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Lewis, Virgil Anson family

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Scope and Contents

Research papers regarding Virgil Anson Lewis family history. Includes research correspondence; abstracts and facsimiles of deeds, marriage certificates, wills, etc.; books authored by VAL; maps; brochures, pamphlets, and newsletters; photos and postcards.

Series include:

Series 1. Research Correspondence -- Virgil Anson Lewis Family, 1990s (boxes 1-2)

Series 2. Research Papers, ca. 1750-2000 (boxes 2-3)

Series 3. Research Correspondence, 1990s (boxes 3-4)

Series 4. Genealogical Research Material, ca. 1750-2000 (boxes 4-6)

Separated Materials

4 Postcards of Point Pleasant to the WVRHC Postcard Collection.

1 Postcard of Portrait of Margaret Lynn Lewis to the WVRHC Photograph Collection.

6 Photographs of Battle of Point Pleasant historical markers to the WVRHC Photograph Collection.

9 Books authored by Virgil Anson Lewis to the WVRHC Rare Books Curator for disposition. (see a curator for an inventory)

14 Books by others regarding West Virginia history to the WVRHC Rare Books Curator for disposition. (see a curator for an inventory)

Photocopy of "Illustrated Industrial Edition, the State Gazette; Published in the Interest of the Town of Point Pleasant and the County of Mason, State of West Virginia" (compiled by Mrs. Livia Simpson-Poffenbarger; 1988 reprint of 1905 publication) to the WVRHC Rare Books Curator for disposition.

Several Topographical Maps by the USGS:

-- Maps of Cowpasture, Virginia to the WVU Libraries Government Documents Map Collection.

-- Maps of Augusta and Alleghany Counties, Virginia (border counties) to the WVRHC Map Collection.

-- Maps of Greenbrier and Monroe Counties, West Virginia to the WVRHC Map Collection.

-- Remaining Maps to the WVU Libraries Government Documents Map Collection.

-- Indexes to Virginia and West Virginia Maps to the Gov. Doc's Map Collection.

-- Index to Virginia Quadrangle to the Gov. Doc's Map Collection.

-- Index to West Virginia Quadrangle to the WVRHC Map Collection.

-- Catalogs to Virginia and West Virginia Topographic Maps to the Gov. Doc's Map Collection.

Description of Subordinate Components

Series 1. Research Correspondence -- Virgil Anson Lewis Family (boxes 1-2)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154749

Unit Date 1990s

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Scope and Contents

This series includes photocopies of published and unpublished materials of correspondence regarding research into the Virgil Anson Lewis family.

Series 2. Research Papers (boxes 2-3)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154750

Unit Date ca. 1750-2000

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Scope and Contents

This series includes letters and photocopies of published and unpublished research material (no originals).

Nickell Family**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/154753**Unit Date** ca. 1750-2000**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Lewis Ferry****Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/154754**Unit Date** ca. 1750-2000**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Battle of Point Pleasant (includes publications regarding history of Point Pleasant and the battle fought there in 1774)****Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/154755**Unit Date** ca. 1960-1990**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Wills (contains photocopies of original documents)****Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/154756**Unit Date** ca. 1750-1850**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Marriages (contains photocopies of original documents)****Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/154757**Unit Date** 1980-2000**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Lewis, Nickell, et al.****Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/154758**Unit Date** ca. 1750-2000**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)**Lewis Ferry, Stevens Ferry, Dayton****Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/154759**Unit Date** ca. 1750-2000**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)**Lewis -- Greenbrier County****Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/154760**Unit Date** ca. 1750-2000**Mixed Materials** 3 (Box)

George Lewis

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154761

Unit Date ca. 1750-2000

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Benjamin Lewis

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154762

Unit Date ca. 1750-2000

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Lewis -- Others

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154763

Unit Date ca. 1750-2000

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Nickell

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154764

Unit Date ca. 1750-2000

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Thomas Caraway of Muddy Creek (2 folders)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154765

Unit Date ca. 1750-2000

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Caraway -- Isaac Mitchell

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154766

Unit Date ca. 1750-2000

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Series 3. Research Correspondence (boxes 3-4)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

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Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154751

Unit Date 1990s

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Scope and Contents

This series includes correspondence between Lewis and others regarding his research.

Lewis -- Ryan, Virginia

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154767

Unit Date 1990s

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Lewis/Nickell -- Schulz, Demey

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154768

Unit Date 1990s

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Lewis -- Lewis, Emory "Pete"

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154769

Unit Date 1990s

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Lewis -- Gordon, Alice

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154770

Unit Date 1990s

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

Lewis -- Machir, Violette (2 folders)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154771

Unit Date 1990s

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Lewis -- Bodemuller, Mary F.

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154772

Unit Date 1990s

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Lewis -- Montgomery, John F.

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154773

Unit Date 1990s

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Lewis -- Shuck, Larry

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154774

Unit Date 1990s

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Lewis -- Burton, Pat

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154775

Unit Date 1990s

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Series 4. Genealogical Research Material (boxes 4-6)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154752

Unit Date ca. 1750-2000

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Scope and Contents

This series includes assorted notes, writings, and records regarding the genealogy of the Lewis family, as well as historical texts and land surveys.

Research Trip Notes

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154776

Unit Date 1990s

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Historical Texts -- Miscellaneous (includes photocopies of historical writings relevant to Lewis family research)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154777

Unit Date 1960s-1980s

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Virgil Anson Lewis -- Genealogy Records (7 folders)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154778

Unit Date ca. 1750-2000

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

Sons of the American Revolution -- Membership Application of Herb Depke

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154779

Unit Date 1990s

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Compact Disc (CD) -- Lewis Family History and Genealogy Notes (contains electronic files; all of these files appear to exist in paper copy in this collection, on evidence of documents discovered during processing of collection)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154780

Unit Date 1990s

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

"Work" -- Virgil Anson Lewis Research (contains information on Virgil Anson Lewis) (2 folders)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154781

Unit Date 1990s

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Virgil Anson Lewis Book -- Research Notes (includes manuscript notes and photocopies of original manuscripts) (2 binders)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154782

Unit Date ca. 1750-2000

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Surveys

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154783

Unit Date 1700s

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Deeds of Lewis and Nickell Families

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/154784

Unit Date ca. 1770-1878

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)