

Collection	HCHS Manuscript Collection	Status	Processed
Object Id	3.001.052	Accessn/Loan	2020.182
Object Name	Manuscript	Source	Singley, Patricia and Dorothy Roberts
Other Name		Catalog Date	08/31/2026
Other No		Cataloged by	Robinson, Pamela
Old No		Date	
Title	Dorothy J. Herrington Collection	Year Range	1772-1974
Location	Archives Building: A: 1		
Description	Collection includes papers, records and photographs of Dorothy J. Herrington, of Kingwood, NJ.		



Box 1: Waterhouse, Ingham, Lequear, and Bray family genealogies. John Lequears' diaries, 1853-1904. Herrington property research in Kingwood.

Box 2: Estate of Paul Kuhl, bonds, service indentures, and deeds. Records of Kingwood Township: Oaths of Office, Proceedings, Elections, Bonds, and other miscellaneous materials.

Box 3: Printed materials related to Hunterdon history and photographs of houses, mostly unidentified but several of old houses of Hunterdon, and of grave markers for members of the Waterhouse and allied families.

Identity Statement & Context

Name of Creator	Herrington, Dorothy J.	Reference Code	NjFIHi5380
Other Creators			
Creator Added Entry			
Dates of Creation		Administrative Biographical History	Dorothy James was born April 1, 1908, in Connellsville, PA, the daughter of Preston R. James and Alberta Shillinger. The family moved to Los Angeles, CA the following year. In 1941 Dorothy married Dr. Lee Herrington in Rahway, NJ. Mrs. Herrington was descended from the Waterhouse and Ingham families of Hunterdon County and did extensive genealogical research on those and associated families. The Herringtons purchased the Henry Waterhouse [1715-1808] house in Kingwood

Dates of Accumulation		Archival History	Township. Dorothy died 1 February 1981 in Westfield, NJ and is buried in Rosemont Cemetery. Box 3 added August 2026, from accession 2016.112
Extent and Medium of The Unit of Description Site Additional Sites	3 boxes; 1.5 linear feet and 12 oversized folders	Event	

Structure & Conditions of Access

Appraisal Destruction & Scheduling Information		System of Arrangement	Subject
Accruals Conditions Governing Access	2016.112 added August 2026 Manuscript collections may only be viewed at the Hiram E. Deats Memorial Library, the Library and Archives of the Hunterdon County Historical Society during open business hours. The retrieval and use of manuscripts, microfilm, and other library materials ends 15 minutes prior to closing time of each open business day. Please check the society website at hunterdonhistory.org for current hours.	Disposition date Disposition	
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Language

English

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Allied Materials & Description Control

Existence and Location of Originals

Archives Building

Related Units of Description in this Repository

HCHS Bound Manuscript Collection; MSS 1576-1588. Notebooks contain genealogical and historical research notes principally on the Waterhouse and allied families of Kingwood Twp.

Existence and Location of Copies**Archivist's Name**

Riedeburg, Karen

Associated Materials in other Repositories**Rules or Conventions****Archivist's Notes**

Box 3 (2016.112) added in August 2026.

Date(s) of Descriptions

Container List

Location	Container	Folder	Title	Description	Date
A	1	0001	Joshua Waterhouse will, inventory, memoranda		1772
A	1	0002	Jonas Waterhouse grant of administration, inventory, settlement		1773-1774
A	1	0003	Elizabeth Waterhouse will and inventory		1797
A	1	0004	Ambrose Waterhouse will and inventory		1806-1808
A	1	0005	Henry Waterhouse will and inventory		1806-1808
A	1	0006	Ingham Waterhouse will and inventory		1812
A	1	0007	Genealogy: Waterhouse, Ingham, Pemberton, Barcroft		n.d.
A	1	0008	Genealogy: Waterhouse, Ingham, Lequear, Pemberton, Bray		n.d..
A	1	0009	Genealogy: Waterhouse, Ingham, Lequear, Bray		n.d.
A	1	0010	John W. Lequear diary, Feb. 5, 1853-Jan. 8, 1856		1853-1856
A	1	0011	Diary, n.id. (John W. Lequear?), Feb. 24, 1870-May 10. 1871		1870-1871
A	1	0012	John W. Lequear diary, May 11, 1871-April 1, 1875		1871-1875
A	1	0013	John W. Lequear diary, April 18, 1875-Dec. 31, 1878		1875-1878
A	1	0014	John W. Lequear diary, Jan. 1, 1879-July 25, 1882		1879-1882
A	1	0015	John W. Lequear diary, Aug. 22, 1886-June 10, 1888		1886-1888
A	1	0016	John W. Lequear diary, Feb. 10, 1895-Feb. 5, 1898		1895-1898
A	1	0017	John W. Lequear diary, April 30, 1898-Aug. 3, 1899		1898-1899
A	1	0018	Diary, n.id. (John W. Lequear?), 1901-1904		1901-1904
A	1	0019	John W. Lequear: letter to brother, autobiographical sketch, 4-page diary 1867-1868, memoranda - grave of 6 Revolutionary soldiers		1860-1868
A	1	0020	John W. Lequear (?) notes		n.d.
A	1	0021	Dorothy J. Herrington: draft of letter, genealogy: Green and Jackson		n.d.
A	1	0022	Herrington property in Kingwood: Abstract of title 1946, description of house and grounds		1946
A	1	0023	Herrington house floor plans		n.d.
A	1	0024	Dorothy J. Herrington, sale of Kingwood property		1978
A	1	0025	Dorothy J. Herrington correspondence, 1956-1957		1956-1957
A	1	0026	Dorothy J. Herrington correspondence, 1958		1958
A	1	0027	Dorothy J. Herrington correspondence, 1959		1959
A	1	0028	Dorothy J. Herrington correspondence, 1960-1974		1960-1974
A	2	0029	Estate of Paul Kuhl: Bonds		1827-1830

Location	Container	Folder	Title	Description	Date
A	2	0030	Euclid Waterhouse: Letter to John Waterhouse; death notices of Lewis C. Carver, Delilah Bodine		1846
A	2	0031	Service indentures: William Grimes to Jose Howell, Claracy Townshill to George Holcombe, Dinah Armstrong to Daniel Snider		1801-1832
A	2	0032	Bill of sale of timber, James Large to Joseph Landis; conditions of sale, Jacob Dilts, Thomas Lequear		1816-1848
A	2	0033	Quit-claim, Matthias Howell to James Dilts; Deeds: George Ege to John Beaumont, Tunis Quick to Jeremiah Kershaw, George Ege to John Booth		1800-1819
A	2	0034	Deeds: Jonathan Burd to Daniel Rittenhouse; George Dilts to John Dilts; John Booth to Israel Higgins; John Dilts to Israel Higgins; Jacob Kershaw to Elijah Wilson; Gabriel Hoff to Jeremiah Kershaw		1823-1829
A	2	0035	Deeds: John C. Fisher to William Servis; Lukens Thomas to William Rittenhouse		1837-1867
A	2	0036	Oaths of Office - Kingwood		1806-1866
A	2	0037	Letters of Administration: Paul J. Luke & George Trout, estate of Philip Calvin; John Dilts and Paul Dilts, estate of Jacob Dilts; Settlement, estate of Paul Kuhl, by George Dilts, John Dilts, and Leonard P. Kuhl		1794-1840
A	2	0038	Township of Kingwood: Proceedings, statements of accounts, proceedings of committee, return of elections, division of townships of Kingwood and Franklin, petition to surveyors of highways		1794-1844
A	2	0039	Bonds, Kingwood Township: Adrian Holdron, Daniel Everitt, Joseph Hamton, Sarah Heath, Daniel Cane, John Slack, George W. Rittenhouse, Henry Slack		1811-1823
A	2	0040	Miscellaneous legal documents: Award to John Dilts, Ct order for support of John Everitt, affidavit of William Hogeland, Examination of Anna Hogeland, subpoena of Mahlon Smith and Elijah Rittenhouse, deposition of Denby Emmons		1795-1840
A	2	0041	Cyphering book, no id		n.d.
A	2	0042	Livery stable (?) day book, no id		1809-1818
A	3	0055	Waterhouse family genealogical notes		n.d.
A	3	0056	"A Visit to Hunterdon" typed manuscript by Carnack Waterhouse		1958
A	3	0057	Scott family genealogical notes		n.d.
A	3	0058	Map of Kingwood Township roads with houses & churches noted		1957
A	3	0059	Brochures of historic Hunterdon homes with photos and descriptions		n.d.
A	3	0060	U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, N.J. section, Climate & Crop Service		1901
A	3	0061	Lambertville House brochure		ca. 1960
A	3	0062	Daniel Bray Highway resolution and dedication		1960
A	3	0063	4x5 b&w mounted photo, large house with 7 people arrayed along front; "Found with John W. Lequear diary"		1897
A	3	0064	Photo, 5x7 b&w; Locktown Christian Church		n.d.
A	3	0065	Photo, 5x7 b&w; Locktown Christian Church announcement board		n.d.
A	3	0066	Photo, 5x7 b&w; old stone church and gravestones; Lee B. Roth, photographer; 5 copies		n.d.
A	3	0067	Photo, 5x7 b&w; 3 story 5 bay stone building with 2nd floor balcony, gas pump in front; Lee B. Roth, Photographer; 5 copies		n.d.
A	3	0068	Photo, 5x7 b&w; 1-story stone building with 2 doors, 4 windows; Lee B. Roth,, photographer; 5 copies		n.d.
A	3	0069	Photo, 5x7 b&w; large cut stone building; Lee B. Roth, photographer; 3 copies		n.d.

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A	3	0070	Photo, 3x5 b&w snapshot; "Joshua Waterhouse home stead"		1960
A	3	0071	Photo, 3x5 b&w snapshot; "Runk's Mill - 1790"		1960
A	3	0072	Photo, 3x5 b&w snapshot; "Green Sergeant's Mill House circa 1754"		1960
A	3	0073	Photo, 3x5 b&w snapshot; "Cripp's House"		1960
A	3	0074	Photo, 3x5 b&w snapshot; "Richard Green Sergeant's House circa 1833"		1960
A	3	0075	Photo, 3x5 b&w snapshot; "Rosemont 1822 1833"		1960
A	3	0076	Photo, 3x5 b&w snapshot; "Kugler's Mill now owned by Mr & Mrs Kurt Wiese - built before 1777"		
A	3	0077	Photo, 3x4 b&w snapshot; grave marker, labelled "Elizabeth (Ingham) Waterhouse 1722-1797"		n.d.
A	3	0078	Photo, 3x4 b&w snapshot; grave marker, labelled "Elizabeth (Tindal) Green 1716-May 1, 1805 wife of Richard"		n.d.
A	3	0079	Photo, 3x4 b&w snapshot; grave marker, labelled "Richard Green 1717-Sept 26, 1794, wife Elizabeth Tindal 1716-May 1 1805"		n.d.
A	3	0080	Photo, 3x4 b&w snapshot; grave marker, not readable, not labelled		n.d.
A	3	0081	Photo, 3x4 b&w snapshot; grave marker, not readable, not labelled		n.d.
A	3	0082	Photo, 3x4 b&w snapshot; grave marker, not labelled		n.d.
A	3	0083	Photo, 3x4 b&w snapshot; grave marker, labelled Photo, 3x5 b&w snapshot; grave marker with inscription "Elizabeth Waterhouse wife of Ambrose Waterhouse"		n.d.
A	3	0084	Photo, 3x4 b&w snapshot; grave marker, labelled "Henry Waterhouse b. Jan. 25 1747, d. Sept. 15, 1808, age 61 years"		n.d.
A	3	0085	Photo, 3x4 b&w snapshot; grave marker with inscription "S.W. No 27 1757"		n.d.
A	3	0086	Photo, 3x4 b&w snapshot; grave marker with inscription "M&S July 4 1774(?)"		n.d.
A	3	0087	Photo, 3x4 b&w snapshot; grave maker with inscription "M W Au 20 1708" (?)		n.d.
A	3	0088	Photo, 3x4 b&w snapshot; grave marker, inscription not readable; not labelled		n.d.
A	3	0089	Photo, 3x4 b&w snapshot; grave marker, labelled "Margret Waterhouse wife of Ambrose Waterhouse 1744-1777 33 yrs"		n.d.
A	3	0090	Photo, 3x4 b&w snapshot; grave marker, labelled "Jonas Waterhouse Oct 1, 1772 son of Joshua and Elizabeth (Ingham) Waterhouse"		n.d.
A	3	0091	Photo, 3x4 b&w snapshot; grave marker, labelled "Joshua Waterhouse Sept. 20, 1772"		n.d.
A	3	0092	Photo, 3x4 b&w snapshot; large stone barn; unlabelled (3 views)		n.d.
A	3	0093	Photo, 3x5 b&w snapshot; large stone barn; not labelled		n.d.
A	3	0094	Photo, 3x5 b&w snapshot; deep doorway; not labelled		n.d.
A	3	0095	Photo, 3x5 b&w snapshot; large stone lying in front of tree; not labelled		n.d.
A	3	0096	Photo, 3x5 b&w snapshot; 2 men and 2 women in front of old house		n.d.
A	3	0097	Photo, 3x5 b&w snapshot; drop wing white house, unidentified man in front; not labelled		n.d.
A	3	0098	8x10 b&w print of engraving, "Clarke's Hall & Dock Creek," in John Wanamaker Collection, Historical Society of PA		n.d.
A	3	0099	Photo, 8x10 b&w, of oil painting: Smibert, John, "Portrait of Hannah Pemberton," from Metropolitan Museum, NYC		n.d.
A	3	0100	Photo, 4x6 b&w, of painting: William Williams, "Conversation Piece", 1775 at Winterthur Museum, 3 copies		n.d.
A	3	0101	Photo, 3x5 b&w snapshot; labelled "Presbyterian Church at Leesbury, TN"		1959
A	3	0102	Photo, 3.5x5 b&w snapshot; labelled "Home of Geo. Gillespie at Limestone, TN"		1959
A	3	0103	Photo, 3.5x5 b&w snapshot; labelled "Old Devault Inn at Leesbury, TN"		1959
A	3	0104	Photo, 3.5x5 b&w snapshot; labelled "Marker of Jonathan Barcroft"		1959

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A	3	0105	Photo, 3.5x5 b&w snapshot; labelled "Birthplace of Davey Crockett, Green County, TN"		1959
A	3	0106	Photo negatives, 2x3" (8); old houses, grave markers		n.d.
A	3	0107	Photo negatives, 2x3" (8); old houses		n.d.
A	3	0108	Photo negatives, 2x3" (8); old barns		n.d.
A	3	0109	Photo negatives, 2x3"; old buildings, grave markers		n.d.
A	3	0110	Photo negatives, 2x3"; grave markers		n.d.
A	3	0111	Photo negatives, 2-1/2x4" (2); Old houses with unidentified people		n.d.
A	3	0112	Color slide of painting, William Williams, "Conversation Piece," in Winterthur Museum		n.d.
VMC1		0043	Maps of Rhea & Hamilton Counties, Tenn		1933
VMC1		0044	Deed, David Burket to John Burket, Kingwood, 1810		1810
VMC1		0045	Deed, George Kelly and Abigail Burket to John Burket, Kingwood, 1816		1816
VMC1		0046	Deed, William Miller to John Burket, Kingwood, 1808		1808
VMC1		0047	Deed, Aaron Burket et ux.and sister Nancy to John Burket, Kingwood, 1812		1812
VMC1		0048	Account, Estate of Samuel Green, 1803 (photo copies)		n.d.
VMC1		0049	Jonas Ingham: Will, inventory, letter (Jonas Ingham to Jonathan Dickerson) - photo copies		n.d.
VMC1		0050	Genealogical chart - Simon LeFebre & Elizabeth Dayo		n.d.
VMC1		0051	Map of Washington County, Tenn., 1954		1954
VMC1		0052	Deed - David Fox to Uriah Emmons, Kingwood, 1813		1813
VMC1		0053	Maps of Spring City and Pennine, Tenn., 1949 & 1949		1940-1949
VMC1		0054	Map of New Jersey from the 1769 survey		n.d.

Lexicon

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Object Name	Manuscript		
Category	08: Communication Objects		
Classification	Documentary Objects		
Sub-Classification	Other Documents		
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Dataset

People, Subjects, Classification, Search Terms

People

Herrington, Dorothy J.; Kuhl, Paul; Lequear, John W.

Subjects

Legal documents; Service indentures; Bonds; Elections; Oaths; Diaries

Classification

No Data

Search Terms

Kingwood Township, NJ; Waterhouse Family; Ingham Family; Lequear Family; Bray Family; Herrington Family

Relations

Related Publications

Notes on Related Items

Related Items

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