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<b>Object ID</b>	3.001.172	<b>Accessn/Loan</b>	2014.273
<b>Object Name</b>	Manuscript	<b>Source</b>	Rural Awareness Committee, Inc.
<b>Other Name</b>		<b>Catalog Date</b>	01/12/2026
<b>Other No</b>		<b>Cataloged by</b>	Tasy, Nick
<b>Old No</b>	Collection No. 172	<b>Date</b>	
<b>Title</b>	Franklin Township Archives Collection, 1814-	<b>Year Range</b>	1814-2022
<b>Location</b>	Doric House: Vault 1		



**Description** Abstract: This collection consists of 43 containers of correspondence, photographs, documents, manuscripts, maps, ledgers, pamphlets, financial documents, reports, brochures, programs, and other materials relating to the founding and governance of Franklin Township, Hunterdon County, NJ, and the civic and social activities of its community. The collection includes corporate and clerk's records from Franklin Township, NJ, township committee records, commemorative event programs, scrapbooks, and journals. The collection will interest researchers of Franklin Township and Hunterdon County in general. These documents represent the founding and governance of Franklin Township and provide a snapshot of the natural history, commerce, civic, and cultural activities of the community.

Scope and Content: 43 Boxes of Historic Records from Franklin Township, NJ. Records are courtesy of the Franklin Archives and of the Rural Awareness Committee, Inc., a non-profit corporation founded "to preserve the history and rural character of Franklin Township." Boxes 1-12 are located in Vault 1 at the Doric House; boxes 13-23 are in the Archives Building.

Boxes 1-12 contain corporate and clerk's records from Franklin Township, NJ, including founding documents, township committee records, commemorative event programs, photographs, scrapbooks, journals, corporate and founding documents for Rural Awareness, Inc., Franklin Township PTA Records, historical programs and brochures, and other historically important documents and ephemera.

Boxes 13-16 contain original Rural Awareness Scholarly Award essays from students of Franklin Township School over a period of nine years. These mostly contain essays, but include other related materials such as news letters and announcements.

Boxes 17-22 contain 31 volumes of newspaper articles and clippings relating to all aspects of life in Franklin Township, ranging from the late 19th century to early 21st century.

Boxes 23-26 contain daybooks, ledgers, and road books from the mid-19th century to early 20th century for various towns in Franklin Township.

Box 27 contains materials relating to the Grand Lodge of New Jersey Odd Fellows for activities mostly from 2010-2013.

Boxes 28-30 contain academic materials from the mid-19th century to the early 20th century. Most of these records are student workbooks, but also include other items

such as student report cards and attendance lists.

Box 31 contains materials about both the Quakertown Fire Company throughout the 20th and 21st centuries and construction plans for Franklin Township School in the early 21st century.

Box 32 contains a mixture of mostly miscellaneous material including Franklin Township financial statements, minutes from public hearings, township official cards, and programs for local commemorative ceremonies. These materials range from the mid-19th century to the late 20th century.

Box 33 contains materials mostly related to Mrs. Melda Snyder and the farm that she and her husband owned and operated.

Box 34 contains a mixture of miscellaneous material which includes indentures from the first half of the 19th century, political material from the mid-20th century, and items related to schools in Franklin Township.

Box 35 contains materials that include many historical overviews of Pittstown, agriculture in Franklin Township, township anniversary events, and local businesses. It also contains some funeral and mass material for several Franklin Township residents. Boxes 36-37 contain material primarily related to August Knispel and his career. This includes materials highlighting his professional and recreational accomplishments and accolades, his activity in the Franklin Township community, and documents detailing community efforts to construct a monument in his honor. These boxes also contain material relating to winners of the Hiram Deats Award (presented by the Rural Awareness Committee).

Box 38 contains a large collection of material from the Campanellis, consisting of extensive research on various local historic subjects and people, including Willis Vail.

Box 39 consists of photographs of Melda and Clifford Snyder, as well as some documents on Hiram Deats Award winners and a copy of a local cookbook.

Box 40 contains photographs taken mostly in the Frenchtown area at the turn of the 19th century. It also includes some photos taken in Flemington, some of school classes, and some of local political figures.

Box 41 contains photographs related to Mrs. Evelyn Lawson, focusing primarily on her time in the U.S. Army during World War II and her activity in later life. This box also contains several newspaper clippings related to Lawson, as well as speech cards for a speech she gave at a dedication ceremony.

Box 42 is an oversize container which holds several maps of various towns in Franklin Township, as well as a layout of a local cemetery.

Box 43 contains a mixture of photographic material focusing on Evelyn Lawson, the Snyder Farm, and Clinton school graduates.

These documents are significant because they represent the founding and governance of Franklin Township and provide a snapshot of the natural history, commerce, and the civic and cultural activities of the community since the township's founding, as well as showcasing its diversity.

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## Identity Statement & Context

**Name of Creator**

**Reference Code**

NjFIHi5380

**Other Creators**

**Creator Added**

**Entry**

**Dates of Creation****Administrative  
Biographical  
History**

Rural Awareness, Inc., is a non-profit corporation founded in 1982 in the interest of preserving the history and character of Franklin Township, Hunterdon County, and its environs.

**Dates of  
Accumulation****Archival History**

First twelve boxes cataloged by Stacey Askew in April 2016. Boxes 13-43 cataloged by Nick Tasy in 2025.

**Extent and  
Medium of The  
Unit of  
Description**

43 boxes; 23.25 linear feet

**Event****Site****Additional Sites****Structure & Conditions of Access****Appraisal  
Destruction &  
Scheduling  
Information****System of  
Arrangement**

Subject

**Accruals**

Materials from box 14-43 were accruals from the following accessions: 2016.383 2020.003 2021.136 2021.222 2022.148 2023.045

**Disposition date****Conditions  
Governing  
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& Technical  
Requirements**

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**Language**

English

**Finding Aids**

In Vertical File

**Allied Materials & Description Control**

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**Existence and Location of Originals**

Vault 1

**Existence and Location of Copies**

**Archivist's Name**

Stacey Askew

**Archivist's Notes**

Collection No. 172 is comprised of

**Related Units of Description in this Repository**

**Associated Materials in other Repositories**

**Rules or Conventions**

**Date(s) of**

December 2015-April 2016. June-

Accession 2010.018, 2014.273,  
2015.578, and 2008.065. Materials  
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following accessions: 2016.383  
2020.003 2021.136 2021.222  
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## Descriptions

October 2025.

## Container List

Location	Container	Folder	Title	Description	Date
A17	13	01	Rural Awareness Scholar Awards Year 1	Rural Awareness Scholar Award Essays from 2007. Contains fliers, newsletters, email correspondence, student essays, permission slips (student and parent)	2007
A17	13	02	Rural Awareness Scholar Awards Year 2	Rural Awareness Scholar Award Essays from 2008. Contains contest fliers, newsletter, student essays, student/parent permission slips	2008
A17	13	03	Rural Awareness Scholar Awards Year 3, Part 1	Rural Awareness Scholar Award Essays from 2009. Contains contest fliers, newsletter, student essays, student/parent permission slips. Large portion of essays are stored in plastic/laminated binder-type holders. Some essays contain physical photographs	2009
A17	13	04	Rural Awareness Scholar Awards Year 3, Part 2	Rural Awareness Scholar Award Essays from 2009. Contains contest fliers, newsletter, student essays, student/parent permission slips. Large portion of essays are stored in plastic/laminated binder-type holders. Some essays contain physical photographs	2009
A17	14	01	Rural Awareness Scholar Awards Year 4, Part 1	Rural Awareness Scholar Award Essays from 2010. Contains contest fliers, newsletters, announcements, student essays, and student/parent permission slips	2010
A17	14	02	Rural Awareness Scholar Awards Year 4, Part 2	Rural Awareness Scholar Award Essays from 2010. Contains contest fliers, newsletters, announcements, student essays, and student/parent permission slips.	2010
A17	14	03	Rural Awareness Scholar Awards Year 5, Part 1	Rural Awareness Scholar Award Essays from 2011. Contains contest fliers, newsletters, announcements, student essays, and student/parent permission slips. Essays are stored in laminated/plastic three-ring sheets. Also includes three CDs and one flash drive from several students. Also includes newspaper clipping discussing the competition and winners	2011
A17	14	04	Rural Awareness Scholar Awards Year 5, Part 2	Rural Awareness Scholar Award Essays from 2011. Contains contest fliers, newsletters, announcements, student essays, and student/parent permission slips. Essays stored in laminated/plastic three-ring sheets. Also includes three CDs and one flash drive from several students. Also includes newspaper clipping discussing the competition and winners	2011
A17	14	05	Rural Awareness Scholar Awards Year 6, Part 1	Rural Awareness Scholar Award Essays from 2012. Contains contest fliers, newsletters, announcements, student essays, list of winners by grade. Approximately 1/4 of essays are actually printed out powerpoints. Also includes powerpoint projects CD; no date, possibly related to 2012 projects. CD relates to Franklin Township School, Dr. Kramer, 5th Grade	2012
A17	31	01	Quakertown Fire Co. News Clipping	Present-day reprint of a news clipping (publication unidentified) from May 1951 regarding the creation of a volunteer fire department for the Pittstown/Quakertown areas	1951
A17	31	02	Quakertown Fire Co. Play Program #1	Original program by the Quakertown Fire Company for their adaptation of the play "George Washington Slept Here", held at Franklin Township School between April 21-23, 1955	1955
A17	31	03	Quakertown Fire Co. Program #2	Original program by the Quakertown Fire Company for their adaptation of the play "Anniversary Waltz", held at Franklin Township School between November 15-17, 1956	1956
A17	31	04	Quakertown Fire Co. Program #3, Born Yesterday	Original program by the Quakertown Fire Company for their adaptation of the play "Born Yesterday", held at Franklin Township School between November 28-30, 1957	1957

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A17	31	05	Quakertown Fire Co. Program #4, Send Me No Flowers	Original program by the Quakertown Fire Company for their adaptation of the play "Send Me No Flowers", held at Franklin Township School between October 26-27, 1962	1962
A17	31	06	Quakertown Fire Co. Program #5, Everybody Loves Opal	Original program by the Quakertown Fire Company for their adaptation of the play "Everybody Loves Opal", held at Franklin Township School between November 15-16, 1963	1963
A17	31	07	Quakertown Fire Co. 25th Anniversary Booklet	Booklet detailing the history of the Quakertown Fire Company between 1951 and 1976.	1951-1976
A17	31	08	Quakertown Fire Co. 50th Anniversary Booklet	Booklet detailing the history of the Quakertown Fire Company between 1951 and 2001.	2001
A17	31	09	Quakertown Fire Co. Membership/Fundraiser Flier	Flier showing various photos from Quakertown Fire Company personnel and vehicles from 2018.	2018
A17	31	10	Quakertown Fire Co. Membership/Fundraiser Flier #2	Flier showing various photos of Quakertown Fire Company personnel and vehicles in 2021.	2021
A17	30	01	Latin Exercises	Sheet of student Latin exercises with English translations. Student and institution unknown.	n.d.
A17	30	02	Student and parent/guardian list	Lists from 1880-1881 of student names and parent/guardian names, with ages provided for each student. Possibly for Franklin Township School.	1880-1881
A17	23	01	Stryker's Pittstown Store Daybook	Details store's daily transactions.	1870-1876
A17	23	02	Stryker's Pittstown Store Daybook	Details store's daily transactions.	1862-1864
A17	23	03	Franklin Township Tax Ledger #1	Mentions of Pittstown, Clinton, Annandale, Cherryville, Flemington, etc.	1910
A17	23	04	Franklin Township Tax Ledger #2	No date. Mentions of Pittstown, Clinton, Annandale, Cherryville, Flemington, etc.	n.d.
A17	20	01	Franklin News Clips Volume 16, 17, 18	Binder. Contains scanned copies of newspaper clippings from local publications. Organized chronologically in reverse. Includes table of contents page with brief description of materials and all related binders in collection. Also include 2020 Franklin fact sheet.	1966-2017
A17	20	02	Franklin News Clips Volume 19, 20, 21	Binder. Contains scanned copies of newspaper clippings from local publications. Organized chronologically in reverse. Includes table of contents page with brief description of materials and all related binders in collection. Also include 2020 Franklin fact sheet. Small handful of pages titled "Hunterdon County Democrat Public Safety Report" near end of binder; all blank.	1903-2017
A17	20	03	Franklin News Clips Volume 22, 23, 24	Binder. Contains scanned copies of newspaper clippings from local publications. Relates to Recreation/Parks (Vol. 22), Recycling (Vol. 23), and Rescue Squad (Vol. 24). Organized chronologically in reverse. Includes table of contents page with brief description of materials and all related binders in collection. Also includes 2020 Franklin fact sheet.	1971-2012
A17	20	04	Franklin News Clips Volume 25A	Binder. Contains scanned copies of newspaper clippings from local publications. Relates to Residents. Organized chronologically in reverse. Includes table of contents page with brief description of materials and all related binders in collection. Also includes 2020 Franklin fact sheet.	2006-2019
A17	17	01	Franklin Twp. 150th Anniversary	Binder. Franklin Township 150th Anniversary Sesquicentennial celebration. Includes list of ceremonial events throughout the year, between March and November. Includes list of members of Franklin Twp. 1845 Committee, contact info. Includes fliers/small pamphlets related to facts about Franklin Twp., lead-up to anniversary, and other related events from 1993-95, memos/correspondence. Includes mostly newspaper clippings in chronological order beginning March 1995.	1995

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A17	17	02	Franklin News Clips Volume 1	Binder. Contains scanned copies of newspaper clippings from location publications. Focuses on Administration/Appointments. Organized chronologically in reverse (most recent to oldest). Includes table of contents page with brief description of materials and all related binders in collection across multiple boxes. Includes 2020 Franklin fact sheet.	1964-2015
A17	17	03	Franklin News Clips Volume 2, 3	Binder. Contains scanned copies of newspaper clippings from location publications. Focuses on Businesses/Churches/Post Office/Utilities (Vol. 2) and COAH (Vol. 3). Organized chronologically in reverse (most recent to oldest). Includes table of contents page with brief description of materials and all related binders in collection across multiple boxes. Includes 2020 Franklin fact sheet.	1952-2016
A17	17	04	Franklin News Clips Volume 4, 5	Binder. Contains scanned copies of newspaper clippings from location publications. Focuses on Demographics (Vol. 4) and Elections (Vol. 5). Organized chronologically in reverse Includes table of contents page with brief description of materials and all related binders in collection across multiple boxes. Includes 2020 Franklin fact sheet.	1963-2018
A17	24	01	Stryker Pittstown Store Daybook	Record of store's daily transactions.	1906-1908
A17	21	01	Franklin News Clips Volume 25B	Binder. Contains scanned copies of newspaper clippings from location publications. Focuses on Residents. Organized chronologically in reverse Includes table of contents page with brief description of materials and all related binders in collection across multiple boxes. Includes 2020 Franklin fact sheet.	1900-2005
A17	21	02	Franklin News Clips Volume 26	Binder. Contains scanned copies of newspaper clippings from location publications. Focuses on Roads/Traffic. Organized chronologically in reverse Includes table of contents page with brief description of materials and all related binders in collection across multiple boxes. Includes 2020 Franklin fact sheet.	1965-2015
A17	21	03	Franklin News Clips Volume 27A	Binder. Contains scanned copies of newspaper clippings from location publications. Focuses on School. Organized chronologically in reverse Includes table of contents page with brief description of materials and all related binders in collection across multiple boxes. Includes 2020 Franklin fact sheet.	1931-2005
A17	18	01	Franklin News Clips Volume 6	Binder. Contains scanned copies of newspaper clippings from location publications. Focuses on Environment. Organized chronologically in reverse Includes table of contents page with brief description of materials and all related binders in collection across multiple boxes. Includes 2020 Franklin fact sheet.	1948-2019
A17	18	02	Franklin News Clips Volume 7	Binder. Contains scanned copies of newspaper clippings from location publications. Focuses on Events. Organized chronologically in reverse Includes table of contents page with brief description of materials and all related binders in collection across multiple boxes. Includes 2020 Franklin fact sheet.	1940s-2019
A17	18	03	Franklin News Clips Volume 8	Binder. Contains scanned copies of newspaper clippings from location publications. Focuses on Quakertown Fire Company. Organized chronologically in reverse Includes table of contents page with brief description of materials and all related binders in collection across multiple boxes. Includes 2020 Franklin fact sheet.	1967-2020
A17	18	04	Franklin News Clips Volume 9	Binder. Contains scanned copies of newspaper clippings from location publications. Focuses on Historic Sites/Data. Organized chronologically in reverse. Includes table of contents page with brief description of materials and all related binders in collection across multiple boxes. Includes 2020 Franklin fact sheet.	1899-2018
A17	25	01	Stryker Store Pittstown Daybook #1	Record of store's daily transactions.	1909-1911
A17	25	02	Stryker Store Pittstown Daybook #2	Record of store's daily transactions.	1909-1911

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A17	22	01	Franklin News Clips Volume 27B	Binder. Contains scanned copies of newspaper clippings from local publications. Focuses on School. Organized chronologically in reverse. Includes table of contents page with brief description of materials and all related binders in collection. Includes 2020 Franklin fact sheet.	2006-2009
A17	22	02	Franklin News Clips Volume 27C	Binder. Contains scanned copies of newspaper clippings from local publications. Focuses on School. Organized chronologically in reverse. Includes table of contents page with brief description of materials and all related binders in collection. Includes 2020 Franklin fact sheet.	2010-2019
A17	22	03	Franklin News Clips Volume 28, 29	Binder. Contains scanned copies of newspaper clippings from local publications. Focuses on Security/Emergency Planning (Vol. 28) and Taxes/Cost of Government (Vol. 29). Organized chronologically in reverse. Includes table of contents page with brief description of materials and all related binders in collection. Includes 2020 Franklin fact sheet.	1966-2016
A17	22	04	Franklin News Clips Volume 30, 31	Binder. Contains scanned copies of newspaper clippings from local publications and some email correspondence. Focuses on Water (Vol. 30) and Zoning (Vol. 31). Organized chronologically in reverse. Includes table of contents page with brief description of materials and all related binders in collection. Includes 2020 Franklin fact sheet.	1967-2016
A17	19	01	Franklin News Clips Volume 10A	Binder. Contains scanned copies of newspaper clippings from local publications. Focuses on Land/Farm Preservation/Agriculture. Organized chronologically in reverse. Includes table of contents page with brief description of materials and all related binders in collection. Includes 2020 Franklin fact sheet.	1995-2002
A17	19	02	Franklin News Clips Volume 10B	Binder. Contains scanned copies of newspaper clippings from local publications. Focuses on Land/Farm Preservation/Agriculture. Organized chronologically in reverse. Includes table of contents page with brief description of materials and all related binders in collection. Includes 2020 Franklin fact sheet.	2003-2019
A17	19	03	Franklin News Clips Volume 11, 12	Binder. Contains scanned copies of newspaper clippings from local publications. Focuses on Legal Matters (Vol. 11) and Letters to the Editor editorials (Vol. 12). Organized chronologically in reverse. Includes table of contents page with brief description of materials and all related binders in collection. Includes 2020 Franklin fact sheet.	1967-2014
A17	19	04	Franklin News Clips Volume 13, 14, 15	Binder. Contains scanned copies of newspaper clippings from local publications. Focuses on Medical/Health (Vol. 13), Obituaries (Vol. 14), and Ordinances/State Laws (Vol. 15). Organized chronologically in reverse. Includes table of contents page with brief description of materials and all related binders in collection. Includes 2020 Franklin fact sheet.	1950-2020
A17	26	01	Pittstown Store Journal	List of names, list of daily transactions.	1908-1909
A17	26	02	Quakertown Lodge Book 412	Lodge book for Quakertown	1907
A17	26	03	S. L. Reed Roadbook #1	List of contractors with names, payments(?).	1910-1911
A17	26	04	S. L. Reed Roadbook #2	List of contractors with names, payments(?).	1911
A17	26	05	S. L. Reed Roadbook #3	List of contractors with names, payments(?). Also includes Bittner, Hunsicker, and Co. card, June 23, 1911(?).	1911
A17	26	06	S. L. Reed Roadbook #4	List of contractors with names, payments(?).	1909
A17	26	07	S. L. Reed Roadbook #5	List of contractors with names, monetary values.	1909
A17	26	08	S. L. Reed Roadbook #6	List of contractors with names, monetary values.	1910
A17	27	01	Minutes of 176th Annual Session of Odd Fellows	Minutes of the 176th Annual Session of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows of the State of New Jersey, Volume Q-11.	2010-2011

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A17	27	02	Michael K. O'Connor Letter	Letter from Michael K. O'Connor regarding 176th annual session minutes and by-laws for Odd Fellows	2012
A17	27	03	By-Laws for Grand Lodge of New Jersey Odd Fellows	No date. By-laws for Odd Fellows	n.d.
A17	27	04	The Samaritan Newsletter	Newsletter for Grand Lodge/Odd Fellows members.	2012
A17	27	05	Trap Shoot Fundraiser Flier	Flier for fundraiser by the Odd Fellows	2012
A17	27	06	Odd Fellows Lodge Ritual Book	Ritual book.	1989-1990
A17	27	07	Odd Fellows Event Organizer	Small binder with blank event planning papers	2012
A17	27	08	O'Connor Annual Reports Letter	Letter by Michael O'Connor regarding Odd Fellows annual reports for 2012	2012
A17	27	09	Grand Lodge Officers List	List of Odd Fellows officers and contact information	2012-2013
A17	27	10	Odd Fellows Annual Report Forms	Blank annual report forms for 2012-2013	2012-2013
A17	27	11	Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows Certificate	No date. Blank certificate form for Odd Fellows membership	n.d.
A17	27	12	Statistical Record of Lackatong Lodge #114	Records of Lackatong Lodge #114. Contains loose-leaf papers from 1982, 1983, 1987, 1991-1995, 1997	1981
A17	27	13	Inventory Notebook	Contains papers from 1997, 1998, 2002, and 2003	1964
A17	31	11	Board of Education Agenda	Agenda for Franklin Township School Board of Education regarding proposed construction plans for the school	2004
A17	31	12	Floor Plans	Floor plans by The Prisco Group for proposed construction	2004
A17	31	13	Summary of Estimated Costs #1	Estimated costs of proposed construction plans	2004
A17	31	14	Summary of Estimated Costs #2	Estimated costs for proposed construction plans	2004
A17	31	15	Construction Project Reference Sheet	Reference sheet regarding different phases of construction project	2004
A17	31	16	Franklin Twp. Community Committee Project Draft Presentation	Presentation on proposed construction projects for Franklin Township School	2004
A17	28	01	Franklin Telephone Book	Telephone book for Franklin Township.	1910
A17	28	02	Nicholas Wyker Student Workbook	Workbook of Nicholas Wyker of Franklin Township. Contains math equations and solutions about loss/gain, foreign exchange, and vulgar fractions. Written in ink.	1814-1815
A17	28	03	William Wolverton Student Workbook	Workbook of William D. Wolverton of Kingwood/Franklin. Contains math equations/solutions. Written in ink. Written when Wolverton was 22. Also includes material from John A. Laing (uncle of Wolverton's wife) glued(?) inside to some pages. Laing material written in pencil.	1856
A17	28	04	Student Workbook #1	No date. Owner unknown. Contains geometry, trigonometry, land mensuration, math equations.	n.d.
A17	28	05	Student Workbook #2	No date. Owner unknown. Contains geometry, trigonometry, land mensuration, math equations.	n.d.
A17	28	06	Student Workbook #3	No date. Owner unknown. Contains geometry, trigonometry, land mensuration, math equations.	n.d.

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A17	28	07	Student Workbook #4	No date. Owner unknown. Contains geometry, trigonometry, land mensuration, math equations.	n.d.
A17	29	01	School Registrar Book #1	Includes student names and attendance records for students of Franklin Township.	1879-1880
A17	29	02	School Registrar Book #2	Includes student names and attendance records for students of Franklin Township.	1880-1881
A17	29	03	School Registrar Book #3	Includes student names and attendance records for students of Franklin Township.	1891-1892
A17	29	04	Universal Writing Book #1	Student workbook(?) Focuses on writing, reading, spelling, etc. Blue-green color. Two copies.	1885
A17	29	05	Universal Workbook #2	Student workbook(?) Focuses on writing, reading, spelling, etc. Blue-green color. Two copies.	1886
A17	29	06	Amy Leaver Report Cards	Monthly report cards for Amy Leaver. Signed by at least George Leaver, Mrs. Leaver, and Morris Hampton.	1895-1900
A17	29	07	John Laing Notebook	Notebook that details students Laing taught from December 1850-March 1852. Includes multiplication table on back cover.	1850-1852
A17	29	08	District Clerk Financial Report	Annual report for the District Clerk of Franklin Township.	1879
A17	29	09	Favorite Loose Leaf Notebook	Binder with lists of students from different schools/townships in Hunterdon County(?) Mentions of Franklin, Readington, Sidney. Students listed by first/last name with date of birth; all born between early-late 1920s.	1934-1936
A17	29	10	Student Telegraphy Manual	"Learners of Telegraphy" student manual. Instructional guide for using telegraphs.	1887
A17	32	01	Hunterdon County School Summary Pages	Lists of various schools and school districts in Hunterdon County with total number of students for each and some financial information	n.d.
A17	32	02	B. L. C. Notebook	First half of notebook contains material transcribed from a daybook belonging to William Clifton. These entries are labeled as "Extracted from William Clifton Daybook". First entry from this transcription lists date as 1825. Material includes inventory of purchases with customer names and monetary amounts spanning at least the next three years. Second half of notebook contains historically significant notes about Hunterdon County, its townships, and boroughs. "Notes of Historical Nature from Manuscripts" written on first page.	n.d.
A17	32	03	Life, Confessions, and Letters of Courtship - Rev. Jacob S. Harden	Personal memoirs and literature of Harden, who was allegedly executed on July 6, 1860 for the murder of his wife	1860
A17	32	04	Franklin Township Financial Statement #1	Shows all public financial operations by Franklin Township residents for the fiscal year	1889
A17	32	05	Franklin Township Financial Statement #2	Shows all public financial operations by Franklin Township residents for the fiscal year. Includes two copies of the same document.	1890
A17	32	06	Franklin Township Financial Statement #3	Shows all public financial operations by Franklin Township residents for the fiscal year	1891
A17	32	07	Excerpt of Minutes	Minutes relating mostly to debate (dated January 31-February 28, 1901) over the relocation of the school in Pittstown, as well as other local matters (dated March 19-June 6, 1901).	1901
A17	32	08	E. H. Deats Ad and Russel Briton Pittstown Vigilant Society Membership Certification	Ad focuses on Deats' wood cutting and animal feed growing businesses. Membership certification dated January 4, 1902	1902
A17	32	09	John H. Brown Notebook	Notebook of John H. Brown. Brown elected as district clerk on March 22, 1907, re-elected July 1, 1907, and served until January 30, 1908.	1907-1913

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A17	32	10	Odd Fellows Historical Sketch Booklet	Booklet detailing the history of the Patriarchal Odd Fellowship in New Jersey	1909
A17	32	11	Pittstown National Air Mail Week Card	Promotional/advertisement card for National Air Mail Week, held in Pittstown between May 15-21, 1938	1938
A17	32	12	Franklin Township Officials Cards	Cards listing Franklin Township officials for the years 1942, 1943, 1944, 1945, and 1946	1942-1946
A17	32	13	GLF Quality Service Value Notepad	Writing on some pages relating to different farm fields.	1963-1965
A17	32	14	Pittstown Post Office Dedication Program	Program relating to the dedication of the post office in Pittstown on October 17, 1964	1964
A17	32	15	Oak Grove Commemorative Ceremony Program	Historical booklet about local areas. Ceremony dated October 14, 1973. Includes program and a thank you note for the commemorative ceremony	1973
A17	32	16	Kenneth Myers Chamber of Commerce Certification	Certification bestowed to Kenneth Myers by the New Jersey State Senate on April 27, 1984	1984
A17	32	17	Kenneth Myers Pierce Junior College Certification	Certification bestowed upon Kenneth Myers by Pierce Junior College on October 24, 1985 for bringing awareness to the college via business actions	1985
A17	32	18	The Cornerpost Brochure	Published by Shive, Wright, and Exton Insurance for the fall and winter seasons of 1988. Discusses insurance affairs in Clinton and Hunterdon County	1988
A17	33	01	Hiram Deats \$100 Deed	Deed for Deats dated March 1851	1851
A17	33	02	Court Chancellery Papers, Board of Education vs. Academy	Court hearing documents	1916
A17	33	03	Thank You Letter to Melda Synder	Letter to Melda Synder dated July 26, 1972, expressing gratitude for her willingness to have a story about her published in The Evening News	1972
A17	33	04	Melda Synder Newspaper Article #1	Article about Melda Synder, which appeared in the Hunterdon County Democrat in July 1976	1976
A17	33	05	Melda Synder Newspaper Article #2	Article about Melda Synder, which appeared in the Pennsylvania Farmer on February 12, 1977.	1977
A17	33	06	Melda Synder Master Farmer Worksheets	Sheets detailing the recreational and professional activities of Melda Synder in the farming industry. Also includes a short biographical write-up of Synder.	1977
A17	33	07	New Jersey Farm Bureau 59th Annual Convention Brochure	Program of activities for the 59th annual Convention of the New Jersey Farm Bureau, held at the Playboy Club at Great Gorge in McAfee, New Jersey, between November 30 and December 2, 1977.	1977
A17	33	08	New Jersey Farm Bureau Newsletter	Newsletter for the New Jersey Farm Bureau, dated December 3, 1977. List of significant and noteworthy events within the organization at the time.	1977
A17	33	09	Melda Synder New Jersey General Assembly Resolutions #1	Resolution papers dated December 1977 from the New Jersey General Assembly directly relating to Melda Synder and her endeavors in the local agricultural industry.	1977
A17	33	10	Melda Synder New Jersey General Assembly Resolutions #2	Resolution papers dated December 1977 from the New Jersey General Assembly directly relating to Melda Synder and her endeavors in the local agricultural industry.	1977
A17	33	11	Preserved Lands and Targeted Farms Map	Map of farmland in Franklin Township. Data collected and provided by the Hunterdon County GIS, Hunterdon Land Trust, NJ Office of GIS, and Franklin Township Open Space.	2014
A17	34	01	John Peterson Jr. Property "The Retreat" Mortgages List	No date, modern copy. List of mortgages for Peterson's property "The Retreat." Block 30, Lots 11 and 11.01, 250.75 acres of preserved farmland. House traced back to 1758.	n.d.

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A17	34	02	John Peterson Jr. Property "The Retreat" Owners List	No date, modern copy. List of owners of Peterson's property "The Retreat." House traced back to 1758. Earliest known owner was Garret Vancampen. House had at least 12 different owners afterwards.	n.d.
A17	34	03	Indenture Between William Webster and Asa McPherson	No date, modern transcription. Content of the transcription is dated April 12, 1842. Details financial agreements between Webster and McPherson.	n.d.
A17	34	04	Indenture Between John Clarke and William Webster	No date, modern transcription. Content of the transcription is dated April 1, 1803. Details financial agreements between Clarke and Webster.	n.d.
A17	34	05	Indenture Between Henry Drinker and William Webster	No date, modern transcription. Content of the transcription is dated April 10, 1800. Details financial agreements between Drinker and Webster.	n.d.
A17	34	06	Great Road From Union Furnace to Trenton Road	Map showing survey of properties along the Great Road from Union Furnace to Trenton Road.	n.d.
A17	34	07	Marjorie Barrick Certificate of Attendance	Attendance certificate by State of New Jersey Public Schools for Marjorie Barrick for Public School No. 3 in Franklin Township.	1937
A17	34	08	Helen S. Meyner Campaign Cards	Political campaign cards which also feature interactive "Comparison Shopper" pound-per-ounce calculator.	1961
A17	34	09	Inauguration of Brendan Byrne Booklet	Details inaugural events, biography of Gov. Byrne, a history of Byrne's terms, and a pictorial tribute to all of New Jersey's governors	1978
A17	35	01	The Jersey Rounders Info Sheet	Fact sheet providing brief history about The Jersey Rounders band (also known as The Bronish Brothers and Dave).	n.d.
A17	35	02	"The History of Pittstown" Pittstown Garage	Historical write-up of Pittstown published by the Pittstown Garage of Studebaker.	n.d.
A17	35	03	Franklin Township Detailed History	Thorough history of Franklin Township.	n.d.
A17	35	04	Early History of Pittstown News Article	No date, modern photocopy. Copy shows article that originally appeared in The Hunterdon Republican on June 23, 1920.	n.d.
A17	35	05	William Bush Family History	Detailed family tree/history beginning with William Bush, who was born sometime in the 18th century.	n.d.
A17	35	06	Rural Awareness New Resident Welcome Flier	Flier published by Rural Awareness distributed to new residents in Franklin Township extending a warm welcome.	n.d.
A17	35	07	"Visiting Franklin Township" Sheet	Brief write-up intended for visitors of Franklin Township, describing the many places and events they can visit while staying in the town.	n.d.
A17	35	08	Pittstown Post Office Dedication Program	Program for the October 17, 1964, dedication of the post office in Pittstown	n.d.
A17	35	09	Pittstown History by Ed Stout	Three-page detailed history of Pittstown written by Ed Stout on April 25, 1984.	1984
A17	35	10	Franklin Township 150th Anniversary Tour Booklet	A self-guided tour booklet with detailed descriptions of many historically significant buildings and locations in Quakertown.	1995
A17	35	11	Franklin Township 150th Anniversary Brochure	Informational brochure and some history about Franklin Township for Oak Grove Day ceremonies on September 17, 1995.	1995
A17	35	12	Perricone's Market Flier	Promotional flier for Perricone's Market in Pittstown with photos of residents and customers.	2010
A17	35	13	Oak Grove Plantation Brochures	Informational brochure for Oak Grove Plantation	2011

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A17	35	14	"Farming in the 1930s/40s" by Brevoort Conover	Detailed write-ups by Brevoort Conover detailing average farm life and activities in Franklin Township during the 1930s and 1940s.	n.d.
A17	35	15	Mass Cards and Funeral Records of Various Hunterdon County Residents	Mass cards and funeral records of various Hunterdon County residents.	2012-2022
A17	35	16	Brevoort Conover Obituary	Obituary for Brevoort Conover	2014
A17	35	17	Pittstown Recycling Collection Center Closure Letter	Letter from the Franklin Township Committee sent to township residents explaining the closure of the Pittstown Recycling Collection Center and updates to preparing recycling for collection in light of the closure.	2018
A17	35	18	Franklin Township Homegrown Products List	List produced by Rural Awareness in May 2019 of all types of produce and other homegrown products in Franklin Township and where they are sold.	2019
A17	35	19	Franklin Township 175th Anniversary Brochures	Informational brochures for the 175th anniversary of Franklin Township	2020
A17	35	20	Franklin Township 2020 Portrait	Brief write-up of the history of Franklin Township up to 2020.	2020
A17	36	01	List of Contractors for Knispel Monument	Comprehensive list of various contractors with contact information and addresses, used in or considered for the construction of the monument dedicated to August Knispel.	n.d.
A17	36	02	Invoice for Knispel Monument	Invoice from Wicki Wholesale Stone, Inc. for a total of \$549.87 for work on August Knispel monument.	n.d.
A17	36	03	Blueprint for Knispel Monument	Rough sketch/blueprint for the August Knispel monument	n.d.
A17	36	04	Tri-Dale, August Knispel Farm	Four-page history of the Tri-Dale-August Knispel Farm	n.d.
A17	36	05	August Knispel Biography	Short biography of August Knispel.	n.d.
A17	36	07	August Knispel Re-Election Campaign Card	Campaign card for the 1979 Franklin Township Committee election in which August Knispel sought re-election.	1979
A17	36	08	August Knispel Re-Election Campaign Cards	Campaign cards for the 1985 Franklin Township Committee elections, in which August Knispel sought re-election.	1985
A17	36	09	Life Highlights of August Knispel	Comprehensive list of major personal, professional, and recreational achievements and accomplishments of August Knispel throughout his career.	n.d.
A17	36	10	Emails about Knispel Monument Stone Type	Email correspondence between Lora Jones, Robert Shockley, and Bruce Polkowitz regarding types of stones in consideration for the construction of the August Knispel monument.	2005
A17	36	11	Knispel Monument Fundraising Letters	Several letters by Lora Jones regarding the effort to raise \$4,500 for the construction of a monument honoring August Knispel. One letter is addressed to Steve Kalafer, one to Roger Soltys, one to Mr. and Mrs. John DeMarrais, and one to all residents living along West Sidney Road (site of the monument). These letters are dated September-November 2005.	2005
A17	36	12	Proposal to Rename West Sidney Road to Knispel Farm Road	Short letter proposing an effort to rename West Sidney Road to Knispel Road to honor August Knispel. Includes brief history of Knispel and his career accomplishments, such as his works for the Franklin Township community.	2005
A17	36	13	August Knispel Monument Unveiling Ceremony Program	Program for the unveiling and dedication ceremony of the August Knispel monument, held on July 22, 2006. Program includes names of all those who contributed to the creation of the monument, an itinerary of the ceremony, a brief biography of Knispel, a list of his career personal and professional accomplishments and accolades, and a transcription of the plaque on the monument.	2006

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A17	36	14	Construction and Cost Memo for Knispel Monument	A memo by Lora Jones to Rob Shockley regarding some of the logistical obstacles behind the Knispel monument, particularly construction plans and costs. Memo is dated April 4, 2006.	2006
A17	36	16	August Knispel Monument Unveiling Ceremony Invitations	Two copies of the formal RSVP invitation for the unveiling ceremony of the August Knispel monument. Includes one envelope.	2006
A17	36	17	August Knispel Monument Unveiling Ceremony News Release	News release dated June 27, 2006 for the Knispel monument dedication ceremony. Describes efforts that lead to the creation of the monument and a brief history of Knispel and his career.	2006
A17	36	18	Letter from Mayor McGeary to Ms. Breanna Fulper about Knispel Monument Ceremony	Letter dated July 14, 2006 from Mayor Robert McGeary to Ms. Breanna Fulper regarding the Knispel monument ceremony.	2006
A17	36	19	Knispel Plaque Invoice Email	Letter dated April 4, 2006 by Lora Jones to Robert Shockley regarding invoices for some parts of the Knispel monument construction as well as confirmation on how certain funds will be managed for the monument. Also includes a paragraph about the unveiling ceremony regarding guest speakers.	2006
A17	36	20	Emails and Invoices for August Knispel Plaque and Franklin Twp. Seal	Several invoices for certain portions of the Knispel monument construction. Dates range from February-May 2006.	2006
A17	36	21	Email order for Two Knispel Commemoration Plaques	Email dated February 2, 2006 by Lora Jones regarding placing an order for parts of the Knispel monument. Email focuses on the need for two bronze plaques with specifications and dimensions listed for both.	2006
A17	36	22	Email to Representative Rush Holt regarding Knispel Monument Ceremony	Email dated June 21, 2006 by Mayor Robert McGeary to Representative Holt regarding his status of attending the monument unveiling ceremony.	2006
A17	36	23	August Knispel Monument Unveiling RSVP List	List of all those who attended the unveiling and dedication ceremony for the Knispel monument. Includes individuals' names and addresses.	2006
A17	36	24	August Knispel Monument Unveiling Comments	Short program detail comments made by Franklin Township historian Lora Jones at the Knispel monument ceremony on July 22, 2006.	2006
A17	36	25	Knispel Letter about Proposal for Municipal Building Upgrades	Letter dated July 7, 2012 by August Knispel to the Franklin Township Committee suggesting there is no need for an upgrade plan for the Franklin Township Municipal building because such a plan was already in place.	2006
A17	36	26	August Knispel News Articles	Collection of news articles ranging from 1966-2001 related to August Knispel.	1966-2001
A17	37	01	Hiram Deats Award Nomination Letter	No date. Letter recognizing Franklin Township residents Ted and Susan Blew for nomination of the Hiram Deats Award for their contribution to important farmland.	n.d.
A17	37	02	Info Sheets about Franklin Township School	No date. Collection of info sheets with facts about the old Franklin Township School, as well as early American education in the 19th century.	n.d.
A17	37	03	August Knispel Resolution	Resolution acknowledging Knispel's career of public service.	n.d.
A17	37	04	Letters to August Knispel and Other Documents	List of letters written by various public officials and New Jersey residents to Knispel over a period of 31 years. Includes letters from New Jersey governor William Cahill and congressman William Widnall. Other documents include Franklin Township directories and programs from the Franklin Township 125th anniversary ceremonies and and Hunterdon County Board of Agriculture annual meetings.	1958-1989

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A17	37	05	Issue of Dairynews Magazine	January 1981 issue of Dairynews Magazine. Issue includes featured stories on August Knispel. A photo of Knispel and his farm is featured on the cover page.	1981
A17	37	06	Second Annual Hiram Deats Award Dinner Invitation and Program	Program for the second annual Hiram Deats Award Dinner, held at the Cherryville Baptist Church on March 12, 2002.	2002
A17	37	07	August Knispel Thank You Letter for Monuments	Thank You letter dated July 24, 2006, written by Knispel to the Franklin Township Committee thanking its members for the monuments dedicated in his honor.	2006
A17	37	08	August Knispel Letter to the Democrat	Letter written by Knispel dated September 8, 2008, to the editor of the Democrat newspaper. The letter focuses on sentiments within the Hunterdon County public regarding funding for preserved farmland.	2008
A17	37	09	Blew Family Hiram Deats Award Dinner Program	Program for the dinner/luncheon held by Rural Awareness to celebrate the Blew family of Frenchtown being awarded the Hiram Deats Award. This luncheon/dinner was held on April 10, 2011. Program includes a page about the Blew family and a list of primary speakers at the ceremony.	2011
A17	37	10	Crown Trophy of Flemington Invoice for Plaques	List of invoices dated January 11, 2016 for work completed by Crown Trophy of Flemington for several plaques and engravings.	2016
A17	37	11	List of Hiram Deats Award Winners	List of winners from 2000 to 2022. Not all years within that period are mentioned.	n.d.
A17	37	12	Lloyd Wismer Hiram Deats Award Certification	Certification presented by Rural Awareness to Lloyd Wismer for winning the Hiram Deats Award in 2018	2018
A17	37	13	Philip Fleming Hiram Deats Award Certification	Certification presented by Rural Awareness to Philip Fleming for winning the Hiram Deats Award in 2021.	2021
A17	37	14	Alan Dilley Hiram Deats Award Certification	Certification presented by Rural Awareness to Alan Dilley for winning the Hiram Deats Award in 2022	2022
A17	37	15	Hiram Deats Award News Release #1 and Award Dinner Program	News release and banquet program honoring Maeve Pambianchi for winning the Hiram Deats Award in 2007.	2007
A17	37	16	Hiram Deats Award News Release #2	News release highlighting and honoring Ella Haver for winning the Hiram Deats Award in 2008.	2008
A17	37	17	Hiram Deats Award News Release #3 and Award Dinner Program	News release and banquet program highlighting and honoring James Foran for winning the Hiram Deats Award in 2009.	2009
A17	37	18	Hiram Deats Award News Release #4	News release highlighting and honoring Lora Jones for winning the Hiram Deats Award in 2015.	2015
A17	37	19	Hiram Deats Award News Release #5	News release highlighting and honoring Dan and Marty Campanelli for winning the Hiram Deats Award in 2017.	2017
A17	37	20	Hiram Deats Award news Release #6	News release highlighting and honoring Philip Fleming for winning the Hiram Deats Award in 2021	2021
A17	37	21	Hiram Deats Award News Release #7	News release highlighting and honoring Alan Dilley for winning the Hiram Deats Award in 2022	2022
A17	37	22	Hiram Deats Award Winner Newspaper Article	Newspaper article from the Hunterdon County Democrat dated August 23, 2007 highlighting Maeve Pambianchi for winning the Hiram Deats Award in 2007	2007
A17	38	01	Campanelli Material	Research of various local historic subjects by Dan and Marty Campanelli. Also includes Willis Vail research.	2005-2012
A17	39	01	Negative of Snyder Farm	Small, undated negative photograph of the Snyder farm near Pittstown	n.d.
A17	39	02	Negatives of Melda Snyder at Desk	Group of eight undated negative photographs showing Melda Snyder at desk	n.d.

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A17	39	03	Melda Snyder at Desk	Group of seven undated photographs showing Melda Snyder at desk; c. 1950s or 1960s.	n.d.
A17	39	04	Various Headshots of Melda Snyder	Group of eight undated photographs of Melda Snyder; c. 1950s or 1960s.	n.d.
A17	39	05	Melda Snyder on Farm	Undated photo showing Melda Snyder on her farm; c. 1950s or 1960s.	n.d.
A17	39	06	Melda Snyder with Cows #1	Undated photo showing Melda Snyder on her farm with cows; c. 1950s or 1960s.	n.d.
A17	39	07	Melda Snyder with Cows #2	Undated photo showing Melda Snyder on her farm with cows; c. 1950s or 1960s.	n.d.
A17	39	08	Group Photo of State Board of Agriculture	Photo showing members of the New Jersey State Board of Agriculture during a ceremony in July 1977. Each person is marked with a number. On reverse side of photo is a list of names corresponding to all people in the picture. Names are: John Rigolizzo (1), Phillip Alampi (2), Melda C. Snyder (3), John Valleri (4), Gov. Brendan Byrnes (5), Jack Snook (6), Mrs. Byrnes (7), Walter Ellis (8), Peter Vermeulen (9), Charles Smith (10), Stephen Lee (11), Thomas Cullinane (12), Donald Johnson (13), and Walter Betts (14).	1977
A17	39	09	Dinner with Clifford Snyder and Others #1	Undated photo showing Clifford Snyder and others during a dinner; c. 1950s or 1960s.	n.d.
A17	39	10	Dinner with Clifford Snyder and Others #2	Undated photo showing Clifford Snyder and others during a dinner; c. 1950s or 1960s.	n.d.
A17	39	11	From Hunterdon's Kitchens Cookbook	Copy of "From Hunterdon's Kitchens" cookbook	n.d.
A17	39	12	Lloyd Wismer Recognition Letters for Hiram Deats Award	Letters of appreciation congratulation Lloyd Wismer of his winning the Hiram Deats Award in 2018.	2018
A17	40	01	Photo of Church in Baptistown	Undated photo of the Baptist church in Baptistown; c. late 19th century or early 20th century	n.d.
A17	40	02	Photo of Unidentified Street in Baptistown	Undated photo of a street in Baptistown; c. late 19th century or early 20th century.	n.d.
A17	40	03	Photo of Flemington Court House	Undated photo taken on Main Street in Flemington showing the town's court house; c. late 19th century or early 20th century.	n.d.
A17	40	04	Photo of Road in Frenchtown	Photo taken in Frenchtown. Caption reads "Looking east." Date is provided at the bottom, although the month is cut off; only visible is "14th, 1903"	1903
A17	40	05	Photo of Destroyed Uhlertown-Frenchtown Bridge	Photo taken October 10, 1903, showing the partially destroyed Uhlertown-Frenchtown Bridge, part of which collapsed as a result of the "Pumpkin Flood" which occurred October 9-11.	1903
A17	40	06	Photo of Flood Water in Frenchtown	Photo taken on October 10, 1903, showing flood water near railroad in Frenchtown. Caption reads "High water."	1903
A17	40	07	Photo of Delaware River and Train Tracks in Frenchtown	Undated photo taken in Frenchtown; c. late 19th century or early 20th century. Caption reads "Sth. [South] from Bridge".	n.d.
A17	40	08	Photo of Uhlertown-Frenchtown Bridge #1	Undated photo showing the Uhlertown-Frenchtown Bridge after reconstruction; c. 1904 or later.	n.d.
A17	40	09	Photo of Uhlertown-Frenchtown Bridge #2	Undated photo showing the Uhlertown-Frenchtown Bridge after reconstruction; c. 1904 or later.	n.d.
A17	40	10	Photo of Milford Road in Frenchtown #1	Undated photo taken on Milford Road in Frenchtown; c. late 19th century or early 20th century.	n.d.
A17	40	11	Photo of Milford Road in Frenchtown #2	Undated photo taken on Milford Road in Frenchtown; c. late 19th century or early 20th century. Caption reads "Milford Road and School House Hill"	n.d.
A17	40	12	Photo of Harrison Street in Frenchtown	Undated photo of Harrison Street in Frenchtown; c. late 19th century or early 20th century.	n.d.

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A17	40	13	Photo of St. Thomas Episcopal Church in Pittstown	Undated photo of St. Thomas Episcopal Church in Pittstown; c. 19th century or early 20th century.	n.d.
A17	40	14	Photo of Unidentified Man	Undated photo of an unidentified man sitting on the front steps of a house; c. late 19th century or early 20th century.	n.d.
A17	40	15	Photos of Ms. Alpaugh and Class	Two photos taken in 1920 showing the class of instructor Ms. Alpaugh outside the Standard School of New Jersey	1920
A17	40	16	Photo of Ms. Myers and Class	Photo taken in 1922 showing the class of instructor Ms. Myers outside the Standard School of New Jersey.	1922
A17	40	17	Photo of James Mitchel and 7 Local Residents	Photo of Mitchel and other residents during a campaign event while Mitchel was running for governor; c. late 1950s or early 1960s. On reverse side of photo are a list of names of some of the people in the photo. These names include: Jack Richard, Charles Plenge, Chris Plenge, James Mitchel, Charles Meyers, Florene Meyers, John Ward, and Mary Ward.	n.d.
A17	40	18	Photo of Clyde Kittell of NBC	Studio portrait of Clyde Kittell of NBC	1950
A17	40	19	Photo of Bernard Meltzer	Studio portrait of Meltzer, who worked for WOR, dated April 1980	1980
A17	41	01	Evelyn Lawson Newspaper Clippings	Various newspaper clippings relating to the acknowledgement and honoring of New Jersey womens' service in the military, particularly during World War II. Evelyn Lawson appears in some of these articles.	1997
A17	41	02	Short Biography of Evelyn Lawson	Short biography of Lawson focusing on her career achievements and accomplishments.	n.d.
A17	41	03	Women in Military Service for America Materials	Various documents relating to the dedication of the Women in Military Service for America monument in Washington, D.C.	1997
A17	41	04	Lasting Impressions Speech by Evelyn Lawson	Speech cards for a speech given by Lawson at the commemoration of the War Memorial in Flemington on September 14, 1997	1997
A17	41	05	Photo of U.S. Army Nurses	Undated photo of Army nurses during training in the United States; c. early 1940s, 1941 or later.	n.d.
A17	41	06	Photo of Evelyn Lawson with Wilma Vaught #1	Photo of Lawson with Vaught and others. Vaught was a retired U.S. Air Force brigadier general and president of the Women in Military Service for America memorial	1995
A17	41	07	Photo of Evelyn Lawson with Others	Photo of Lawson and others.	1995
A17	41	08	Photo of Veterans Monument Dedication Ceremony in Flemington #1	Photo taken on Main Street in Flemington during dedication ceremony of the Veterans Monument; c. late 1990s	n.d.
A17	41	09	Photo of Veterans Monument Dedication Ceremony in Flemington #2	Photo taken on Main Street in Flemington during dedication ceremony of the Veterans Monument; c. late 1990s	n.d.
A17	41	10	Photo of Veterans Monument Dedication Ceremony in Flemington #3	Photo taken on Main Street in Flemington during dedication ceremony of the Veterans Monument; c. late 1990s. Shows Willys MB jeep and Dodge WC-51 utility truck. Evelyn Lawson is visible sitting in the WC-51.	n.d.
A17	41	11	Photo of Veterans Ceremony in Flemington #4	Photo taken on Main Street in Flemington during dedication ceremony of the Veterans Monument; c. late 1990s	n.d.
A17	41	12	Photo of U.S. Army Nurse Corps Exhibit #1	Undated photo of an Army Nurse Corps exhibit. Photo of Evelyn Lawson during World War II is visible in the display; c. late 1990s or early 2000s.	n.d.
A17	41	13	Photo of U.S. Army Nurse Corps Exhibit #2	Undated photo of an Army Nurse Corps exhibit; c. late 1990s or early 2000s. Photos of Evelyn Lawson during World War II are visible in the display.	n.d.

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A17	41	14	Photo of Evelyn Lawson with U.S. Army Nurse Corps Exhibit	Undated photo of Evelyn Lawson with U.S. Army Nurse Corps exhibit; c. late 1990s or early 2000s. Behind her on the display are two photos of her taken during World War II.	n.d.
A17	41	15	Photo of Evelyn Lawson during Rug Raffle	Undated photo of Evelyn Lawson during rug raffle event; c. late 1990s or early 2000s.	n.d.
A17	41	16	Photo of Unidentified Woman at Home	Photo of unidentified woman at home	1996
A17	41	17	Photo of Rug Showing Iwo Jima Flag Raising	Undated photo showing a rug design as the Iwo Jima flag raising; c. late 1990s or early 2000s.	n.d.
A17	41	18	Photo of Bear Rug Outside	Undated photo showing a rug design to look like a bear; c. late 1990s or early 2000s.	n.d.
A17	41	19	Photo of Army Nurses during Drill Exercise	Undated photo showing Army nurses during training in the United States during World War II; c. early 1940s, 1941 or later.	n.d.
A17	41	20	Photo of Evelyn Lawson and Others at Reception #1	Undated photo of Evelyn Lawson and others at reception; c. late 1990s or early 2000s.	n.d.
A17	41	21	Photo of Evelyn Lawson and Others at Reception #2	Undated photo of Evelyn Lawson and others at reception; c. late 1990s or early 2000s.	n.d.
A17	41	22	Photo of Evelyn Lawson with Group of Others	Group photo showing Evelyn Lawson and others during a get-together.	1999
A17	41	23	Photo of three U.S. Army Nurses During Training	Undated photo of three U.S. Army nurses during training; c. early 1940s, 1941 or later.	n.d.
A17	41	24	Photo of Maj. Evelyn Lawson at Desk	Photo of Maj. Evelyn Lawson at work at desk during World War II.	1945
A17	43	01	Evelyn Lawson Negatives	Four negatives mostly showing mural of the flag raising on Iwo Jima	n.d.
A17	43	02	American Cancer Society Certificate for Evelyn Lawson	Certificate presented to Evelyn Lawson for her contributions to the American Cancer Society	n.d.
A17	43	03	Portrait of Evelyn Lawson	Studio portrait of Evelyn Lawson in later life.	n.d.
A17	43	04	Photos of Graduating Class of Old Clinton High School	Two copies of the old Clinton High School's graduating class of 1935. Photo dated June 17, 1935. On the reverse side of one copy is handwritten the names of each student: 1st row, left to right: Lawrence Apgar, Austin Roberts, Dan Fox, Stanley Apgar, Charles Potter, Nicholas Reinlein, Edward Granenhurst, Carl Lunger, Walter Lawson, James Hann, Charles Beliski. 2nd row: Helene Alner, Helen Beatty, Helen Buggeln, Catherine Webb, Dolly Willie, Eleanor Smith, Caroline Gross, Helen Fragee, Ann Winnecker, Lise (Libby) Arnesen [Biel], Sophie Grabowski, Rose Maltese, Leah Emeritt.	1935
A17	43	05	Photographs of Clifford Snyder Farm	Two panorama photographs of the Snyder Farm.	1956
A17	43	06	Hunterdon County Chamber of Commerce Golden Award Certificate for Evelyn Lawson	Certificate presented to Evelyn Lawson in recognition for her service to her country and community.	1989
A17	15	01	Rural Awareness Scholar Awards, Year 6 Part 2	Rural Awareness Scholar Award Essays from 2012. Contains contest fliers, newsletters, announcements, student essays, and student/parent permission slips.	2012

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A17	15	02	Rural Awareness Scholar Awards Year 7, Part 1	Rural Awareness Scholar Award Essays from 2013. Contains contest fliers, newsletters, announcements, student essays, and list of individuals interviewed by students.	2013
A17	15	03	Rural Awareness Scholar Awards, Year 7 Part 2	Rural Awareness Scholar Award Essays from 2013. Contains contest fliers, newsletters, announcements, and student essays.	2013
A17	15	04	Rural Awareness Scholar Awards, Year 8 Part 1	Rural Awareness Scholar Award Essays from 2014. Contains contest fliers, newsletters, announcements, and student essays.	2014
A17	15	05	Rural Awareness Scholar Awards, Year 8 Part 2	Rural Awareness Scholar Award Essays from 2014. Contains contest fliers, newsletters, announcements, and student essays.	2014
A17	15	06	Rural Awareness Scholar Awards, Year 9 Part 1	Rural Awareness Scholar Award Essays from 2015. Contains contest fliers, newsletters, announcements, student essays, and list of winners.	2015
A17	16	01	Rural Awareness Scholar Awards, Year 9 Part 2	Rural Awareness Scholar Award Essays from 2015. Contains student essays.	2015
A17	16	02	Rural Awareness Scholar Awards, Year 10	Rural Awareness Scholar Award Essays from 2016. Contains contest fliers, newsletters, announcements, student essays, and list of winners.	2016
A17	36	15	Correspondence for Knispel Bronze Reliefs	Email correspondence between Lora Jones and Peter Katzen of United States Bronze regarding bronze relief portraits of August Knispel, February 2006.	2006
A17	36	06	August Knispel Re-Election Clipping	No date; modern copy. News clipping regarding August Knispel's nomination for re-election to District 7 Director.	n.d.
AMC 6.19	42	01	Franklin Township and Hunterdon County Maps	Collection of oversized maps of several towns in Franklin Township as well as broader Hunterdon County maps. Also includes a layout of a cemetery.	n.d.
Vault 1	01	01	Founding documents		1844-1845
Vault 1	01	02	Township Directories		1970-2011
Vault 1	01	03	Land Use Plan drafts		1977
Vault 1	01	04	Financial Statements		1930-1931
Vault 1	01	05	Board of Education ledger (copy)		1904-1907
Vault 1	01	06	Franklin Service Project		2005
Vault 1	01	07	Franklin Township Historian's Year End Report		
Vault 1	01	08	Franklin Township 150th Anniversary		1995
Vault 1	01	09	Franklin Township Committee campaign correspondence		ca. 1989-2005
Vault 1	01	10	Quakertown EMS		1999-2009
Vault 1	01	11	Quakertown Fire Company		1962-2003
Vault 1	01	12	Report	"Is Franklin Township, Hunterdon County, a 'Developing Municipality' Within the Meaning of the Mount Laurel Decision?"	1978

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Vault 1	01	13	Franklin Township Survey on Housing and Development responses		1977
Vault 1	01	14	Franklin Township Survey on Housing and Development responses		1977
Vault 1	02	01	Franklin Township PTA Minutes		1978-1998
Vault 1	02	02	Franklin Township PTA Minutes		1997-2005
Vault 1	02	03	Franklin Township PTA Bylaws		1986-1990
Vault 1	02	04	Franklin Township PTA Procedures, Regulations, Secretary's Guide		
Vault 1	02	05	Franklin Township PTA Requests for funds and thank yous		
Vault 1	02	06	Franklin Township PTA members roster		1937-2010
Vault 1	02	07	Franklin Township PTA national and state correspondence		1991-2004
Vault 1	02	08	Franklin Township PTA Correspondence		1988-1997
Vault 1	02	09	Franklin Township PTA Finance		1972-2005
Vault 1	03	01	Franklin Township PTA Franklin Township School Construction		2009
Vault 1	03	02	Franklin Township School PTA - Hunterdon Council of PTAs		1989-1990
Vault 1	03	03	Franklin Township School PTA Newsletter		1978-1993
Vault 1	03	04	Franklin Township School PTA Auction		2005
Vault 1	03	05	Franklin Township School PTA Calendars		1989-1993
Vault 1	03	06	Franklin Township School PTA Artist in Residence		2002
Vault 1	03	07	Franklin Township School PTA Cookbook		1999
Vault 1	03	08	Franklin Township School PTA Teen Arts Program		
Vault 1	04	01	Rural Awareness Minutes		1983-1991

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Vault 1	04	02	Rural Awareness Minutes		1991-1996
Vault 1	04	03	Rural Awareness Minutes		1997-2000
Vault 1	04	04	Rural Awareness Minutes		1998-2004
Vault 1	04	05	Rural Awareness Minutes		2006-2008
Vault 1	04	06	Rural Awareness Minutes		2009-2012
Vault 1	05	01	National Historic Register materials		1964-1990
Vault 1	05	02	Rural Awareness By-laws		1982-1989
Vault 1	05	03	Report	Phase 1 I-78 Interchange Survey and Intensive Architectural Survey	2005
Vault 1	05	04	Tier II Screening Report	I-78 Interchange 15 Alternate Access Study	2003
Vault 1	05	05	Jennie M. Haver Memorial Scholarship Fund history		1956-2005
Vault 1	06	01	Bank documents, Franklin Township treasurer		1902-1915
Vault 1	06	02	Programs and Flyers		1899-2008
Vault 1	06	03	Ephemera		1908-2012
Vault 1	06	04	Hunterdon County Historical Society House Tour (South Branch District)		2011
Vault 1	06	05	Obituaries and Funeral Programs		1995-2014
Vault 1	06	06	Certificates		1919-1958
Vault 1	06	07	Pamphlets	"The Wickecheoke and the Locktaong: Two Hunterdon Creeks," "The Cherryville Inn," "Lady in Blue"	1997-2007
Vault 1	06	08	Hunterdon Hackberry		ca. 2000
Vault 1	06	09	Pittstown Grange		1970-1987
Vault 1	06	10	Grange awards presented to Marion W. Compton		1942-1974
Vault 1	06	11	Grange applications and cards of demit		1930-1931
Vault 1	07	01	Lockatong Swim Club		n.d.
Vault 1	07	02	Frenchtown documents		1937-1958
Vault 1	07	03	Indian Mortar		2006
Vault 1	07	04	Franklin Theater Works		2006-2014

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Vault 1	07	05	Camp Buck		ca. 1930-2003
Vault 1	07	06	Cherryville Store		2003-2006
Vault 1	07	08	Sidney Store Ledger		1870-1890
Vault 1	07	07	"City of Rome"		n.d.
Vault 1	07	09	Report cards - Richard Porter		1935-1941
Vault 1	07	10	Cliffton correspondence	letters addressed to Sarah, Rebecca, and Joseph Cliffton of Quakertown.	1834-1849
Vault 1	07	11	Morris Leaver correspondence		1890-1908
Vault 1	07	12	Journal		1889-1920
Vault 1	07	13	Genealogical data for Bonnell/Haver families		2004
Vault 1	07	14	Genealogical data for Rhutson Case		n.d.
Vault 1	07	15	Newsletter, "Flash"		1938-Oct
Vault 1	07	16	Report: "Our Ecological Address."	Written by the 5th grade classes of the Franklin Township School.	1999-2000
Vault 1	07	17	Franklin Township Landfill documents		1985
Vault 1	07	18	Chicken Coop Tavern liquor licenses and tax stamps		1934-1943
Vault 1	07	19	Deeds of sale and title abstracts, Aller Farm (217 Sidney Road, Pittstown)		1919-1948
Vault 1	07	20	Property maps, Pittstown		1962-1968
Vault 1	08	01	Railway Express Agency documents		1946-1952
Vault 1	08	02	Lehigh Valley Railroad Company documents		1930-1973
Vault 1	08	03	Photographs of Round Valley		1899
Vault 1	08	04	Photographs, Lebanon Train Station and Misc.		n.d.
Vault 1	08	05	Centennial scrapbook		1871-1880
Vault 1	08	06	Treasurer's Account Book re-used by Hannah M. Emery, Quakertown		1891-1945
Vault 1	08	07	Ledger, "Minutes of Pittstown School Meeting, 1888-98."	Re-used by Hannah M. Emery (name inside cover); includes clippings to 1952	1888-1898

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Vault 1	08	08	Address Book		n.d.
Vault 1	09	01	Audiocassette, "Interview of Frank L. Burd."		January 1980
Vault 1	09	02	DVD: "History of Franklin Township."		1998
Vault 1	09	03	VHS tape: "Tip of the Spear."		1995
Vault 1	09	04	VHS tape: "Mathausen Battle Route"		n.d.
Vault 1	10	01	Notebook, including Franklin Board of Education meeting notes		1904-1907
Vault 1	10	02	Ledger, Landsdown Auxiliary of the American Red Cross		1917-1919
Vault 1	11	01	Store ledger labeled "Pittstown, NJ"		1865-1869
Vault 1	11	02	Ledger, Union Hotel, Flemington, NJ		ca. 1938
Vault 1	12	01	Album, "Franklin Celebrates 150th Anniversary."		1995

## Attachments

Date	User	File Name	Description
03/25/2024	Pamela Robinson	Container List - 3.001.172 Manuscript.pdf	

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No urls

## Condition

Condition

Condition date

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General Condition

Notes

Maintenance interval Never

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Maintenance Notes

## Lexicon

Object Name

Object Name 2

Object Name 3

**Object Name** Manuscript  
**Category** 08: Communication Objects  
**Classification** Documentary Objects  
**Sub-Classification** Other Documents  
**Primary** Manuscript  
**Secondary**  
**Tertiary**  
**Other Names**

**Nomenclature 2 Legacy Information**

**Category**  
**Subcategory**

**Location**

**Last Inventoried by**

**Last Inventoried**

**Home Location**

**Building** Doric House  
**Room** Vault 1  
**Wall**  
**Cabinet**

**Shelf**  
**Drawer**  
**Container**  
**Other**

**Latitude** **Longitude** **Azimuth** **Dataset**

**Location History**

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**People, Subjects, Classification, Search Terms**

**People** Burd, Frank Ellsworth; Case, Rhutson; Compton, Marion W.; Frisoli, Adam; Haver, Jennie M.; McChesney, Charles G.; Porter, Richard; Rose, Jerome G.; Stratton, Charles C.; Lawson, Evelyn; Snyder, Clifford; Snyder, Melda; Knispel, August; Buch, Raymond S.

**Classification** **No Data**

**Subjects** Account Book; Administrative agencies; Agricultural societies; Archaeology; Bank documents;

**Search Terms** Aller Farm; American Red Cross--Landsdowne Auxillary; Bonnell Family; Camp Buck; Cherryville Store; Chicken

Benefits (Fund raising); Camps;  
 Correspondence; Deeds; Directories;  
 Educational organizations; Emergency  
 medical services; Farmers' groups;  
 Financial statements; Fire  
 departments; Fundraisers; Genealogy;  
 Granges; Historic buildings; Historic  
 sites; Historic trees; Historical  
 societies; Housing; Landfills; Ledger;  
 Minutes; Newsletters; Obituaries; Oral  
 history; Parent Teacher Associations;  
 Photographic prints; Property maps;  
 Real estate development;  
 Scholarships; Scrapbooks;  
 Sesquicentennial celebrations;  
 Surveys; Theatrical groups

Coop Tavern; Franklin Theater Works;  
 Franklin Township Board of Education;  
 Franklin Township School PTA;  
 Franklin Township, Hunterdon County,  
 NJ; Frenchtown, NJ; Haver Family;  
 Jennie M. Haver Memorial Scholarship  
 Fund; Lebanon Train Station; Lehigh  
 Valley Railroad; Lockatong Swim Club;  
 Pittstown Grange; Pittstown School;  
 Quakertown EMS; Quakertown Fire  
 Company; Round Valley; Rural  
 Awareness, Inc.; Sidney Store; Union  
 Hotel (Flemington)

**Source**

**Source** Rural Awareness Committee, Inc.  
**In Memory Of**  
**Credit Line**

**Received Date** 7/2014  
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