0791: Barbara Bell Collection, 1745-1836

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Summary:

Title: Barbara Bell Collection
Span Dates: 1745-2012
Creator: Barbara Bell
Repository: Marshall University Special Collections, Morrow Library (Huntington, WV)
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Accession Number: 2012/01.0791
Date Completed: December, 2019
Access to Collection: Open
Extent: 1 foot
Donor: Barbara Bell

Search terms:

Vestry book
Religious records
Genealogical information
Family history

Biographical Notes:

Barbara Ellen Bell (October 7, 1938-) was a chemist and manufacturing company executive living in Huntington, West Virginia. She was a graduate of Marshall University.

Scope and Content:

This collection consists of research notes related to the genealogical and family history interests of Barbara Bell. The collection includes a scanned copy of the vestry book of the Southam Parish, Powhatan County, Virginia for the years 1745-1836, a transcription of the book, and genealogical notes related to the Gilpin, Berry, Hutchinson, Woodard, Deal, Gilmore, Brewer, and Hereford families.

Note: Copies of the vestry book are located in the Powhatan County Historical Society, Virginia State Library, and Powhatan County Circuit Court Office.

Processing Notes:

This collection was already processed at the time the finding aid was created. No changes to folder titles, order, or content were made. The original processor
mistakenly wrote “Southern Parish Vestry Book 1” on all of the folders; the correct title for the book is “Southam Parish Vestry Book 1”.

**Preferred Citation:**

Barbara Bell Collection, Accession No. 2012/01.0791, Special Collections Department, Marshall University, Huntington, WV.

**Access and Use:**

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