

**Roanoke Public Libraries
Virginia Room
Brickey Bible Papers**

Collection Description:

Repository: Roanoke Public Libraries, Virginia Room

Accession Number: 1982.7.12

Title: Brickey Bible Papers

Physical Characteristics: 1 document storage case, 1 leather-bound Bible

Donated by: Coke Brickey

Arrangement: Documents are arranged alphabetically by document type.

Creator: unknown

Reproduction Restrictions: No known restrictions on publication. Virginia Room copy fees apply. The Bible and any originals may not be photocopied. Where possible, photocopies have been provided for reproduction.

Introduction:

The Brickey Bible Papers consist of an 1815 leather-bound Bible, Brickey Family genealogical materials compiled by members of the family, photographs and other materials related to the Brickey Family.

Historical Note:

The 1815 leather-bound Bible was printed in 1815 and has been in the Brickey Family since 1852 when it was given as a gift from John Compton Brickey of Catawba Valley to his son and namesake. John Brickey, Jr. kept a record in the Bible of his children's births, marriages and deaths. The Brickeys in America are descended from Peter Brickey, the only son of a French immigrant, Jean Bicquet, to have male children. Bicquet the Huguenot persecution in France and came to the United States in 1680. In addition to the Bible, the Brickey Bible Papers include written genealogical accounts of the Brickey Family by various family members throughout the years. Several photographs of the Brickey Family are included as is other research material related to the Brickey Family.

Scope and Content:

- 1 document storage case and 1 leather-bound Bible.
- Collection contains original records, photocopies, photographs, correspondence and family history narratives
- Records begin after 1852 and cease in 1907. Personal narratives and genealogical materials pre-date 1852.

Container List:

Box 1 of 1

Folder 1: Collection Information – includes donors, news clippings and acknowledgment letters to Coke Brickey from the Virginia Room.

Folder 2: Brickey Bible – Loose family record pages originally included in the Brickey Bible. Photocopy of the originals to be used for research.

Folder 3: Brickey Bible – Loose family record pages originally included in the Brickey Bible. Original pages, please use photocopies in Folder 2

Folder 4: Brickey Bible – Photocopies of Bible records from a Bible given to F.W. and Nettie E. Brickey from Emily Brickey. Originals owned by Bill Gonterman.

Folder 5: Brickey Bible – Photocopies of records included in the Brickey Bible.

Folder 6: Brickey Bible - Pressed foliage from Bible of unknown provenance.

Folder 7: Brickey Family Genealogy – Compiled by John Brickey in 1855, transcribed by Lydia M. Brickey. Photocopy of original to be used for research.

Folder 8: Brickey Family Genealogy – Compiled by John Brickey in 1855, transcribed by Lydia M. Brickey. Original transcription, please use copy in Folder 7.

Folder 9: Brickey Family Genealogy – Written genealogical accounts of John Brickey and his descendants. Photocopy of original to be used for research.

Folder 10: Brickey Family Genealogy – Written genealogical accounts of John Brickey and his descendants, Original transcription, please use copy in Folder 9.

Folder 11: Brickey Family Genealogy – Written genealogical account by N.W. and Lydia Mary Brickey, 20 June 1907. Typescript written by Thomas Coke Brickey, Jr. with “Introduction” and “Memories of Thomas Coke Brickey, Jr.”.

Folder 12: Brickey Family Genealogy – Written genealogical account by S.H. Brickey. Also included, handwritten note to John Fisher from William Michael Masterson, 1815.

Folder 13: Photographs – Family portrait of the Brickey Children, original; copy made from original in 1981 to be used for research.

Folder 14: Photographs – Family portrait of Brickey Family taken at home of John C. Brickey, original; copy made from original in 1981 to be used for research.

Folder 15: Photographs – Portraits of Sally Bush Brown Brickey and John Brickey, copied from originals in 1981.

Folder 16: Photographs – Unknown table setting, original.

Folder 17: Related Materials – “Brickey’s Landing”

Folder 18: Related Materials – Miscellaneous: Letter to Raymond Brickey from the National Museum of American Art regarding use of J. Brickey’s “Missouri Courtroom” painting, 15 February 1985. Obituary of Raymond Brickey, 3 July 1995.

Folder 19: Related Materials – Personal notebook of John C. Brickey, circa 1850, photocopy of original to be used for research.

Folder 20: Related Materials – Personal notebook of John C. Brickey, circa 1850, original. Please use copy in Folder 19 for research.

Folder 21: Related Materials – Photocopies from publications on the Brickey Family.

Folder 22: Photocopies of other original Brickey records: Account Ledger (?) of John C. Brickey from 1831, 1 page. Will of John Inge of Randolph, Illinois, naming Franklin W. Brickey executor, 27 April 1872. Receipt of John S. Brickey, 19 January 1833.

Extraneous: Binder that included transcript by Lydia M. Brickey from Folder 8 located in back of document storage case.

Please note: There are three surname files on the Brickey Family and *The Brickey Heritage* by Raymond L. Brickey included in the Virginia Room Collection.