, Harrison Howell, 1852-1937

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Relating to the Papers of General Washington. Autograph letter, copy. Date on original

A.L.S. 4 pages. Relating to the Papers of General Washington. Autograph letter, copy. Date on original catalog card appears [1889]. Provenance information transferred from the Curatorial files.

Letter, Moncure Daniel Conway to Dr. Kinsley Twining

Unit ID RM-932; MS-5473

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26752

Unit Date 1889 October 25

Text 79 (box)

Container 1889.10.25 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Autograph letter signed, accompanies book George Washington and Mount Vernon, Long Island Historical Society publication of William Pearce letters edited by Conway RL-4467.

Copy of letter, Mary Powel

Unit ID A-543.29

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26753

Unit Date 1890 September 27

Text 79 (box)

Container 1890.09.27 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Copy of a letter made by Mary Powel, letter between Tobias Lear and Samuel Powel, March 9, 1797. Provenance of objects belonging to General Washington, now under ownership at the Pennsylvania His. Soc.

Letter, Bernard Carter to Edmund Law Rogers

Unit ID RM-1150, MS-5853

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26754

Unit Date 1890 December 20

Text 79 (box)

Container 1890.12.20 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Bernard Carter and Sons, Baltimore. Attorneys at Law. Settiling the estate of Barton Harris and giving him what is owed back to him.

Court document referring to charges against Edmund Law Rogers

Unit ID RM-1150; MS-5843

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26755

Unit Date 1890 December 24

Text 79 (box)

Container 1890.12.24 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Typescript court document. "Shereas Hortense H. McIntire, by William W. McIntire, her husband and next friend, and Elizabeth H.K. Richardson, by John S. Richardson, Junior, her husband and next friend, as next of kin of Chapin Barton Monroe Harris, late of Baltimore City, deceased, heretofore filed a caveat in th eOrphans Court of Baltimore City against Edmund Law Rogers, claiming to be executor of said Harris, under a paper writing alleged to be last will of said Harris and which had been admitted to probate in said Orphans Court, alleging among othe rthings that said paper writing was not the last will and testament of said Harris..."

Letter, Mary Powel and Samuel Powel

Unit ID A-543.30

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26756

Unit Date 1891 February 25

Text 79 (box)

Container 1891.02.25 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Letter of provenance. Autograph letter signed, signatures of both Mary E. Powel and Samuel Powel. The following mementos of Geo. Washington are in my possession. Two small oval mirrors and two gilded silver brackets belonging w/the mirrors with the decoration [ ] - in bad repair. His breakfast cup - M.E.P. Custis gave it to my father ...".

Letter, Bushrod Corbin Washington II to George H. Neigher

Unit ID 2018-SC-086-002

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/17771

Unit Date 1891

Text 79 (box)

Container 1891.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod C. (Bushrod Corbin), 1839-1919

Extent 2 pages

Scope and Contents

Bushrod Corbin Washington II writes about real estate for a possible shoe factory in Charlestown, West Virginia.

Letter, Margaret R. Cox to Justine Townsend

Unit ID RM-975; MS-5582

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26757

Unit Date 1892 March 30

Text 79 (box)

Container 1892.03.30 (folder)

Creator Townsend, Justine Van Rensselaer, 1828-1912

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Regarding the Washington shaving table.

Letter, Edward Downes Law to Edmund Law Rogers

Unit ID RM-1150 ; MS-5850

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33610

Unit Date 1893 January 22

Text 79 (box)

Container 1893.01.22 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 Sheets1 sheet folded, 3 pages with text. Envelope with letter18 x 12 cm

Scope and Contents

Edward Downes Law writes to his cousin, Edmund Law Rogers, Baltimore, regarding his receipt of a copy of a letter written by George Washington. He also discusses his shared frustrations with the recent biography on Roger's grandfather--Thomas Law--and the constant inaccuracies by authors. Autograph letter signed, 3 pages with envelope.

Keywords

Correspondence

Rogers, Edmund Law

Manuscript copy, hymn "America"
Unit ID M-379
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26760
Unit Date 1894 May
Text 79 (box)
Container 1894.05.00 (folder)
Creator Smith, Samuel Francis, 1808-1895
Scope and Contents
Autograph letter signed, S.F. Smith. Manuscript copy of the hymn "America."

Manuscripts Box 80
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19135
Unit Date 1894 - present
Text 80 (box)
Language English.

Letter, Sauer Manufacturing Co. to Harrison Dodge
Unit ID RM-975; MS-5580
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26772
Unit Date 1895 January 11
Text 80 (box)
Container 1895.01.11 (folder)
Creator Dodge, Harrison Howell, 1852-1937
Scope and Contents
A.L.S. 2 pages. Provenance letter. "We understand thoroughly what your wishes are in respect to the kind of showcase required to cover the "Plateau" as quote same as follows ..."

Letter, Tiffany and Co. to Miss Lewis
Unit ID RM-971; MS-5560
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26773
Unit Date 1895
Text 80 (box)
Container 1895.00.00 (folder)
Scope and Contents
Letter from Tiffany and Co. assuring Miss Lewis of the whereabouts of George Washington's sword.

News clipping, provenance document
Unit ID RM-975; MS-5575
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26774
Unit Date 1897 March 6
Text 80 (box)
Container 1897.03.06 (folder)
Scope and Contents
News clipping, provenance document. Covers very briefly Houdon's visit to Mt. Vernon and the Houdon bust. Printed document. Provenance information taken from the Curatorial files.

Letter, unknown to Mrs. Harrison
Unit ID RM-975; MS-5577
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26775
Unit Date 1897 March 20
Text 80 (box)
Container 1897.03.20 (folder)

Scope and Contents
A.L.S. 3 pages. Concerning the Houdon Bust and how it came to be at Mount Vernon. Provenance information transferred from the curatorial files.

Letter, Sarah Yates Whelen to Mr. Harrison

Unit ID RM-971; MS-5557

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26776

Unit Date 1897 May 3

Text 80 (box)

Container 1897.05.03 (folder)

Scope and Contents
A.L.S. 2 pages. Provenance document. Letter to Mr. Harrison from Sarah Yeates Whelen concerning Louis XVI carpet.

Provenance document, Louis XVI carpet

Unit ID RM-971; MS-5558

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26777

Unit Date 1897 May

Text 80 (box)

Container 1897.05.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents
D. 2 pages. Provenance document. Description of the carpet given to George Washington ordered by Louis XVI.

Letter, Varina Davis to the MVLA

Unit ID W-554

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26778

Unit Date 1899 May 1

Text 80 (box)

Container 1899.05.01 (folder)

Creator Davis, Varina, 1826-1906

Scope and Contents
A.L.S. 2 pages. Provenance document. To "Dear Ladies." She is sending a small patchwork quilt, Mrs. Richardson will present it on her behalf, which was made by Martha Washington of pieces from her gowns.

Letter, Mrs. Conrad to Mrs. Richardson

Unit ID RM-971; MS-5563

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26779

Unit Date 1899 May 8

Text 80 (box)

Container 1899.05.08 (folder)

Scope and Contents
A.L.S. 1 page. Provenance document. Letter from Mrs. Conrad to Mrs. Richardson. Provenance for footstool and table cover for Nelly Custis room.

Provenance document, Peale mirror

Unit ID RM-975; MS-5574

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26780

Unit Date 1899 May

Text 80 (box)

Container 1899.05.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. "The mirror belonged to Mrs. Albert Peale ..... James Peale, the miniature painter bought it at George Washington's sale when he lived in High Street ....". Provenance information taken from the Curatorial files. Date on original catalog card appears [1899].

Letter, George Washington Ball to Sallie Beverly Harris

Unit ID RM-94; MS-2252

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26781

Unit Date 1900 December 6

Text 80 (box)

Container 1900.12.06 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Letter concerning John Augustine Washington and Mount Vernon. On Mary Washington Association letterhead.

Letter, Magnus L. Robinson to Lawrence Washington

Unit ID RM-422; MS-3361

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26782

Unit Date 1902 November 15

Text 80 (box)

Container 1902.11.15 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Tells of the distribution of two canes Washington gave him; canes made of wood at Mount Vernon. Letter head "William McKinley Normal and Industrial School".

Letter, George Washington Ball to Mrs. Walter Hulliken

Unit ID RM-771; MS-5155

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26844

Unit Date 1903 May 21

Text 80 (box)

Container 1903.05.21 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page on Mary Washington Association letterhead. Concerning Washington relics.

Provenance document, notarized letter, Sarah Coxe Boyer

Unit ID RM-411; MS-3317

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26783

Unit Date 1906 August 7

Text 80 (box)

Container 1906.08.07 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Provenance document, plaster cast of Washington by Houdon. Notarized letter certifying the history of a plaster cast of George Washington's face reportedly made by Houdon in 1797. Lawrence and Nelly Lewis provenance, family history.

Letter, Mary Custis Lee to Bishop William Ford Nichols

Unit ID RM-288; MS-2904

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26784

Unit Date 1907 November 11

Text 80 (box)

Container 1907.11.11 (folder)

Creator Lee, Mary Custis, 1835-1918

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 8 pages. Mary Custis Lee comments on the improbability of the story that George and Martha Washington were married in St. Peter's Church.

Congressional bill to reimburse the MVLA

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2125

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26791

Unit Date 1908

Text 80 (box)

Container 1908.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Printed pamphlet. Senate Bill No. 1238 and House Bill No. 5489 to Reimburse the Estate of Gen. George Washington, for certain lands in Ohio lost by conflicting grants Made under the authority of the United States ...

Memo, Mary Powel

Unit ID A-543.2

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26792

Unit Date 1913 November 19

Text 80 (box)

Container 1913.11.19 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Confidential memo from M. E. Powel concerning the suspected theft of a collection of Washington letters. Includes xerox of NY Times 3/16/1913 article.

Letter, Mary Custis Lee to "Dear Girls"

Unit ID RM-66; MS-2139/A-C

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26793

Unit Date 1914 March 2

Text 80 (box)

Container 1914.03.02 (folder)

Creator Lee, Mary Custis, 1835-1918

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 12 pages. Believes the brace of pistols mentioned in enclosed clipping is the one which disappeared from Lexington some yrs. back ... hopes family will investigate ... interest newspapers, etc. Name on original manuscript appears as "Mary C. Lee."

Congressional bill, purchase of Washington relics

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2124

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26794

Unit Date 1914 April 3

Text 80 (box)

Container 1914.04.03 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 2 pages. Printed page. H.R. Bill 15353 authorizing purchase of certain Washington relics. $30,000. to W. Lanier Washington for the following Washingtoniana: portrait of Mary Ball Washington, silver cups, whist counters, Lund Washington account book, account books of George Washington's executors, key to George Washington birthplace, George Washington shoe buckles, brooch, snuff box, cup and saucer, dinner invitation from George Washington to B. West, Augustine Washington's silver shoe buckle (half-brother to George Washington) ...

Invitation, Sulgrave Manor to Robert Nuese

Unit ID RM-1128; MS-5814

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26798

Unit Date ca. 1920

Text 80 (box)

Container 1920.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Invitation addressed to Robert Nuese is seeking funds from Americans to restore Sulgrave Manor. Date on original catalog card appears ca 1920. Includes unused envelope and 1 insert.

Provenance document, Vaughan plan

Unit ID RM-971; MS-5561

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26796

Unit Date 1927

Text 80 (box)

Container 1927.00.00 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Small note with information on the Vaughan Plan. Peter family.

Postcard, signed by Eleanor S. Washington Howard

Unit ID RM-702; MS-4750

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26797

Unit Date ca. 1931

Graphic Materials 80 (box)

Container 1931.00.00 (folder)

Creator Howard, Eleanor Washington, 1856-1937

Scope and Contents

Postcard, Mount Vernon piazza. Bears signature of Mrs. Eleanor S. Washington Howard (b. 1856, child of John Augustine Washington, Jr. and Eleanor Love Selden). She was the last Washington daughter to be born at Mount Vernon. Date on original catalog card appears c. 1931.

Letters, L.A. Lally M.D. to George Steptoe Washington

Unit ID A-1446/B-D

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26845

Unit Date 1933 November 28

Unit Date 1933 December 12

Text 80 (box)

Container 1933.11.28 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Two letters, A.L.S. 1 page. Regarding a reproduction key to the front door of Mount Vernon.

Manuscripts Box 81

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19136

Unit Date undated, nos. 1-31

Text 81 (box)

Language English.

Inventory of cattle, Mount Vernon

Unit ID MSS-293

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26804

Unit Date undated no. 3

Text 81 (box)

Container undated no. 3 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 3 pages. Inventory of cattle on each of the Mount Vernon farms, at the Distillery and at the Ferry.

Poem, Martha Parke Custis Peter

Unit ID W-782

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26805

Unit Date undated no. 5

Text 81 (box)

Container undated no. 5 (folder)

Creator Peter, Martha Parke Custis, 1777-1854

Scope and Contents

Poem, D. 1 page. "Versis on Sir Thomas Adams, Baronet Commander of His Majesty's Frigate the Boston, who died at Virginia. By a Young Lady."

Letter, Franklin Pierce to George Washington Parke Custis

Unit ID W-946

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26806

Unit Date undated no. 7 (October 20)

Text 81 (box)

Container undated no. 7 (folder)

Creator Pierce, Franklin, 1804-1869

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. To Arlington. Invites him to supper "this evening at 8 oclock." Autograph letter signed, with envelope, watermark (Patent).

Letter, Eleanor Calvert Custis Stuart to Burwell Bassett

Unit ID A-625

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26807

Unit Date undated no. 8 (January 30)

Text 81 (box)

Container undated no. 8 (folder)

Creator Stuart, Eleanor Calvert Custis, approximately 1758-1811

Creator Bassett, Burwell, 1764-1841

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. To Eltham. Apologizes for enclosing letter to Major [Geo. A.] Washington--heard he was at Eltham, and desired to reach him--sympathizes with "distressing accident" in his family and Mrs. Daingerfield's situation [widowed]--her children are all well--"Washington [G.W.P. Custis] quite hearty and the prettiest creature in the World ..." Autograph letter signed, laminated, incomplete watermark (crown). Name on original manuscript appears as "E. Custis."

Promissory note, Herbert Washington and Warner Washington to Samuel Strider

Unit ID A-456

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26803

Unit Date undated no. 10

Text 81 (box)

Container undated no. 10 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 2 pages. An autograph document signed, in the hand of Herbert Washington, promising to pay $60 on April 1, 1824 for the season of Rattler. Witnessed by Robert Earley. On reverse, assigned on April 17, 1825 to Wm. Hickman as agent for Dr. Wm. Thronton by Saml. Strider. Autograph document signed, fragment, in hand of Herbert Washington, endorsed. On reverse, assigned on April 17, 1825 to Wm. Hickman as agent for Dr. Wm. Thornton by Saml. Strider.

Note, height of mountains by Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26808

Unit Date undated no. 11

Text 81 (box)

Container undated no. 11 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Creator Conrad, Mary Eliza Angela Lewis, 1813-1839

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. Note, height of mountain peaks in the Himalaya Mountains and others, marked "For my darling Angela." Relative heights of mountains, principally in India, and sources of the Ganges River.

Letter, B.T. Bliss to Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26809

Unit Date undated no. 12 (June 11)

Text 81 (box)

Container undated no. 12 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Washington, D.C. to Alexandria. A.D. 1 page. Heard of her safe arrival at Mrs. Mason's--hopes to see her again--hopes her neuralgia will disappear--will try to make Col. [Bliss] diet more strictly to prevent another attack--news of [Z. Taylor's] family. [B.T. bliss was probably Zachary Taylor's younger daughter, Mary Elizabeth, or Betty]. Autograph letter signed, cover marked "concerning Bliss and Taylors", watermark.

Poem in French, unknown author

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26810

Unit Date undated no. 13

Text 81 (box)

Container undated no. 13 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Poem in French, 8 lines with quotation at end from "Pleasures of Memory."

Cover note, unknown author or recipient

Unit ID A-680

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26811

Unit Date undated no. 14

Text 81 (box)

Container undated no. 14 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Cover note, unknown author or recipient. Received enclosed letter some time since and opened it, having heard rumor "you was gone to ye. other World"--this probably owing to his retiring from company because of the Eruptions. Document, frag., laminated.

Letter, Henry Armistead to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26812

Unit Date undated no. 15

Text 81 (box)

Container undated no. 15 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. In answer to his [G.A.W.'s] letter, he has cash ready for him--no purchaser for G.A.W.-s lots--cash scarce and no one wants to enter into any contract--requests a visit by G.A.W. and Mrs. [Fanny Bassett] Washington. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, part of watermark.

Speech, George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26813

Unit Date undated no. 16

Text 81 (box)

Container undated no. 16 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 4 pages. Speech, The superiority of free countries over despotisms--necessity of educating people. Document, draft, probably in hand of George A. Washington, with revisions in an unknown hand, laminated, watermark.

Letter, John Bassett to George Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-680

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26814

Unit Date undated no. 17

Text 81 (box)

Container undated no. 17 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. To Mount Vernon. Assures G.A.W. of his practicing his resolution to set time aside for meditation and studious reading--hasn't retired before 12 oclock since his return from Mt. Vernon--found father much improved on arrival at Eltham--he has set out for Richmond in answer to a pressing letter of the Speaker's. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, by G.A.W., laminated, watermark.

Bookplate, Bushrod Washington

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26815

Unit Date undated no. 18

Text 81 (box)

Container undated no. 18 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

Bushrod Washington bookplate. Torn, part missing, laminated.Similar to G.W.'s bookplate.

Note, weight of tobacco

Unit ID A-283

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26816

Unit Date undated no. 19

Text 81 (box)

Container undated no. 19 (folder)

Creator Washington, George, 1732-1799

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Note, Weight of tobacco. The gross, tares, and net weight of tobacco grown on several farms. Document, fragment, totaled most likely in G.W.'s hand. Total net - 8772.

Note, calculation of plow work

Unit ID A-283

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26817

Unit Date undated no. 20

Text 81 (box)

Container undated no. 20 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. "Calculation of the work that 4 Ploughs may do in one Year." Subtracting 30 days for harvest and avoiding wet times of season. Unidentified hand.

Letter, Corbin Washington to Hannah Bushrod Washington

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26818

Unit Date undated no. 24

Text 81 (box)

Container undated no. 24 (folder)

Creator Washington, Corbin, 1764-1799

Creator Washington, Hannah Bushrod, approximately 1738-1804

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Sends two letters received from Sister [Mildred Washington] Lee--Col. [Wm. A.] Washington gave him a letter for her which he had opened, dealing with sale of her tobacco--sends flower seeds sent through Col. W.--hopes to see her tomorrow. Autograph letters signed, integral cover, mounted, laminated, watermark.

Letter, John Augustine Washington to William Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26819

Unit Date undated no. 25

Text 81 (box)

Container undated no. 25 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Bushfield to Blenheim. Will is despatched with the brandy--keg would hold only 17 gals.--sends endorsed Bills and a letter regarding sale which comes up tomorrow--relates family news to relate to Mrs. Washington--at Mr. Lee's last night for a fish feast. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, directed "By Will," laminated, watermark (WH). Name on original manuscript appears as "John Aug. Washington."

Letter, Elizabeth Smith to Hannah Bushrod Washington

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26820

Unit Date undated no. 26

Text 81 (box)

Container undated no. 26 (folder)

Creator Washington, Hannah Bushrod, approximately 1738-1804

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Laurel Grove to Blenheim. Misses seeing and hearing from H. Washington, her only sister--she has been a mother and sister to her--hopes to see her at Laurel Grove--she herself cannot leave home until crops are gathered--regards to members of family. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, watermark (G. Taylor). Name on original manuscript appears as "Eliza. Smith."

Letter, John Parke Custis to the Gentleman Freeholders of Fairfax County

Unit ID A-508

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26821

Unit Date undated no. 27

Text 81 (box)

Container undated no. 27 (folder)

Creator Custis, John Parke, 1754-1781

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. His thanks for their electing him as their representative in the last assembly--but must decline reelection--reasons. Autograph letter signed, endorsed "a letter written by my great grandfather John Parke Custis given me by Cousin Mary Lee," laminated, watermark.

Covers, Elizabeth Powel correspondence

Unit ID A-417

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26822

Unit Date undated no. 31

Text 81 (box)

Container undated no. 31 (folder)

Creator Powel, Elizabeth Willing, 1743-1830

Scope and Contents

Three covers for correspondence. Folded sheet bearing notation "General Washington's letters."

Manuscripts Box 82

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19137

Unit Date undated, nos. 32-69

Text 82 (box)

Language English.

Calculation of distances, unknown author

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26823

Unit Date undated no. 44

Text 82 (box)

Container undated no. 44 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 2 pages. In the left column of each page the unknown author records the name of the city, in the middle column the mileage to the next city, and in the far right column a running account of the total mileage covered thus far. The unknown author totals the distance between Philadelphia and Augusta as 717 miles.

Letter cover, to Mrs. Ann Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26824

Unit Date undated no. 45

Text 82 (box)

Container undated no. 45 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Letter cover, addressed to Mrs. Ann Washington, Rippon Lodge. Autograph document, fragment only, laminated.

List of George Washington items in the care of George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-301.150

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26825

Unit Date undated no. 46

Text 82 (box)

Container undated no. 46 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 4 pages. Lists volumes of G.W.'s private correspondence, surveys, accounts, diaries, etc. and no. of pages in each--also 400 vols. from G.W.'s library, many with complimentary presentation from authors--"I propose adding to the library his mahogany case of instruments used by him when he was a surveyer and in after life."--also to include 10 vols. from library of R.H. Lee, inherited by him[G.C.W.]--"The private papers of Genl. Washington, although not so numerous as those relating to public affairs for which the government paid $25,000, will be generally esteemed more curious and interesting, as developing more fully his character, through all the stages of his life, and the wonderful regularity and system which governed him under all circumstances."--papers on file too numerous to be listed but will accompany papers named in above schedule, with exception of small portion, which are confidential or refer only to family matters--will also include commission of G.W. as Lt. Genl. of Army, signed by John Adams, and his diplomas from universities and freedons of cities--"I really think that a state which confered so many honors on him as did yours, the best, by following throughout his precepts and principles, is a proper depository for his works." Autograph document signed, in hand of G.C.W. and signed by him, docketed by G.C.W.

Memorandum, price of Boston glass

Unit ID A-301.268

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26826

Unit Date undated no. 48

Text 82 (box)

Container undated no. 48 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 2 pages. Memorandum, prices of Boston glass. List of prices of glass of varying sizes. Document, in unknown hand, docketed, watermark.

Receipted bill, Joseph Mott

Unit ID A-238

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26827

Unit Date undated no. 50

Text 82 (box)

Container undated no. 50 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Amount £4.0.4. Document signed, charred fragment only, laminated. Receipted by Joseph Mott.

Receipt, Jas. B. Cooper to Samuel Francis

Unit ID A-238

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26828

Unit Date undated no. 51

Text 82 (box)

Container undated no. 51 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Receipt for£8.10.7 "for [ ] potatoes for the use of the President." Document, fragment, laminated, watermark, incomplete (Run).

Letter cover, Mrs. Anna Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26829

Unit Date undated no. 52

Text 82 (box)

Container undated no. 52 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Letter cover, to Mrs. Anna Washington, Alexandria. 1 document, fragment, laminated.

Letter with letter cover, John Augustine Washington III

Unit ID W-1310/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26830

Unit Date undated no. 53

Text 82 (box)

Container undated no. 53 (folder)

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Scope and Contents

Letter and letter cover, to Col. John Augustine Washington, Bushfield. Document, fragment of cover, charred by fire, laminated, docket (cannot be deciphered), directed "favr. Th. [Snow?]"

Bill, Jno Le Keux to Mr. Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26831

Unit Date undated no. 54

Text 82 (box)

Container undated no. 54 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Bill for early pease, Windsor Beanes, cauliflower, cabbage, lettuce, artichoak, etc. Document signed, fragment, laminated. Receipted by John Le Keux.

Bill, Charles Lowth to John Price

Unit ID W-1310/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26832

Unit Date undated no. 55 (May 4)

Text 82 (box)

Container undated no. 55 (folder)

Scope and Contents

London. Bill for 9 1/4 yds. rich hair camlet. Document, partly printed bill, laminated. Receipted by J. Stonehen[ ] for Messrs. Lowth and [ ].

Poetry, Eliza McCaw and Ann Washington

Unit ID W-1310/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26833

Unit Date undated no. 56

Text 82 (box)

Container undated no. 56 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. "First attempt in poetic way by Eliza McCaw and Ann Washington." On reverse of letter cover of a letter from Sarah Craufurd to Ann Washington, dated March 10, laminated, watermark.

Genealogy, Lee family

Unit ID MSS-249

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26834

Unit Date undated no. 57

Text 82 (box)

Container undated no. 57 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Gives marriage and death dates of George and Ann Fairfax Washington Lee. Also births of their children, dates of christening, their Godparents, etc. Autograph document, laminated, not examined for watermark.

Fragment of vellum with notations

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26835

Unit Date undated no. 59

Text 82 (box)

Container undated no. 59 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Fragment of vellum with notes. 1 page. "Tobacco ... by Gen. Washington ..... at Mount Vernon and manufactured by ... to his ... Col. Wm. A. Washington and by him bequeathed to ... son Col. W. Washington in ..."

Order, David Stewart to Mr. Starke of Hanover

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26836

Unit Date undated no. 60

Text 82 (box)

Container undated no. 60 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Order, David Stewart to Mr. Stark of Hanover. Regarding the estate of John Parke Custis. February order against Starke Oliver 26 attachment for answer 26 - 52 cents. (Signed) William Pollard, cl[er]k.

Letter, Lawrence Augustine Washington to Robert Beverly

Unit ID A-320; W-1459

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26837

Unit Date undated no. 63

Text 82 (box)

Container undated no. 63 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Requests money to pay for a load of hay. "I am pennyless indeed." Autograph letter initialed, quarter sheet. Name on original manuscript appears as "L. Wn." Robert Beverly was executor of William A. Washington's estate.

Poem, Robert Lewis

Unit ID A-625

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26838

Unit Date undated no. 67

Text 82 (box)

Container undated no. 67 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

A.D. 2 pages. 10 line poem in praise of G.W., ending "Washington - The Nation Glories in the name To bear it is the pride of fame." Autograph document, fragment, marked in another hand "by Robert Lewis Fredericksburg, Va.," at bottom of paper is scratched out a verse to a sweetheart, laminated.

Schedule of George Washington papers, George Corbin Washington

Unit ID A-301

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26839

Unit Date undated no. 69

Text 82 (box)

Container undated no. 69 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

Schedule of the papers of General Washington in possession of George Corbin Washington.

Manuscripts Box 83

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19138

Unit Date undated, nos. 70-95

Text 83 (box)

Language English.

Calling card, Benjamin Vaughan

Unit ID R-138; MS-670

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26847

Unit Date undated no. 71

Text 83 (box)

Container undated no. 71 (folder)

Scope and Contents

"His Britannic Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary." Son of Samuel Vaughan.

Survey, Mount Vernon land

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27356

Unit Date undated no. 72

Text 83 (box)

Container undated no. 72 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Survey, Mount Vernon Land. A.D. 2 pages. Plat of 150 acres of land at mouth of Dogue Creek, conveyed by Wm. Spencer to Richard Osborn, later a part of Mount Vernon. Document, possibly docketed in G.W.'s hand "Old Survey of no use," laminated, watermark.

Keywords

Land surveys

Letter, Eleanor Calvert Custis Stuart to Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26848

Unit Date undated no. 73

Text 83 (box)

Container undated no. 73 (folder)

Creator Stuart, Eleanor Calvert Custis, approximately 1758-1811

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. To Woodlawn. "Monday night." Thanks her for letters and valuable present--Patty [Martha Custis Peter] sent her chocolate, oranges and sage--her illness-hopes to be spared a while longer to her helpless family--must eat only simple food--chocolate for breakfast and whey at night--her garden--hears that Betsy [Eliza Custis Law] looks badly--"I would not my Child send your letter again to Law for I do not suppose it would have the smallest effect in changing his plans."--returns her towels and basket. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, spread eagle watermark. Name

on original manuscript appears as "E. Stuart."

Note, George Augustine Washington to Gideon Snow

Unit ID W-1095/C

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26849

Unit Date undated no. 74 (May 23)

Text 83 (box)

Container undated no. 74 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Scope and Contents

Note, A.D. 1 page. Autograph document, in 3rd person, in hand of G.A.W., fragment, silked. Name on original manuscript appears as "Geo. A. Washington." Incomplete note, requesting "2 good gridstones" [grindstones??]. On reverse is account in G.A.W.'s writing dated May 23d, for making clothing.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Gideon Snow

Unit ID A-607

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26850

Unit Date undated no. 75 (April 7)

Text 83 (box)

Container undated no. 75 (folder)

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Apoligizes for leaving him last night without shaking his hand or wishing him goodnight--afraid he would take it as intentional--send more of the Shalloon [woolen fabric of twill weave, used chiefly for linings] and some patterns of white satin with prices. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, watermark.

Letter, Tobias Lear to Gideon Snow

Unit ID A-607

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26851

Unit Date undated no. 76 (July 2)

Text 83 (box)

Container undated no. 76 (folder)

Creator Lear, Tobias, 1762-1816

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Mount Vernon to Alexandria. Received letter and key--send any of his shirts or handkerchiefs that are done--extreme heat--intends coming to Alexandria soon. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, watermark.

Letter, Bushrod Washington, Jr. to Edward Burd

Unit ID A-660

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26852

Unit Date undated no. 79 (September 14)

Text 83 (box)

Container undated no. 79 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1785-1830

Creator Burd, Edward Shippen, 1779-1848

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Visit of Miss Caton to Mt. Vernon--her approaching [marriage] to someone who will make her miserable--has heard of Burd's approaching marriage--General Moreau in Philadelphia--fever raging in Phila. will prevent [Bush. Washington] holding court there until Dec.--fears fever has come to Washington--Uncle [Bushrod Washington] leaves for Trenton and Aunt for "upper country," so will be alone--will try to visit Phila. in Spring. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, docketed, postmarked "Alexa. Va., laminated, George Washington's watermark (incomplete). Name on original manuscript

appears as "B. Washington."

Letter, Emilie de Tracy Lafayette to Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26853

Unit Date undated no. 80

Text 83 (box)

Container undated no. 80 (folder)

Language French.

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. La Grange to Woodlawn. "Our travelers" have returned in good health--they received handsome presents she sent--hopes to speak to her in person some day. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, watermarked (Van der Ley), in French.

Letter, George Washington Lafayette to Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID W-1251/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26854

Unit Date undated no. 81

Text 83 (box)

Container undated no. 81 (folder)

Language French.

Creator Lafayette, Georges Washington Louis Gilbert Du Motier, marquis de, 1779-1849

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. To Georgetown. Has lost his second mother, "the mother of the angelic companion of my life ..."--present his excuses to her sister [E.P. Custis Law]. Autograph letter signed, written in French, integral cover, laminated, watermark (dove of peace). Name on original manuscript appears as "G. W. Lafayette."

Letter, Eliza Parke Custis Law to Jonathan Trumbull

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26855

Unit Date undated no. 83

Text 83 (box)

Container undated no. 83 (folder)

Creator Law, Elizabeth Parke Custis, 1776-1831

Creator Trumbull, Jonathan, 1740-1809

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. Washington to New York. Name on original manuscript appears as "Eliza P. Custis." Concerning her picture that she does not like to be without even though she is sure it is safe "in your care." Next to her little grandchildren she values it above all things. Has been ill with a pain in her head and eyes.

Letter, Nathaniel Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26856

Unit Date undated no. 90

Text 83 (box)

Container undated no. 90 (folder)

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Sends, according to her request, her Museums and the "Battle of Prague"--hasn't time to give news of the [Praus ?] but supposes [Christian Blackburn] and Polly have done so--heard news of

her at Annapolis [of her expecting a child]--reminds her he is to be one of the God fathers. Name on original manuscript appears as "Nath. Craufurd." Autograph letter signed, laminated, watermark.

Letter, Sarah Blackburn Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26857

Unit Date undated no. 91

Text 83 (box)

Container undated no. 91 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Sends preserves and handkerchiefs--will have children innoculated--ask Dr. to send pills for violent oppression in her breast. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, directed by Tom, watermark incomplete. Name on original manuscript appears as "S.C."

Letter, Sarah Blackburn Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26858

Unit Date undated no. 92

Text 83 (box)

Container undated no. 92 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. Autograph document, fragment, laminated, directed by "favor Mr. Scott". Name does not appear on original manuscript.

Letter, Julia Ann Blackburn Washington to Polly Blackburn

Unit ID W-1310/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26859

Unit Date undated no. 93

Text 83 (box)

Container undated no. 93 (folder)

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Bowling Green, Tavern. Reached General Spotswoods and found him ill--her own depressed spirits at parting from mother and father and [Polly]--prays for [Polly's] restoration to health--will send barley sugar and try to get some entertaining magazines to send her--will write how she likes her new home--forward her the calico from Alexa. when it arrives--Kitty [Blackburn] sends love. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, watermark (R. Williams). Name on original manuscript appears as "Ann Washington."

Letter, Kitty Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26860

Unit Date undated no. 94

Text 83 (box)

Container undated no. 94 (folder)

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Goes to Greenwood [Md.] for 3 weeks--promises to write often. Autograph letter signed, laminated, incomplete watermark.

Letter, Judith Blackburn Alexander to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26861

Unit Date undated no. 95

Text 83 (box)

Container undated no. 95 (folder)

Creator Alexander, Judith Ball Blackburn, 1796-1866

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Will with pleasure come to her--her husband is ill and never received her letters will try to get some books--has send [Richard S. Blackburn's] letters to her. Autograph letter signed, fragment, laminated.

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Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19139

Unit Date undated, nos. 96-110

Text 84 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Sarah Blackburn Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26873

Unit Date undated no. 96

Text 84 (box)

Container undated no. 96 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Sally [Craufurd] still pale from ague--Mr. [Nath.] Craufurd still away from home--will get calico for her and send bundle of quilt to Mrs. Lee. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, directed by Stage, postmarked "Dumfries, Sept. 19," watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Letter, Sarah Blackburn Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26874

Unit Date undated no. 97

Text 84 (box)

Container undated no. 97 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Cautions her not to drink pump water and avoid night air--also cautions [Bushrod Washington] against too much fatigue--asks for some calico which Mr. [Nath.] Craufurd will pick up on next trip. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, directed "favor Mrs. Keith," watermark incomplete, letter written on cover addressed to Mrs. Craufurd, Greenwood, several messages written on cover. Name on original manuscript appears as "S. Craufurd."

Letter, Sarah Blackburn Craufurd to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26875

Unit Date undated no. 98

Text 84 (box)

Container undated no. 98 (folder)

Creator Craufurd, Sarah Blackburn, 1772-1862

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Disappointed [Ann] can't pay the visit she promised--blames [Bushrod Wasington] for her not being able to come--cannot go to B[ush]field because they have no carriage--sorry there wasn't muslin for a christening cap--won't have child christened until [Ann] can stand for her. Autograph letter signed, laminated, postscript on reverse cannot be deciphered, watermark (crown). Name does not appear on original manuscript.

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26876

Unit Date undated no. 99

Text 84 (box)

Container undated no. 99 (folder)

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Hopes she hasn't given up intention of going to springs--hopes she'll come soon [to Rippon Lodge]-will wait to go to Dickey's [R.S. Blackburn] until she can go with her--ask Mr. [Bushrod] Washington how much money will Kitty [Blackburn] need?--Capt. Campbell expected to die from abcess on lungs. Autograph letter signed, laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Blackburn."

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26863

Unit Date undated no. 100

Text 84 (box)

Container undated no. 100 (folder)

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. "Friday." Got home yesterday and Polly's [Blackburn] fever seems worse--will take her to Dr.'s when she is able to travel--fears cruel ride to Greenwood will be hard to take--write how she likes her housekeeper--Dickey [R.S. Blackburn] very industrious, hopes it will last. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Blackburn."

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26864

Unit Date undated no. 101

Text 84 (box)

Container undated no. 101 (folder)

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. "Monday evening." Glad to hear she reached Fredericksburg safely--Edmond Lee

delivered box of paints and received from her $30 and Jude's [Judith Blackburn] riding coat. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Blackburn."

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26865

Unit Date undated no. 102 (May 2)

Text 84 (box)

Container undated no. 102 (folder)

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Disappointed at not hearing from her--[Sarah Craufurd] left yesterday, says she is to accompany [Ann] to Springs in July--will be glad to get her anything she desires--hopes Kitty [Blackburn] does well in her studies--goes to brother's [Richard Scott Blackburn] next week--they [R.S. Blackburn] have lost their son. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, directed by Stage, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Blackburn."

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26866

Unit Date undated no. 103

Text 84 (box)

Container undated no. 103 (folder)

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. They have all been sickly--little Tom [Blackburn, Jr.] has flux--sends her some servants--send things for Nell to sew, and will make her do it. Autograph letters signed, integral cover, laminated, watermark torn. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Blackburn."

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26867

Unit Date undated no. 104

Text 84 (box)

Container undated no. 104 (folder)

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Sends beer and pickles by Will, also marmalade--sends $3 in part payment for Dickey's [R.S. Blackburn] tea. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated.

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26868

Unit Date undated no. 105

Text 84 (box)

Container undated no. 105 (folder)

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Got down a little after dark--Polly [Blackburn] tolerable well--Lewis will bring sugar--send

patterns of jacket--sent money to pay tradesman, hates to be in their debt--sends cherries and pease--will send lamb when they kill one. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Blackburn."

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26869

Unit Date undated no. 106

Text 84 (box)

Container undated no. 106 (folder)

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Stranded in Dumfries by her horses running away and servant sent after them--she and Polly [Blackburn] both ill there--sends Brena [servant] for her, who has promised to behave well--gave Brena money for linen to make herself a jacket and petticoat. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, watermark. Name on original manuscript appears as "C. Blackburn."

Letter, Christian Scott Blackburn to Julia Ann Blackburn Washington

Unit ID W-1310/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26870

Unit Date undated no. 107

Text 84 (box)

Container undated no. 107 (folder)

Creator Blackburn, Christian Scott, 1745-1815

Creator Washington, Julia Ann Blackburn, 1768-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Sorry they were delayed in town by Jack's injury--[Richard S. Blackburn] not home, so can't offer loan of his phaeton. Autograph letter signed, integral cover, laminated, directed by Will, watermark.

Survey, plot of land in Georgetown

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2117

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26871

Unit Date undated no. 108

Text 84 (box)

Container undated no. 108 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. Survey, plot of land in Georgetown. Intersection of Back St. and W-n St. in Thomas Beall of Georgetown second addition to Georgetown ... several lots included in the survey ... Text and diagram.

Letter, Mrs. Fayette Washington to Mr. Snow

Unit ID RM-173; MS-2529

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26872

Unit Date undated no. 110

Text 84 (box)

Container undated no. 110 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Mrs. Washington thanks Mr. Snow for his present of Oranges. She asks him if he could enquire among the shops for cotton resembling the piece she is sending him and if he is lucky in finding it will he please purchase one yard and a half for her. She does not wish to hurry him in this matter.

Manuscripts Box 85

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19140

Unit Date undated, nos. 111-130

Text 85 (box)

Language English.

Cover note, "contents"

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2201

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26877

Unit Date undated no. 112

Text 85 (box)

Container undated no. 112 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Document, 1 page. Some of these papers are in the collection given by Mr. Stewart, see Checklist of the Collection nos. 31, 32.

Note, Ann Fairfax Washington Lee to Mrs. Tuberville

Unit ID RM-68; MS-2143

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26878

Unit Date undated no. 113

Text 85 (box)

Container undated no. 113 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Autograph note, half page. Mrs. Lee sends a black apron which Mrs. Turberville may return when next at Mt. Pleasant or whenever needed. Autograph note, 3rd person, half-page. Name on original manuscript appears as "Mrs. G. Lee". [Writer is Ann Fairfax Washington Lee; recipient could be her sister-in-law, Martha Lee who married Maj. George Tuberville].

Cover or wrapping label, Eleanor Parke Custis Lewis

Unit ID RM-528; MS-4490

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26879

Unit Date undated no. 114

Text 85 (box)

Container undated no. 114 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Scope and Contents

Cover or wrapping label. "For/ Cousin Nelly/ from/ Sade."

Genealogy list, "Washington pedigree"

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2209

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26880

Unit Date undated no. 115

Text 85 (box)

Container undated no. 115 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Genealogy note, "Washington pedigree." General information on English ancestors ... quotes Sparks' Life of Washington and Burke's Commoners of Great Britain. Mr. Grace to Washington.

Note, Thomas and Ann Beall for George Corbin Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2123

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26881

Unit Date undated no. 116

Text 85 (box)

Container undated no. 116 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

Slip of paper with note, "Thomas Beall of Geo and Ann Beall Bills for Taxes Geo. C[orbin] Washington Cheques and Signatures."

Bill, Thomas Corcoran for William Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2107

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26882

Unit Date undated no. 117

Text 85 (box)

Container undated no. 117 (folder)

Creator Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Scope and Contents

1 pr. shoes for Negro Ellick, $1.50.

List of George Washington letters

Unit ID RM-54; MS-2090

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26883

Unit Date undated no. 118

Text 85 (box)

Container undated no. 118 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Note with list of letters. "Autograph letters (being copies or in his hand)." Included are Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, Jay, Lafayette, Judge Peters, Bishop White, ...

Mourning poem, Josiah Throop

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2295

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26884

Unit Date undated no. 122

Text 85 (box)

Container undated no. 122 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Mourning poem. A.D. 4 pages. "A feeble tribute in a Short funeral thought offered to the Memory of the Dear the Illustrous George Washington." Autograph letter signed, folio size. Written and signed by Josiah Throop, Johnstown, New York.

Letter, George Washington Parke Custis to Mr. Hamilton

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2302

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26885

Unit Date undated no. 123

Text 85 (box)

Container undated no. 123 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Invites young Hamiilton to Arlington House after he met him at Mr. Calverts. -- Calls himself and his wife "plain old-fashioned folk." Written to Alexander Hamilton's son.

Letter, Mr. Owens to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3356

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26886

Unit Date undated no. 124 (October 14)

Text 85 (box)

Container undated no. 124 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. To Audley. Concerning the imprudent behavior of a relative, Mary. Integral cover, wax seal.

Letter, Lorenzo Lewis to unknown recipient

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3557

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26887

Unit Date undated no. 125 (July 21)

Text 85 (box)

Container undated no. 125 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Congratulations on a fine harvest, and hopes that it will bring a good price. They are expecting 85 cents for theirs. Report on the success of a newly aquired wheat reaper.

Letter, Lawrence Lewis to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3558

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26888

Unit Date undated no. 126 (April)

Text 85 (box)

Container undated no. 126 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Woodlawn to Audley. Report on the farm business. He is sending him "four yellow horse chesnut trees and two Red."

Letter, Charles Carroll to Lorenzo Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3559

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26889

Unit Date undated no. 127

Text 85 (box)

Container undated no. 127 (folder)

Creator Carroll, Charles, 1737-1832

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. Proposal for a new operation for transporting the wheat crop efficiently and economically. L.L.'s current agent, Davis, has been unsatisfactory in this matter. Integral cover, wax seal.

Complaint, Bushrod and Corbin Washington against Fielding Lewis and George Noble

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2311

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26890

Unit Date undated no. 128

Text 85 (box)

Container undated no. 128 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Washington, Corbin, 1764-1799

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. Bushrod and Corbin Washington as Executors of John Augustine Washington, deceased, bring complaint against Lewis and Noble for non-payment of bond due John Augustine. Document signed, but not by the concerned parties.

Calendar study

Unit ID RM-411; MS-2620

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26891

Unit Date undated no. 129

Text 85 (box)

Container undated no. 129 (folder)

Scope and Contents

"A Perpetual Almanack." Handwritten calendar and rule "to find the day of the month." For years 1830-1850. Handwriting not identified.

Prayer book, Washington family

Unit ID RM-411; MS-2618

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26892

Unit Date undated no. 130

Text 85 (box)

Container undated no. 130 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Prayer book, Washington family. Judge Washington, Mount Vernon on one side. Ann Eliza Washington, Mt. Zepher, Virginia on the front cover. Handwritten prayers for morning and evening with some blank pages.

Keywords

Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Manuscripts Box 86

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19141

Unit Date undated, nos. 131-149

Text 86 (box)

Language English.

Invitation, Birthnight ball

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3530

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26897

Unit Date undated no. 131

Text 86 (box)

Container undated no. 131 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Esther Maria Coxe, 1804-1885

Scope and Contents

Printed invitation to a birthnight Ball on February 22, to be given at the City Hotel. Includes a list of managers. By Esther Maria Coxe Lewis.

Letter, George Corbin Washington to Sarah Tayloe Washington

Unit ID RM-378; MS-2478

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26898

Unit Date undated no. 133

Text 86 (box)

Container undated no. 133 (folder)

Creator Washington, George Corbin, 1789-1854

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 3 pages. The letter describes the death and funeral of Mr. [Major Richard L] Blackburn and mentions the condition and feeding of certain livestock as well as his plans for milling corn. On portion of cover there appears a list of domestic items and concerns in an unidentified handwriting. Autograph letter signed, integral cover.

Extracts from Washington family wills

Unit ID RM-538; MS-4183

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26899

Unit Date undated no. 135

Text 86 (box)

Container undated no. 135 (folder)

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Scope and Contents

D. 4 pages. Extracts from Washington family wills, and legal documents, relating to MV, viz. Augustine W-n's deed conveying Mount Vernon to Lawrence, will of Augustine W-n, Bushrod's interpretations. Name does not appear on original manuscript.

Letter, John Mosby to Lawrence Washington

Unit ID RM-553; MS-4229

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26900

Unit Date undated no. 136 (February 5)

Text 86 (box)

Container undated no. 136 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Concerning a book, "Resolutions of '98-'99", which was mistakenly sent to the Library of Congress.

Document fragments, Washington family

Unit ID RM-596; MS-4482

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26901

Unit Date undated no. 139

Text 86 (box)

Container undated no. 139 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Group of mss. fragments and newspaper fragments discovered in a rat's nest in the Washington bedchamber in 1905. Includes scraps and fragments of the following: Letter from Bushrod Washington, ca. April 4, 1806 to his wife Ann Blackburn Washington, letter to unknown recipient from "Mr. Greenwood," ca. May 7, 1805, letter from unknown author to "Friend [Jeremiah] Sanford" ca. April 6, 1783, and a letter from J. B. Mickoby to Mrs. [Ann Blackburn] Washington discussing Bushrod Washington's recovery from the grippe. These are not full letters, and are in various states of deterioration.

Letter, Lorenzo Lewis to Lawrence Lewis

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3529

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26902

Unit Date undated no. 141 (July 6)

Text 86 (box)

Container undated no. 141 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Lorenzo, 1803-1847

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. Informs his father of wheat harvest and current sale price per bushel. Explains a disciplinary problem he has had with a slave and overseer. Integral cover. Name on original manuscript appears as "L. Lewis."

Receipt, Sheriff of Fairfax County

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3531

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26903

Unit Date undated no. 142

Text 86 (box)

Container undated no. 142 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Receipt, Sheriff of Fairfax County. For executing a capias on Thomas Kirby Amount: $.63.

News clipping, article on Audley

Unit ID RM-457; MS-3532

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26904

Unit Date undated no. 143

Text 86 (box)

Container undated no. 143 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Newspaper clipping. Article on Audley. Writer and paper not identified.

Note, A. Appleton to Colonel Washington

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2192

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26905

Unit Date undated no. 144 (August 2)

Text 86 (box)

Container undated no. 144 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.S.N. 1 page. Invitation to a party.

Letter, Robert Lewis to Miss I. Brown

Unit ID RM-74; MS-2177

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26906

Unit Date undated no. 145 (October 29)

Text 86 (box)

Container undated no. 145 (folder)

Creator Lewis, Robert, 1769-1829

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Describes his travels since leaving her at Elsing Green ... Name on original manuscript appears as "Robt. Lewis."

Cover note, papers of George Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-530; MS-4541

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26907

Unit Date undate no. 146

Text 86 (box)

Container undated no. 146 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Cover note. A fragment "Papers relative to Major George A. Washington."

Keywords

Washington, George Augustine, approximately 1759-1793

Letter, Frances Dandridge Henry Lear to Mr. MacKenzie

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4657

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26908

Unit Date undated no. 147

Text 86 (box)

Container undated no. 147 (folder)

Creator Lear, Frances Dandridge Henley, 1779-1856

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. "I am very sorry it is not in my power now to send you the mony if you had aplyed to my son Batt he could a payed you or if you had lett me know sooner could got it for you ..." Postcript: asks Mackenzie to give her best to Batt if he should see him. Name on original manuscript appear as "F. Dandridge."

Note, Lawrence Augustine Washington to Van Rutherford

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4658

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26909

Unit Date undated no. 148

Text 86 (box)

Container undated no. 148 (folder)

Creator Washington, Lawrence Augustine, 1774-1824

Scope and Contents

A.N.S. 1 page. Charlestown. "Please to get me a side[?] of leather, if your town affords it, that is fit to make me some light shoes, as my man Daniel, has nothing, ... I'll also thank you to get me a hammer mould, for my smiths shop." Name on original manuscript appears as "Lawrence A. Washington."

Petition, Frederick County Court

Unit ID RM-683; MS-4659

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26910

Unit Date undated no. 149

Text 86 (box)

Container undated no. 149 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Petition to the Frederick County Court. Signed by Hannah Washington, Alvin Throckmorton, William A. Booth, [ ] LaRue, Jacob LaRue. They petition the court to "have the Road Leading from Buck marsh through the Land of Warner Washington Decd--to the Berkley Line; removed--".

Manuscripts Box 87

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19142

Unit Date undated, nos. 150-188

Text 87 (box)

Language English.

Letter, Mary Ball Washington to John Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-904; MS-5404

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26911

Unit Date undated no. 154

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 154 (folder)

Creator Washington, Mary Ball, 1708-1789

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. Autograph letter signed, seal (red). edges are brown/black from fire.

Letter, D.P. Ridgeway to John Redfield

Unit ID RM-938; MS-5489

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26912

Unit Date undated no. 156

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 156 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Partially printed Broadside with A.L.S. written on bottom and verso from D.P. Ridgeway to John Redfield. Advertisement reads "A small farm for sale! Composed of 50, 100, or 150 acres, as may suit the Purchaser. For the Ready Money, the subscribers will sell for a low price. The property is located about six miles from Alexandria, Va., nearly adjoining to Mount Vernon. For further information, apply to the subscribers on the premises." The letter asks for assistance with the sale of the property.

Autobiography, Reverend James Craik

Unit ID RM-933; MS-5474

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26913

Unit Date undated no. 157

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 157 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D. One manuscript, 33 pages. Autobiography of Rev. James Craik, grandson of Dr. James Craik.

Diary, Revolutionary War prisoner

Unit ID RM-959; MS-5516

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26914

Unit Date undated no. 158

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 158 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Diary, Revolutionary War prisoner. 23 pages. 8" x 5". Detailed diary written (after the fact) by a New England Patriot who was captured by the British. Describes his repeated attempts to escape. Excellent description of treatment by the British of American soldiers.

Letter, Jonce McGurk

Unit ID RM-975; MS-5572

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26915

Unit Date undated no. 159

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 159 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. "Miss Frances N. Nightingale, who is proprietor of a school for girls at 20 East 92nd St., has a miniature full length of Washington in a brooch studied with pearls given by ..." Provenance of

W270 taken from the curatorial files.

Letter, Jonce McGurk

Unit ID RM-975; MS-5573

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26916

Unit Date undated no. 160

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 160 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 1 page. "The brooch of George Washington (miniature by John Trumbull) is the smallest full length in existence ..." Provenance of W-270 taken from curatorial files.

Note, Cynthia Coleman

Unit ID RM-975; MS-5578

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26917

Unit Date undated no. 161

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 161 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. "A piece of the Robe in which Genl. Washington was Christened Also a button from one of his coats." Autograph document, (one small envelope) laminated. Provenance information for W-469 taken from the Curatorial Files.

Note, provenance information

Unit ID RM-975; MS-5579

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26918

Unit Date undated no. 162

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 162 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D. 3 pages. Provenance information taken from the Curatorial files which discusses table settings for the Seures China and other figurines. Gouverneur Morris is mentioned. Note by Harrison Dodge at bottom reads "(Found on top of Harpsichord after Council 1912. It refers to the [?] now in Mt. Vernon Mansion - HHD)"

Newspaper advertisement

Unit ID RM-974; MS-5569

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26919

Unit Date undated no. 163

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 163 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Newspaper advertisement. John Sunnocks, Trunk-maker from London. Provenance information.

Letter, M.L. to Margaret Comegys

Unit ID RM-973; MS-5568

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26920

Unit Date undated no. 164

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 164 (folder)

Creator Comegys, Margaret Douglass, 1816-1888

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages, Wilmington, April 14. In regards to furnishing the Delaware Room. Discusses lamp and

A.L.S. 4 pages. Wilmington, April 14. In regards to furnishing the Delaware Room. Discusses lamp and marble stone cover of the original tomb.

Reproduction image showing firedogs or andirons

Unit ID RM-971; MS-5562

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26921

Unit Date undated no. 165

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 165 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Facsimile reproduction image of firedogs (shows length and height). Research for W-7.

Note, provenance information

Unit ID RM-972; MS-5565

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26922

Unit Date undated no. 166

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 166 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D.S. 1 page. Concerning silver gorget from the Siege of Savannah. Provenance for H-475.

Note, Stuart Washington

Unit ID RM-971; MS-5556

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26923

Unit Date undated no. 167

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 167 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 2 pages. Provenance information for the Stuart Washington Endorsement of authentication made by Caroline H. Richardson. Provenance for H-4.

Note, provenance information

Unit ID RM-971; MS-5555

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26924

Unit Date undated no. 168

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 168 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Provenance information through Mr. George L. Schuyler and Mrs. Isaac Bell for W-7 firedogs. "I was present during the winter of 1890 when Mr. George L. Schuyler presented this pair of fire dogs to my mother Mrs. Isaac Bell."

Newspaper article

Unit ID RM-972; MS-5566

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26925

Unit Date undated no. 169

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 169 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Newspaper article. 1 page. Newspaper acct. of relic of the Siege of Savannah. Research for H-475, silver gorget.

Note, provenance information

Unit ID RM-974; MS-5570

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26926

Unit Date undated no. 170

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 170 (folder)

Scope and Contents

D. 1 page. Provenance for the piece of Lace ruffle on Washington's Linen, given by Mrs. Washington to Gilbert Stuart, when he was engaged in finishing the General's Portrait, provenance for W-448.

Bookplate, Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-1108; MS-5791

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/26927

Unit Date undated no. 172

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 172 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Printed bookplate of Bushrod Washington.

Letter, Wendell Phillips to A. Hayward

Unit ID RM-979; MS-5592

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27359

Unit Date undated no. 173

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 173 (folder)

Scope and Contents

AL.S. 2 pages. "Dear friend, The books arrived in perfect order. I ought to have acknowledged their safe receipt, but thought they got so near home in getting to the Antislavery office that you would have no anxiety. I am glad they answered your purpose and whenever i can be of any further service to you in that way I will be glad to do so."

Muster roll

Unit ID RM-1082; MS-5740

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27360

Unit Date undated no. 174

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 174 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. Muster roll. No location or unit information.

Family tree, Edmund Law Rogers

Unit ID MS-5859

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27361

Unit Date undated no. 175

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 175 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A.D. 4 pages. Genealogy or family tree of Edmund Law Rogers. Not complete.

Keywords

Rogers, Edmund Law

Lottery ticket, Alexandria Street Lottery

Unit ID A-680.33

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27362

Unit Date undated no. 176

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 176 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Printed ticket to an Alexandria Street Lottery, signed by J. Swift, with "A.M. Bassett" written on verso. Number 5529. Lottery for paving streets of Alex. was authorized in Oct. 1790, with J. Swift as one of those appointed to conduct it. "The possessor hereof shall be entitled to receive the Prize that may be drawn against it's Number."

Calling card, General Lafayette

Unit ID RM-316; MISC-2985; H-1182

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27363

Unit Date undated no. 177

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 177 (folder)

source Riggs, Jane Agnes, 1854-1930

Scope and Contents

Print calling card for General Lafayette. Note written on reverse by Mr. Dodge reads "This card was found by Miss Riggs, V.R. D.C. among papers of her family - sent by her to Mt. Vernon, 1921."

Keywords

Riggs, Jane Agnes, 1854-1930

Broadside, General Washington's Birthday song

Unit ID RM-1108; MS-5789

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/5589

Unit Date undated no. 178

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 178 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Printed broadside with 6 verses of a song to celebrate Washington's birthday. Tune, God Bless America.

Keywords

Broadsides (notices)

Washington's Birthday

Notes, references to George Washington family

Unit ID 2016-SC-015

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/3301

Unit Date undated no. 179

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 179 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Manuscript notes with references to George Washington family and descendants. Badly damaged, deteriorated. Several pages.

Letter, Margaret Cox to Harrison Dodge

Unit ID RM-975; MS-5581

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27364

Unit Date undated no. 180

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 180 (folder)

Creator Dodge, Harrison Howell, 1852-1937

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 2 pages. Concerning Washingtons shaving stand. W-202

News clipping, poem by George Washington Parke Custis

Unit ID RM-183; NEWS-2555

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27365

Unit Date undated no. 181

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 181 (folder)

Creator Custis, George Washington Parke, 1781-1857

Scope and Contents

News clipping, Poem about Washington. "__ on Washington by George W.P. Custis, of Arlington, The Step-grandson of Washington." Handwritten note at bottom reads "1905. Keep this for Edmund."

Keywords

Newspaper clippings

Letter, W.J. Law to Edmund Law Rogers

Unit ID MS-5849

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27367

Unit Date undated no. 182

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 182 (folder)

Creator Rogers, Edmund Law

Scope and Contents

A.L.S. 4 pages. "My dear cousin, You would very much oblige me and my neighbours here and at the same time be performing an act of great charity, if you would use your interest to prevent the Lock Keeper of Lock 56 on this Canal being turned out of her situation. She is a widow with six children,..." with envelope.

Account book fragment

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27368

Unit Date undated no. 183

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 183 (folder)

Scope and Contents

A. D. 1 page. Account book fragment with entry for Geo. S. Washington to pay for "cleaning his shoes."

Note, provenance information

Unit ID RM-1163; MS-5861/A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19576

Unit Date undated no. 184

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 184 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 pages

Scope and Contents

Manuscript notes on the provenance of a cross purported to be a piece of George Washington's coffin. According to the manuscript, the cross was taken "by bribing a negro" when Washington's body was transfered to the new tomb in 1831.

Keywords
Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Relics

Note, Elizabeth Hamilton to Gales & Seaton

Unit ID RM-770; MS-5071

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/29771

Unit Date undated no. 185

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 185 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Hamilton, Elizabeth Schuyler, 1757-1854

Extent 1 Sheets

Scope and Contents

In undated note, Mrs. Hamilton sends her compliments to Mr. Gale and Seaon, and states that she would like to subscribe to their weekly paper.

Keywords
Correspondence

Transcript of speech to Senate on George Washington's camp chest

Unit ID RM-770 ; MS-5077

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/29772

Unit Date undated no. 186

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 186 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 4 Sheets

Scope and Contents

Handwritten transcript (author unknown) of a speach to the United States Senate on George Washington's camp chest.

Letter, John Augustine Washington III to Edward C. Turner

Unit ID 2019-SC-038-005

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32244

Unit Date undated no. 187

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 187 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Extent 1 pages

Keywords
Correspondence
Turner, Edward C. (Edward Carter), 1816-1891

Pamphlet, Oath of allegiance

Unit ID 2022-SC-007-020

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32664

Unit Date undated no. 188

Text 87 (box)

Container undated no. 188 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 3 Sheets3 pages folded, 6 pages of text. duplicates.17 x 22 cm

Scope and Contents

Oath of Allegiance. 3 pages, 6 pages of text.

Custodial History

George Washington Masonic National Memorial Catalog No. 1971.01.041

Manuscripts Box 105, undated, nos. 189 -

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33721

Text 105 (box)

Cover, letters from the Marquis de Lafayette to Eliza Parke Custis Law

Unit ID RM-1150; MS-5839

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33616

Unit Date undated no. 189

Text 105 (box)

Container undated no. 189 (folder)

Language English, French .

Extent 1 Sheets22 x 28 cm

Scope and Contents

This document is a cover sheet describing a collection of letters between the Marquis de Lafayette and Eliza Parke Custis Law. It has a typewritten note at the top of the document in French. The description of the leters is written in pencil, by an unknown hand. It also describes the friendship between George Washington, the Lafayette family, and Eliza Parke Custis Law.

Envelope

Unit ID RM-1150; MS-5855

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33617

Unit Date undated no. 190

Text 105 (box)

Container undated no. 190 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 Sheetsenvelope24 x 11 cm

Scope and Contents

Envelope which once contained an undated letter written by Lord Cornwallis, a letter written by the Marquis de Lafayette, facsimile of a letter written by George Washington, and letters of Robert E. Lee, Mary Custis Lee, and Colonel Nicholas Rogers.

Inventory, Custis, Law, Lewis, Rogers, and Washington family documents

Unit ID RM-1150; MS-5856

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33618

Unit Date undated no. 191

Text 105 (box)

Container undated no. 191 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

List of family documents referring to Law, Custis, Lawrence A. Washington, Lawrence Lewis, John Law

List of family documents referring to Law, Custis, Lawrence A. Washington, Lawrence Lewis, John Law, James Adams, Eliza Law Rogers, Eleanor A. Rogers, Lloyd Rogers, and Thos. [Thomas] Law.

Notes, description of portraits of George and Martha Washington

Unit ID RM-1150; MS-5857; MS-5858

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33619

Unit Date undated no. 192

Text 105 (box)

Container undated no. 192 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 2 Sheets2 sheets folded, 6 pages with text11 x 17 cm

Scope and Contents

There are two separate pieces of writing within this folder. One is a handwritten excerpt from George Washington Parke Custis's "Recollections of Washington," describing the John Trumbull portrait of George Washington painted in 1790, and the "first portrait of George Washington" by Gilbert Stuart. The other is a narrative written by an unknown Custis descendant describing the the John Wollston portrait of Martha Washington, taken prior to her marriage to George Washington.

Note, description of China saucer left by Martha Washington left to George Washington Parke Custis

Unit ID RM-1150; MS-5861

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33620

Unit Date undated no. 193

Text 105 (box)

Container undated no. 193 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 Sheets14 x 6 cm

Scope and Contents

Note describing a China saucer that was a part of a larger tea set left to George Washington Parke Custis in Martha Washington's will. This set was given to her by a Mr. VanBraam.

Note, description of Betty Washington Lewis portrait engraving

Unit ID RM-1150; MS-5862

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33621

Unit Date undated no. 194

Text 105 (box)

Container undated no. 194 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Note provides background information on an engraving of a Betty Washington Lewis portrait, originally thought to be Martha Washington. The engraving was done by Cheney and Kellogg.

Note, information on deaths of George Washington Parke Custis and [James] Sharples

Unit ID RM-1150; MS-5863

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33622

Unit Date undated no. 195

Text 105 (box)

Container undated no. 195 (folder)

Extent 1 Sheets23 x 7 cm

Scope and Contents

Note on a fragment of paper, with information on the deaths of George Washington Parke Custis and [James] Sharples.

Letter, Lord Cornwallis to unknown

Unit ID RM-1150; MS-5868

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33623

Unit Date undated no. 196

Text 105 (box)

Container undated no. 196 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 4 Sheets4 sheets, 6 pages with text20 x 9 cm

Scope and Contents

Four fragments of a handwritten transcription of a letter from Lord Cornwallis to an unknown recipient. The letter is incomplete.

Portion of Will, John Custis, contemporary copy

Unit ID RM-770 ; MS-5094

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/29770

Unit Date undated no. 197

Text 105 (box)

Container undated no. 197 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 Sheets

Keywords

Legal documents

Slavery

Enslaved persons

Wills

Copy letter, George Washington to Martha Washington

Unit ID RM-1150; MS-5865

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33614

Unit Date undated no. 198

Unit Date copy made from 1775 June 18 letter

Text 105 (box)

Container undated no. 198 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George, 1732-1799

Extent 2 Sheets2 sheets folded, 6 pages of text20 x 25 cm

Scope and Contents

Copy of letter. George Washington writes to Martha regarding the "American cause" and his need to go "to Boston to take upon [him] the command". He mentions his possible death and will.

Keywords

Correspondence

Washington, Martha, 1731-1802

Notes, provenance information on the 1772 Charles Willson Peale portrait of George Washington

Unit ID RM-1150; MS-5851; MS-5852

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33611

Unit Date undated

Text 105 (box)

Container undated no. 199 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 2 pages2 pages with text20 x 23 cm

Scope and Contents

Two nearly identical provenance statements regarding the 1772 Charles Willson Peale portrait of George Washington. One statement has some grammatical edits and inserts. The statement describes the style and subject of the portrait, the various owners (up to Edmund Law Rogers, the grandson of Eliza Parke Custis Law), and the conservation work done on the portrait. Edmund Law Rogers died in 1896. This document is undated, and unauthored.

Keywords
Peale, Charles Willson, 1741-1827

Letter, James D. Smith to Dr. Joseph M. Toner

Unit ID 2023-VR-004-001 ; 2023-VR-004-002

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/35327

Unit Date undated no. 200

Text 105 (box)

Container undated no. 200 (folder)

Language English.

Keywords
Correspondence
Toner, Joseph M. (Joseph Meredith), 1825-1896
Mills, Clark, 1810-1883

Document, Marquis de Lafayette to unknown recipient

Unit ID 2022-SC-020

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/40213

Unit Date undated no. 201

Text 105 (box)

Container undated no. 201 (folder)

Language French.

Creator Lafayette, Marie Joseph Paul Yves Roch Gilbert Du Motier, marquis de, 1757-1834

Extent 2 pages1 sheet16 x 19 cm

Keywords
Correspondence

Manuscripts Box 111

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/35336

Unit Date 1576 - 1652

Text 111 (box)

Language English.

Indenture, signed by Edward Zouche

Unit ID 2023-SC-003-003

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/34371

Unit Date 1576

Text 111 (box)

Container Closed Stacks (Shelf)

Language English.

Creator Zouche of Harringworth, Edward La Zouche, Baron, 1556?-1625

Extent 1 SheetsVellum, folded, with wax seal56 x 39 cm

Scope and Contents

Indenture, from November 1576, details a land transaction between Edward Zouche and his wife Elenor and three people from Hemyock, Devon county, England. Names appear to be Nicholas (last name unclear), John Perry(?), and Charles Ford. On bifold reads "Hemyock, Zouch to Cha Ford & Nov. 19." Related documentation from auction house indicates the document was signed by Lawrence Washington, the quintuple great-grandfather of George Washington.

Keywords
Indentures

Indentures
Legal documents

Series 2. Ledgers and Bound Manuscripts
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/7015
Language English.

Embroidery pattern book
Unit ID A-302 ; M-1654
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/6983
Unit Date 1820-1830
Text 90 (box)
Container Bound Manuscripts/Ledgers (Shelf)
Language English.
Scope and Contents
The book is inscribed to Louisa C. Washington to Hannah B. Washington.

John Augustine Washington, Ledger C
Unit ID RM-73 ; MS-2166
Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/6978
Unit Date 1774-1789
Text 91 (box)
Container Bound Manuscripts/Ledgers (Shelf)
Language English.
Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787
Scope and Contents
Name index. pp. 1-107 ledger entries, 108-141 blank, 142-155 missing, 156-176 copies of leases deeds, etc. watermark.

Box also contains loose items that originally went with the ledger including:

1) 1771 July 31. Letter, Anne Haulworth to "dear Madam," A.N.S. Request for 25 pounds of sugar ... 2) 1773 August 12. Letter, Jesse Coats to John Augustine Washington. A.N.S. Coats requests Washington to pay Thomas Blane the money Washington owes Coats ... 3) 1778 September 12. Ledger entry of tobacco sales, Amt. of tobacco and price received ... 4) 1779 May 22. Receipt, Sum of 30/ for the Virginia "Gazette" pd. by Col. Washington for Phillip Smith ... 5) 1779 October 1. List of tools lent to Jas. Brinnon by John A. Washington. 6) 1780 November 23. Account, Major Burditt Asheton with John A. Washington. To cash pd. Wm. Pegg. 7) 1782 June 25. Account, Elizabeth Sehon with Mr. Will Mills. Mills was John A. Washington's overseer ... she desires payment of 2 1/2 barrels of Indian corn which was promised for 5 yds. of cloth for a coat ... 8) 1783 June 14. Tax receipt for tobacco. Note of payment at Nomini for inspection of tobacco and taxes thereon ... 9) 1784 April. Account, John Carroll with John A. Washington. Carroll made a trip to Berkeley for JAW ... 10) 1784 April 15. Receipt, Thomas Kirkpatrick to Jeremiah Sandford. For 10 barrels of flour ... pinned to credit side of Kirkpatrick's account in the Ledger ... 11) 1787 August 6. Note, Bushrod Washington to unknown recipient. Expresses regret that an account has remained unsettled when the writer thought it had been paid. 12) undated. Notes gold and paper money on hand. 13) undated. Account, John Walker with John A. Washington. For weaving cloth for Washington and Mr. Rice ... account of Mr. Will Rice appears on this page ... 14) undated. Account, Robert Lewis with the Farmer's Hotel Washington City.

Keywords
Enslaved persons
Business records
Ledgers (account books)
Real property

William Carlin Ledger

Unit ID RM-1031; MS-5663

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/4935

Unit Date 1765-1774

Text 92 (box)

Container Bound Manuscripts/Ledgers (Shelf)

Language English.

Creator Carlin, William, 1732-1820

Scope and Contents

The ledger of William Carlin, who was a tailor in Alexandria who made clothes for George Washington and other staff members at Mount Vernon.

Keywords

Ledgers (account books)

Clothing and dress -- Purchasing

John Augustine Washington III, Ledger

Unit ID RM-1160; MS-5886

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/6979

Unit Date 1857

Text 93 (box)

Container Bound Manuscripts/Ledgers (Shelf)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Keywords

Ledgers (account books)

Executor's Account Book of George Washington's Estate

Unit ID W-704

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/6981

Unit Date 1802-1834

Text 94 (box)

Container Bound Manuscripts/Ledgers (Shelf)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Contains decision in friendly suit of Lawrence A. Washington & others against Bushrod Washington & Lawrence Lewis, acting executors of General Washington, dated April 15, 1825 and signed by A. Moore, Commissioner and auditor--Order of Court of the District of Columbia, Alexandria County, Lawrence Washington and the other Legatees, etc. against Bushrod Washington, Lawrence Lewis, etc. May 19, 1823 teste Edm. I Lee C.C.--sales of a portion of the estate with names of purchasers, etc. (1802-1805)--Accounts of various legatees in account with estate--accounts of Lawrence Lewis reported to Fairfax Courthouse.

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Estate

Estate records

William Augustine Washington Account Book

Unit ID A-320; W-1459b

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/6974

Unit Date 1806-1820

Text 95 (box)

Container Bound Manuscripts/Ledgers (Shelf)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

General Business Accounts. Beginning at end of the book are 14 pages devoted to an account with the

Schooner William Henry. The entries are in the hand of Robert Beverley, later, the executor of Wm. A. Washington's estate.

Keywords
Business records

Notebook of Mary L. C. Washington

Unit ID H-1084

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/6976

Unit Date 1810 February 2

Text 95 (box)

Container Bound Manuscripts/Ledgers (Shelf)

Language English.

Scope and Contents
Contains Bishop Wilson's Sacra Privata--favorite hymns, prayers,--extracts from Sharps Sermons--12 golden rules and other religious extracts--notes on the education of children.

Book, Chess made easy: New and comprehensive rules for playing the game of chess

Unit ID A-513

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/6975

Unit Date 1808

Books 96 (box)

Container Bound Manuscripts/Ledgers (Shelf)

Language English.

Scope and Contents
(London: Printed for J. Harris)

Diary of Henry C. Westervelt

Unit ID RM-5 ; MS-2008

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/6977

Unit Date 1839-1842

Text 96 (box)

Container Bound Manuscripts/Ledgers (Shelf)

Language English.

Scope and Contents
Westervelt's journey was made in 1839, recorded in 1841 and the dedication to Hon. Richard Rover is dated Dec. 18, 1842. Bount cursory descriptions of the principal cities between N.Y. and Society Hill ... 15 p. description of Mount Vernon, grounds, tomb, Mansion: interior and exterior ... appalled at the ruined condition of the estate.

Keywords
Diaries

Civil War diary of James A. Minish

Unit ID 2019-SC-023

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19562

Unit Date 1861 September-1862 January

Text 97 (box)

Container Bound Manuscripts/Ledgers (Shelf)

Language English.

Extent 109 pages

Scope and Contents
Manuscript diary of Civil War soldier Private James A. Minish, 105th Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers. With spiral-bound, typescript transcription of the diary and additional letters, edited and annotated by M. L. Brown. The diary includes descriptions of Minish's visits to Washington D.C. and Mount Vernon.

Keywords
United States -- History -- Civil War, 1861-1865
Diaries

Daily memorandum book of Helen Josephine Dike Stearns

Unit ID 2019-SC-021

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19563

Unit Date 1870

Text 97 (box)

Container Bound Manuscripts/Ledgers (Shelf)

Language English.

Extent 46 pages7 1/4 x 2 3/4 inches

Scope and Contents
A Reconstruction-era manuscript journal kept by Helen Josephine Dike Stearns, wife of a prominent New York merchant. The journal includes descriptions of a visit to Washington D.C. and Mount Vernon in April 1870.

Keywords
Diaries

Fairfax Family Ledger

Unit ID RM-1191

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/6982

Unit Date 1739-1747

Text 98 (box)

Container Bound Manuscripts/Ledgers (Shelf)

Language English.

Creator Fairfax, George William, 1724-1787

Creator Fairfax, William George, Sir, 1739-1813

Scope and Contents
There are three sets of entries in the ledger. The first set of entries consists of 36 pages and date to 1739, 1740, 1742, 1744, 1745, 1746, and 1747 and individual lists are accepted and signed by William Fairfax (1691 – 1757), who had just built Belvoir. Several pages are headed "Gedney Clarke Mercht of Barbados" who apparently is in charge of shipping items to William Fairfax in Virginia. The second set of entries in the ledger comprises most of the ledger and consists of 52 pages. It covers the years 1760 to 1772 and accounts are initialed by "GWFx," George William Fairfax, son of William Fairfax, who died in 1757. These entries consist of page after page of goods or services purchased largely from London merchants; Cheapside, Fleet Street, and Charring Cross are mentioned. A third section of the ledger consists of six pages in the middle of the book that date from 1760 to 1766. It is an "Acct of Sales of Tobacco" from 1760 to 1766. The names of the buyers are unknown.

Keywords
Business records
Ledgers (account books)
Financial records
Fairfax family

Account book, Fanny Bassett Washington

Unit ID RM-578; MS-4458

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/23564

Unit Date 1793 January - 1795 August

Text 99 (box)

Container Bound Manuscripts/Ledgers (Shelf)

Language English.

Creator Lear, Frances "Fanny" Bassett Washington, 1767-1796

Scope and Contents
A.D. 46 pages. Autograph document, leatherbound ledger. Account book kept by Fanny Bassett

Washington from the death of her husband George Augustine Washington until her marriage to Tobias Lear. Household, financial accounts.

Keywords
Financial records

Ledgers (account books)

Willard scrapbook

Unit ID RM-770

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/29767

Unit Date 1700s to 1800s

Text 100 (box)

Container Bound Manuscripts/Ledgers (Shelf)

Language English.

Extent 1 Volumes27 x 36 cm

Scope and Contents

Scrapbook contains prints, original and copies of letters, and financial documents dating from the early 18th to late 19th century.

Keywords
Scrapbooks

Commonplace book of Louisa Clemson Browne

Unit ID 2016-SC-024-004

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19573

Unit Date 1800s?

Text 101 (box)

Container Bound Manuscripts/Ledgers (Shelf)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Commonplace book of Louisa Clemson Brown (later Rogers), a descendant of George Washington Steptoe, nephew of George Washington. Louisa lived from 1862-1939 in West Virginia.

Keywords
Commonplace books

Commonplace book of Mary Washington Rogers

Unit ID 2016-SC-024-001

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19574

Unit Date 1840

Text 101 (box)

Container Bound Manuscripts/Ledgers (Shelf)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Commonplace book signed on title page Mary Rogers, believed to be Mary Washington Rogers (later Laidley) of West Virginia, a descendant of George Washington Steptoe, nephew of George Washington. The scrapbook contains letters and poems regarding God, Autumn, love, religion, friendship, prayer, Mrs. Rogers, and Mary.

Keywords
Commonplace books

Richard's history of forty two years experience of eastern and southern and western life of its advantages and disadvantages and narrow escapes in different ways and the way of living in each part

Unit ID 2021-SC-005

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/29556

Unit Date 1895

Text 102 (box)

Container Bound Manuscripts/Ledgers (Shelf)

Language English.

Extent 186 pagesbound manuscript in tan cloth with leather outer corners and black scallop decorations on covers31 x 20 cm

Scope and Contents

Richard Roberts was the son of Richard Roberts (1808-1876). His mother died when he was five years old and the family left New Jersey a few years later. Likely they joined the Quaker community which had established itself in Alexandria in the 1850s, the pacifist Woodlawn Quakers. This group lived near the village of Accotink, a place mentioned several times in Robert's autobiography. According to a history of the Alexandria Quaker Meeting by Martha Claire Catlin, the group befriended and supported the economic independence and land ownership of the free African Americans in the area. The 1870 census shows Richard Robert's family living on real estate valued at $7,250, on a portion of Mount Vernon where they had numerous African American neighbors. Given the descriptions in the text, the Roberts farm may have been part of Washington's "Muddy Hole" or "Dogue Run" property. Roberts provides descriptions of his life there, the estate, and inhabitants, just after the Civil War.

Keywords

Mount Vernon (Va.)

Quit Claim Deed of Robert Washington and Lawrence Washington to Roger Littleforde

Unit ID RM-47 ; MS-2053

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32172

Unit Date 1601 October 10

Text 103 (box)

Container Bound Manuscripts/Ledgers (Shelf)

Language Latin.

Extent 1 Sheets2 pages of text. 2 wax seals on deed, 1 wax seal in separate container within box

Scope and Contents

Charter of Robert Washington of Sulgrave, Co. Northants, and his son and heir Lawrence Washington, being a quit claim whereby they both give up to Roger Littleford of Sulgrave, "husbandman," their right and title in a messuage or tenement in Sulgrave lately in possession of John Mosse of Sulgrave "laborer", also their right and title in one quadrant and a "quarterne" of a virgate of land in Sulgrave. Signed and sealed by both Robert and Lawrence Washington, signed on verso by four witnesses.

The two signers of this document are direct ancestors of the first President of the United States, George Washington. Robert Washington, 1540-1619, was the eldest son of Lawrence, builder of Sulgrave Manor. The other signer, Robert's eldest son, Lawrence, 1565-1616, was grandfather of Colonel John Washington, who settled in Virginia in 1657 and was himself great-grandfather of the first President.

Keywords

Deeds

Real property

Washington, Lawrence, 1565-1616

Diary of John Brazier Cannon

Unit ID H-1123

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25755

Unit Date 1806 January-1806 October

Text 104 (box)

Container Bound Manuscripts/Ledgers (Shelf)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Journal of weather conditions and events taking place at Mt. Vernon under supervision of Bushrod Washington--[Cannon was evidently an overseer]--acct. of Birthday celebration in Alexandria-- acct. of many persons coming to Mt. Vernon to "view the situation"--mentions visiters and family and financial matters--enmity for Dutchman Frobel--hire of a German gardener--Mr. Jackson "... took his [runaway] Negroe in Philada. but he was taken away from him again by the mob." Bound diary, in front is name "John Brazier Cannon Mount Vernon February 20th 1806" (There is also a bound typescript in library).Bound Manuscript. 182 pages.

Keywords
Diaries

John Augustine Washington Farm Book

Unit ID MS-5181

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32967

Unit Date 1814-1846

Text 106 (box)

Container Closed Stacks (Shelf)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1785-1830

Extent 1 Volumesleather bound volume. On front cover: house linen, plate, china, etc. Also greenhouse plants 1832. On back cover: Mount Vernon Farm Book John A. Washington 1842.15 x 25 cm

Scope and Contents

This manuscript is made up of several sections. Approximately the first 100 pages include inventories of the Mount Vernon estate's contents (silver, dishes, beds, linens, and so on). That set of inventories was begun during Bushrod Washington's tenure as owner of Mount Vernon. Much of the text appears to be in his handwriting. The middle 200 pages are made up of the manuscript contain the daily diary of John A. Washington III for the years 1842-1845, while he owned Mount Vernon. The final 50 or so pages contain John A. Washington's record of work done by various individuals on the Mount Vernon property for several months at the end of 1842 to the beginning of 1843; a variety of other miscellaneous records and accounts are included in these final pages, all of which appear "upside down" in relation to the inventories and diary because they were written with the blank book flipped over so that the original back cover became the front cover. The inventories include two lists of slaves: one is dated 20 July 1815 (during the Bushrod Washington years); and the other with birthdates to April 1845 (during the John A. Washington III years).

Keywords
Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)
Farm management

Legal notebook of John Augustine Washington

Unit ID MS-5182

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32972

Unit Date 1853

Text 106 (box)

Container Closed Stacks (Shelf)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Extent 1 Volumesbound leather volume. On front cover: John A. Washington.12 x 18 cm

Scope and Contents

The first page reads "An account of the proceedings of the Commissioners appointed by the County Court of Fairfax County VA to assess the damages to be paid by the Manassas Gap Railroad to the Landowners through whose lands in Fairfax county the Railroad shall be constructed". John Augustine Washington was a commissioner along with J.B. Hunter, L.M. Ball, E.G. Ford, and G.M. Millar. This is an account of their surveys including their travels to the various sites.

Keywords
Real property

Ledger

Unit ID MS-5183

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32973

Unit Date approximately 1890s

Text 106 (box)

Container Closed Stacks (Shelf)

Language English.

Extent 1 Volumesbound in red marbled board with a red spine. 9 x 31 cm

Scope and Contents

Ledger, possibly kept by Lawrence Washington, contains notes on books in the Library of Congress and in the Alexandria library.

Keywords

Books

Journal at Mount Vernon

Unit ID MS-5180

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32971

Unit Date 1830 April 8

Text 107 (box)

Container Closed Stacks (Shelf)

Language English.

Extent 1 VolumesLeather bound volume.17 x 20 cm

Scope and Contents

The journal includes topics of medicinal notes, farrier techniques, recipes, and law.

Keywords

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Farm management

Medicine -- History -- 19th century

Journal of John Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-1165, MS-5899

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32974

Unit Date 1852-1856

Text 107 (box)

Container Closed Stacks (Shelf)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Extent 1 VolumesBound leather volume. On front cover: John A. Washington Mount Vernon Begun March 29th, 1852. Finished January 12th, 1856.20 x 12 cm

Scope and Contents

Journal begins with a "List of negros" including name, when born, and how acquired. Journal includes dated daily entries and an alphabetized index at the end. There is also an annotated drawing of the interior arrangement of the New Tomb.

Diary of John Augustine Washington

Unit ID MS-5184

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32970

Unit Date 1856-1857

Text 107 (box)

Container Closed Stacks (Shelf)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, III, 1821-1861

Extent 1 VolumesLeather bound volume. On front cover: John A. Washington Mount Vernon Virginia Begun on January 15, 1856. 19 x 12 cm

Scope and Contents

The first entry in the diary is a 3 page "List of negros", belonging to John Augustine Washington. The list includes names, birthdates, and sources of acquisition. Other entries in the diary are regarding business, financial matters, and the management of Mount Vernon.

Keywords

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Farm management

Enslaved persons

Diaries

Bound manuscript, Brigade book of the Brigade commanded by the Honorable Brigade General Poor by Brigade Major Ben Walker

Unit ID RM-1113 ; MS-5796

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/34120

Unit Date 1778 January - 1779 May

Text 108 (box)

Container Closed Stacks (Shelf)

Language English.

Creator Walker, Benjamin, 1753-1818

Extent 1 Volumes1 bound manuscript book approximately 143 pages, 3 separate loose pages30.4 x 19 cm

Scope and Contents

Bound manuscript contains the returns kept for General Poor's Brigade, by Captain Benjamin Walker, at various camps, a few returns left unaccomplished, several general orders and records of courts-martial,and a legal docket ca. 1830. These daily inventories of soldiers and their equipment begin at Valley Forge in January 1778 and run through May 1779.

Keywords

Poor, Enoch, 1736-1780

Bound Manuscript Diary, Anne S. Frobel

Unit ID RM-751, MS-4997

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/34121

Unit Date 1861-1879

Text 109 (box)

Container Closed Stacks (Shelf)

Language English.

Creator Frobel, Anne S., 1816-1907

Extent 1 Volumes121 pages, very fragile, binding is held together by green tape34 x 23 cm

Scope and Contents

Anne S. Frobel's father, John Jacob Frobel, was Ann Washington's music teacher, and lived for a short time at Mount Vernon (circa 1804-1806) with Bushrod and Ann Washington. The diary includes reminiscences of her childhood visits to Mount Vernon.Part I of the diary covers the Civil War years, 1861-1865. It constitutes almost 90% of the diary and deals with Anne and her sister Elizabeth's experiences as two female southern sympathizers alone on a farmstead, "Wilton Hill," outside of Alexandria, Va. Frobel describes the occupation of northern Virginia by Union soldiers, as well as their

own house and grounds by the Union Army.She reveals both their fears and courage as she describes problems with Union soldier raids, and her attempts to get protection from Union officers. She relates the hazards of travelling to Alexandria, difficulties obtaining passes, and the desertion of slaves to the army. She also relates her own deteriorating relationship with her slaves, and their relationship to the soldiers.Part II of the diary describes a six-year period after the war, 1873-1879, detailing Elizabeth's and her financial hardships and the difficulty of collecting rent from tenants. She also relates their attempts to sell their farm.

Keywords

Diaries

United States -- History -- Civil War, 1861-1865

Mount Vernon (Va.)

Clement Biddle letter book no. 45

Unit ID RM-693; MS-4722

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/34230

Unit Date 1785 February - 1788 January

Text 110 (box)

Container Closed Stacks (Shelf)

Language English.

Creator Biddle, Clement, 1740-1814

Extent 1 Volumesfragile binding, foxing26 x 38 cm

Scope and Contents

Contains copies of letters written in the course of Clement Biddle's business dealings in Philadelphia. Includes copies of letters to George Washington (28 in number), Henry Knox, James Wilkinson, and Timothy Pickering, and others. The Washington letters concern his efforts to procure household goods, furniture, agricultural implements and supplies for the Washington family, providing a record of the development of the Mount Vernon estate in the period between the Revolutionary War and Washington's presidency. The letters also reveal interesting insights into life in Philadelphia during the period of the Constitutional Convention.

Keywords

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)

Financial records

Constitutional conventions -- United States

Lund Washington Account Book

Unit ID W-693

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/6980

Unit Date 1772-1786

Text 112 (box)

Container Bound Manuscripts/Ledgers (Shelf)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Lund, 1737-1796

Creator Washington, George, 1732-1799

Scope and Contents

Contains accounts for the running of George Washington's Mount Vernon estate, its constituent farms and businesses. Entries document expenses for the fisheries, tailor work, voyage of the brig (or brigantine) Farmer to Jamaica in 1774, tools, clothing for slaves, expenses for various craftsmen, food, weaving, tobacco, and much more. Earliest entries are said to be in the hand of John Kirkpatrick, while the last two thirds of the volume are in the hand of Lund Washington. About a half dozen notations in George Washington's hand also appear. Quite a few later manuscript additions appear throughout, giving explanations or 'editorial commentary' on the text. Pages numbered 89-107 were removed prior to the original coming to Mount Vernon.

Also available at Mount Vernon: typed transcription dating perhaps to 1932 (Transctiption 17-A); handwritten "transcript with index" by A.L. Reese dating to 1946 (Transcription 18-A); and typed transcription created by Gwendolyn White and Maureen Connors in 2009 (Transcription 45-A).

Keywords

Ledgers (account books)

Ledgers (account books)
Farm management
Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)
Slavery

Bound manuscript music, belonging to Martha Parke Custis

Unit ID W-1149

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/29872

Unit Date 1768

Music 122 : H : 6 (Shelf)

Language English.

Creator Custis, Martha Parke, 1755-1773

Extent 1 Volumes1 volume, unpaginated. Bound in marbled red brown leather.30 x 23 cm

Scope and Contents

Blank book, leaves ruled for musical notation. Folio, bound in calf. Inscription on the flyleaf: "Martha Parke Custis March 1768" in the hand of George Washington. Contains holograph short musical pieces, some with texts in English, suitable for a beginning student, in two different hands, believed to be those of Martha Parke Custis and her teacher John Stadler.

Keywords
Sheet music

Bound sheet music, belonging to Eleanor Parke Custis

Unit ID W-74

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/29870

Unit Date circa 1780-1799

Music 122 : H : 6 (Shelf)

Language French.

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Extent 1 Volumes1 volume, various paginations. Bound volume, with "Eleaner P. Custis" embossed in dark leather on the front cover.25 x 34 cm

Scope and Contents

Bound volume includes various sheet music bound together for use of Eleanor Parke Custis. Front cover contains the name "Eleaner P. Custis [sic]" embossed on leather. Includes "Trois Sonates a quatre mains pour clavecin ou piano forte," among others. Includes handwritten note at the end of the volume.

Keywords
Sheet music

Bound sheet music, belonging to Eleanor Parke Custis

Unit ID W-703

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/29869

Unit Date 1786-1792

Music 122 : H : 6 (Shelf)

Language English, French .

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Extent 1 Volumesbound volume with a leather spine, frayed corners. "Continental Music from the Custis and Washington Family from Mt. Vernon" is handwritten on the first page.26 x 33 cm

Scope and Contents

The bound sheet music was owned by Eleanor Park Custis, approximately 1786-1792. Includes multiple music publications that are bound together. Music was composed for various instruments such as violin and harpsichord, as well as voice.

Keywords
Sheet music

Bound manuscript music, belonging to Eleanor Parke Custis

Unit ID W-1368 ; A-286

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/29867

Unit Date 1797

Music 122 : H : 6 (Shelf)

Language English.

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Extent 1 Volumesbound volume with "1442" printed on front lower corner. "1797" is handwritten on the inside of the front cover. "Eleanor Parke Custis February 25, 1797" is handwritten on title page.33 x 23 cm

Scope and Contents

The bound manuscript music contains music in the hand of Eleanor Parke Custis, with a collection of miscellaneous pieces including the published score of "Love in a Village: A Comic Opera." Signed "Eleanor Parke Custis, February 25th 1797." The front cover contains the the number "1442" in the bottom left corner.

Keywords

Sheet music

Bound sheet music, belonging to Eleanor Parke Custis

Unit ID RL-6634

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/29871

Unit Date 1794

Music 122 : H : 6 (Shelf)

Language Italian.

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Extent 1 Volumes1 volume, various paginations. Front cover contains name "Eleanor P. Custis" embossed in red leather. Fragile binding.35 x 24 cm

Scope and Contents

Bound volume belonged to Eleanor Parke Custis, whose name is embossed in leather on the cover as "Eleanor P. Custis." Includes multiple musical works bound together. Works are for instrument and voice, in Italian. Also contains a souvenir piece of a banner and a handwritten note.

Keywords

Sheet music

Bound sheet music, belonging to Eleanor Parke Custis

Unit ID W-1368/B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/29868

Unit Date circa 1780-1799

Music 122 : H : 6 (Shelf)

Language English.

Extent 1 Volumesbound leather volume, name "Eleanor P. Custis" is embossed in red leather on the front cover.34 x 23 cm

Scope and Contents

The bound sheet music of twelve progressive lessons for the harpsichord, piano forte or organ, was owned by Eleanor Parke Custis. Also includes handwritten music and notes. The verso of the front cover includes an inscription, "Frances Parke Lewis 1814."

Keywords

Sheet music

Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

The Harpsichord or Spinnet Miscellany, belonging to Martha Parke Custis

Unit ID W-72

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/29877

Unit Date 1765

Music 122 : H : 7 (Shelf)

Language English.

Extent 1 VolumesLeather bound volume of sheet music. "Martha Parke Custis Music Book" is embossed in leather on the front cover. Front cover is marbled black with a brown leather spine.32 x 23 cm

Scope and Contents

Folio, modern binding of Robert Bremner's 'The Harpsichord or Spinnet Miscellany,' belonging to Martha Parke Custis. Inscription on recto or leaf following title page: "Martha Parke Custis January the 19 1769" and "Marta Parke Custis." Pages, full and partial, have been silked.

Keywords

Sheet music

Custis, Martha Parke, 1755-1773

Created/Published

Robert Bremner

Bound sheet music, belonging to Eleanor Parke Custis

Unit ID W-75

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/29876

Unit Date circa 1780-1799

Music 122 : H : 7 (Shelf)

Language French.

Extent 1 VolumesBound volume. The name "E.P. CUSTIS" embossed on front cover in red leather. Marbled cover with a brown leather spine.26 x 33 cm.

Scope and Contents

Bound collection of published chamber works by Pleyel and three sonatas by Kozeluch primarily for piano-forte and harpsichord. Manuscript copy of "Hope Told a Flattering Tale," by Pleyel; "Here's a health to ane I loe dear," music by Kozeluch -poetry by Robert Burns; "Come live with me, & be my love," composed by Emerick, poetry by Shakespeare; "The Chieftain," words by T. C. [Thomas Campbell]; "The Hunter's Horn," words by Fitzsimons, music by Philips (?); "Dearest Maid I adore thee," words by J. Lee Lewis, composed by W Slape; in the hand of Eleanor Parke Custis. Also includes manuscript copy of "Hymn of Riego" in the hand of Eleanor Parke Custis [Lewis] in 1826. A handwritten poem on the final page is inspired by Thomas Moore's "Come rest in this bosom."

Keywords

Sheet music

Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Bound sheet music, belonging to Eleanor Parke Custis

Unit ID W-1368/C ; A-286

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/29875

Unit Date circa 1780-1799

Music 122 : H : 7 (Shelf)

Language English.

Extent 1 Volumesbound volume, marbled cover with a leather spine26 x 33 cm

Scope and Contents

Leather bound volume of sheet music. Includes a handwritten note on first page, "This music book was bound by ... Custis...", and is signed "Audley." The title page reads "Twelve Pieces for the Harpsichord or piano forte composed by Sig. Sterkel of Vienne."

Keywords

Sheet music

Bound sheet music, belonging to Eleanor Parke Custis

Unit ID RM-1037 ; M5-5675

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/29878

Unit Date circa 1780-1799

Music 122 : H : 7 (Shelf)

Language Italian.

Extent 1 Volumesleather bound volume of sheet music, front cover contains "Eleanor P. Custis" embossed in red leather.35 x 23 cm

Scope and Contents

Leather bound volume of sheet music and lyrics. Front conver contains the name "Eleanor P. Custis" embossed in red leather. There is a handwritten index in Italian. Also contains an unbound song titled "Highland Mary."

Keywords

Sheet music

Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

French Exercise Book, of Eleanor Parke Custis

Unit ID A-320 ; W-1459/a

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/34523

Unit Date 1792 January 4

Text 122 : H : 8 (Shelf)

Language French.

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Extent 1 VolumesBound manuscript with brown leather spine. Bound volume, approximately 100 pages, 10 blank pages, several torn out17 x 20 cm

Keywords

Women -- Education -- History

Exercise books

French Exercise Book, of Eleanor Parke Custis

Unit ID A-575 ; W-1991

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/34522

Unit Date 1792 May 18

Text 122 : H : 8 (Shelf)

Language French.

Creator Lewis, Eleanor Parke Custis, 1779-1852

Extent 1 Volumesbound manuscript with brown leather spine17 x 20 cm

Keywords

Exercise books

Women -- Education -- History

Journal, Samuel Vaughan

Unit ID RM-750 ; MS-4996

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32950

Unit Date 1787 June 18-September 4

Text 21 (Drawer)

Language English.

Abstract "Minutes made by S.[amuel] V.[aughan] from Stage to Stage on a Tour to Fort Pitt or Pittsbourg in company with Mr. Michl. Morgan Obriar. from thence by S.V. only -- through Virginia Maryland and Pennsylvania." Bound, small octavo, 70-72 pages, 7 full or half page water color sketches. A printed note on tipped-in page 1 reads, 'Was bound by W. Pratt for H. [Henry] Stevens, 1861.' Includes Vaughan's visit to Mount Vernon and his sketch of the layout of the estate. Several pages have been tipped-in at the front of the volume which includes provenance and signatures of former owners.

Creator Vaughan, Samuel, active 18th century

Extent 1 Volumes

Keywords
Diaries

Series 3. Oversized Documents and Manuscripts

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/7017

Language English.

Land grant, Thomas Culpeper to John Washington and Nicholas Spencer

Unit ID W-646

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16509

Unit Date 1674 March 1

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1674.03.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John, -1677

Scope and Contents

Land grant of Culpeper, proprietor of Northern Neck, of 5000 acres to Col. John Washington and Col. Nicholas Spencer; the original patent for the Mount Vernon lands. Paper seal with coat of arms upper left corner. Docketed by George Washington and others on verso.

Keywords
Land grants

Land grant, Herbert Jeffries to George Brent

Unit ID W-653

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16742

Unit Date 1677 December 14

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1677.12.14 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. A grant for 584 acres of land in Stafford, [later Fairfax] County on the north side of Little Hunting Creek, for transporting twelve persons to Va. Document signed, with embossed seal of colony, laminated, oversize document, endorsed in hand of Genl. W-n on back, watermark. This property was acquired by Washington in 1760. Signed by Virginia governor Herb. Jeffreys, Recorded by [Jno. Harrison?].

Keywords
Land grants

Memorandum of survey by George Brent

Unit ID W-648

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16743

Unit Date 1690 September 18

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1690.09.18 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. On verson of W-646 Thomas Culpeper land grant to John Washington and Nicholas Spencer. For 5000 acres of land in Stafford Co. and "near ye land of Capt. Giles Brent," land bounded by the main river [Potomac] and two creeks, Little Hunting and Epsewasson. Document, a transcript in hand of [George Brent ?,] laminated.

Indenture, Roger Gregory and Mildred Gregory to Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-373

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16744

Unit Date 1726 May 16

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1726.05.16 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Augustine, approximately 1694-1743

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. For consideration of 5 shillings, Roger and Mildred Gregory "hath Granted Bargained Sold ... all that certain Parcel or Tract of Land Situate Lying and being in Overwharton Parish in Stafford County and Being by Estematon Two Thousand and Five hundred Acres ... Half of five Thousand Acres formerly laid out for Nicholas Spencer and Capt. Lawrence Washington ..." for a term of 1 year. Document signed, endorsed on reverse in unknown hand "Merandom this Lease was acknowledged by Roger Gregory and Mildred his wif in Aprell Jeneral Court 1726," and endorsed by GW, "Rogr. and Mildred Gregory Lease to Aug. Washington 16th May 1726," oversize document, 2 red seals, laminated, watermark, endorsed by G.W. Signed by Rog. and Mildred Gregory, and witnessed by Wm. Aylett Jr., John Washington and Lawr. Butler.

Keywords
Indentures

Release of Indenture, Roger Gregory and Mildred Gregory to Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-373

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16745

Unit Date 1726 May 17

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1726.05.17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Augustine, approximately 1694-1743

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. " ... in Consideration of the Sum of One Hundred and Eighty pounds Stirling Money of Great Britain ... All that certain Tract or Parcel of Land Situate Lying and Being in the Parish of Overwharton [Stafford] [now Fairfax] County ... Being by Estimation Two Thousand and Five hundred Acres a Moiettie or half of Five Hundred Acres formerly Lay'd out for Collo. Nicholas Spencer and Capt. Lawrence Washington ..."Signed by Mildred and Roger Gregory and witnessed by William Aylett Jr., John Washington, and Lawrence Butler. Endorsed on reverse by George Washington. Below the indenture in another hand is a memorandum of "The Corse of Spencer Land and Mine ..." with boundaries given. Laminated, two red seals, watermark.

Indenture, Roger Gregory and Mildred Gregory to Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-373

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16746

Unit Date 1726 October 18

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1726.10.18 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Augustine, approximately 1694-1743

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. In consideration of sum of 5 shillings, Roger and Mildred Gregory have "Bargained and Sold ... unto Augustine Washington all that ... Tract ... Lying ... in the Parish of Overwharton and county of Stafford, Containing by Estimation two Thousand five Hundred Acres being a moity or half of five Thousand Acres of Land formerly laid out for Coll. Nicholas Spencer and Capt. Lawrence Washington ... ". Document signed, endorsed by G.W. "Roger and Mildd. Gregory Lease to Auge. Washington 18th Oct. 1726," oversize document, laminated, 2 red seals, watermarks; also endorsed by G.W.Signed by Rog. and Mildred Gregory. Witnessed by Robt. Lawton and Isaac Parkinson. Proved at General Court Oct. 20 1726 by R. Hickman Clerk of General Court.

Keywords
Indentures

Indenture, Roger Gregory and Mildred Gregory to Augustine Washington

Unit ID A-373

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16747

Unit Date 1726 October 19

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1726.10.19 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Augustine, approximately 1694-1743

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Roger and Mildred Gregory, "... for and in Consideration of the Summ of one hundred and Eighty pounds Sterling ... Do Give Grant ... unto the said Augustine Washington ... in he the said Augustine Washington's actuall possession Now being by vertue of a Bargan and Sale to him there of made by Indenture ... All that ... Tract ... of Land ... Lying ... in the parish of Overwharton and County of Stafford containing by Estimation two thousand five hundred acres being a moiety or half of five thousand acres of Land formerly laid out for Coll. Nicholas Spencer and Capt. Lawrence Washington ..." Document signed, oversize document, endorsed "Roger Gregory and Mildred Gregory Augt. Washington," [this is possibly in Augustine Washington's hand], dated in George Washington's hand "19th of Oct. 1726," laminated, 2 red seals, watermarks. Signed by Rog. and Mildred Gregory. Witnessed by Robt. Lawton and Isaac Parkinson. Proved at General Court on Oct. 20, 1726 by R. Hickman, Clerk of General Court.

Keywords
Indentures

Indenture, William Spencer to Lawrence Washington

Unit ID A-420

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16748

Unit Date 1738 March 1

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1738.03.01 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Lawrence, 1718-1752

Scope and Contents

Deed of lease for 2 parcels of Mount Vernon land from William Spencer to Lawrence Washington.

Keywords
Indentures

Indenture, William Spencer to Lawrence Washington

Unit ID A-420

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16749

Unit Date 1738 March 2

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1738.03.02 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Lawrence, 1718-1752

Scope and Contents

Deed of release of Mount Vernon lands, William and Elizabeth Spencer to Lawrence Washington.

Keywords
Indentures

Indenture, Zephaniah Wade and wife to John Brown

Unit ID W-819A

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16750

Unit Date 1739 December 14

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1739.12.14 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. For five shillings, leases land for one year in Prince William Cty. [Fairfax] on Dogue Creek "being part of a Tract formerly granted to Collo. William Travers ..." containing 545 1/2 acres. Autograph document signed, oversize document, laminated, docketed. Signed by Zepha. Wade and witnessed by Richard Osborn, Anna A. Hampton, John Hart, and [Jn.] Thurman. Receipted on reverse for 5 shillings by Z. Wade same witnesses. Acknowledged in Court July 29, 1740 by Catesby Cocke, Clerk.

Keywords
Indentures

Indenture, Zephaniah Wade and wife to John Brown

Unit ID W-819B

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16751

Unit Date 1739 December 15

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1739.12.15 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. For sum of one hundred pounds sterling the Wades deed to John Brown "all that tract or Parcell of Land ... sicuate lying and being in the County of Prince William [Fairfax] at the head of Doeg Creek and being part of a tract formerly granted to Colo. Wm. Travers" (March 22, 1677)--later purchased by Wade of Thomas Brooke and Sarah his wife-- 545 1/2 acres. Document signed, docketed, oversize document, laminated, watermark. Signed by Violinder and Zeph. Wade, witnessed by Richard Osborn, Anne Hampton, John [Hart?] and Jno Thurman. Receipt for £100 on reverse, signed by Wade, with same witnesses. Recorded July 29, 1740; also a commission to examine Violinder Wade about her consent to relinquishing her dower rights in the land--signed by Catesby Cocke, clerk. [See under 1805, April 29, Defense of title to Woodlawm, by Lawrence Lewis].

Keywords
Indentures

Army commission, Lawrence Washington

Unit ID W-734

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16752

Unit Date 1740 June 9

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1740.06.09 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Lawrence, 1718-1752

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. on vellum. 1 page. Army Commission of Lawrence Washington as captain in provincial forces serving under Admiral Vernon in the Cartagena campaign. Signed by Hollis Newcastle [Duke of Newcastle], entered with Secretary at war by Thomas Sherwin. Entered with Commissioner of Musters by [Jas. Pitchart?]. Embossed seal, and seal of George II, Docketed and marked "This commission was delivered the tenth day of July 1740 to the within named Lawrence Washington Esqr. [signed] Will Gooch."

Keywords
Military records

Robert Brooke Plat Survey of Spencer and Washington Land

Unit ID 2022-SC-007-022

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32785

Unit Date 1741

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1741.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Brooke, Robert, -1744

Extent 1 Sheets1 sheet, 2 pages of text46 x 56 cm

Scope and Contents

Survey plat map of land contained between Dogue Run and Little Hunting Creek, shows the original grant of land between the Spencer family and the Washington family originally granted by Thomas Lord Culpeper in 1674 to Col. John Washington, who arrived in Virginia in 1657 and to Col. Nathaniel Spencer for a grant of 5,000 acres. This land is the future site of Mount Vernon. Survey made for plaintiff Sampson Darrell against defendant Zephaniah Wade. Autograph document signed, 1 page.

Keywords

Land surveys

Mount Vernon (Va.)

Darrell, Sampson, -1777

Custodial History

George Washington Masonic National Memorial Catalog No. 1967.01.03

Deposition in the suit of Thomas Marshall against Samson Darrell

Unit ID W-243

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16753

Unit Date 1748 March 29

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1748.03.29 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 9 pages. Deposition in the suit of Thomas Marshall against Samson Darrell. Depositions of William Godfrey, Robert Step[h]ens, Edward Violet, Penelope Osborne, Ann Drakeford, Daniel Ansdale, Thomas, Odford, John Gist, William Brummett, Elias Guess, Thomas Lewis, Bryant Allison, John Sno[w]den, James Halley, Sarah Lewis, John Simpson, and Jeremiah Sparks, in a boundary dispute between Thomas Marshall and Samson [or Sampson?] Darrell involving the line of the original grant to Nichol Spencer and Washington--includes reference to Wm. Sparks, tennant to Augustine W-n, living on Little Hunting Creek--includes plat of surveys and marks on disputed land. Summary Depositions sworn before George Mason and Daniel Jenings. Document, copy teste by L. Tazewell and Ben. Waller endorsed "Marshall v. Darrell, Copy Depost.," laminated, oversize document, watermark. See also under 1748, Map of Spencer-Washington tract.

Keywords

Legal documents

Indenture, Henry Frenn to Lawrence Washington

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16754

Unit Date 1750 February 4

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1750.02.04 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Deed of Lease of Mount Vernon land, Henry Frenn to Lawrence Washington

Keywords

Indentures

Washington, Lawrence, 1718-1752

Account, Settlement of estate of Lawrence Washington

Unit ID A-366

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16755

Unit Date 1752-1755

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1752.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Account, settlement of the estate of Lawrence Washington, and estate documents

Keywords

Estate records

Washington, Lawrence, 1718-1752 -- Estate

Washington, Lawrence, 1718-1752

Land grant presented to Jacob Christman, Jr. by Thomas Lord Fairfax

Unit ID 2020-SC-001

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/21007

Unit Date 1753

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1753.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Fairfax, Thomas Fairfax, Lord, 1693-1781

Extent 1 Sheets26 x 34 cm

Scope and Contents

Document signed "Fairfax" on parchment. Grants 425 acres of land in Augusta County to Jacob Christman. As the document notes, this land along the Lost River of Cacapon was surveyed by George Washington.

Keywords

Surveying

Real property

Land grants

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Deed of release from Ignatius Digges, William Digges, and John Addison to Thomas Colvill

Unit ID A-680

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16756

Unit Date 1756 February 18

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1756.02.18 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Indenture, deed of release from Ignatius Digges, William Digges, and John Addison to Thomas Colvill. "... all that [ ] Tenement parcel or Tract of Land [ ] and known by the name of William Cliftons Dwelling Plantation Situate Lying [and being in the County of Fairfax] ... containing four Hundred Acres ..." Laminated, oversize document, 3 red seals (blurred) watermarks. This land is believed to have been occupied by George Augustine Washington at a later date. Signed by Ignt. Digges, W. Digges and Jn. Addison. No witnesses. On reverse, a receipt for money, signed by Wm. and Ignt. Digges and Jn. Addison. Attested by [G. Wagoner ?], Court clerk, date obscured.

Court documents, Joseph Stevens trial

Unit ID RM-1020; MS-5647

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16757

Unit Date 1757 July 14

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1757.07.14 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Documents detail trial charges of Joseph Stevens. Signed by Zachary Lewis A court document giving outcome of the trial is also included, Feb. 1758. Trial held in Caroline County, Virginia.

Keywords

Legal documents

Deed of release for land from Charles Washington and Mildred Washington to Thomas Posey

Unit ID A-592

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16758

Unit Date 1759 September 21

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1759.09.21 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 2 pages. Indenture, Deed of Release for Fairfax County land from Charles Washington and his wife Mildred to John Posey, "... two certain Tracts of Land, One in the Tenure and occupation of Sarah Lewis widow containing two hundred acres more or less the Other situate on the branches of muddyhole containing one hundred and forty five acres more or less ..." Document, docketed, watermarks. Signed by Charles and Mildred Washington; witnessed by Saml. Washington, Wm. Triplett, John Alexander and John Alexander Jr. Receipt for £517 by Charles Washington; Attested by [G. Wagoner,?] clerk of court, Jan. 19 1760. Endorsed by Charles Washington.

Keywords

Indentures

Broadside, To the inhabitants of Canada

Unit ID RM-924; MS-5463

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27389

Unit Date 1775

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1775.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Broadside. Printed document in French and English. "By His Excellency George Washington, Esquire, Commander in Chief of the Army of the United Colonies of North America." Gives reasons and accounts of his armies presence in Canada under command of General Schuyler, "not to plunder, but to protect you; to animate, and bring forth into Action those Sentiments of Freedom you have disclosed..."

Keywords

Broadsides (notices)

Copy letters, George Washington to Martha Washington

Unit ID RM-1150, MS-5866

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/33615

Unit Date 1775 June 18, 1775 June 23

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1775.06.18 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George, 1732-1799

Extent 1 Sheets1 sheet folded, 2 pages with text58 x 46 cm

Scope and Contents

Copy of the two known surviving recieved letters from George Washington to Martha Washington. The letter dated 1775 June 18, George Washington writes to Martha Washington regarding the "American cause" and his need to go "to Boston to take upon [him] the command". He mentions his possible death and will. The letter dated 1775 June 23, the original of which is located within the George Washington Presidential Library's collections, George Washington writes to Martha Washington as he departs Philadelphia for Boston and he does not know when he will be able to write again. He hopes to have a "happy meeting with you [Martha] sometime in the fall".

Keywords

Washington, Martha, 1731-1802

Map, Plan of operations of General Washington against the King's troops in New Jersey

Unit ID RP-2574; MAP-6942

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27390

Unit Date 1777 April 15

Graphic Materials 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1777.04.15 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Map, "Plan of the Operations of General Washington against The Kings Troops in New Jersey, from the 26th of December 1776 to the 3rd January 1777 by William Faden." London, Published according to Act of Parliament 15th April 1777 by Wm Faden, Corner of St Martins Lane, Charing Cross.

Keywords

Maps (documents)

United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783

Land grant, Thomas Lord Fairfax to Isaac Sutherland

Unit ID A-860

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27346

Unit Date 1777 July 2

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1777.07.02 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Fairfax, Thomas Fairfax, Lord, 1693-1781

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 1 page. Document signed, laminated, docketed "Isaac Sotherland's Deed for 215 Acres in Frederick County Entd. and Exd." Deed for 215 acres of waste and ungranted lands in the Drains of Babb Creek in Frederick County--to pay annual quit rent of 1/ for every 50 A. Signed by Fairfax.

Keywords

Land grants

Account, purchases of clothing

Unit ID RM-936; MS-5477

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27391

Unit Date 1778 June - 1779 May

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1778.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D. 6 pages. Account, purchases of clothing, blankets. Jabez Clark company. Docketed "Comy Jabez Clark, rect. To Comy Hubbard for Cloathing and Blankets."

Keywords

Clothing and dress -- Purchasing

Broadside, Rhode Island Loyalists

Unit ID RM-1105; MS-5781

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27347

Unit Date 1779 March 30

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1779.03.30 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Broadside. Woodcut Royal Arms of Great Britain-Calls for the British American Colonies to be freed from the "tyranny" of the Patriots. These "Associated Loyalists" were formed when the British occupied Rhode Island. Watermarked sheet of laid paper.

Keywords

Broadsides (notices)

Account, purchases of clothing

Unit ID RM-1006; MS-5632

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27392

Unit Date 1779 October - 1780 October

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1779.10.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. Clothing allotments and cost, Connecticut Regiment of Col. Seth Warner. "Colo. Seth Warners Regiment for Officers Cloathing."

Keywords

Clothing and dress -- Purchasing

Inspection return, Massachusetts Regiment

Unit ID RM-1082; MS-5736

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27348

Unit Date 1780 October 6

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1780.10.06 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Sprout, Ebenezer, -1805

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. Inspection return. Troop inspection chart.This document was signed just 4 days after the execution of British spy John Andre. It is a table detailing 265 "rank and file"; 16 officers, 22 sergeants, 13 drum and fifers; lists the units' arms and ammo. The document shows the troop and arms strength during the American Revolution. Autograph document signed; signed by Col. Ebenezer Sprout, Inspecting officer of the 12th Massachusetts and Capt. Silas Burbank, temporary commander.

Keywords
Military records

Document, The Inspection Return of the Music in the Army

Unit ID RM-886, MS-5384

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32385

Unit Date 1782 July 1

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1782.07.01 (folder)

Language English.

Material Specification Drummers and fifers are categorized fit for duty or learners. The number and condition of existing drums, fifes and instrument cases are listed, as well as deficiencies such as drumsticks, slings, and sheets of paper for the fifers.

Extent 1 Sheets46 x 35 cm

Return, goods purchased for the Navy of France

Unit ID RM-1111; MS-5794

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27393

Unit Date 1781 August 14

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1781.08.14 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. Return, supplies for Yorktown. "A return of goods purchased for the Navy of France," and shipped to Newport.

Keywords
Inventories

Military records

United States -- History -- Revolution, 1775-1783

Return, clothing received

Unit ID RM-1080; MS-5724

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27394

Unit Date 1782

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1782.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D. 1 page. Return, clothing received from the regimental clothier for the use of Jackson's company.

Keywords
Clothing and dress

Muster roll, New Windsor-Newburgh encampment

Unit ID RM-1140; MS-5826

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19589

Unit Date 1783 February-March

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1783.02.00 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 6 pages

Scope and Contents

A.D. 6 pages. Muster roll, New Windsor-Newburgh encampment. Autograph document in an unknown hand, listing 183 officers, surgeons, chaplains, waggon masters, aides-de-camp, paymasters, and others,

beginning with "His Excellency General Washington."

Keywords
Military records

Custodial History
Gift: Jess and Grace Pavey Fund, 2007

Muster roll, Fourth Company Seventh Massachusetts Regiment

Unit ID RM-934; MS-5475

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27349

Unit Date 1783 March

Text 88 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1783.03.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents
Roll and muster. A.D.S. 1 page. "Roll and Muster of the Fourth Company Seventh Massachusetts Regiment taken for the month of March 1783." Document signed, (oversize), partially printed.

Keywords
Military records

Will, John Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-502; MS-4086

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16724

Unit Date 1784 June 22

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1784.06.22 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Scope and Contents
A.D.S. 4 pages. Including codicil, Nov. 19, 1785. Will of John Augustine Washington of Bushfield, younger brother of George Washington.

Keywords
Legal documents
Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787 -- Estate

List of servants and redemptions

Unit ID RM-545; MS-4193

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16725

Unit Date 1784 August 2

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1784.08.02 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents
A list of Masters and Indentured Servants [Fairfax County, Virginia] with their trades and terms of service. Includes George Washington, Lund Washington, and George Mason. Autograph document, laminated, 1 page.

Keywords
Lists (document genres)
Indentured servants
Washington, George, 1732-1799
Washington, Lund, 1737-1796

Division of furniture, John Augustine Washington's estate

Unit ID A-238

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16727

Unit Date approximately 1787

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1787.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

D.S. 8 pages. A listing of the furniture and division into 3 parts--half to go to Hannah [Bushrod] Washington, and 1/4 each to Corbin and Bushrod Washington--Value placed on each piece--total amt. of £385.9.0. This division agreed to and signed by Hannah [Bushrod] Washington, Corbin Washington, and Bushrod Washington. Document signed, oversize document, charred and torn, but laminated, watermarks. Date on original catalog card appears [1787 ?]. Probably done shortly after J.A. Washington's death in early Jan. 1787.

Keywords

Estate records

Washington, John Augustine, 1736-1787

Letter, Thomas Paine to John Hustler

Unit ID 2016-SC-002

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/4142

Unit Date 1789 December 8

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1789.12.08 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Paine, Thomas, 1737-1809

Scope and Contents

A.D. 4 pages. Docketed by Hustler. Thomas Paine wrote to John Hustler on issues of a new constitution in France and directly transcribes Washington's address to the Society of Quakers.

Keywords

Correspondence

Hustler, John, 1715-1790

Penmanship book of Joseph Swan

Unit ID RM-1148; MS-5836

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19590

Unit Date 1795 March 30

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1795.03.30 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 14 pages

Scope and Contents

A folio-sized penmanship book dating from 1795, written by Joseph Swan of Medford School, likely in Massachusetts. The first page of the book extols the virtues and influence of President George Washington.

Receipt, William Augustine Washington

Unit ID RM-1145; MS-5833

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19591

Unit Date 1799 November 15

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1799.11.15 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 pages

Scope and Contents

Printed form with manuscript additions. A receipt for twelve dollars of taxes paid by William Augustine Washington for his four wheel carriage, called a post chaise, which is drawn by four horses for the conveyance of more than one person. The receipt is mounted on paper with an engraving of William Augustine.

Keywords

Receipts (financial records)

Financial records

Washington, William Augustine, 1757-1810

Broadside, memorial to George Washington by W. P. Blake

Unit ID RM-1121.002; MS-5805

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/3118

Unit Date 1800

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1800.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A British eulogy that features a boulder labeled "Washington," steadfast amidst a raging sea. By W.P. Blake, London.

Keywords

Broadsides (notices)

Sketch, proposed monument to George Washington by William Smith

Unit ID MS-262

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27350

Unit Date 1800 January 1

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1800.01.01 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Sketch, Proposed monument to George Washington by William Smith. Autograph document, drawn by Smith. In oversize folder, in color, watermark (fleur de lis over barred shield). Date on original catalog card appears [1800] [Jan. 1].

Keywords

Drawings (visual works)

Washington, George, 1732-1799

Broadside, funeral procession arrangements for George Washington, Boston, Massachusetts

Unit ID 2024-SC-028-001

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/40288

Unit Date 1800 January 6

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1800.01.06 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 pages1 sheet23 x 44 cm

Keywords

Washington, George, 1732-1799 -- Death and burial

Broadsides (notices)

Boston (Mass.)

Broadside, Jonathan Trumbull memorial for George Washington

Unit ID RM-924; MS-5462

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16731

Unit Date 1800 March 1

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1800.03.01 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Broadside, by his Excellency Jonathan Trumbull, esquire, governor, and commander in chief over the state of Connecticut. A Proclamation. "To call the attention of the People of the State to a serious consideration and review of their moral and religious conduct - to solemn reflections on the errors of their ways - " etc. 1800

Account, Estate of George Washington

Unit ID W-1250

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16732

Unit Date 1802-1811

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1802.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Creator Lewis, Lawrence, 1767-1839

Scope and Contents

Account, Estate of Genl. George Washington deceased in account with Bushrod Washington and Lawrence Lewis acting executors

Keywords

Estate records

Account, Colonel William Washington with Joshua Riddle

Unit ID RM-115; MS-2317

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16733

Unit Date 1803 May 14 - 1804 August 5

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1803.05.14 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Account, Col. William A. Washington with Joshua Riddle. D. 8 pages. Document, folio size. Contains ordinary accounts of miscellaneous goods.

Keywords

Financial records

Insurance policy, Bushrod Washington

Unit ID RM-1093; MS-5761

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16734

Unit Date 1815 December 6

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1815.12.06 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Document signed, partly printed, docketed "Policy of Assurance for The Honbl. Bushrod Washington." Signed by James Rawlings.[See also under 1815, Aug. 23, Insurance Evaluation on Mt. Vernon]. Policy for a barn at Mount Vernon.

Keywords

Financial records

Financial records
Washington, Bushrod, 1762-1829

Broadside, Declaration of Independence

Unit ID RM-1176; MS-5912

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/4756

Unit Date 1820-1824

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1820.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 pages1 sheet44 x 55 cm

Keywords
Broadsides (notices)

Condition

Broadside, In Congress July 4th, 1776: the unanimous Declaration of the thirteen United States of America. Conserved by Cleveland Conservation of Art on Paper, Inc., 8 December 2011

Inventory, estate of Dr. John Greenwood

Unit ID RM-888; MS-5386

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16735

Unit Date 1820 May 13

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1820.05.13 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

A.D.S. 2 pages. Inventory, Estate of Dr. Greenwood. Dr. Greenwood was one of George Washington's dentists. He practiced in New York City. There are no dental instruments on this inventory. Document signed, (partly printed).

Keywords
Inventories
Estate records

Deed, George F. and Maria Washington to William Stephenson

Unit ID A-698

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25913

Unit Date 1826 March 4

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1826.03.04 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Washington, George Fayette, 1790-1867

Scope and Contents

D.S. 2 pages. Deed of 512 acres in 4 tracts in Frederick County to Wm. Stephenson, trustee; if Geo. F. Washington does not pay $10,000 owed Taliaferro Stribling as executor of Francis Stribling Senr., land to be advertised for sale by Stephenson, and then Stribling is to be paid from the proceeds of sales. If money is paid, Stephenson to reconvey the land to Geo. F. Washington. Signed by Geo. F. Washington, Maria Washington, Talifaferro Stribling, Wm. Stephenson. Aug 7, 1826 certification of Maria Washington's acknowledgement of the indenture witnessed by Francis Stribling and William Lynn. Aug 23, 1826 - recorded by Thomas Allen Tidball, clerk of Frederick County Court. Document signed, docketed "Washington [wife] to Stephenson Deed of Trust use of F. Striblings Exec. 1826 August 23rd Ack by Washington [ ], recorded 523d page and examined," oversize document, laminated, watermark.

Keywords
Deeds

Map, John Augustine Washington II' s part of Mount Vernon

Unit ID RM-10; MSS-2013

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19587

Unit Date 1831 May 10

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1831.05.10 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 2 pages

Scope and Contents

D. 2 pages. Labeled "A Map of Mount Vernon,"--gives boundary lines of J.A.W.'s part of estate--also shows parts held by Bush. C. Washington and heirs of Bushrod Jr.-- Survey made by James M. Brown, Deputy Sur. of Jefferson Cty., May 10th 1831. Silked. Some corrections made in 1845. A map and survey labeled "A Map of Mount Vernon" and docketed "Platt +c. of Mr. John A. Washington's part of Mount Vernon, 1225 acres."

Keywords

Maps (documents)

Washington, John Augustine, II, 1789-1832

Pressed leaves, gathered at Mount Vernon and Niagara Falls by A.J. Lawrence

Unit ID RM-1127; MS-5813

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16737

Unit Date 1842 May-June

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1842.05.00 (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Leaves gathered at MV and Niagara Falls, pressed onto page with descriptions "Washington's Tomb Mt. Vernon gathered by A.J. Lawrence May 1842" and "Niagara Falls June 1842, gathered by A.J. Lawrence."

Map, George Washington's Farm of Mount Vernon by J. Hammond Coulter

Unit ID 2019-SC-032

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19588

Unit Date circa 1849

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1849.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 pages

Scope and Contents

Manuscript map in ink and watercolor, signed "Copied by J. Hammond Coulter. Minersville." The map shows the boundaries of George Washington's farms along the Potomac River.

Keywords

manuscript maps

Map, Plan of apple orchard at Mount Vernon

Unit ID 2019-SC-031

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/19586

Unit Date 1871

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1871.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 pages

Scope and Contents

Manuscript plan of Mount Vernon titled "Old apple orchard planted in 1871 - with pears, peaches +c."

Includes a key, labeling the Mount Vernon mansion and all its outbuildings as they appeared in the late 1800s.

Keywords
Maps (documents)

Facsimile, "A heliotype of Washington's autograph address to the officers of the American Army, at Newburg, N.Y., March 15, 1783"

Unit ID RM-145; PS-2412

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16739

Unit Date 1876

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1876.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Facsimile, "A heliotype of Washington's autograph address to the officers of the American Army, at Newburg, N.Y., March 15, 1783"

Unit ID RL-4830 ; Jackson 185

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/25792

Unit Date 1876

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1876.00.00 (2) (folder)

Language English.

Broadside, entrance placard to Mount Vernon

Unit ID RM-163; MS-2464

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16738

Unit Date circa 1893

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container 1893.00.00 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Mount Vernon Ladies' Association of the Union

Scope and Contents

"Mount Vernon home and tomb of Washington. Grounds opened at 11 o'clock A.M. Closed and cleared promptly at 4 o'clock P.M. Entrance fee, 25 cents. Positively no admittance on Sunday. Picnics not allowed on Mt. Vernon grounds. Special arrangement for June, July, Aug., Sept., '93: To accommodate Columbian Excursionists, the open hours will be extended to 6 o'clock P.M., on Wednesdays only. Mt. Vernon Ladies' Association"

Keywords
Broadsides (notices)

George Washington's watermarked paper

Unit ID RM-909; MS-5439; W-803; W-1169; W-1354/a-c

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16740

Unit Date undated

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container undated (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Washington's watermarked paper. 1 Sheet (15" x 17 1/2") ; 1 Sheet (15 1/4" x 18 1/2") ; 3 Sheets (15" x 18 1/4") A corner of sheet "c" is torn off ; 1 Sheet (14 1/2" x 18") Folio: ruled for ledger use. ; 1 sheet tissue (18-1/2 x 15).

Keywords
Writing materials

George Washington's watermarked paper

Unit ID A-420

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/16741

Unit Date undated

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container undated (folder)

Language English.

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Mrs. Ridley

Keywords

Writing materials

Manuscript copy, Washington's resignation of military commission, Annapolis

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/27395

Unit Date undated

Text 89 OVERSIZE (box)

Container undated (folder)

Language English.

Scope and Contents

Manuscript copy of Washington's 1783 address in Annapolis to resign his commission as Commander in Chief. Noted at bottom "Presented to the Mt. Vernon Mansion by George Bristow. 1 Chas. St. Balt."

Drawing of Mount Vernon [Vaughan Plan]

Unit ID W-1434

Unit ID /repositories/3/archival_objects/32951

Unit Date 1787

Graphic Materials 21 (Drawer)

Language English.

Abstract Ground plan of Mount Vernon based on notes made by Vaughan during a visit several months earlier, attached with elevation and ground floor plan probably contemporary and of same origin.

Creator Vaughan, Samuel, active 18th century

Extent 1 Sheets

Keywords

Drawings (visual works)

Mount Vernon (Va. : Estate)