

Confederate Navy Collection

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Box list

Collection Overview

The Navy Collection features historically significant log books, journals, and papers of officers in the Confederate States Navy, most notably the *C.S.S. Shenandoah*. The collection consists of six oversize boxes containing bound volumes and three boxes of several miscellaneous individual collections (Hardin Littlepage, John Thomson Mason, Matthew Fontaine Maury, and Michael Usina); Individuals (primarily officers), and Vessels.

Oversize Boxes

Box 1

Journals of Midshipman John Thomson Mason of the CSS *Shenandoah*, July 1863-August 1865, 5 volumes

Box 2

Logs of CSS *Shenandoah* kept by Midshipman John Thomson Mason, October 19, 1864-July 21, 1865; July 22, 1865-November 5, 1865

Box 3

Journals of Assistant Surgeon Charles E. Lining, aboard the USS *Cyane*, 1858-1862; and the CSS *Shenandoah*, 1864-1865
Charles E. Lining, appointments as assistant surgeon in USN (1858) and CSN (1862)

Box 4

Log of CSS *Georgia*, April 9, 1863-January 8, 1864
Descriptive list of crew of CSS *Tennessee*, February 1864
Miscellaneous clippings, plans, etc. regarding CSS *Alabama*

Box 5

Engineer's log of CSS *Stonewall*, February 1, 1865-May 7, 1865
Resolution of thanks from Commonwealth of Virginia to Cdr. Robert B. Pegram, 1855

Box 6

"Torpedo Book" of Brig. Gen. Gabriel Rains
Diary of Engineer Charles W. Quinn, CSS *Florida*, January 1, 1863-March 1, 1864

Box 7

Journal of Lieutenant William C. Whittle, Jr., executive officer of the *CSS Shenandoah*, October 21, 1864–November 3, 1865

File Boxes

MISCELLANEOUS BOX 1

Hardin B. Littlepage Collection
John Thomson Mason Collection
Matthew Fontaine Maury Collection
Michael Phillip Usina Collection

(detailed inventories follow)

Miscellaneous Box 1: Hardin Littlepage Collection

File: Correspondence with Navy Department re: Naval War Records [arranged chronologically]

Map of Hampton Roads and lower James River

B.F. _____, Secretary of the Navy, to Hardin B. Littlepage, Washington, D.C., July 1, 1899 [appointment]

J. R. Soley, acting Secretary of the Navy, to Hardin B. Littlepage, Washington, D.C., April 25, 1891 [orders]

J. R. Soley, acting Secretary of the Navy, to Hardin B. Littlepage, Washington, D.C., December 16, 1891

_____, Secretary of the Navy, to Hardin B. Littlepage, Washington, D.C., May 20, 1893

_____, Acting Secretary of the Navy, to Hardin B. Littlepage, Washington, D.C., June 14, 1893

_____, Secretary of the Navy, to Hardin B. Littlepage, Washington, D.C., July 1, 1893

_____, Secretary of the Navy, to Hardin B. Littlepage, Washington, D.C., January 17, 1894

Hardin B. Littlepage to Lt. Cmdr. Richard Rush, Selma, Ala., February 26, 1894

Richard Rush, Superintendent of Naval War Records, to Hardin B. Littlepage, Washington, D.C., March 29, 1894

_____, Acting Secretary of the Navy, to Hardin B. Littlepage, Washington, D.C., May 24, 1894

Hardin B. Littlepage, travel expenses for Naval War Records, July 25, 1894

Richard Rush, Superintendent of Naval War Records, to Hardin B. Littlepage, Washington, D.C., August 9, 1894

Richard Rush, Superintendent of Naval War Records, to Hardin B. Littlepage, Washington, D.C., April 27, 1895

____, Acting Secretary of the Navy, to Hardin B. Littlepage, Washington, D.C., July 15, 1895
Richard Rush, Superintendent of Naval War Records, to Hardin B. Littlepage, Washington, D.C., July 27, 1895
Richard Rush, Superintendent of Naval War Records, to Hardin B. Littlepage, Washington, D.C., April 7, 1896
E. K. Rawson, Superintendent of Naval War Records, to Hardin B. Littlepage, Washington, D.C., March 31, 1897
E. K. Rawson, Superintendent of Naval War Records, to Hardin B. Littlepage, Washington, D.C., April 21, 1897
Theodore Roosevelt, Acting Secretary of the Navy, to E. K. Rawson, Washington, D.C., April 23, 1897 [copy, not signed]
E. K. Rawson, Superintendent of Naval War Records, to Hardin B. Littlepage, Washington, D.C., April 24, 1897
E. K. Rawson, Superintendent of Naval War Records, to Hardin B. Littlepage, Washington, D.C., May 3, 1897
John D. Long, Secretary of the Navy, to Hardin B. Littlepage, Washington, D.C., February 17, 1898
Hardin B. Littlepage to Secretary John D. Long, Washington, D.C., February 18, 1898 [copy]
E. K. Rawson, Superintendent of Naval War Records, to Hardin B. Littlepage, Washington, D.C., May 8, 1899
James Tanner to Hardin B. Littlepage, Washington, D.C., July 11, 1900

File: Correspondence of Gustava A. Fox and Catesby Ap R. Jones

G. V. Fox to "My old Shipmate" [Catesby Ap R. Jones], Boston, June 9, 1874
G.V. Fox to "My dear Com'd" [Jones], Boston, June 27, 1874
G.V. Fox to "My dear Com'd" [Jones], Boston, July 13, 1874
J. Ericson to G. V. Fox, New York, November 24, 1874 [2 mimeograph copies]
G. V. Fox to "My dear Jones," Boston, July 27, 1874
G. V. Fox to "My dear Com'd," Boston, August 5, 1874
G V. Fox to "My dear Jones," Boston, August 27, 1874
G. V. Fox to "My dear Jones," Boston, September 13, 1874
G. V. Fox to "My dear Com'd," Boston, September 30, 1874
G. V. Fox to "My dear Com'd," Boston, October 17, 1874
G. V. Fox to "My dear Com'd," Boston, November 2, 1874
G. V. Fox to "My dear Com'd," Boston, November 24, 1874
G V. Fox to "My dear Com'd," Boston, December 8, 1874
G .V. Fox to "Dr Com'd," Boston, November 3, 1875
G. V. Fox to "My dear Com'd," Boston, June 27, 1875
G. V. Fox to "My dear Com'd," Boston, August 13, 1876
G. V. Fox to "My dear Com'd," Boston, December 2, 1876

[Catesby Ap R. Jones], undated notes on envelope

_____ to Catesby Ap Roger Jones, Selma, October 19, 1865
Roger Ap C. Jones to Col. William Norris, Selma, May 5, 1886
G[ertrude] T. Jones to Col. Norris, Selma, Ala., April 1, [1891]
G[ertrude] T. Jones to Col. Norris, Selma, Ala., April 9, [1891]
Virginia L. Woodbury Fox to Captain H. B. Littlepage, "The Richmond," December 10, 1895

File: mimeograph typescripts of Fox-Jones Correspondence

File: Miscellaneous items relating to CSS Virginia and USS Monitor

Prospectus for book by Littlepage, *The Career of the Merrimac-Virginia*, to have been published by Neale Publishing Co., Washington, D.C.
Copy of House Report No. 1725 (48th Congress, 1st Session, May 31, 1884), "Officers and Crew of the United States Steamer Monitor"

File: Correspondence and Notes of Hardin B. Littlepage

Hardin B. Littlepage to sister, U. S. Naval Academy, September 30, 1859
Genealogical notes on Littlepage family
Miscellaneous items: recipe for "Scriptural Cake"; notes on article about "The Scriptural Almanac or Soldier's Prayer Book"
Typescript of unidentified doggerel
Small (stamp-size) watercolor of Confederate battle flag and Virginia state flag

Miscellaneous Box 1: John Thomson Mason Collection

File: Pre-war Letters

to Aunt Emily, Eastern View, March 8, 1856
to Brother, undated
to Aunt Emily, Troy, March 25, 1857
to Mother, the Cottage, September 10, 1860
to Mother, Okeley, September 24, 1860

File: Letters 1861

to My dear Aunt [Emily V. Mason] "The Cottage," M. 13th
to Aunt E[mily], Odell, January 21, 1861
Accounts from Warrenton to R[ichmond], n.d.
to Mother, Centerville, July 31, 1861
to Mother, C.S. Frigate United States, Norfolk, October 16, [1861]
to Mother, C.S. Frigate, U. States, October 26, 1861
to Mother, C.S. Frigate, U. States, November 16, 1861

to Sister [Kate Mason Rowland?], C.S. Frigate, States, Dec 18, 1861
to Mother, C.S. Frigate, U. States, December 21, 1861
to Kittie [Kate Mason Rowland], C.S. Frigate, U. States, December 31, 1861

File: Letters 1862

to Mother, New Year's Day, 1862
to Mother, January 14, 1862, C.S.S. States
to Aunt, C.S. Frigate, U. States, February 6, 1862
to Mother, C.S. Frigate, "States," February 11, 1862
to Mother, C.S. Receiving Ship, "States," February 24, 1862
to Mother, "States," March 20, 1862
to Mother, C.S. Ship "States," March 30, [1862]
to Mother, Steamer "Hampton," June 6, 1862
to Kit [Kate Mason Rowland], C.S. Steamer "Hampton" Off Drury's Bluff, June 15, 1862
to Mother, C.S. Steamer, "Hampton," June 15, [1862]
to Liz [Elizabeth Rowland], C.S.S. Hampton, June 15, [1862]
to Mother, C.S. Steamer Hampton, June 25, 1862
to Mother, C.S. Steamer "Hampton," July 27, 1862
to Kit [Kate Mason Rowland], Richmond Va. Examination Hall, September 29, [1862]
to [Liz?] fragment, undated [1862]

File: Letters 1863

to Brother [Thomas Rowland], R.R. between Weldon and Wil[mington], April 24, [1863]
[on reverse of partial letter (probably from Thomas Rowland), Naval Headquarters, Wilmington, N.C., April 19, 1863
to Aunt [Emily V. Mason], Mills House, Charleston, [S.C.], April 27, [1863]
to Brother [Thomas Rowland], Mills House, Charleston, [S.C.], April 28, [1863]
to Mother, Mansion House, Charleston, [S.C.], April 28, [1863]
diary entries, Friday April 24 -Saturday, April 25th [1863]
to Mother, Mills House, Charleston, [S.C.], April 28, [1863]
to Mother, Havana, May 24, [1863]
to Brother, Havana, May 24, [1863]
to Brother, Havana, May 26. [1863]
to Sister Liz, Havana, May 31, [1863]
to Mother, Paris, August 28, 1863
to Aunt [Emily V. Mason], Abbeville, France, November 26, 1863

File: Letters 1864

to "Ungrateful, much detested cousin," Abbeville, Somme, February 9, 1864
to Mother, Abbeville, February 29, 1864
to Mother, 19 Rue des Capucines, Abbeville (Somme), March 16, 1864
to Mother, Abbeville, May 26, 1864
to Thomas Rowland, July 6, 1864
to Aunty [Emily V. Mason], Abbeville, August 14, 1864

to Liz [Elizabeth Rowland], 19 Rue des Capucines, Abbeville (Somme), France, August 25, 1864

receipt, Liverpool, October 8, 1864, received from Mr. Francis Carr thirty pounds for passage on the cabin of Steamer Laurel from Liverpool to Nassau (with one penny Inland Revenue stamp)

File: Letters 1865

to Auntie, Liverpool, November 11, [1865]

to "Mason" from _____?, 30 rue Drouot, Paris, November 14, 1865

to brother, Liverpool, November 18, [1865]

to aunt _____, ca. December 1865 [fragment]

to Aunt, 11 Great George Square, Liverpool, December 22, [1865]

to Mother, 11 Great George Square, Liverpool, December 20, [1865]

to Auntie, Paris, December 28, 1865

File: Postwar Letters

to _____ [Dora?], fragment; on reverse: Kate Mason Rowland to Tom, January 30, [18]66

to Sisters, Liverpool, January 17, 1866

to Mother, Lisbon, January 30, 1866

to Dora, Rio de Janeiro, February 20, 1866

to Mother, Steam Ship "Kepler" Rio de Janeiro, February 27, 1866

to Brother, Steam Ship "Kepler," off Montevideo, March 7, 1866

to Dora, Buenos Ayres, March 15, 1866

to Mother, Quinta, de la Virginia, _____ 9, 1867

to Tom, "Quinta de la Virginia," January 9, 1867

to Mother, No 17 State St., Newark, N.J., May 31, 1868

to dear Girls, Hoboken Station, February 5, 1869

to Kit [Kate Mason Rowland], Newark, N.J., February 27, 1869

to Mother, Newark, N.J., March 8, 1869

to Kittie, University of Virginia, October 16, 1870

to Kittie, University of Virginia, November 22, 1870

to Mother, Baltimore, July 2[0?], 1876

File: Postwar Accounts

"A Lecture on the Cruise of the Shenandoah," Mss, 66+ pp., later published in *Century*, August 1898

"A Middy on the C.S. Cruiser Shenandoah," *The Alumni Bulletin* [University of Virginia], pp. 103-111

Certificate awarded from Episcopal High School, June 29, 1859 transferred to Certificates Collection Box 1

Miscellaneous Box 1: Matthew Fontaine Maury Collection

File

Letters from Maury to Capt. Charles Dimmock, [U.S. Naval] Observatory [Washington, D.C.], September 28 and 29, 1854

File: Miscellaneous documents

Maury's peace proposal, August 2, 1861, with copy

Letter [copy?] from [Emperor] Maximilian to Maury, Palace of Mexico, August 16, 1866, appointing Maury Grand Cross of the Order of Guadeloupe

Sundry clippings on Maury's work

File: Correspondence (wartime)

Society for Promoting Cessation of Hostilities in America, Rev. Francis W. Tremlett (bill), March 2, 1864

George T. Sinclair, CSN, to Rev. Francis W. Tremlett, June 21, 1864

Matthew Fontaine Maury to Rev. Tremlett, February 15, [1864?]

Matthew Fontaine Maury to Rev. Tremlett, 20 Dorset St., January 19, 1865

Admiral de Chabannes to Maury, Toulon, April 10, 1865 (with cover)

Capt. James N. North to Rev. Tremlett, Waterloo, May 27, 1865

James Mackay to Rev. Tremlett, Waterloo, October 18, 1865

Matthew Fontaine Maury to Rev. Tremlett, Manchester, November 22, 1864

Matthew Fontaine Maury to Rev. Tremlett, January 16, 1865

Matthew Fontaine Maury to Rev. Tremlett, February 9, 1865

Matthew Fontaine Maury to Rev. Tremlett, Thursday 9th

Matthew Fontaine Maury to Miss Louisa Tremlett, 3rd Feb.

Notes on causes of war (attributed to dictation from Maury)

Notes by Mrs. Littleton Fitzgerald (Maury's granddaughter)

File: Maury Testimonial, 1865-1866

Correspondence, primarily of Rev. Francis W. Tremlett, with English and French friends of Maury regarding testimonial dinner, June 5, 1866

Maury Dinner (Willis's Rooms, [London, England?]), June 5, 1866: invitation and menu

File: Matthew Fontaine Maury Association

Matthew Fontaine Maury monument (Richmond, VA): circulars, letterhead, postcards, invitations and programs for cornerstone laying and dedication, ca. 1910s-1929

Matthew Fontaine Maury bust (Virginia State Capitol): invitation and program, 1932

Matthew Fontaine Maury bust (New York University Hall of Fame): invitation and dedication program, 1931

Matthew Fontaine Maury memorial, Cavalry Episcopal Church, Fletcher, North Carolina, October 9, 1932

File: tribute to Maury

“Matthew Fontaine Maury, The Pathfinder of the Seas,” extension of remarks by Sen. Lister Hill, of Alabama, in Senate of the United States, January 23, 1959 [two copies of transcript from *Congressional Record*]

File: Richard L. Maury

“Torpedoes” by Richard L. Maury: handwritten draft of article published in *Southern Historical Society Papers* [35 pp.]

Text of statement about Maury’s electrical torpedo experiments written by Isabel Maury and Mary Maury Werth

File: Correspondence

Letter from Nannie Corbin to Matthew Fontaine Maury, University of Virginia, May 7, 1865

Letter from Dabney H. Maury to Miss Molly Maury, Holly Springs, MS, October 15, 1867

file: Letter

Susie [Mrs. Richard L.] Maury to R. L. Maury, Fredericksburg, VA, May 26-27, 1861

file: Tremlett Papers [*Remains in Tremlett Collection*]

Letters from Maury to Miss Louisa Tremlett, September 9, 1864, September 27, 1864, and July 12, 1868

Miscellaneous Box 1: Michael P. Usina Collection

Copy and transcript of Usina’s obituary; handwritten notes on Usina’s ship, *Armstrong*, copied from *Blockade Running in Confederate Times*

File of photocopies from Usina family

Copies of genealogical information, photographs, newspaper articles, and chapters from articles and books on Usina and his blockade running operations

MISCELLANEOUS BOX 2: Individuals files

Barron, Samuel, Captain

Letter to Stephen R. Mallory, August 31, 1861 relating to surrender of Hatteras Island

Articles of capitulation, August 29, 1861

Letter from Wyatt M. Brown, Surgeon, 7th Regiment, North Carolina Volunteers, to Barron (in prison at Fort Warren), November 14, 1861, assuring him of Secretary Mallory’s confidence and support.

Bennett, John W., Lieutenant

Reports of activities in Mobile, Alabama, August 1864 and April 1865, including reports of officers on *CSS Gaines* and Bennett’s reports on *CSS Nashville*

Booth, Edwin G., Assistant Surgeon

Appointment as assistant surgeon, May 1, 1863 (signed by Stephen R. Mallory and Franklin Buchanan)

Bowles, Richard Curd, Assistant Surgeon

Biographical sketch by grandson, Richard C. Bowles, Jr., 1982

Clipping of Memorial tribute, ca. 1923 (with family photographs on reverse)

Certificate from University of Virginia for passing examination in Chemistry and Pharmacy, 1859/60 session

“Doctor, Confederate, gentleman – Dr. R. C. Bowles,” published in *Goochland Gazette*, August 19, 1982

Orders to Mobile, December 25, 1863 (signed by Adm. Franklin Buchanan, Capt. John K. Mitchell and Lt. J. D. Johnston)

Orders to Richmond, September 23, 1864 (signed by S. S. Lee and Lt. Charles W. Hays)

Orders detaching him from naval shore batteries to report to Fluvanna County, Virginia Pass (as paroled prisoner) to visit friends in Louisa County, Virginia, September 15, 1864

“The Ship Tennessee. A Description of the Conflict in Mobile Bay.” By R. C. Bowles [mimeograph]

“Brief Sketch of Richard C. Bowles M.D’s War Record in the Confederate Service” by T. M. Fowler

Brooke, John Mercer, Commander

Indenture between Brooke (on behalf of Navy Department) and John J. Andrews, June 1, 1863, for property in Henrico County, bordered by Cherry, Albemarle, and Calvert streets

Letter to Messrs. J. R. Anderson & Co., Tredegar Iron Works, Richmond, Va., August 7, 1863, regarding 10-inch gun

Obituary

Buchanan, Franklin, Admiral

Excerpts of report of the battle of Hampton Roads, copied from *Official Records* by Lucy T. Munford

Letters to Mrs. J. W. Harris, President of Ladies Gunboat Association Columbus, Miss., Mobile, Alabama, October 10 and 25, 1862

Copy of letter from George W. Munford [Southern Historical Society] to Admiral Franklin Buchanan, April 20, 1874, enclosing letter inviting Buchanan (or Catesby Jones) to write account refuting New York *Herald* account of Hampton Roads.

Bulloch, Irvine Stephen, Master

Recommendation from Captain Raphael Semmes, London, September 29, 1864

Orders to report for duty aboard *Shenandoah*, Liverpool, October 4, 1864, signed by James D. Bulloch and James Waddell

Appointment as Master, December 8, 1864 (signed by Mallory)

Letter from Stephen R. Mallory regarding appointment, December 8, 1864

Mrs. C. E. Howard to Isabel Maury, June 3, 1908, regarding Bulloch

Bulloch, James D., Commander

Letter from Bulloch to Mr. Gilmer, Liverpool, May 4, 1883 enclosing duplicate copies of documents (below)

Clippings from British newspaper, 1864, regarding forged Confederate navy report
Obituary of "The Late Capt. Bulloch" from unidentified newspaper on the back of engraving, "Destruction of the Gosport Navy Yard" (by J. Rogers for Victor's *History*)

Letter from Stephen R. Mallory, Richmond, to Bulloch, May 23, 1865, concerning Federal spies in Britain

Letter of Mallory, Richmond, to Bulloch, February 21, 1863, regarding *Alabama* and *Florida* [partially in cipher]

Chew, Francis Thornton, Lieutenant

Analysis of Chew's *CSS Shenandoah* Diary [in collection of Southern Historical Collection, UNC] by Monroe F. Cockrell, 1948

Clarke, Maxwell T., Lieutenant

Recollections (1890) photocopy of original in UNC

Clayton, W. F., Midshipman

List of Members of Confederate States Navy Survivors Association (1905)

Colton, Lodge, Master's Mate

Free Pass on Melbourne & Hobson's Bay Railway, Australia, 1865

Cooke, James W., Captain

"In Memoriam" (article from unidentified newspaper)

Copland, Isaac

Typescript copies of letters written from Drewry's Bluff and *CSS Patrick Henry*, April 17, 27, 1862; December 11, 1862; February 6, 1865 [Copland also in 2nd Battalion, North Carolina Infantry]

Cumbae, John, Engineer

Appointment as Acting 3rd assistant engineer, July 11, 1864 (signed by Stephen R. Mallory); assigned to Naval Ordnance Works, Richmond

Davidson, Hunter, Commander

Biographical outline

Forrest, French, Captain

Calling card, "Flag Officer Admiral French Forrest, Com'dg Chief U.S. Naval Forces E. Coast of S. America"

Gill, Emmet F., Engineer

“An Incident in the Confederate Service” [evacuation of Richmond, 1911]

Glassell, W. T., Lieutenant

Account of “David” attack on *New Ironsides*, October 1863, from Johnson’s *History*

Goodwyn, Matthew P., Lieutenant

Appointment as second lieutenant for “gallant and meritorious contact,” September 25, 1863

Green, Bennett W., Assistant Surgeon, Papers:

Appointment as Passed Assistant Surgeon, February 6, 1863 (signed by Stephen R. Mallory)

Orders from J. K. Mitchell, Richmond, April 27, 1863, to leave Richmond Naval Hospital and report to 1st Lt. William H. Dalton, Charleston, SC

Receipt for expenses, Halifax Hotel, June 25, 1863

Letter from Matthew Fontaine Maury, London, November 24, 1863, to proceed for orders to London

Orders from Flag Officer Samuel Barron, Paris, January 17, 1864, to proceed to Orleans to give medical attention to naval officers there

Orders Cdr. Matthew Fontaine Maury, Bowdon, Manchester, England, June 4, 1864, to proceed to Paris and report to Flag Officer Barron

Orders from Flag Officer Samuel Barron, Paris, September 4, 1864, to report to Lt. Fauntleroy on *Rappahannock* (signed by Fauntleroy)

Letter from Charles Fauntleroy, Calais, October 4, 1864, discharging Green from service with *Rappahannock*, with instructions to report to Flag Officer Barron

Letter from Flag Officer Samuel Barron, Paris, October 12, 1864

Letter from Lt. Charles M. Fauntleroy, Calais, October 17, 1864

Orders from Flag Officer Samuel Barron, Paris, November 17, 1864, to proceed to Bowden, near Manchester, England, and report to Comdr. Matthew F. Maury (signed by Maury)

Letter from James D. Bulloch, London, December 20, 1864, regarding orders that he will receive to report to him

Letter from Flag Officer Samuel Barron, Paris, December 22, 1864 (with cover)

Letter from James D. Bulloch, Rumford Court, Liverpool, December 23, 1864, enclosing orders

Expense account, May 1, 1863-December 31, 1864

Letter from Capt. Thomas Page, Havana, May 20, 1865, detaching Green from service with the and resigning the ship to the custody of Spanish authorities

Certificate of Character/Certificate of Discharge, port of Glasgow, July 5, 1865

Letter from F. H. Morris, Auditor, U.S. Navy Department, October 14, 1898, regarding back pay due May 1861

Undated expense account for Mr. Charlton, Washington Hotel, Liverpool

Expense accounts (and cover) “from Wilmington,” 1863 and undated [4 items]

Griggs, William W., Assistant Surgeon, Papers:

Appointment as assistant surgeon, May 1, 1863 (signed by Stephen R. Mallory)

Orders to Wilmington, N.C. (steamer *North Carolina*), May 19, 1863 (signed by John K. Mitchell and William F. Lynch)

Appointment as assistant surgeon in the Provisional Navy, June 2, 1864 (signed by Stephen R. Mallory)

Orders to be detached from *North Carolina* and report to C.S. Receiving Ship *Arctic*, October 1, 1864 (signed by R. F. Pinkney and Lt. C. B. Poindexter)

Pass from Provost Marshal's Office, Fort Columbus, New York Harbor, January 24, 1865

Orders to report to Surgeon James F. Harrison, Naval Hospital, Richmond, March 6, 1865 (signed by S. S. Lee and James F. Harrison)

Letters from Surgeon James W. B. Greenhow, Chapel Hill, N.C., March 21, 1865 to Griggs and on behalf of Griggs to board of examiners regarding his service and character

Hoge, Francis L., Lieutenant

Orders from the President to place obstructions in the Roanoke River and proceed to Wilmington to consult with Gen. Whiting, October 5, 1863 (signed by Col. J[oseph] C. Ives)

Special orders (No. 249, paragraph XXI) ordering commissary general to furnish Hoge and ten men with necessary supplies for proposed expedition, by command of secretary of war (signed by John Withers, AAG)

Appointment as first lieutenant to rank from August 23, 1863 "For gallant and meritorious conduct in the capture of the United States gun-boats 'Satellite' and 'Reliance,'" September 21, 1863 (signed by Stephen R. Mallory)

Orders to report to Cdr. John Randolph Tucker for duty on board *Yorktown*, June 25, 1861 (signed by Samuel Barron by command of secretary of the navy and J. R. Tucker)

Orders from Office of Orders and Detail, October 8, 1861, noting that Master Thomas L. Dornin has been ordered to report to Lt. James D. Johnston in Mobile and that Master Francis L. Hoge will remain master on the "Patrick Henry." (signed by Franklin Buchanan and J. R. Tucker)

Authorization from Office of Orders and Detail to call upon Lt. J. H. Parker, special service, or Cdr. Robb, commandant Navy Yard at Rocketts to furnish you with any two boats for proposed special service and to call upon Flag Officer Forrest commanding James River Squadron for crews for proposed service, October 17, 1863 (signed by John K. Mitchell)

Orders from Secretary of the Navy to report to Cdr. John Brooke to furnish you with 20 torpedoes, then proceed to Petersburg and report to Maj. Gen. Pickett who will indicate where they are to be placed, then return to Richmond, December 9, 1863 (signed by Mallory)

Orders from Secretary of the Navy to proceed to Wilmington and take charge of such boats as will be delivered to you by Flag Officer Lynch and Gen. Whiting, January 16, 1864 [for *Underwriter* expedition] (signed by Stephen R. Mallory)

Letter from Cdr. John K. Mitchell, Office of Orders and Detail, to Flag Officer French Forrest, commandant, requesting him to select 45 men for special service with Cdr. John Taylor Wood [*Underwriter* expedition], January 27, 1864 (signed by John K. Mitchell)
Biographical sketch of Hoge [typescript]

Hollins, George N., Captain

Appointment as captain, June 22, 1861 (signed by Stephen R. Mallory)
Appointment as captain, October 23, 1861 to date from March 26, 1861 (signed by Stephen R. Mallory)

Howell, Jefferson Davis, CSMC

“Jefferson Davis Howell, the Confederate Officer” (probably by James Morehead)

Hudgins, William E., Lieutenant

CMLS “Roll of Honour” form and 3-page typescript autobiography

Ingraham, Duncan, Captain

[*See files in Department of South Carolina and Georgia Collection*]

Johnston, Edward J., Engineer

Information regarding his death at Fort Warren, Boston, October 14, 1863

Jones, Catesby Ap Roger, Commander

Letter to “Dear Colonel,” Virginia, March 5, 1862

Kell, John McIntosh, Commander

Letter to Miss Louisa Tremlett, C.S. Str. Alabama, Bahia [Brazil], May 20, 1863

[*Remains in Tremlett Collection*]

Letter to Miss Louisa Tremlett, Str. Europa, July 10, 1864 [*Remains in Tremlett Collection*]

Lee, William A., Midshipman

Parole, Washington, D.C., June 12, 1865

McCarrick, James W., Midshipman

“The Navy of the Confederate States” (address to Pickett-Buchanan Camp, UCV, January 19, 1910)

Maffitt, John N., Lieutenant

Letter to Lt. J. M. Stribling, August 25, 1862, instructing him to proceed to Havana and communicate with agent Maj. Helm [photocopy of original in Markham manuscript collection]

Mallory, Stephen R., Secretary of the Navy

Biographical Sketch

Letter to Paymaster Henry S. Myers, April 22, 1861 (re: *CSS Sumter*), enclosing letter from Secretary of the Treasury Christopher Memminger to Mallory, April 6, 1861
Warrant for \$100,000 for construction of iron-clad vessels, to be issued by Treasury Department to Asst. Paymaster Sidney S. Nicholas, Richmond, Va., April 1, 1864
[Also see file of items in Department of South Carolina and Georgia Collection]

Minor, George, Commander

Letter to William B. Heriot, Secretary of Battery Commission, Charleston, S.C., May 20, 1882 [remains in Department of South Carolina and Georgia Collection]

Minor, Robert Dabney, Lieutenant

Order (official copy) from Brig. Gen. [G.W.C.], July 2, 1863: "Lieut. R. D. Minor will assemble his battalion as quickly as possible at Rocketts and there await further orders."
(signed by Clement Sulivane, ADC)
[not in collection box; remains in Scrapbook in numismatic drawer 2-6]

Mitchell, John K., Captain

Letter of October 5, 1876 to *Southern Historical Society Papers* disputing article by Charles W. Read about New Orleans

Moore, Preston B., Midshipman, Papers:

Orders from batteries at Drewry's Bluff and ordering to school ship *Patrick Henry*, September 16, 1863 (signed by John K. Mitchell, James H. Rochelle, William H. Parker, and S. S. Lee)

Orders from school ship and ordering to Mobile, December 10, 1863 (signed by John K. Mitchell, William H. Parker, J. W. Bennett, and Franklin Buchanan)

Request to report to Office of Orders and Detail the Congressional District in which he resided when he received his appointment, April 20, 1864 (signed by Adm. Franklin Buchanan and Lt. J. W. Bennett)

Orders from Mobile to Savannah, August 4, 1864 (signed by S. S. Lee, Ebenezer Farrand, and J. W. Bennett)

Orders to report to Commander Joseph Price, at Savannah, August 25, 1864 (signed by W. W. Hunter and Joseph Price)

Orders to report to steamer *Savannah*, August 26, 1864 (signed by W. W. Hunter and Thomas W. Brent)

Passes (3) issued to Moore as paroled prisoner (from Johnston's Army) by headquarters, Augusta, Georgia, to remain in Augusta for 30 days and permission to return home, April 29 and May 1, 1865

Certification of Oath to U.S.A., May 29, 1865

Naval Rope Works

Invoices / Receipts, February 25 and March 14, 1865

Page, Richard Lucien, Commander

Order to Mr. Samuel V. Turner, Charlotte, NC, to proceed to Salisbury, NC, to obtain bricks for Charlotte Naval Station, July 25, 1863

Page, Thomas Jefferson, Captain

Letter to Lucy [Mrs. W. T.] Robins, October 12, 1894 (written when Page was blind), with explanatory note from Mrs. Robins

Biographical Sketch

Biographical data provided by researcher

Pegram, Robert Baker, Captain

Mimeograph copies of reports concerning Pegram's actions in China Seas (1855) and presentation of sword by Commonwealth of Virginia (1858), with letter from Navy Department (1911) enclosing copies

Letter to Pegram from J.C. Dobbin, Secretary of the Navy, May 10, 1856

Letter to Pegram from Gov. Henry A. Wise, Richmond, VA, April 19, 1858

Letter to Pegram from George W. Munford, Secretary of the Commonwealth, Richmond, VA, September 18, 1858

Letter to Pegram from Gov. John Letcher, Richmond, VA, April 18, 1861

Letter to Pegram from Gideon Welles, Secretary of U.S. Navy, May 13, 1861, striking Pegram's name from rolls of the Navy

Orders to report to Charleston to assume command of *CSS Nashville*, September 27, 1861 (signed by Stephen R. Mallory)

Letters from Henry Pegram, New York, to Mrs. Clarence T. Watson, February 27 and September 1, 1865 regarding Pegram family genealogy

Pelot, Thomas P., Lieutenant Commanding

Letter written on board receiving ship *Rattlesnake* to Lt. Jeremiah Sullivan, USN, February 24, 1861

Porter, John Luke, Chief Constructor

Letter to Rev. J. S. Moore, November 4, 1861

Typescript copies of article, "C.S.S. Virginia (Merrimac) Story of Her Construction, Battles, etc." published in *Southern Historical Society Papers*

Read, Charles W., Lieutenant

Letter to Secretary Mallory, *CSS Webb*, Alexandria, Louisiana, April 22, 1865, regarding preparations of the *Webb* and defenses of southwest Louisiana.

Semmes, Raphael, Admiral

Letters to James D. Bulloch, November 19, 1862 and to Ed. DeLeon, September 12, [186_]

Letters to Miss Louisa Tremlett, November 11, 1864 and January 15, 1865, and to Rev. Dr. Frank Tremlett, January 5, 1872; and description of Semmes's presentation sword [remains in MC3 T-840C and 840D]

Letter from Arthur Fremantle, September 9, 1864 [remains in Kate Mason Rowland Collection]

Letter to William M. Morris, June 18, 1868

Sinclair, George T., Commander

Letter to Louisa Tremlett, 16 Oxford St., Mt. Pleasant [Liverpool], August 2, 1864 [Remains in Tremlett Collection]

Letter to Louisa Tremlett, 16 Oxford St., Mt. Pleasant [Liverpool], August 7, 1864 [Remains in Tremlett Collection]

Letter to Louisa Tremlett, 16 Oxford St., Mt. Pleasant, Liverpool, September 10, [1864] [Remains in Tremlett Collection]

Letter to Louisa Tremlett, 16 Oxford St., Mt. Pleasant, Liverpool, September 19, [1864] [Remains in Tremlett Collection]

Letter to Louisa Tremlett, 23 Peel Terrace, Liverpool, January 20, 1865 [Remains in Tremlett Collection]

Letter to [Francis?] Tremlett, Grand Hotel, Paris, March 16, [1865?] [Remains in Tremlett Collection]

Letter to [Francis?] Tremlett, Halifax, N.S., March 10, [1874?] [Remains in Tremlett Collection]

Sinclair, William B., Jr., Midshipman

Letter to J. W. Jones [SHS], May 6, 1879, regarding death of Midshipman William B. Sinclair, July 10, 1864

Swain, Edward A., Midshipman

Appointment as acting midshipman, October 31, 1861

Tattnall, Josiah, Captain

Parole, May 8, 1865

Letter to Capt. Louis M. Goldsborough, Norfolk, April 17, 1862, regarding exchange of prisoners

Letter to Tattnall from Secretary Stephen R. Mallory, July 24, 1862, regarding acquittal of all charges by court martial

Letter to Tattnall from Capt. S. S. Lee (Office of Orders and Detail) to Tattnall, December 30, 1864, requesting full report of affairs at Savannah

Letter to Tattnall from U.S. Secretary of the Navy, February 21, 1861 accepting his resignation (remains in print drawer 3-14)

Commission as flag officer in Georgia State Navy, signed by Gov. Joseph Brown, February 21, 1861 (remains in print drawer 3-14)

Tombs, James H., Engineer

Appointment as chief engineer, CSN, for meritorious servant on *David* in attack against *New Ironsides*, October 5, 1863 [signed by Navy Secretary Stephen R. Mallory]

Turner, George P., Lieutenant, CSMC

Commission as 2nd lieutenant in Marine Corps in Virginia Navy, May 2, 1861 (signed by John Letcher)

Letter from Gideon Welles, U.S. Navy Secretary, June 25, 1861, striking Turner's name from rolls of Marine Corps

Appointment as first lieutenant in CSMC, July 2, 1861 (signed by Stephen R. Mallory)

Orders (Special Order No. 128) to report to Col. McLaws at Williamsburg for duty with artillery, July 8, 1861 (signed for John Magruder by John B. Cary)

Appointment as captain in adjutant general's department of Confederate Army, May 28, 1863 (signed by James A. Seddon)

Certificate of Oath of Allegiance to U.S.A., Decatur, Alabama, May 13, 1865 [descriptive information]

White, Elsberry V., Engineer

Appointment as acting third assistant engineer, January 15, 1862 (signed by Stephen Mallory)

Orders to report for duty on *Merrimac*, January 16, 1862 (signed by Franklin Buchanan and French Forrest)

Orders to Mobile, June 2, 1862 (signed by French Forrest, Stephen R. Mallory, S. S. Lee, John de Bree, and J. D. Johnston)

Letter from White to French Forrest, Portsmouth, VA, February 11, 1862, requesting four days leave

Orders to report to C. Ap R. Jones "for such duty as he may assign you," May 16, 1862 (signed by French Forrest)

Letter from French Forrest, Bureau of Order & Detail, August 19, 1862, accepting White's resignation from Navy

Appointment by State of Georgia as adjutant of battalion of Muscogee County local defense troops, Georgia, August 24, 1863

Commission by Governor of the State of Georgia as adjutant of battalion of Muscogee County local defense troops, August 13, 1863 (signed by Gov. Joseph E. Brown)

Appointment by State of Georgia as 1st lieutenant of Columbus Guards local defense troops, August 14, 1863

Letter from D. H. Reynolds, headquarters Reynolds' Brigade in front of Atlanta, August 15, 1864

Certificate of Oath of Allegiance [with descriptive information], issued to White from Department of the South, Hilton Head, S.C., June 17, 1865

Postwar list of officers of *Merrimac* and their stations on March 8, 1862

Wright, A. O., Admiral (UCV)

Papers relating to Navy Department, United Confederate Veterans, 1925

MISCELLANEOUS BOX 3: VESSELS FILES

Advance [blockade runner]

Gov. Zebulon Vance to Stephen R. Mallory, Executive Mansion, Raleigh, North Carolina, January 3, 1865 [copy]

Alabama

British Parliamentary Papers relating to the *Alabama* claims, 1869-1870 [3 items]

Biographical sketches of *Alabama* officers from Arthur Sinclair's *Two Years on the Alabama* (1896)

Clippings relating to *Alabama*

Roll of officers, petty officers, seamen, and firemen of *Alabama*, 1862-1864 (typescript)

Plans of *Alabama* (copies) from Charles Summersell's *C.S.S. Alabama: Builder, Captain, and Plans* (1985)

Photocopied articles/clippings; address by Rupert C. Jarvis, "The 'Alabama' and the Law" (1959)

Part of the sternpost of the *Kearsarge* with quote from Semmes about the failure of the percussion cap to explode

Clipping from unidentified newspaper about the "290"

Typescript account of *Alabama's* cruise by A. F. Marmelstein

Atlanta (Fingal)

MSS letter from E. S. Scott, June 17, 1863, from *USS Cimarron* describing battle of Wassau Sound and capture of *CSS Atlanta*, with note about accompanying sketch of the battle to be sent to illustrator [George] Stephens

(sketch in Prints & Sketches Collection, drawer 3-14)

David

Notes relating to *David* and *H.L. Hunley* from verbal account of Hewson E. Lannan, March 12, 1912 (visitor to the Museum)

Article from *Philadelphia Times*

Fanny and Jenny [blockade runner]

Typescript copies of correspondence, 1955, regarding discovery of sidewheel shaft

Florida

Receipt for night pilotage from Raphael [Gonzales?], pilot, Cardenas, to Lt. J. M. Stribling, August 31, 1862 [photocopy of original in Markham manuscript collection]

Brief typescript history

Pocket notebook captured from barge, *Hariot Stevens*, July 2, 1864

Gaines

Letter from Gunner Z. A. Offutt, from Steamer "Nashville," to [Lt. J. W. Bennett], December 23, 1864, describing action of *Gaines* at battle of Mobile Bay

Hunley H. L.

“Confederate Navy. The First Submarine Boats”

Julian [schooner]

Coasting trade license, port of Shieldsboro, [LA], Pearl River, June 18, 1861 [transferred from Numismatics Collection]

Manassas

Photocopy of article

Shenandoah

Photocopies of articles, photographs, etc., on *Shenandoah* in Australia; paper, “The C.S.S. Shenandoah in Melbourne, Australia,” by Trevor J. Vaughan-Williams

Stonewall [see also March 1865 docking papers in print drawers]

Brief history (typescript)

Submarine Battery Service

Dr. Carthon Archer’s Medical records of men on the James River batteries

Sumter, CSS

Report (fragment) of Midshipman Albert G. Hudgins from Prize Vessel *Cuba*, July 7, 1861, with several typescript copies and letters regarding the document

Teaser

Requisition for supplies from R. O. Haskins, May 29, 1861, signed by J. R. Tucker

Tennessee

Speech, “Admiral Buchanan and the C.S. Ram Tennessee,” by Lt. James D. Johnston, CSN, Georgia Historical Society, no date [ca. 1882]

Virginia

Account of the battle of Hampton Roads by R. H. Henderson, CSMC, letter to *Southern Historical Society Papers*, October 21, 1876 [and letter to *Southern Magazine*, October 17, 1876]

Notes relating to battle with “Monitor,” from P. J. White and P. D. Stephenson, UCV

Account of battle of Hampton Roads by Lt. J. R. Eggleston, June 18, 1905 (photocopy)

Address by Ashton Ramsay (chief engineer), November 6, 1899, at presentation of propeller shaft

E. V. White: “History of the World Famous Ship Merrimac-Virginia 1855-1862: A Personal Reminiscence” (typescript) address to Pickett-Buchanan Camp, UCV, 1891 (typescript); promotion for *Recollections* (1894); and excerpt from *The Great Civil War* Statement from Tredegar Co. about iron plate used for *Virginia*

Account of battle of Hampton Roads by J. Tyler Jobson, 9th Virginia Infantry, witnessed from Pig Point

Webb

Correct list of officers and men, April 22, 1865, Alexandria, Louisiana; letter from Lt. Commanding J. H. Carter (*CSS Missouri*) to Stephen R. Mallory, April 28, 1865, regarding *Webb*

Navy Collection Cross-references

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Confederate Imprints

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Pamphlets and Vertical File Collections