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0.70 Linear Feet

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Biographical Information:

William Harrison Smith was Superintendant of the Grounds for the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities (A.P.V.A.) at Jamestown (1939-1968), Virginia which also included the position of Postmaster at Jamestown (1939 to 1971).

Scope and Contents

Papers of the donor's stepfather, William Harrison Smith, superintendent and postmaster at the island of Jamestown, Virginia. Mostly business correspondence with Ellen Bagby of the Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities (A.P.V.A.) with reports, Elbert Cox of the National Park Service and Ellen Harvie Smith of the A.P.V.A. Includes monthly general reports, financial reports, salary lists, tax forms, soil report certificates, photographs, and newspaper clippings.

Keywords

Business records
Clippings (information artifacts)
Correspondence
Financial records
Photographs
Reports
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Jamestown (Va.)--History
Jamestown (Va.)--Post office
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Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities--History.
Association for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities. Jamestown Rediscovery
Colonial National Historical Park (Va.)
United States. National Park Service

Description of Subordinate Components

Financial Reports and Correspondence Between W.H. Smith and Ellen Bagby

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/558729

Unit Date 1957-1960

Mixed materials 1 (Box)

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Letters to Marguerite Quarles

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/593152

Unit Date 1942-1945

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Scope and Contents

Asking Ms. Quarles to pay the bills since she was the bookkeeper of APVA and John Marshall House plus in charge of the Relic House.

Correspondence

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/593153

Unit Date 1937-1941

Mixed materials 1 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Correspondence with Ms. Bagby, the Post Office Department, National Park Service and Larry Dawson

Correspondence and Newspaper Clippings

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/593154

Unit Date 1942-1945

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Letters to Miss Ellen Bagby

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/593155

Unit Date 1950

Mixed materials 1 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Monthly Financial Reports for APVA Jamestown Grounds

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/593156

Unit Date 1944-1949

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Correspondence with Ellen Bagby

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/593157

Unit Date 1945-1946

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Correspondence with Ellen Bagby and Others

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/593158

Unit Date 1956

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Correspondence with Ellen Bagby and Others

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/593159

Unit Date 1951-1952

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Correspondence with Ellen Bagby

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/593160

Unit Date 1953-1955

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Monthly Financial Reports for Jamestown

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/593161

Unit Date 1950-1956

Mixed materials 1 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Tax Forms, Invoices, Financial Reports, Soil Report Certificates, Correspondence

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/558730

Unit Date 1944-1959

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Language English

Invoices, Receipts, Tax Forms and Correspondence

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/593162

Unit Date 1952-1954

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Newspaper articles, Photographs, Salary Lists, Drawing of Jamestown Convention Center and other Administrative Items

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/593163

Unit Date 1960-1966

Mixed Materials 2 (box)

Container 3 (Folder)