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Descriptive Summary

Unit ID

M 269

Unit Date

1860-1988

Language

English .

Creator

Virginia Press Association

Extent

5.7 Linear Feet

Repository

VCU James Branch Cabell Library

Administrative Information

Access Restrictions

Collection is open for use without restrictions.

Use Restrictions

There are no restrictions.

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Biographical / Historical

The Virginia Press Association represents virtually every newspaper in Virginia--more than 145 community weekly and daily newspapers as well as more than 100 associate and sustaining members. The association was founded in the late 19th century and was incorporated by a special act of the Virginia General Assembly in 1882. VPA has its offices in Ashland, Virginia. The business affiliate of VPA is Virginia Press Services, Inc. The VPA provides such member services as a clipping bureau, a classified ad network, awards programs, and state lobbying.

Scope and Contents

Correspondence, minutes of the Board of Directors and various committees, reports, slides, newspaper clippings, convention information, and other papers concerning the operation of the association. Most materials date from 1935-1988; there are some materials from as early as 1860. VPA bulletins (including the Bulletin, Confidential Bulletin, Information Bulletin, and Special Information Bulletin) have been placed in the Periodicals section under "B."

Keywords

Journalism -- history. -- Virginia
Virginia Press Association

Arrangement

Manuscript materials are arranged alphabetically by subject in Boxes 1-3. Non-manuscript materials are arranged randomly in Boxes 4-6. Series I--General Files (1935-1988), misc. dated earlier; Series II--Board Meeting Records; Series III--Scrapbooks.

Description of Subordinate Components

General Files

Unit Date 1935-1988

Advertising Award winners

Unit Date 1983-1986

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Advertising Award winners

Unit Date 1986, 1988

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Advertising Linage Reports

Unit Date 1971-1975

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Advertising Linage Reports 1975-1979

Unit Date 1975-1979

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Advertising Linage Reports

Unit Date 1979-1980

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Advertising Linage Reports

Unit Date 1980-1982

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Audit--Correspondence: Smith, Robert B., Secretary-Manager VPA

Unit Date 1936-1938

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Audit data, Auditor's Reports

Unit Date 1929-1934

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Audit data, Auditors Reports

Unit Date 1937-1938, 1943

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Better Newspaper Contest

Unit Date 1982-1985

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Board of Directors

Unit Date 1980-1982

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Capital City News Letters

Unit Date 1935-1936

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Clippings

Unit Date late 1800's

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Clippings, Richardson's Almanac

Unit Date 1891, 1860

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Committees

Unit Date 1938

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Convention

Unit Date 1936

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Convention

Unit Date 1936

Mixed Materials 1 (box)

Convention**Unit Date** 1937**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Convention****Unit Date** 1937**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Convention****Unit Date** 1.20**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Convention****Unit Date** 1939**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Convention****Unit Date** 1957**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Convention****Unit Date** 1983, 1988**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Convention****Unit Date** 1988**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Convention programs****Unit Date** 1936-1947**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Conventions, contests, awards, notices****Unit Date** 19737-1939**Mixed Materials** 1 (box)**Correspondence: Bottom, Major Raymond B., President VPA****Unit Date** 1935-1936**Mixed Materials** 2 (box)**Correspondence: Bottom, Major Raymond B.****Unit Date** 1936**Mixed Materials** 2 (box)**Correspondence: Bottom, Major Raymond B.****Unit Date** 1937**Mixed Materials** 2 (box)**Correspondence: Bottom, Major Raymond B.****Unit Date** 1937-1938**Mixed Materials** 2 (box)

Correspondence: miscellaneous

Unit Date 1936-1937

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Correspondence: newspaper mail boxes

Unit Date 1936

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Cruise

Unit Date 1945

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Drunk driving campaign

Unit Date 1952

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Executive Committee

Unit Date 1940

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Market Data and Rate Book

Unit Date 1938

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Members

Unit Date 1935-1936

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Minutes

Unit Date 1936-1944

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Minutes

Unit Date 1945-1953

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Minutes

Unit Date 1953-1961

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Minutes

Unit Date 1961-1969

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Minutes

Unit Date 1969-1974

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Minutes

Unit Date 1974-1976

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

minutes

Unit Date 1976-1979

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Minutes

Unit Date 1979-1983

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Miscellaneous

Unit Date 1936-1988

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Newspaper interns

Unit Date 1981-1985

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Newspapers, miscellaneous, n.d.

Unit Date 1981, 1988

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Printed material: API, A Personal Remembrance

Unit Date 1980

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Printed material: Beating the Odds(Washington Times)

Unit Date 1983

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Printed material: Chauncey Durden(Richmond Times-Dispatch)

Unit Date 1986

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Printed material: Excursion(Natl. Editorial Assoc.)

Unit Date 1891

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Printed Material: Extra-Extra(Smithsonian Institution), n.d.

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Printed Material: Helping High School Journalists(Southern Newspaper Publisher's Assoc.)

Unit Date 1986

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Printed material: miscellaneous, n.d.,

Unit Date 1979, 1982

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Printed material: The Sweet Season(University of Richmond)

Unit Date 1988

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Printed Material: Tales of the Hill City(Lynchburg)

Unit Date 1986

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Printed material: VPA advertisement

Unit Date 1988

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Printed material: VPA-published

Unit Date 1976, 1983-1988

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Proceedings

Unit Date 1912-1918

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Proceedings, calling cards, receipts

Unit Date 1855, 1857, 1890-1896

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Promotion conferences

Unit Date 1981-1982

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Proof: Boston Globe

Unit Date 1985

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Secretary-Manager, full time: Applications

Unit Date 1936

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Secretary-Manager, full time: arguments pro and con

Unit Date 1935

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Special Fund

Unit Date 1936

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Telephone bills, memos

Unit Date 1935-1936

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Virginia Newspaper Directories

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Scope and Contents

1936, 1937, 1939-45, 1955, 1960

Virginia Newspaper Directories

Unit Date 1982-1984

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Virginia Press, Dec-July

Unit Date 1985-1986

Mixed Materials 3 (box)

Print blocks (4) of VPA logo

Mixed Materials 4 (box)

Videocassette: VPA Creative Advertising Awards

Unit Date 1988

Mixed Materials 4 (box)

Audio cassette: The SAU Revolution

Mixed Materials 4 (box)

Box of ribbons, medals, buttons, n.d.

Unit Date 1889-1928

Mixed Materials 4 (box)

VPA stickers/labels

Mixed Materials 4 (box)

Slides: newspaper pages, photographs, winning entries, etc.

Unit Date 1976-1981-1983

Mixed Materials 5 (box)

Board Meeting Records

April Board Meeting

Unit Date 1987

Mixed Materials 7 (box)

April Board Meeting

Unit Date 1987

Mixed Materials 7 (box)

July Board Meeting

Unit Date 1987

Mixed Materials 7 (box)

October Board Meeting

Unit Date 1987

Mixed Materials 7 (box)

October Board Meeting

Unit Date 1987

Mixed Materials 7 (box)

February Board Meeting

Unit Date 1988

Mixed Materials 7 (box)

Editorial poster(Is Dentists Bill Good Legislation?)

Mixed Materials 25 (Drawer)

Physical Location oversize area

The Bulletin

Physical Location In Periodicals section under B

Scope and Contents

1926-29 (two copies), 1929-32, 1933-37, 1943-49, 1950-52, 1956-57

Confidential Bulletin

Physical Location In Periodicals section under B

Scope and Contents

July 1949-Dec. 1951, 1952-56, 1957, 1959, 1960-62, July 1963-1976

Information Bulletin

Physical Location In Periodicals section under B

Scope and Contents

1936-39, July 1940-June 1945

Publisher and Printer

Unit Date 1953-1972

Physical Location In Periodicals section under B

Special Information

Physical Location In Periodicals section under B

Scope and Contents

1940, 1944-46, 1956, 1958-59, July 1968-June 1970, 1971-76, plus a folder of miscellaneous issues from 1935, 1937, 1938, 1953

Quarterly Bulletins

Unit Date 1919-1982

Physical Location In Periodicals section under B

Scrapbooks

Virginia Conservation Commission

Unit Date 1945

Mixed Materials 1 os (box)

The Farmville Mercury

Unit Date 1879

Mixed Materials 1 os (box)

The Press Convention Scrapbook

Unit Date 1874-1881

Mixed Materials 1 os (box)

Halifax Records

Unit Date 1883

Mixed Materials 1 os (box)

Loose Clippings

Mixed Materials 2 os (box)

Scrapbook

Unit Date 1930's-1940's

Mixed Materials 2 os (box)

Map of Virginia

Mixed Materials 2 os (box)

Scrapbook

Unit Date 1938-1940s

Mixed Materials 3 os (box)

Loose Newspaper Articles from the above scrapbook

Mixed Materials 3 os (box)

Scrapbook

Unit Date 1939-1942

Mixed Materials 4 (box)

Loose Newspaper Articles

Mixed Materials 4 (box)

Roanoke 100, Centennial Edition

Mixed Materials 5 (box)

The Courier Journal; Highlights and Shadow; Louisville Kentucky

Unit Date 1930s

Mixed Materials 5 (box)

Miscellaneous Clippings

Unit Date 1925-1940

Mixed Materials 5 (box)

Copy of Will of Martha Washington

Unit Date 1788

Mixed Materials 5 (box)

Scrapbook

Unit Date 1937-1938

Mixed Materials 6 (box)

Loose Clippings

Unit Date 1937-1938

Mixed Materials 6 (box)

Scrapbook

Unit Date 1945

Mixed Materials 6 (box)

Loose Clippings

Unit Date 1945

Mixed Materials 6 (box)

Richmond Times Dispatch, Richmond News Leader

Unit Date 1959-1960s

Mixed Materials 7 (box)