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Rogers, Powell Burwell, 1909-1976

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607 items

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Biographical Information:

Powell Burwell Rogers (1909-1976) was a 1930 graduate of the College of William and Mary. He received an M. A. degree from Duke and his Ph.D. from the University of Pennsylvania. Rogers was an English professor at Bucknell University for forty years. Further information about this individual or organization may be available in the Special Collections Research Center Wiki:

http://scdbwiki.swem.wm.edu/wiki/index.php/Powell_Burwell_Rogers.

Scope and Contents

Papers of Powell Burwell Rogers which document his academic career as a graduate student at Duke University and at the University of Pennsylvania and as English professor at Bucknell University. The collection contains research materials on Old/Middle English (The Book of Carving and the Book of Nature) and articles published in various journals. His working papers for editing "Excerpts from the Civil War Diary of Lucien Payne Rogers" are among his professional papers as well as placename notes. There is genealogical data on the Burwell, Jones, Garland and Brooke families as well as information on his childhood in Newport News, Va., early writings, career in the U. S. Army and his interest in the performing arts.

1994.82 addition:

Writings of P. Burwell Rogers including his dissertation, translations, lecture notes, and class notes. This addition has not been processed.

Keywords

Certificates

Correspondence

Manuscripts (document genre)

Newport News (Va.)--History

United States--History--Civil War, 1861-1865

Bucknell University. English Dept

College of William and Mary--Alumni and alumnae

University of Pennsylvania

General

Other Information:

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Description of Subordinate Components

Records from Church, College, Army and Writings

Unit ID id134589

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147811

Unit Date 1923-1978

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

First writings of P. Burwell Rogers

Unit ID id134590

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147817

Unit Date 1923-1933

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Collegiate records from the College of William and Mary, Duke University and the University of Pennsylvania recommendations for applications of employment; contract of employment; and commencement programs for Masters and Ph.D. degrees

Unit ID id134591

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147818

Unit Date 1930-1950

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Includes: June 10 1926, high school diploma from Newport News High School. See medium oversize file. June 9, 1930, diploma from the College of William and Mary. See medium oversize file. June 8 1932, diploma from Duke University. See medium oversize file. June 14, 1950, diploma from the University of Pennsylvania. See medium oversize file.

Story, "The Building of a Bed (For Posterity)"

Unit ID id134592

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147819

Unit Date 1939

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Military records of Rogers' career in the United States Army, as well as ration cards and military identification

Unit ID id134595

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147820

Unit Date 1940 December 4 - 1946 April 19

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Certificates of achievement and participation from the First Presbyterian Church, Newport News, Va., Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity and the College of William and Mary; newsclippings noting Rogers' career

Unit ID id134596

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147821

Unit Date 1909-1975

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Documents, letters obituary and notes by Rogers relating to his death on December 23, 1976

Unit ID id134597

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147822

Unit Date 1973-1978

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Term paper of Rogers, completed for his Masters degree at Duke University

Unit ID id134598

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147823

Unit Date 1931 July 16 - August 25

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Term Papers by Rogers, completed for his Masters degree at Duke University

Unit ID id134599

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147824

Unit Date 1932 January - June

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Papers and examinations: Duke University and the University of Pennsylvania

Unit ID id134600

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147812

Unit Date 1932-1941

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Examinations and term papers, completed by Rogers for his Masters degree at Duke University

Unit ID id134601

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147825

Unit Date 1932

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Examination and term paper, completed by Rogers for his Masters degree at Duke University

Unit ID id134602

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147826

Unit Date 1934-1935

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Examination and term paper, completed by Rogers for his Masters degree at Duke University

Unit ID id134603

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147827

Unit Date 1934-1935

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Examination, completed by Rogers for his Masters degree at Duke University

Unit ID id134604

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147828

Unit Date 1934-1935

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Examination, completed by Rogers for his Masters degree at Duke University

Unit ID id134605

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147829

Unit Date 1934-1935

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Examination, completed by Rogers for his Masters degree at Duke University

Unit ID id134606

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147830

Unit Date 1934-1935

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Examination and term papers, completed by Rogers for his Ph.D. degree at the university of Pennsylvania

Unit ID id134607

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147831

Unit Date 1940-1941

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Papers for Ph.D. at the University of Pennsylvania and Working Pages for Article on "The Book of Carving"

Unit ID id134608

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147813

Unit Date 1940-1955

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Examination: Ph.D. degree at the University of Pennsylvania

Unit ID id134609

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147832

Unit Date 1940-1941

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Examination and Term Papers: Ph.D. degree at the University of Pennsylvania

Unit ID id134610

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147833

Unit Date 1946-1947

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Examination: Ph.D. degree at the University of Pennsylvania

Unit ID id134611

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147834

Unit Date 1946-1947

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

"The Book of Carving"

Unit ID id134612

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147835

Unit Date 1950

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

"The Book of Carving"

Unit ID id134613

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147836

Unit Date 1950

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

"The Book of Carving"

Unit ID id134614

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147837

Unit Date 1951

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

"The Book of Carving"

Unit ID id134615

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147838

Unit Date 1951

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

"The Book of Carving"

Unit ID id134616

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147839

Unit Date 1955

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

"The Book of Carving"

Unit ID id134617

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147840

Unit Date 1955

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

**Roger's study of Chaucer, John Russell's "The Book of Nature" and "The Book of Carving."
Copies of "Bucknell University Studies College English", and Articles printed in Names."**

Unit ID id134618

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147814

Unit Date 1951-1971

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Book of Nature

Unit ID id134619

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147841

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Book of Nature

Unit ID id134620

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147842

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Book of Nature

Unit ID id134621

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147843

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Book of Nature (The Boke of Nurture article)

Unit ID id134622

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147844

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

The Boke of Nurture (The Book of Nature) and The Boke of Keruyngge (The Book of Carving)

Unit ID id134623

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147845

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Chaucer Material

Unit ID id134624

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147846

Unit Date 1955-1969

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Final Examination: for 251 English class at Bucknell University

Unit ID id134625

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147847

Unit Date 1961

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Articles in Bucknell University Studies and the Bucknell Review

Unit ID id134626

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147848

Unit Date 1951-1955

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

"College English," Article: "The Research Paper: A Vital Subject"

Unit ID id134627

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147849

Unit Date 1952 October

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Copies of article and newsclipping.

"American Speech" Articles

Unit ID id134628

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147850

Unit Date 1954 December -1960 October

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

"Names" Articles

Unit ID id134629

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147851

Unit Date 1956 September - 1975 September

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Includes undated article by Rogers printed in Names.

"Excerpts from the Civil War Diary of Lucien Payne Rogers," Bucknell Material, Burwell Family Genealogical Material

Unit ID id134630

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147815

Unit Date 1940-1976

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

"Excerpts from the Civil War Diary of Lucien Payne Rogers"

Unit ID id134631

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147852

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

"Excerpts from the Civil War Diary of Lucien Payne Rogers"

Unit ID id134632

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147853

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

"Excerpts from the Civil War Diary of Lucien Payne Rogers"

Unit ID id134633

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147854

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Miscellaneous Letters, Papers and Articles

Unit ID id134635

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147855

Unit Date 1943-1977

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Miscellaneous notes, academic records, and articles pertaining to Rogers's work at Bucknell University

Unit ID id134637

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147856

Unit Date 1965-1971

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Articles, "A Nameless Grave," "The Lost Colony of Roanoke Island," and "Class Size and Efficiency of Instruction," by Rogers

Unit ID id134639

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147857

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Copy of "The Record of the Burwell Family Descended from Major Lewis Burwell and Lucy Higginson of Carter's Creek, Gloucester County, Virginia"

Unit ID id134641

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147858

Unit Date 1940

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Copy of "The Record of the Burwell Family Descended from Major Lewis Burwell and Lucy Higginson of Carter's Creek, Gloucester County, Virginia"

Unit ID id134642

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147859

Unit Date 1940

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Copy of "The Record of the Burwell Family Descended from Major Lewis Burwell and Lucy Higginson of Carter's Creek, Gloucester County, Virginia"

Unit ID id134643

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147860

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Copy of "The Record of the Burwell Family Descended from Major Lewis Burwell and Lucy Higginson of Carter's Creek, Gloucester County, Virginia"

Unit ID id134644

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147861

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Genealogical research materials on the Burwell Family

Unit ID id134645

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147862

Unit Date 1962-1976

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Genealogical research materials on the Burwell Family.

Genealogical research on the Burwell, Jones, Garland, Brooke families; Plays and Musical Programs; Family Photographs

Unit ID id135309

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147816

Unit Date 1921-1987

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Powell Burwell Catlett, Hayes, Virginia to P. Burwell Rogers, Lewisburg, Pennsylvania

Unit ID id135310

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147863

Unit Date 1971 January 12

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Information on the Nelson Family. Genealogical materials on the Burwell and Carter families.

Correspondence and Notes on the Burwell Family; "Behind the Scenes: Thirty Years a Slave and Four Years in the White House" by Elizabeth Keckley

Unit ID id135314

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147864

Unit Date 1968-1987

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Genealogical matter on the Burwell and Brooke families.

Will of Robert (King) Carter, as documented in Virginia Magazine of History and Biography (April 1898)

Unit ID id135319

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147865

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Genealogical Materials on Garland and Jones Families

Unit ID id135323

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147866

Unit Date 1921-1978

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Genealogical information on the Garland and Jones families.

Programs of Musicals and Theatre Productions

Unit ID id135325

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147867

Unit Date 1922 May 16 - 1935 February 18

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Programs of Musicals and Theatre Productions

Unit ID id135328

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147868

Unit Date 1935 - 1941 November 17

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Programs of Musicals and Theatre Productions

Unit ID id135330

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147869

Unit Date 1941 January 24 - 1968 July 30

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Programs of Musicals and Theatre Productions

Unit ID id135331

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147870

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Photographic prints

Unit ID id135335

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/147871

Unit Date 1930-1978

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

4 1/2" x 3", 5" x 7", and 3 1/2" x 3 1/2", black and white, and color, of P. Burwell Rogers and of the Burwell School in Hillsborough, N.C. Including, Ph., n.d., photographic prints, 2 1/2" x 4" and 5" x 3 1/2", black and white, of Robert Burwell, his wife Anna Burwell and Will C. Jones.