



VIRGINIA SESQUICENTENNIAL OF THE AMERICAN CIVIL WAR COMMISSION

The Civil War 150 Legacy Project: Document Digitization and Access

The Virginia Sesquicentennial of the American Civil War Commission and the Library of Virginia are partnering to identify and locate original manuscript material related to the Civil War.

The Library of Virginia is sending teams of archivists to scan privately-held manuscript material for inclusion on both the Library of Virginia and the Virginia Sesquicentennial of the American Civil War Commission websites. The teams are coordinating visits with local sesquicentennial committees to ensure coverage of the whole of Virginia.

How you can participate

Locate items within your family collections that document the Civil War and the Civil War era.

Documents do not have to be specific to Virginia. Suitable materials for the Civil War 150 Legacy Project include:

- Letters
- Diaries
- Photographs
- Claims for damages
- Hand-drawn maps
- Hand-drawn sketches
- Military passes / discharge papers
- Pension materials
- Other Civil War era materials

Items must be owned by the individual presenting the materials for digitization. Materials that are photocopied and/or subject to United States copyright law may not be submitted for digitization.

The CW 150 Legacy Project Team is coming to your area!

WHEN: FRIDAY, NOV 5th from 3:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

SATURDAY, NOV 6th, from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

WHERE: FARMVILLE-PRINCE EDWARD COMMUNITY LIBRARY MEETING ROOM

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