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RUTH HOMES BLUNT & LOUISE ANN BLUNT PAPERS

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BOX 1

- 1-1** "The Little Anglican Church on the Hill" & related correspondence
- 1-2** Benjamin William ARNOLD, Jr. [copy 1]
- 1-3** Benjamin William ARNOLD, Jr. [copy 2]
- 1-4** "Benjamin W. ARNOLD, Jr., Chairman, Department of History, Randolph-Macon Woman's College, 1902-1939" by RHB
- 1-5** ART CENTER BUILDING ["Hallmark of Our Town"]
- 1-6** BOOK REVIEW: Paths of Glory by Nelly C. Preston
- 1-7** BURFORD Family Notes
- 1-8** "Dr. George CABELL, His Predecessors and Successors on the Site of 'Point of Honor'"
- 1-9** Mary Virginia Ellet CABELL
- 1-10** "The Background of CLIFFORD, VA"
- 1-11** "The Charm of CLIFFORD: Amherst County's Pre-Revolutionary Village"

BOX 2

- 2-1** "The COLLEGE HILL Reservoir Pitcher" by RHB
- 2-2** "Four COURT HOUSE HILL Houses"
- 2-3** FEDERAL ST.: "Hostesses in a Hospitable House" by RHB
- 2-4** "Birthplace of Allen Weir FREEMAN and Douglas Southall FREEMAN" by RHB
- 2-5** "Ammon G. HANCOCK's Tobacco Factory, alias Caskie Paper Company"
- 2-6** "Ammon G. HANCOCK's Factory Recalls--Golden Age of Lynchburg's Tobacco Industry" by RHB
- 2-7** "Florence Massie Tunstall HORSLEY, Virginia's First Vice-Regent, NSDAR by RHB
- 2-8** "John LYNCH's Ferry House" [& the 1860 Blackford map of Lynchburg]
- 2-9** "John LYNCH, 1740-1820, Founder of Lynchburg, Virginia" by RHB
- 2-10** "LYNCHBURG Artists in the Permanent Collection of E.C. Glass High School" by RHB
- 2-11** "LYNCHBURG Authors" by RHB & E.L. Moore
- 2-12** "LYNCHBURG Becomes A City" by RHB
- 2-13** LYNCHBURG COURTS: "Lynchburg Court House"

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- 2-14 LYNCHBURG COURTS: "Lynchburg's Historic Courthouse" by RHB [& notes]
 - 2-15 LYNCHBURG COURTS: "State & Municipal Courts of LYNCHBURG"
 - 2-16 Campbell Co. 1860 US Census notes
 - 2-17 "The Lynchburg Flag"
 - 2-18 "Keepers of LYNCHBURG ORDINARIES in Lynchburg in 1816" by LAB
 - 2-19 LYNCHBURG STREETS: "Description of the Boundaries and the Names of the Streets in Lynchburg in the 1850's"
 - 2-20 Markers and Monuments in Lynchburg
 - 2-21 LYNCHBURG's first lot owners
- BOX 3**
- 3-1 MATHEWS Family
 - 3-2 MEREDITH Family Notes
 - 3-3 "Monticello in the Springtime" by RHB
 - 3-4 "Monument Terrace-The Stairway to the City Court House"
 - 3-5 "Portrait of an Artist, Georgia Weston MORGAN
 - 3-6 OTEY: "Doctor's Orders: 'No More Women, No More Flies Admitted'"
 - 3-7 OTEY Family
 - 3-8 "Historical Research Gives POINT OF HONOR Information" by LAB
 - 3-9 "The Point Prior to the POINT OF HONOR" by RHB [typescript & mss]
 - 3-10 "The Point Prior to the POINT OF HONOR" [typescript & proofs for Lynchburg, Vol. VII, No.1]
 - 3-11 "Some Belles & Beaux of the POINT OF HONOR" by RHB
 - 3-12 "The PRICE-TURNER House: Five Generations of Gracious Living" by RHB
 - 3-13 "The Revolutionary Heritage of Campbell County"
- BOX 4**
- 4-1 "Revolutionary War 'Claims' of Lynchburg" by RHB
 - 4-2 "A Tour of Six REVOLUTIONARY Heritage Sites in Lynchburg and Campbell County" by RHB
 - 4-3 "Rivermont Bridge" by RHB

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- 4-4 "The Rocking Cradle House" by RHB
 - 4-5 Robert ROSE & Amherst County: Letters & Miscellany
 - 4-6 " 'The Engineers' of the Second Building of ST. PAUL'S
EPISCOPAL CHURCH and of the City COURT HOUSE"
 - 4-7 "The Scott-Adams House" by RHB [inc. photos]
 - 4-8 "The Seven Hills of Lynchburg" by RHB
 - 4-9 "Some Suggestions for Lineage Research": RHB
 - 4-10 "Rise and Decline of Lynchburg TOBACCO WAREHOUSES"
 - 4-11 "The WILLS-DAVIS House" [605 Clay St.]
 - 4-12 "Winton", Clifford, Amherst County, VA
 - 4-13 "Winton," [Part II]
- BOX 5**
- 5-1 "Winton": Papers
 - 5-2 "Winton": Source material
 - 5-3 "Winton": Letters, clippings, misc. [1]
 - 5-4 "Winton": Letters, clippings, misc. [2]
 - 5-5 "Winton" (Lexington, KY)
- BOX 6**
- 6-1 Correspondence & papers regarding the writing of a Master's degree
from Columbia University by RHB [incl. Carteret signature]
 - 6-2 Poets of Lynchburg--clippings, correspondence, etc.
 - 6-3 Notes: Proceedings of the trustees of Lynchburg, 1787-1817
 - 6-4 Notes: Campbell County data
 - 6-5 Notes: Deeds & land miscellany
 - 6-6 Notes: Misc. land records; Lynchburg I
 - 6-7 Notes: Misc. land records; Lynchburg II
 - 6-8 Notes: Lynchburg taverns
- BOX 7**
- 7-1 Correspondence of 1950-59
 - 7-2 Correspondence of 1960-69
 - 7-3 Correspondence of 1970-79
 - 7-4 Correspondence of 1980-1990
 - 7-5 WILLIAM LYNCH; correspondence & notes
 - 7-6 Lynchburg General Hospital miscellany
 - 7-7 TATE family & estate
 - 7-8 TATE VS. LYNCH notes

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- BOX 7** 7-9 miscellaneous envelopes from Blunt correspondence

BOX 8 8-1 ARRINGTON family research notes
 8-2 Travels in the Old South (inc. "Scenes from Lynchburg")
 [photocopy]
 8-3 "The James River in Campbell County" by T. Gibson Hobbs, Jr.
 8-4 Lynchburg Female Seminary
 8-5 Newspaper clippings about Behind the Old Brick Wall
 8-6 "The Importance of the Federal Census of 1850 to DAR" by LAB
 8-7 RHB's notes on silver
 8-8 LYNCHBURG COURTHOUSE documents
 8-9 Memoir by Susan Leigh Blackford
 8-10 Lynchburg Historic Tour Guides

BOX 9 9-1 BURFORD data 9-9 WALKER/LYNCH data
 9-2 CARR data 9-10 WATSON data
 9-3 CLINTON data 9-11 WHEAT data
 9-4 EARLY data 9-12 WILKS data
 9-5 EIDSON data 9-13 DAR papers of Nancy
 9-6 IRONMONGER data Louis Miller Hamilton
 9-7 KEY data [FLOYD/MILLER/OTEY/
 9-8 MERIWETHER/LEWIS PANNELL/PRESTON/WIATT]

BOX 10 10-1 DOOLEY data
 10-2 HERRING/LEWIS/SHELTON/STONE/WHITE miscellany
 10-3 LEWELLIN JONES to NELSON DAWSON deed, 1807
 10-4 Notebook of LAB [@ the Williams Home]
 10-5 "Have You Ever Considered History of Ward's Road?" [The News,
 2 Jan. 1942]
 10-6 CLARK/TERRELL family chart
 10-7 THOMPSON/BOONE chart
 10-8 JOHN BOLLING grant, 1745 [photocopy]
 10-9 CHARLES LYNCH bibliography
 10-10 JAMES CALLAWAY bibliography
 10-11 LYNCH's Ferry data
 10-12 BEDFORD COUNTY, VA data

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- BOX 10** **10-13** Inventory of papers from a Lynchburg grist mill, 1809-1817
 10-14 Miscellaneous papers concerning Lynchburg
 10-15 Miscellaneous personal items [inc. photos]
 10-16 NORVELL/OTTEY family records
 10-17 LYNCHBURG POETRY READER miscellany (Part I)
 10-18 LYNCHBURG POETRY READER miscellany (Part II)
 10-19 VALENTINE data
- BOX 11** [Parts I, II, and III of a history of Memorial Methodist Church, with a
 photograph, negatives, and correspondence]
- BOX 12** **12-1** "Places and People Mentioned in Sketches and Recollections of
 Lynchburg" by LAB [bound typescript]
 12-2 Appointment calendar for the year 1970
- [BOX] 13** Scrapbook of English Literature, No. 1
[BOX] 14 Scrapbook of English Literature, No. 2
[BOX] 15 Scrapbook of English Literature, No. 3
[BOX] 16 Scrapbook of English Literature, No. 4
[BOX] 17 Scrapbook of English Literature, No. 5
[BOX] 18 Scrapbook of Winton Graveyard by RHB

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The collection consists mostly of research papers about Lynchburg written by the Blunt sisters. There are also research notes, correspondence, and scrapbooks. "Scrapbook of English Literature No. 5" contains photos from play produced at E.C. Glass High School, where Ruth Homes Blunt taught.

- BOX 1** Miscellaneous notes & publications
- BOX 2** Miscellaneous notes & publications on Lynchburg
- BOX 3** Miscellaneous notes & publications
- BOX 4** Miscellaneous notes & publications on Lynchburg & "Winton" [Clifford, VA]
- BOX 5** Miscellaneous papers, letters, & clippings on Winton" [Clifford, VA & Lexington, KY]
- BOX 6** Miscellaneous correspondence & papers concerning work on a masters' degree by RHB; also, notes on land records of Lynchburg & Campbell Co., Lynchburg poets, and Lynchburg taverns
- BOX 7** Miscellaneous correspondence [1950-1990]; Lynchburg General Hospital miscellany; William LYNCH family data; TATE v. LYNCH notes
- BOX 8** Miscellaneous notes & publications
- BOX 9** Miscellaneous family data
- BOX 10** Miscellaneous family data & notes of local interest; "Lynchburg Poetry Reader" miscellany
- BOX 11** "A History of Memorial Methodist Church"
- BOX 12** "Places and People mentioned in Sketches and Recollections of Lynchburg"; calendar of 1970
- [BOX] 13–17** Scrapbooks of English Literature, Nos. 1-5
- [BOX] 18** Scrapbook of Winton Graveyard

[Detailed finding guide available with the collection]

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