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STANHOPE S. JOHNSON (1881-1973) OFFICE RECORDS

The collection of the office records of Stanhope S. JOHNSON, a Lynchburg, Virginia, architect, includes estimate books, certificate files, photographs, reference files (mostly pictures clipped from books and serials), and files about specific projects, e.g., the Allied Arts Building, the Memorial United Methodist Church, buildings for Lynchburg College, and the restoration of Red Hill, the home of Patrick HENRY. Also included is an account book from his farm.

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- BOX 5** WHITEHOUSE, L. B., Duplex (Lynchburg, Virginia)
Rivermont Park Apartments (Lynchburg, Virginia)
Old Sweet Springs (West Virginia)
Lynchburg Apartment House (Lynchburg, Virginia)
CRADDOCK-TERRY Shoe Factory data
Virginia Hotel (Skylight)
- BOX 6** **Churches**
Memorial Methodist Church (Lynchburg, Virginia)
Rivermont Baptist Church (Lynchburg, Virginia)
Harrisonburg (VA) Baptist Church
- BOX 7** **Churches**
Greene Memorial Methodist Church (Roanoke,
 Virginia)
St. John's Church (Halifax, Virginia)
First Baptist Church (Roanoke, Virginia)
First Methodist Church (Salem, Virginia)
Clarksville Methodist Church (Clarksville,
 Virginia)
Forest Methodist Church (Forest, Virginia)
South Roanoke Methodist Church (Roanoke, Virginia)
Central Methodist Church (Rustburg, Virginia)
Braddock Street Methodist Church alterations
 (Winchester, Virginia)
Myers Park Baptist Church (Charlotte, North
 Carolina)
Appomattox Methodist Church (Appomattox, Virginia)
Fork Union Baptist Church (Fork Union, Virginia)
St. Thomas' Episcopal Church (Bedford County,
 Virginia)
- BOX 8** **Churches**
St. Stephen's Church (Forest, Virginia)
Rivermont Avenue Baptist Church (Lynchburg,
 Virginia)
West Lynchburg Baptist Church (Lynchburg, Virginia)
Court Street Methodist Church (Lynchburg, Virginia)
First Presbyterian Church (Lynchburg Virginia)
Methodist church (Chase City, Virginia)
Central Methodist Church (Clifton Forge, Virginia)
Thaxton Baptist Church (Thaxton, Virginia)

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- BOX 8** Clifton Forge Baptist Church (Clifton Forge, VA)
First Baptist Church (Wilson, NC)
First Baptist Church (Roanoke, VA)
River Road Baptist Church (Richmond, VA)
Grace Baptist Church (Richmond, VA)
Leesburg (VA) Baptist Church
Watts St. Baptist Church (Durham, NC)
Terrace View Baptist Church (Forest, VA)
First Presbyterian Church (Gloucester, VA)
Woodstock Methodist Church
Trinity Church (Roanoke, VA)
Halifax (VA) Methodist Church
Monroe (VA) Methodist Church
Centenary Methodist Church (Lynchburg, VA)
Rivermont Avenue Presbyterian Church (Lynchburg, VA)
- BOX 9** State Epileptic Colony (Colony, Virginia)
School and Auditorium
- BOX 10** State Epileptic Colony (Colony, Virginia)
Baths (LUCADO and STROVE-MASSER Cottages)
Miscellaneous correspondence
School and Auditorium correspondence
- BOX 11** State Epileptic Colony (Colony, Virginia)
Women's ward buildings
Columns (Brick/stucco)
Tuberculosis ward building
Miscellaneous jobs
- BOX 12** **Hospitals**
Halifax Community Hospital (South Boston, Virginia)
- BOX 13** **Hospitals**
Pulaski Hospital (Pulaski, Virginia)
Virginia Baptist Hospital (Lynchburg, Virginia)
- BOX 14** **Hotels**
Ocean Forest Hotel (Myrtle Beach, South Carolina)
Hotel Equipment Building (New York, New York)
Durham Citizens Hotel (Durham, North Carolina)
Proposed hotel (Columbia, South Carolina)

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- BOX 15** **Patrick HENRY Memorial Foundation**
Photographs and drawings
Patrick HENRY Boys Plantation
- BOX 16** **Red Hill Renovations**
Correspondence (1939-1967)
- BOX 17** **Red Hill Restoration and Renovations**
Billings (1944-1966)
Correspondence (1954-1967)
- BOX 18** **Residences**
J. S. GALBAN (Charlottesville, Virginia)
Douglas S. DIVERS (Pulaski, Virginia)
James B. TWYMAN (Charlottesville, Virginia)
John David BRCIN (Amherst County, Virginia)
A. M. WHITE
J. R. CARROLL
E. J. McKENNA
T. E. WRAY
Lawson W. TURNER, Sr.
William KING estate (Lynchburg, Virginia)
Mrs. B. B. SEGEL
Carleton SCHALLER
W. L. LYLE
Lawrence B. WHITEHOUSE, Sr. (Lynchburg, Virginia)
R. A. HARRIS
J. H. RUSHER
- BOX 19** **Residences/Commercial**
Thurman E. BOYD (Lynchburg, Virginia)
Pyramid Motor Company (Lynchburg, Virginia)
Allied Arts Building (Lynchburg, Virginia)
- BOX 20** **Residences**
J. B. MARSHALL (Hingham, Massachusetts)
G. E. BOND (Lynchburg, Virginia)
A. R. HARWOOD
L. W. TURNER, Jr.
H. E. STEPTOE
T. W. GILLIAM
Muncie HILL
Harold LEGGETT

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BOX 20 Frank R. WHITEHOUSE
Herbert THOMSON estate
H. B. THOMSON (Ivy Hill, Forest, Virginia)
DuVal RADFORD (Woodbourne, Forest, Virginia)
A. H. CAMDEN

BOX 21 **Schools**
Randolph-Macon Woman's College (Lynchburg,
Virginia)
Greenbrier College

BOX 21 Gymnasium, chapel, East Hall, President's residence

BOX 22 **Schools**
Randolph-Macon Woman's College (Lynchburg,
Virginia)
East, West, New Halls
Garden pools
"Mary's Garden"
Science building

BOX 23 **Schools/Churches**
Lynchburg College (Lynchburg, Virginia)
Gymnasium, HOPWOOD Hall, dormitory, library,
Science building, faculty home
First Baptist Church (Lynchburg, Virginia)
Centenary Methodist Church (Lynchburg, Virginia)
Miscellaneous (3 files)

BOX 24 **Schools**
Fairview Heights School (Lynchburg, Virginia)
Marvin BASS School (Lynchburg, Virginia)
Monroe School (Amherst County, Virginia)
New London Academy (New London, Virginia)
Mountain View School (Campbell County, Virginia)
Virginia Episcopal School (Lynchburg, Virginia)

BOX 25 **Schools (Bedford County, Virginia)**
Suzie B. GIBSON High School
Huddleston Vocational School
Moneta Vocational School
Montvale High School
Thaxton School addition

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- BOX 25** A. G. CUMMINGS (Superintendent of Schools)
- BOX 26** **Schools**
Moneta High School (Bedford County, Virginia)
New London Academy (Bedford County, Virginia)
William Marvin BASS School (Lynchburg, Virginia)
Big Island High School (Big Island, Virginia)
Thaxton School (Thaxton, Virginia)
- BOX 27** **Schools**
Hargrave Military Academy (Chatham, Virginia)
Administration building, kitchen
- BOX 28** **Schools**
Hargrave Military Academy (Chatham, Virginia)
Administration building
- BOX 29** **Miscellaneous**
Rivermont Housing Corporation (Lynchburg, Virginia)
Durham Hotel (Durham, North Carolina)
Charlottesville Hotel (Charlottesville, Virginia)
Historical American Buildings Survey
Art Commission (Virginia)
Manuals for Architects and Engineers (Virginia)
Veterans Training Data
Lynchburg Historical Society
E. V. MARKUSH (New York, New York)
Office equipment sale
Thurman BOYD building (Lynchburg, Virginia)
Trueheart POSTON
State Epileptic Colony
Emergency Housing Relief (World War II - Lynchburg, Virginia)
Miscellaneous correspondence
- BOX 30** **Miscellaneous**
Memorial Methodist Church (Lynchburg, Virginia)
Testimonial letters
Photographs of work planned and completed
Childhood drawings of Stanhope JOHNSON
Ledger listing jobs and purchases

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- BOX 31 Miscellaneous**
Appomattox (Va.) Courthouse, Clerk's Office, Jail
Appomattox (Va.) Office Building for Courthouse
Historical Society (Miller-Claytor House)
Oakwood Country Club (Lynchburg, Va.)
YWCA (Lynchburg, Va.)
Randolph-Macon Academy (Front Royal, Va.)
- BOX 32 Miscellaneous Photographs and Drawings**
- BOX 33 Miscellaneous Photographs and Drawings (oversize)**

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Stanhope S. JOHNSON, son of George Lafayette JOHNSON and Mary Elizabeth ROBERTS, was born 16 February 1881 in Lynchburg, Virginia. He attended the Piedmont Business College in Lynchburg and the Scranton School of Architecture in Pennsylvania, where he received a diploma in 1906. He then attended the deHOULTLIEU School of Architecture in Paris in 1912 and took architectural business courses "in the Atelier of H.C.L. SMITH," of London. JOHNSON also traveled throughout Europe studying types of architecture.

In 1910, Stanhope JOHNSON opened architectural offices in Lynchburg and Danville and "specialized in classical and colonial architectural design as applied to churches, schools, hotels and residences in Virginia" and throughout the South.

On 26 October 1921, Stanhope S. JOHNSON married Annie Elizabeth BOND, daughter of Robert Nelson BOND and Annie EVERETT, of Brownsville, Tennessee.

A member of the American Institute of Architects, Stanhope S. JOHNSON also served on the Virginia State Board for the examination of architects, engineers, and land surveyors. Among his noteworthy accomplishments were the preservation and restoration of the MILLER-CLAYTOR House in Lynchburg, and the restoration of Red Hill, the home of Patrick HENRY. He also designed buildings for Randolph-Macon Woman's College and Lynchburg College.

Stanhope S. JOHNSON died 11 January 1973 in Lynchburg and was buried in the Spring Hill Cemetery.

[Obituary, *Lynchburg News*, 12 January 1973, Sect. B, p. 4 col. 1; Burial Record, Diuguid Funeral Home, Lynchburg, VA, Book 62, p. 177; Robert C. Glass and Carter Glass, Jr., *Virginia Democracy*, Vol. 2 (N.p.: Democratic Historical Association, 1937), pp. 562-565.]