



# ARCHIVAL RESOURCES

of the Virginias

ARVAS is a database providing information on the vast array of manuscripts and archival materials in Virginia and West Virginia. The frequent addition of new and updated finding aids makes this a great tool for discovering primary sources documenting the history, culture, and people of these two states.

## FEATURES

- It's free!
- Access to thousands of finding aids
- Keyword search across all the institutions or limit to one institution
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# DISCOVER ARCHIVES

IN VIRGINIA AND WEST VIRGINIA

**Who is ARVAS for?**

Anyone! Users include researchers, genealogists, teachers, students, and history enthusiasts worldwide.

**Is it only about Virginia & West Virginia?**

No, our members' collections cover subjects that extend well beyond the borders of these two states.

**Is this everything? Is it all online?**

No, but our members contribute new finding aids frequently. ARVAS does not represent all the cultural heritage institutions in our states, but the number of finding aids makes this an ideal place to begin your research. Institutions may have some materials online, but in most cases, you need to visit or contact the institution for more information about how to view collections.



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