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Language

English

Creator

Lovelace, James B., Sr.

Extent

1 items

Repository

Arthur J. Morris Law Library Special Collections

Administrative Information

Immediate Source of Acquisition

This manuscript was given to the Law Library by James B. Lovelace on 15 April 1994.

Scope and Contents

The manuscript of the book *Court Tales, Trials and Appeals* relates to the actual experiences of James B. Lovelace, a retired lawyer and 1926 alumnus of the University of Virginia Law School. He offers advice and points out pitfalls to the law student and young lawyer that they would not find in a textbook or case book. Although the cases were tried in North Carolina, and involve North Carolina law, the procedure is identical to that used in code states, and the principles of law involved are mostly common law. The book is primarily intended to further prepare the law student for his or her practical life as a trial lawyer.

The collection includes correspondence related to the gift of the manuscript.

Keywords

Common law

Law -- Study and teaching

Manuscripts (documents)

Lovelace, James B., Sr.

Sloan, Billie Kaser

Trimble, Marsha

Snyder, Helen

Description of Subordinate Components

Manuscript copy of Court Tales, Trials and Appeals

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Letter to Mr. Lovelace from the UVA Office of Development re: the possibility of putting a copy of his manuscript in the Law Library

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Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/75556

Unit Date October 6, 1993

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Letter to Billie F. Kaser, Associate Director of Planned Giving, from Mr. Lovelace re: mailing his manuscript and posting a notice to advertise its presence in the Law Library

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Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/75557

Unit Date March 2, 1994

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Contact Report drafted by Billie Kaser Sloan re: gift plan ideas and his insistence on getting his manuscript into the Law Library and posting a notice advertising its presence there

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Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/75558

Unit Date March 24, 1994

Mixed Materials MSS 94-1 (folder)

Letter to Mr. Lovelace from Billie Kaser Sloan re: formalizing gift plans; no mention of manuscript

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Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/75559

Unit Date April 4, 1994

Mixed Materials MSS 94-1 (folder)

Letter to Billie Kaser Sloan from Mr. Lovelace making clear his top priority is his manuscript and knowing that some sort of "notice has been posted to create interest among the law students." He has also included a copy of the notice posted at Wake Forest

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Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/75560

Unit Date April 8, 1994

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Letter to Mr. Lovelace from Billie Kaser Sloan assuring Mr. Lovelace that his manuscript and a copy of the notice had been sent to the Law Library and that Marsha Trimble would be in touch with him

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Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/75561

Unit Date April 14, 1994

Mixed Materials MSS 94-1 (folder)

Memo to Helen Snyder and Marsha Trimble from Billie Kaser Sloan explaining the difficult circumstances surrounding Mr. Lovelace's manuscript and the financial gifts associated with its receipt

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Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/75562

Unit Date April 14, 1994

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Memo to William M. Merone (Editor in Chief of the Law Weekly) from Marsha Trimble requesting that notice of Mr. Lovelace's manuscript get published in order to gain publicity and appease him (a potential donor of a large sum of money)

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Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/75563

Unit Date April 15, 1994

Mixed Materials MSS 94-1 (folder)

Letter to Mr. Lovelace from Marsha Trimble thanking him for the manuscript and sharing with him the location of the notice of its arrival

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Unit ID /repositories/4/archival_objects/75564

Unit Date April 15, 1994

Mixed Materials MSS 94-1 (folder)

Letter to Billie Kaser Sloan from Mr. Lovelace thanking her for the time she has taken in getting his manuscript delivered and publicized at the Law School. The final paragraph includes the amount he will donate to the university (\$50,000 yearly)

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Unit Date April 20, 1994

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Letter to Mr. Lovelace from Billie Kaser Sloan thanking him for his \$50,000 commitment to the University

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Unit Date April 26, 1994

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