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Belle Grove Collection
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EXTENT: 8:25 linear feet

DATE: 1775-2017

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SCOPE AND CONTENT: The Belle Grove Collection contains personal and business papers on Belle Grove and the Hite family, including legal, financial and real estate documents; tax records; newspapers, magazines clippings; architectural records; archaeological records; and photographic materials. In addition to documenting the lives of the Hite family, this collection includes information on eighteenth and nineteenth-century agricultural practices, the Civil War, and the Shenandoah Valley, Virginia.

BIOGRAPHICAL/HISTORICAL: Belle Grove in Middletown, VA was built from 1794 to 1797 for Major and Mrs. Isaac Hite. Hite received the land from his father in 1783. That same year, Isaac Hite married Nelly Conway Madison, sister to James Madison. The property remained in the Hite family until 1860 when it was sold to John and Benjamin Cooley. During the Civil War, the house was in the midst of the Battle of Cedar Creek. The property had multiple private owners following the Civil War, the last of whom was Francis Welles Hunnewell. Hunnewell, who purchased the property in 1929, took on extensive renovations and later bequeathed the property to the National Trust for Historic Preservation. A separate, nonprofit organization, Belle Grove, Inc. operates the business side of the farm.

RELATED MATERIAL: Hite Family Association Collection, 1465 THL; Hite-Bowman-Hall Family Papers, 168 WFCHS; John P. Hite Diary, 191 THL MMF; Hite Family Letters, 2007 WFCHS MMF

IMMEDIATE SOURCE OF ACQUISITION: Gift of multiple donors.

CONTAINER LIST:

BOX 1

1. 15 August 1775, Letter (Jacob Hite to Berkeley County Hopewell), 1 page, manuscript
- 1a. 25 August 1785, Deed (James Madison to Isaac Hite, Jr.), NT 72.103, leaf, manuscript (photocopy)
2. 18 Dec 1785, Isaac Bowman to Jon. Clark, NT. 72-104, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
3. 21 October 1791, Langley Bond (Isaac Hite & Son), NT. 72-105, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
4. 8 Sept. 1792, Isaac Hite to ..., NT. 72.10021, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
5. 12 Feb. 1793, James Madison to Major Isaac Hite, NT. 72.111, 1 leaf, manuscript (photocopy)
6. 21 Feb. 1794, James Madison, Jr. to James Madison, Sr. NT. 72.106, 3 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
7. 10 March 1794, J. Madison, Jr. to Col. J. Madison NT. 72.107, 3 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
8. 5 Oct. 1794, J. Madison to (Thos. Jefferson) NT. 72.108, 4 leaves, manuscript (3 photocopies, 1 typed transcription)
9. 18 October 1796, Abr. Hite to ..., NT. 72.109, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
10. 1796-1798, Account Book (Jonathan Clark) NT. 72.110, 6 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
11. 14 Jan. 1797, Isaac Hite to Maj. Gen. Jon. Clark, NT. 72.112, 3 leaves, manuscript (2 photocopies, 1 transcription)
12. 8 Oct. 1797, Jonathan Clark to (Gen. Darke?) NT. 72.113, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
13. 6 March 1798, William C. Williams to ..., NT. 72.114, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
14. 5 Feb. 1799, Isaac Hite to Jonathan Clark, NT. 72.115, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
15. 14 June 1799, Reedy Notification, NT. 72.116, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
16. 18 July 1799, Isaac Hite to Col. James Madison, NT. 72.117, 3 leaves, manuscript (2 photocopies), 1 typed transcription
17. 13 Sept. 1799, Isaac Hite to Jonathan Clark, NT. 72.118, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
18. N.D., J. Clark Account, NT. 72-119, 1 leaf, manuscript (photocopy)
19. 1801-1802, Major Hite Account with C. & J. Ross, NT. 72.120, 3 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
20. 25 March 1801, James Madison to Isaac Hite, NT. 72.121, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
21. 24 Nov. 1801, James Madison to (Isaac Hite), NT. 72.122, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
22. Jan. 1802, Isaac Hite to Jonathan Clark, NT. 72.123, 3 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)

23. 18 Sept. 1802, Isaac Hite to Jonathan Clark, NT. 72.124, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
24. 16 August 1803, Maj. Isaac Hite to Gen. Jonathan Clark, NT. 72.125, 3 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
25. 2 March 1803, Isaac Hite to Jonathan Clark, NT. 72.126, 3 leaves, manuscript (2 photocopies, 1 typed transcription)
26. 23 April 1803, Isaac Hite to ..., NT. 72.127, 3 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
27. 5 May 1803, James Madison to Isaac Hite, NT. 72.128, 3 leaves, manuscript (2 photocopies, 1 typed transcription)
28. 13 May 1803, James Madison to Isaac Hite, NT. 72.129, 3 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
29. 17 June 1803, Robert Young to Isaac Hite, NT. 72.130, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
30. 11 July 1803, James Madison to Isaac Hite, NT. 72.132, 3 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
31. 23 July 1803, Declaration of Assurance, NT. 72.131, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy, includes glossy)
32. 14 Nov. 1803, Isaac Hite to Jon. Clark, NT. 72.133, 3 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
33. 27 Oct. 1804, Isaac Hite to ..., NT. 72.135, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
34. 13 Aug. 1805, Maj. Isaac Hite to Jon. Clark, NT. 72.136, 3 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
35. 19 Sept. 1805, Isaac Hite to Jon. Clark, NT. 72.137, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
36. 5 Nov. 1805, Isaac Hite to Jon. Clark, NT. 72.138, 4 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
37. 10 Dec. 1805, Declaration of Assurance, NT. 72.134, 2 leaves, (printed manuscript), (photocopies, pos. & neg.)
38. 16 Mar. 1807, William Hay to Jon. Clark, NT. 72.144, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
39. 20 March 1806, Isaac Hite to Jon. Clark, NT. 72.139, 3 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
40. 12 April 1806, Phil C. Pendleton to Jon. Clark, NT. 72.140, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
41. 20 July 1808, Isaac Hite to Jon. Clark, NT. 72.149, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
42. 16 August 1806, Isaac Hite to Jon. Clark, NT. 72.141, 3 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
43. 10 Dec. 1806, Isaac Hite to Jon. Clark, NT. 72.142, 3 leaves, manuscript (photocopy), 1 typed transcription
44. 24 Dec. 1806, Isaac Hite to Jon. Clark, NT. 72.143, 3 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
45. 14 Jan. 1808, Isaac Hite to Jon. Clark, NT. 72.145, 3 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
46. 10 April 1808, Isaac Hite to Jonathan Clark, NT. 72.146, 3 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)

47. 11 April 1808, Isaac Hite to Jon. Clark, NT. 72.147, 3 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
48. 10 March 1809, James Kendall to Isaac Hite, NT. 72.150, 3 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
49. 15 March 1810 & 12 April 1811, Isaac Hite to Jon. Clark, NT. 72.151, 6 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
50. 10 May 1810, Isaac Hite to Jon. Clark, NT. 72.148, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
51. 1820-1840, Ann T. Hite to Elizabeth Steenbergen, cousin, Mount Airy, Shenandoah County, VA, 11 Items, manuscript
- 51a. 1820 – 1840 Ann T. Hite to Elizabeth Steenbergen, cousin, Mount Airy, Shenandoah County, VA, transcript of letters, 11 items, 23 leaves, typescript
52. 19 Jan. 1828, Ann & Hite to Isaac F. Hite (son), NT. 72.153
53. 25 July 1853, From J. J. Davison concerning the children of Cornelius E. Baldwin, handwritten letter relating to the whereabouts of the children of Cornelius E. Baldwin 1 leaf, manuscript, 1 leaf, typescript (transcript)
54. 27 Sept. 1868, Virginia Davison to Mrs. Edward Jacobs, NT. 72.152, 3 leaves, manuscript, original
55. 25 Nov. 1884, Letter, M. Hite to Ann Davison, 2 leaves, manuscript
56. Oversize Manuscripts
 - Letter to Ann Hite Dec. 3, 1815 from Nelly C. Willis, manuscript, 1 page
 - Newspaper – General Advertiser, Thursday, July 16, 1801, 2 pages, printed, BG 2007.11

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BOX 2

1. H135: Baker, H.P. "The Hite Family" 20 leaves, typescript (photocopy)
2. Jost Hite (15 items), 15 leaves, typescript (original)
3. Jost Hite Fund '79 (40 items), 40 items, 28 leaves, typescript, 10 manuscripts
4. Truettner Correspondence (12 items), 12 leaves, 3 typescript, 9 handwritten
5. Newspaper Article Northern Virginia Daily, 16 Aug. 1971, 7 items, news print, clippings
6. Copy & Letters of Portrait by Nicolas deLagilliere, 10 leaves typescript, 1 photocopy of portrait
7. Hite Data Sheets, 20 leaves typescript, 2 leaves manuscript
8. Hite Seal (5 items), 2 copies-Coat of Arms, 3 leaves manuscript
9. Hite Tour Information, 74 leaves photocopy (manuscript) 21 leaves typed, 18 leaves manuscript, 13 leaves genealogy, 5 leaves tour
10. George W. Mason's Line of Descent from Jost Hite and Maj. Gen. John Mason, 11 leaves ms., 35 leaves

photocopy, 11 leaves genealogy

11. Hite Family Genealogy, 17th-20th Centuries, 7 leaves manuscript, 46 leaves photocopy, 6 leaves manuscript, 2 leaves photocopy, 22 leaves photocopy

12. Hite Family Researcher, Vol. I & II (54 items), 54 leaves, typescript, photocopy

13. Richardson Family Researcher, 7 Historical News (128 items), 128 pages, printed in 8 volumes

14. Miscellaneous Hite Data, 8 leaves, manuscript (2 photocopies), 10 leaves typed, 5 leaves typed, photocopy

BOX 3

1. 1737 – Dower rights of Mary Hite, 1 leaf, manuscript

2. 1795 – Isaac Hite, Sr. will, NT. 72.308, 9 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)

3. 7 Dec 1796 – Isaac Hite, Sr. inventory, NT. 72.309, 13 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)

4. 5 Dec 1836 – Isaac Hite will, NT. 72.300, 12 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)

16 & 17 January 1837 – Isaac Hite inventory, NT. 72.301, 7 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)

6. 1836-1838 – Estate of Isaac Hite (Accts), NT. 72.302, 4 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)

7. 3 Feb 1851 – Ann T. Hite will, NT. 72.303, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy), 1 leaf typescript (transcription)

8. 25 Feb 1851 – Ann T. Hite appraisement, NT. 72.304, 6 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)

9. 31 Jan 1853 – Estate of Ann T. Hite (Accts), NT. 72.305, 5 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)

10. 27 Feb 1851 – Ann T. Hite sale account, NT. 72.306, 22 leaves, manuscript (photocopy), 1 leaf typescript

11. 1839-1854 – Estate of Isaac Hite accounts, NT. 72.307, 7 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)

BOX 4

1. News clippings: Bell Grove and the Hites, 6 leaves, 2 newsprint, 4 photocopies

2. 1843-59 – Letters: J.M. Hite to Eliza Casering, 38 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)

3. 17 May 1800 – Letter: Nelly Conway Madison Hite to her daughter Nelly, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)

4. 1865-84 – Letters: A.M. Davison, 22 leaves, typescript (transcribed)

5. 1887 – Obituary for Hugh Holmes Hite, 1 leaf, newsprint

6. Excerpts: Diary of Jon. Clark, 54 leaves, typescript (transcription, photocopy)

7. Hite Family Reunion Information and Sermon, 8 leaves, typescript

8. 1776 – Hite Memorandum Book, 8 leaves (typescript, transcript)
9. Photocopies of various Hite documents and correspondence, 25 leaves, photocopies, 3 typescript
10. Sample of Ann T. Hite's hair, N.T., 71.24.1 – 71.25.1, 2 items; 1 lock of hair, 1 leaf research request
11. Letters: J. McDaniel to Isaac Fontaine Hite 1839-1852, 12 leaves, manuscript
12. Hite portraits, 28 items, 1 news clipping, 6 leaves typescript (photocopy), 20 leaves typescript, 1 mailgram
13. 15 April 1896 – Letter: Maltine Manufacturing to "Doctor," 2 pages manuscript

BOX 5

1. Andrew Keller to Isaac Hite [1789], 100 acres – land record, 1 leaf, manuscript (photocopy)
2. Beasley notes – land titles, 11 leaves, manuscript
3. Belle Grove and Cedar Creek, 25 items, 14 leaves, manuscript; 4 leaves typed, photocopy; 3 leaves maps, photocopy; 3 leaves manuscript (photocopy)
4. Cedar Grove Farm—Will of James Hoge, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
5. Cedar Grove Farm [Cedar Creek Battlefield], Solomon Hoge to Cornelius Baldwin, 1 leaf, manuscript (photocopy)
6. Cove Tract – Cedar Creek Battlefield, 3 leaves, typescript, 12 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
7. Deed of Daniel Mauck to Isaac Hite, Jr. [1811], 320 acres, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
8. Deed [George Mock to George Gudekunst], 1779, 1) 100 acres, 2) 115 acres, Long Meadows Tract, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
9. Deed—George Mock, Jr. to Isaac Hite, Jr. [1811], 17 acres, Belle Grove, 1 leaf, manuscript (photocopy)
10. Deed—Goodekuns to Hite [1810], 1) 100 acres, 2) 115 acres, Long Meadows Tract, 1 leaf, manuscript (photocopy)
11. Indenture—Henry Rosenberry to Isaac Hite [1803], Cedar Creek, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
12. Indenture—Hugh Brown to Isaac Hite, Jr. [1794], 1 leaf, manuscript (photocopy)
13. Hite Land Index, 7 leaves, 6 manuscript, n.d.; manuscript map (photocopy)
14. Insurance Policy for Belle Grove, 3 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
15. Belle Grove Land Records, Jas. W. & Maggie E. Smellie, 9 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
16. Belle Grove Land Records—1783 (483 acres) Hite to Hite, 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
17. Belle Grove Land Records—1789 (71 acres) Jacob Sperry to Isaac Hite, Jr., 3 leaves, manuscript

(photocopy)

18. Belle Grove Land Records—1794 (329 acres) Jas. Hoge to Maj. Hite, 4 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
19. Isaac Hite's Holdings Frederick County Land Book, 1814, 1 leaf, photocopy from Land Grant Book
20. Joist Hite Land Grants from the Council Journals, 4 items, 4 leaves, typescript
21. Long Meadows Survey—1787 (1680 acres) Isaac Hite Sr., 4 leaves, 3 leaves manuscript (photocopy), 1 map photocopy
22. Mill Site Survey—1787 [Belle Grove Land Records] (4 acres) Isaac Hite, Sr. 1 leaf, manuscript (photocopy)
23. Jacob Sperry—Daniel Stickley Land [Cedar Creek Battlefield], 3 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
24. Will of George Mock [1803], 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
25. William Bell to Isaac Hite [1802] (200 acres) Ore Bank Tract—land record, 1 leaf, manuscript (photocopy)
26. Indenture—Watson to Hite [1799], 2 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
27. Cedar Grove—Heater, land record, 2 leaves, 1 transcript, 1 printed form
28. Land Records (folder includes the following):
 - Deed: Joseph Kirkbride to Hans Yost Heyt, Dec. 17, 1718, 11 x 22, transcript of original; 6 leaves, typescript
 - Release from Indenture: Hans Yost Height from John Pawling, Jan. 9, 1730, transcript of original; 2 leaves, typescript
 - Lease: Hans Yost Height to John Pawling, Jan. 9, 1730, transcript of original; 2 leaves, typescript

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BOX 6A Not for Public Use (photos)

Box 6B

1. Land Grant: Lord Fairfax to Samuel Vance, 1751, 1 leaf, manuscript
2. Long Meadow, New York: McMillian, 1941, gift of Donald Hays family, 1992
3. Long Meadow, New York, gift of Janice Carper, 1988, originally owned by Laura Virginia Hale

BOX 7

1. The American Farmer, 50 leaves, photocopies of 1 page
 - 1a. The American Farmer – Original 1821, 8 pages, print
2. Ann T. Hite Inventory, 96 leaves typescript (6 copies 8 leaves each, 12 copies, 4 leaves typed on 2 sides)
3. Books sold in 1851, 4 leaves, typed, photocopies

4. Bibliographies, 13 leaves, typed, photocopies
5. Farmer's Register & American Farmer, (20 items), 20 leaves, typescript, photocopies
6. Farming at Belle Grove, 23 leaves, typed, photocopy
7. Frederick County clerk's office chancery records 1840, 12 leaves, typed, photocopy (4 copies)
8. Hite family taxes, 84 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
9. Isaac Hite inventory, 22 copies of 8 leaves each, typed, photocopy
10. Isaac Hite will, 33 leaves, typed, photocopy (5 copies)
11. Letter from Mrs. Ann T. Hite at Belle Grove to son Isaac F. Hite, who was attending the University of Virginia, 24 June 1827, 6 leaves, transcription (6 copies)
12. Letter from Ann T. Hite to Isaac F. Hite, 19 January 1828, 6 leaves, transcription, typed (3 copies)
13. Letter from Hugh Holmes Hite to Peter Sensensy Wright, 1877
13 leaves, typed, transcription, 2 letters, 6 copies, 7 copies
14. Letter from I. Hite to Jon. Clark, 14 November 1803, 6 leaves, typed, transcription, 2 letters, 3 leaves each
15. Letter from Nancy Carr to Elizabeth Coalter, 23 July 1824, 13 leaves, photocopy, transcription
16. Major Hite's Rockville holdings, 7 items, 6 leaves, photocopy, 1 note
17. Note from Isaac Hite to J.S. Davison, 4 leaves, typed, transcription
18. Note made from will of Major Hite's father, Isaac Hite, 22 leaves, typed, photocopy (6 copies of Hite's will, 4 copies of Anne Hite notes)
19. Notes made from Major I. Hite and Will, 4 leaves, typed, photocopy
20. Notes made from 1815, 1836 and 1851 inventories, 8 leaves, typed, transcription, photocopy
21. Notice of strayed horses, 1 June 1811, 2 leaves, typed, photocopy
22. Ownership of Belle Grove, 24 leaves, typed, photocopy (4 leaves, 6 copies each)
23. Plan for visitor traffic flow and stations for docents, 22 leaves, typed, photocopy
24. Provisions for the years 1786-1794, 4 leaves, typed, photocopy
25. Stephen Dodson Ramseur, 11 leaves, typed, photocopy
26. Suggested rules for guiding, 25 leaves, typed, photocopy (5 leaves, 5 copies each)
27. Will of Mrs. Ann T. Hite, probated February 3, 1851, 13 leaves, typed, photocopy

28. Personal property taxes for Major Isaac Hite, 1815, 14 leaves, typed, photocopy (2 leaves, 7 copies each)

BOX 8 Architectural Research

1. Architectural Exhibit, 105 leaves, typed printed photocopies
2. Belle Grove 1970 Floor Plans, 81 leaves, floor plans
3. Belle Grove Master Plan Review & Preliminary Proposal for Workstudy and Conference Center, 18 leaves, typed photocopy
4. Correspondence (IN), 23 items, typed printed manuscript
5. Correspondence (OUT), 120 leaves, typed copies
6. Correspondence – Yellows & Greens, 7 leaves, typed copies
7. Dolan Paper, 34 leaves, typed, copied photographs & 2 photographs
8. 1966 – 1968 Ellen Beasley Interview Notes, 93 leaves manuscript 6 x 9 ½ “, 17 leaves manuscript 8 ½ x 11”, 10 leaves manuscript 8 ½ x 14”
9. 17 December 1931 – Letter: Fiske Kimball to F.W. Hunnewell, 2 leaves manuscript, typescript
10. September 25 1938 – Mary Eltinge Baker to L. Hunnewell, 5 leaves, manuscript photocopy
11. “If America be His Grand Design...,” The Washington Post, December 22, 1974, 1 sheet newspaper
12. 1969 National Survey Special Report on Cedar Creek Battlefield and Belle Grove, 37 leaves, typed photocopy
13. Property Development: Notes Working Drawings, 6 leaves, 5 typed, 1 manuscript
14. West Wing Renovation ca. 1970, 9 printed brochures, 12 copies of work orders, 59 leaves, typed, manuscript and print
15. Maps and Architectural Drawings

Architectural Drawings by Horace Peaslee 1929, 6 items

Architectural Drawings by Horace Peaslee 1929, 10 items

Belle Grove Restoration 1970-73 (contains the following):

Drawing #	Title or Description
D3.8	Main Floor Plan, Historic American Building Survey 1972
D5.1	Attic Floor Plan 1972
D6.1	Basement Floor Plan, Historic American Building Survey 1972
D8.5-8.14	Various Architectural Detail Drawings of Belle Grove Mansion 1972
D9.1	Belle Grove Outbuildings 1972

D10.2	Entrance Sign, n.d.
D10.3-10.4	Interior Detail, Historic American Building Survey 1972
D10.5	Roof Framing Axonometric, Historic American Building Survey 1972
D11.1	Historical Archaeology Work-Study Seminar 1972
D 11.2-11.6	Architectural Site Plans. Work Drawings & Surveys 1972
D12.4	Bowman/Middletown Feasibility Survey 1972
D 13.1-13.2	Site Plans 1970 and 1972
D13.3-13.4	General Area Plan Drawings 1971-72
D13.5-13.7	Various Farm Buildings on Belle Grove Property 1972
D13.8	Existing Buildings and Proposed Restoration 1970
D13.9	Outbuildings, Historic American Building Survey 1972
D13.10	Introductory Panel, Historic American Building Survey 1972

Farm Craft Days, Early 1970s (folder contains the following)

Drawing #	Title or Description
D13.12	Rough Sketch, Tables and Booths for Farm Craft Days, n.d.
D14.1	Farm Craft Days n.d.
D14.2	Farm Craft Days 1972
D14.3-14.4	Farm Craft Days n.d.
D16.1-16.2	Belle Grove Exhibit n.d.

Area Maps (contains the following):

Drawing #	Title or Description
D1.1	Aerial Photo of Frederick county 1981
D12.2	Aerial Photo of Middletown 1987
D12.3	Historic Map of Frederick County ca. 1820

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BOX 9 Archaeology at Belle Grove (1972-1976)

1. Notebook: Artifact Lists
2. Notebook: Catalogue of Domestic and Military Artifacts Excavated During the Belle Grove Archaeology Program 1972-1976
3. Notebook: Day Books and Excavation Register 1973-1976
4. Notebook: Lab Notes, 2 pages, 11 leaves, manuscript

BOX 10 Olmstead Papers, Vol. 1

1. May 14, 1796 Bill: Leonard Jacoby to Isaac Hyte & Son NT. 69.77.1., 2 leaves, original copy & transcribed copy
2. May 10, 1802 Letter: Robert Young to Major Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.2, 2 leaves, original & transcribed copy
3. October 30, 1820 Articles of Agreement (lease): Isaac Hite to Jacob Frederick NT. 69.77.3, 3 leaves, original

& transcription 3 x 5 card

4. April 8, 1796 Sale: William Dagg to Isaac Hite, Jr. NT. 69.77.4, 2 leaves, original & transcription
5. July 28, 1796 Agreement between Abram Hite and Isaac Hite, Jr. NT. 69.77.5, 2 leaves, original & transcription
6. April 1, 1795 Memo of Agreement: Hugh Brown and Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.6, 2 leaves, original & transcription
7. July 24, 1806 Sheriff's Receipt: Charles McCormick to Major Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.7, 2 leaves, original & transcription
8. May 16, 1788 Certification: Joel White with Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.8, 2 leaves, original & transcription
9. October 14, 1785, Articles of Agreement: Isaac Hite, Jr. and Benjamin Little NT. 69.77.9, 5 items, original & transcription, 3 cards
10. April 27, 1793 Patent Rights: Isaac Hite & Son, signed Edward Rumsey NT. 69.77.10, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
11. April 27, 1793 Indebtedness of Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.11, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
12. May 17, 1796, Bill: Godfrey Baker & Co. to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.12, 3 leaves, manuscript & transcription, note
13. May 18, 1796 Paid bill: John Donaldson to Isaac Hite NT 69.77.13, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
14. May 18, 1796 Paid bill: John Donaldson to Isaac Hite NT 69.77.14, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
15. April 25, 1796 Paid bill: Patton & Dykes to Messrs. Korn & Wisemiller NT. 69.77.15, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
16. May 16, 1796 Receipted bill: Adam Foulks to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.16, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
17. May 16, 1796 Receipt bill: John Hagenan to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.17, 1 leaf manuscript
18. May 16, 1796 Receipted bill: Henry Manly to Mr. Hite NT. 69.77.18, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
19. Nov 11, 1796 Receipt: Joseph Riddle & Co. to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.19, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
20. May 20, 1796 Bill: Thos. Leiper to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.20, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
21. May 14, 1796 Bill: Samuel Wetherill & Sons to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.21, 1 leaf manuscript
22. June 4, 1821 Letter: I.W. Maury to A.T. Hite (Mrs.) NT. 69.77.22, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
23. Sept 3, 1821 Receipt: Wm. Ballthrope to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.23, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
24. Estimate of Crops NT. 69.77.24, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription

25. May 7, 1796 Receipt: David Brautigam to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.25, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
26. May 19, 1796 Receipt: John Aitken to Mr. Madison NT. 69.77.26, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
27. Aug 12, 1803 Letter (&Xerox copy): Isaac Hite to Col. James Madison, NT. 69.77.27, 8 leaves, 1 original, 2 photocopies & transcription
28. May 9, 1796 Bill: Jos. Anthony, Jr to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.28, 1 leaf manuscript
29. May 16, 1796 Bill: Dillion & Co to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.29, No document in file
30. May 12, 1796 Bill: Rowland Perry to Isaac Hite, Esq. NT. 69.77.30
31. May 13, 1796 Bill: John Guest & Co. to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.31, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
32. May 13, 1796 Bill: Alex. Fullerton to Mr. Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.32, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
33. May 14, 1796 Bill: Daniel & Vincent Thuun to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.33, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
34. May 14, 1796 Bill: Thomas Dobsan to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.34, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
35. May 16, 1796 Bill: Pasquier & Co to Mr. Hite NT. 69.77.35, 1 leaf original manuscript
36. May 20, 1796 Bill: Danl. King to I. Hite NT. 69.77.36, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
37. May 19, 1796 Bill: Robert Haydock to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.37, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
38. June 20th Bill: Korn & Wisemiller to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.38, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
39. Nov 11, 1796 Bill: Wm. Hodgson to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.39, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
40. June 16, 1796 Bill: Wm. Hodgson to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.40, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
41. Dec 17, 1794 Bill of Plank for House (Isaac Hite) 69.77.41, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
42. March 2, 1801 Invoice of Sundries...: Gen'l Jos. Clarke NT. 69.77.42, 4 leaves, 2 notes, manuscript & transcription
43. "To Which Is Added" NT. 69.77.43, 3 leaves, manuscript & 2 transcriptions
44. May 20, 1796 Bill: G. Bertault to Mr. --- NT. 69.77.44, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
45. May 14, 1796 Bill: Saml. Wetherill & Sons to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.45, 1 leaf manuscript
46. October 25, 1796 Bill: Korn & Wisemiller to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.46, 1 leaf manuscript
47. May 1803 Bill: J. Milton to Isaac Hite, Esq. NT. 69.77.47, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
48. May 20, 1796 Bill: Paul Beck, Jr. to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.48, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription

49. May 18, 1796 Bill: George Heberton to Mr. Hite NT. 69.77.49, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
50. May 17, 1796 Bill: Peter & Henry Miercken to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.50, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
51. September 22, 1789 Bill: John H. Nicholl to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.51, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
52. May 11, 1796 Bill: Edward Fox to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.52, 3 leaves, 1 manuscript, 2 transcriptions
53. May 10, 1796 Bill: William Wiser to Isaac Hite, Esq. NT. 69.77.53, 1 leaf manuscript
54. 1794-1795 Statement: George Lauman to Isaac Hite & Co. NT. 69.77.54, 2 leaves, manuscript & transcription
55. May 13, 1795 Bill: William Wister to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.55, 2 leaves, 1 manuscript & 1 transcription
56. 1795-1796 Statement: Gen. Jon. Clark in account with Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.56, 2 leaves, 1 manuscript & 1 transcription
57. May 12, 1796 Bill: Twambley & Shoemaker to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.57, 7 leaves, 2 manuscripts, 5 transcriptions
58. Dec. 1823 - Jan 9, 1824 Account: Estate William Davison NT. 69.77.58, 1 leaf manuscript damaged
59. Nov 1794 – May 25, 1797 Statement of account: George Lauman to Isaac Hite & Co. NT. 69.77.59, 2 leaves, 1 manuscript & 1 transcription
60. Statement: Isaac Hite & Co. – Isaac Hite & Son NT. 69.77.60, 1 leaf manuscript
61. Feb 15, 1797 Statement: Isaac Hite & Co. – Isaac Hite & Son NT. 69.77.61, 2 leaves, 1 original manuscript & 1 transcription
62. Statement: Isaac Hite & Co. – Isaac Hite & Son NT. 69.77.62, 1 leaf manuscript
63. Estate of I. Hite: Dec – I. Hite & Co. NT. 69.77.63, 1 leaf manuscript
64. Statement: W. Charles Beale – Estate Isaac Hite, Deceased NT. 69.77.64, 1 leaf manuscript
65. Feb 16, 1797 Statement: Balancing accounts Isaac Hite & Co. 'D Ledger NT. 69.77.65, 2 leaves, manuscripts
66. Feb 2, 1797 Statement: Isaac Hite & Co. NT. 69.77.66, 3 leaves, manuscripts
67. Statement: Isaac Hite & Co. Isaac Hite & Son & Charles Beale NT. 69.77.67, 1 leaf manuscript
68. Oct 7, 1795 – Jan 28, 1797 Statement: Isaac Hite & Co. Isaac Hite & Son NT. 69.77.68, 1 leaf manuscript
69. Feb 3, 1797 Account: William Wister – Settlement of I. Hite, Deceased Estate and Chas. Beale NT. 69.77.69, 3 leaves, 1 manuscript, 2 transcriptions

70. June 16, 1796 Bill: Korn & Wisemiller (Patton & Bulcher) for Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.70, 2 leaves, transcriptions
71. May 12, 1796 Bill: P. Nicklin & Co. – to Isaac Hite NT. 69.77.71, 2 leaves, 1 manuscript, 1 transcription
72. 1769-1789 “The Representatives of Jost Hite NT. 69.77.72, 2 leaves, 1 manuscript, 1 transcription
73. Bill: Isaac Hite’s account from “Korn & Wisemiller” NT. 67.40.3, 2 leaves, 1 manuscript, 1 transcription
74. Bills: Dr. John Stackhouse to Isaac Hite Oct 1772 & July 1785 NT. 67.40.2, 2 leaves, 1 manuscript, 1 transcription
75. Commission for Major Hite, 1785, NT. 67.34.1, 1 leaf, framed, 1 leaf transcription in file, (formerly on display in the plantation office)

BOX 11 Olmstead Papers, Vol. 2

1. Olmstead Papers (Xerox copies)
2. Olmstead Papers (59 items) NT. 72.29.01-59
3. Copy and transcripts of documents, NT. 69.77 and NT. 72.29 Series
4. Miscellaneous Newspaper Clipping (undated and untitled)
5. Copy of letter, James Biddle to Mr. and Mrs. Francis Olmstead
6. Catalogue Worksheets NT. 69.77.1-72 (72 items)

BOX 12 Commonwealth vs. Harriet Robinson

1. Commonwealth vs. Harriet Robinson (Hettie A. Cooley was murdered by African-American slave Harriet Robinson on February 26, 1861 at Belle Grove), 40 leaves of manuscript, photocopies
 - 1a. Commonwealth vs. Harriet Robinson, 52 leaves, typescript
2. Newspaper Clipping, “Strange, Unaccountable and Horrible Occurrence,” Alexandria Gazette, March 7, 1861, 3 photocopies of Alexandria Gazette
3. May 8, 1861 Shipley letter, 1 page manuscript, 2 photocopies
4. Commonwealth vs. Harriet Robinson: Testimony of James Gordon, William Rinker, etc., 15 leaves typed
5. Commonwealth vs. Harriet Robinson: Testimony of Mary Moore – 1861, 11 leaves typescript, transcription
6. “Murder at Belle Grove Plantation– Death of Hettie Cooley and the Trial of Harriet Robinson” written Wayne Suffrigdge. 2017, 5 leaves, typescript
7. Newspaper clipping, “Belle Grove – A Place of Romance and History,” Baltimore Southern Methodist. November 28, 1912, 1 leaf photocopy, 1 item clipping,

8. Newspaper clipping, "Belle Grove Tragedy," Strasburg News, April 3, 1913, 3 leaves typed, photocopy, 1 photocopy magazine page

9. "The Misfortune of Hetty A. Cooley." 30 leaves typescript (29 photocopy), 2 leaves newsprint (photocopy)

BOX 13 Heater vs. the U.S. (1860-1901)

1. Heater Claim – Notes on Will of Solomon Heater (MISSING 7.19.13)

2. Heater Claim (Certificates & Letters: Gen. Sheridan, etc.) 1864-1867, 17 leaves typed (2 original, 13 typescript and print, 2 map copies), 15 leaves photocopy manuscript

3. Heater Claim Evidence: Gen. Toubert; Est. of Damages July-August 1865, 2 leaves manuscript photocopy

4. Petition (Mrs. C. Heater, for fencing, timber, etc.) April 15, 1871, 10 leaves photocopy manuscript (2 leaves typescript and manuscript, original, 8 leaves print and manuscript, photocopy)

5. Petition, Mrs. Caroline Heater (Comm. of Claims) June 13, 1871, 6 leaves, photocopy, print & manuscript

6. Deed- Heater to Heater (Jan 1, 1860) June 23, 1871, 3 leaves manuscript & photocopy

7. Heater Claim (Application to take testimony) Sep 15, 1871, 8 leaves manuscript photocopy

8. Heater vs. U.S. (Testimony: Mrs. Caroline Heater; John H. Crisman) Oct. 24, 1871, 28 leaves manuscript photocopy

8a. Heater vs. USA (Brief on Loyalty) Oct 24, 1871, 75 leaves photocopy typed

9. Heater Claim (Additional Evidence: Deed) Nov 4, 1871, 4 leaves manuscript photocopy

10. Heater Claim (will of Solomon Heater) Aug 5, 1872, 3 leaves manuscript photocopy

11. Letter (Stilson, Bundy & Webster to Hon. A.O. Aldis Aug. 13, 1872, 3 leaves manuscript photocopy

12. Letter (Bundy & Webster to Comm of Claims) Oct 5, 1872, 2 leaves manuscript photocopy

13. Heater Claim (Notes & Will of Solomon Heater), 9 leaves manuscript photocopy

14. Caroline Heater vs. U.S. (Testimony...) Nov 30, 1872, 88 leaves, manuscript photocopy (see also 8a)

15. Caroline Heater vs. U.S. (Testimony of L.T. Moore) Jan 13, 1873, 17 leaves manuscript photocopy

16. Heater Claim (summary report) Feb. 1873, 3 leaves manuscript photocopy

17. Amended Petition Dec 21, 1874, 2 leaves manuscript and print, photocopy

18. Heater Claim (Release of Excess over \$10,000) April 15, 1874, 2 leaves manuscript photocopy

19. Claim of Caroline Heater (Additional Testimony: Converse, Larrick, Owen & Hottel) Sept. 29, 1875, 19 leaves manuscript photocopy

20. Comm of Claims (James Ginn statement on loyalty) Nov 19, 1875, 1 leaf manuscript photocopy
21. Heater Claim (Deposition of John M. Miller) Nov 23, 1875, 7 leaves photocopy, print and manuscript
22. Mrs. Heater vs. U.S. (Report of Special Agent) Nov 30, 1875, 18 leaves manuscript photocopy
23. Heater vs. U.S. (Argument: C.S. Bundy, Counsel for Claimant) Nov 27, 1875, 8 leaves printed photocopy
24. Caroline Heater vs. U.S. (Report of Special Agent, H.W. Chilton) Oct. 16, 1877, 8 leaves manuscript photocopy
25. Heater vs. U.S. (Title to Property: Bundy on Alleged Defects) Oct. 24, 1877, 13 leaves manuscript photocopy
26. Heater Claim (Commissioner's "Summary Report") December 1879, 4 leaves manuscript photocopy
27. Estate of Caroline Heater vs. U.S. (Depositions: Chas. Heater, Mandy Elliot & F. Robinson) May 16, 1898, 18 leaves manuscript photocopy
28. Caroline Heater vs. U.S. (Claimant's reply: brief on Black Loyalty) June 4, 1900, 6 leaves typed photocopy
29. Petition: Chas. W. Heater vs. U.S. March 11, 1901, 2 leaves printed/typed photocopy
30. Est. of Caroline Heater vs. U.S. (Testimony of Wm. W. Hottel) March 22, 1901, 26 leaves, manuscript and typed, photocopy, 12 page 3x5 notepad
31. Heater vs. U.S. (Defendant's brief on Merits) June 1, 1901, 4 leaves typed photocopy
32. Caroline Heater vs. U.S. (Defendant's brief on Loyalty) June 4, 1900, 6 leaves typed photocopy
33. Chas. Heater, Adm. Vs. U.S. (Amended Petition) June 7, 1901, 5 leaves manuscript typed photocopy
34. Est. of C. Heater vs. U.S. (Death of claimant) June 7, 1901, 2 leaves manuscript photocopy
35. Caroline Heater vs. U.S. (Deposition of Richard Welch & others) July 31, 1888, 11 leaves manuscript photocopy
36. Est. of C. Heater vs. U.S. (Ct. of Claims: "Findings of Fact") Dec 11, 1901, 3 leaves typed photocopy, 1 leaf print and manuscript

BOX 14 Battle of Cedar Creek & the Civil War

1. "With Sheridan Up the Shenandoah Valley in 1864" – J.E. Taylor, 113 leaves, photocopy, photos & manuscript
2. History of the 8th Regt Vermont Vols. (1861-1865), 22 leaves, photocopy of book
3. 1889 Jubal Early Correspondence, 8 leaves, manuscript, photocopy
4. Early, Jubal A. A Memoir of the Last Year of the War... (Toronto 1866), 32 leaves, print, photocopy

5. Humphrey, M. "Recollections of the Battle of Cedar Creek," 25 leaves, manuscript, photocopy
6. Memoirs of Philip Sheridan, 26 leaves, print, photocopy
7. Gordon, Gen. John Brown, Reminiscences of the Civil War, 3 leaves, manuscript (4x6), 1 map 16.5 x 14"
8. Forbes, George D. Diary (July 29-Nov 17, 1864), 17 leaves, typed photocopy
9. Key, Jefferson Ray...Shen. Valley 1864 (Battle of Cedar Creek), 64 leaves, typed, photocopy
10. Hotchkiss, Maps-Battle of Belle Grove, 6 maps, 5 4x6" cards, 5 maps, 4 leaves typed photocopy, 4 leaves manuscript
11. Hatton, Clarence R. "The Great Battle of Cedar Creek" 1906, 3 leaves, print & photocopy
12. McNeilly, Capt. J.S. "Battle of Cedar Creek" 1904, 8 leaves printed photocopy
13. M, C.S. "The Battle of Cedar Creek" 1888, 3 leaves printed photocopy
14. St. Thomas Church vs. U.S. (Congr. 11,684: U.S. Court of Claims 1904), 84 leaves, photocopy, 1 letter, print, manuscript, and typescript
15. "Cedar Creek" by J.R. Black and related items, 1 printed book, poem "Cedar Creek", 1 letter typed, 2 newspaper pages photocopy
16. Ramseur Monument Dedication 1920, 1 program, 4 pages newspaper
17. Civil War Reminiscences – Shull Family, 24 leaves typed original
18. Projectile Key: Conf. Wounded NT. 72.30.01, 1 leaf manuscript
19. 1866 Report of Operations Maj. Gen. Fremont 1862, 1 leaf manuscript original, 21 leaves photocopy
20. Oct 15, 1889 Thomas Carter to Major Sam. J.C. Moore, 6 leaves typed photocopy
21. Military Pass 1865, 1 military pass, one leaf, manuscript
22. Cedar Creek Graphics, 17 mounted pages, 3 photos of Belle Grove, 1 map, 2 leaves typed Battle of Cedar Creek, 3 photos of Ramseur, 1 leaf print
23. Agreement for loan of U.S. Army Material 1986, 2 leaves printed and typescript
24. Battle of Cedar Creek, 42 leaves original (troops), 18 photocopies, 18 original leaves, 21 leaves photocopies of notes, 1 bullet
25. Confederate Money, 4 Confederate Bills
26. Lord Alfred A. – Co. E, 90th New York Volunteer Infantry Regiment, 16 leaves, printed/manuscript (photocopy)
27. Autographed letter signed by "E. B. Stratton" (Union Soldier), December 4, 1864 at Camp Russell, letter to

Dr. Blanchard describing camp life, memories, and the Battle of Cedar Creek Condition: expectable toning, some stains, especially on back page – BG 2010.4.4, 1 leaf, manuscript/3 leaves, typescript

28. Magee's Broadside/Song Sheet: The Battle of Cedar Creek, Virginia, circa 1863, printed in Philadelphia, unknown author. Condition: slightly toned, otherwise mint – BG 2010.4.3, 1 leaf, printed

29. Small Lithograph – The Battle of Cedar Creek with poem, late 19th Century Condition: some edge toning and proper left margin tears – BG 2010.4.2, 1 leaf, printed

30. "Belle Grove Plantation in the Civil War" by Wayne Sulfridge; 1 item, 40 pages, printed

31. Artwork

Shenandoah Sunrise, Cedar Creek, Virginia October 19, 1864 – BG 2010.3 Unframed lithographic print, #270/500, circa 1993, 23x33", by artist Mort Kunstler, signed by artist on the day of issue
Sheridan's Final Charge at Winchester, Virginia, later 19th Century, American Lithographic Company, BG 2010.4.6

Sheridan's Final Charge at Winchester, chromolithograph by Louis Prang of Boston, 1885, BG 2011.3
The Battle of Cedar Creek, Virginia Currier and Ives lithograph: BG 2010.4.1 (on back of lithograph is a handwritten list of previous owner, 1865-1915)

Physical Location: Map Case 4, Drawer 3

BOX 15

1. News clippings, interior of Belle Grove during a tour, 2007 (18 items)

2. Diary (1929-62): F.W. Hunnewell (1 item)

3. Hite Scrapbook – photocopies of family photos, court record and family notes- focused on Isaac Hite and Eleanor Eltinge, numbered pages

BOX 16

1. Harmony Hall- archaeological survey Feb 2000

2. "An Archaeological Assessment of the Proposed Belle Grove Stable Complex Site" January 2001, Prepared by Clarence R. Geier & Jennifer Zienty, James Madison University

3. "Microscopical Paint and Color Analysis" January 2001, Prepared by Welsh Color & Conservation, Inc. of Bryn Mawr, PA. Sampled by Frank Welsh

4. Harmony Hall Brochure and News Articles, one item, brochure (1935), printed

5. Belle Grove Plantation and Harmony Hall: Data Contributing to a master site plan, Volume 1: Historical Context, Site History, and Recommendations, CD

BOX 17

1. The Belle Grove Plantation Cookbook 1986, 263 printed pages

2. Booklet letters from Belle Grove: An edited collection of Hite Family papers, from the Archives of Handley Regional Library & the Virginia Historical Society; Volume I: The Private Papers of Major Isaac Hite, Jr.,

unnumbered typescript

3. Volume II; The Private Papers of Nelly Conway Madison & Ann Tunstall Maury Hite
4. Volume III; The Public Papers of Major Isaac Hite, Jr., unnumbered typescript
5. Volume IV; The Financial Papers of Major Isaac Hite, Jr., unnumbered typescript
6. Belle Grove – news clipping, unnumbered items, printed, photocopy
7. Belle Grove – Newsletter, 1981, 1982, 1999
8. Hite Children of Honolulu, ancestry of 10 leaves, manuscript (photocopy)
9. Hite, John, Genealogy of, 21.5 x 28, unnumbered leaves, transcript (photocopy)
10. Women of Belle Grove, 1783-1851 by Katherine L. Brown, 2007, transcript (unnumbered pages)

BOX 18

Isaac Hite Personal Letters, 1835-1860, manuscript, unnumbered items

BOX 19

Belle Grove: A Historic Structure Report – March 1996, contains photos, 245 leaves

BOX 20

1. Scrapbook of Belle Grove events, April, 1967- July, 1971
2. Watercolor of flowers in a vase by Ann Hite c.1849, one item
3. “Treasures from Belle Grove’s Collection: Gifts from the Hite Family”, 2 items

BOX 21

1. Belle Grove Farm Craft Day Brochure – July 19-20, n.d., 1 item, printed
 2. Bowman, Isaac – History of the Title to his Homestead, Mount Pleasant, 2 leaves, typescript
 3. Bowman Coat of Arms Certification and “Who Were Your Ancestor Brochure – 2 leaves, printed, 1 item, printed
 4. Hite Family Cemetery at Long Meadow – 6 pages, printed
 5. Hull, Elisha, Will of – 2 pages, manuscript
 6. Receipts – 1835-1856, 8 items, manuscript
- Sales, March, 1843
-- Whole cost of graveyard, Dec. 24, 1845

- Receipt, 1835
- Receipt from John Coolly, March 18, 1848
- Receipt from J.W. Wright, n.d.
- Acct. of money, 1850
- Receipt from George Fox, n.d.
- Receipt from Alexandria, n.d.

7. St. Thomas Church, Vestry of – 1 leaf, typescript

8. Enslaved Community of Belle Grove- “Abba and Indian Harry” by Wayne Sulfridge, 2017, 3 leaves, typescript

9. Enslaved Community of Belle Grove Plantation, unnumbered items, printed
Articles about enslaved people of Belle Grove Plantation published in a monthly newsletter on Belle Grove Plantation website.

BOX 22

Isaac Hite’s Commonplace Book, 1819-1847 [Digitized]

BOX 23

Budget Documents, 1971-1977

Meetings and reports, 1971-1977

Membership

National Trust for Historic Preservation – Policies and Procedures, c1976

PHOTOGRAPHS

- [890-001]** Isaac Hite, Jr., grandson of Jost Hite and builder of Belle Grove. Painting by Charles Peale Polk, circa 1796 or 1797.
- [890-002]** Belle Grove Plantation, house, outbuildings, fields, etc., as seen from Valley Pike [Route 11]. Historical note across bottom of print, 1885.
- [890-003]** Cedar Creek Battlefield, showing Belle Grove main house and barn in the distance. Man with bowler hat, center, identified as John B. Oakley, a Union veteran captured at the Battle of Cedar Creek; the others are believed to be fellow veterans, circa 1900.
- [890-004]** The Brumback children at Belle Grove, taken when the Brumback family owned the property (between 1907 and 1929). Eldon (left) and Ellen (right) as toddlers, circa 1920s.
- [890-005]** The Brumback children at Belle Grove, taken when the Brumback family owned the property (between 1907 and 1929). Eldon (left) and Ellen (right) circa ages 6-8, circa 1920s.
- [890-006]** The Brumback children at Belle Grove, taken when the Brumback family owned the property (between 1907 and 1929). Eldon with dog, circa 1920s.
- [890-007]** The Brumback children at Belle Grove, taken when the Brumback family owned the property (between 1907 and 1929). Three children (presumably Eldon, Ellen, and another) with a dog and a cat, circa 1920s.
- [890-008]** The Brumback children at Belle Grove, taken when the Brumback family owned the property (between 1907 and 1929). Eldon with chickens, circa 1920s.

- [890-009] The Brumback children at Belle Grove, taken when the Brumback family owned the property (between 1907 and 1929). Ellen (with doll), Eldon, a "friend" and Malcolm [Brumback?] by outdoor pump. "Dad at door of well house," circa 1920s.
- [890-010] Four former owners of Belle Grove Plantation, at the foot of the steps to the main house. Identified (left to right) as Arnold Hunnewell, Louisa Hunnewell, Ray Gott, and J. Herbert Brumback, May 1967.
- [890-011] Belle Grove Plantation, house, outbuildings, fields, etc. One of a set of 10 detail views of original taken Sept 1885; copies made 2/14/2000.
- [890-012] Belle Grove Plantation, house, outbuildings, fields, etc. One of a set of 10 detail views of original taken Sept 1885; copies made 2/14/2000.
- [890-013] Belle Grove Plantation, house, outbuildings, fields, etc. One of a set of 10 detail views of original taken Sept 1885; copies made 2/14/2000.
- [890-014] Belle Grove Plantation, house, outbuildings, fields, etc. One of a set of 10 detail views of original taken Sept 1885; copies made 2/14/2000.
- [890-015] Belle Grove Plantation, house, outbuildings, fields, etc. One of a set of 10 detail views of original taken Sept 1885; copies made 2/14/2000.
- [890-016] Belle Grove Plantation, house, outbuildings, fields, etc. One of a set of 10 detail views of original taken Sept 1885; copies made 2/14/2000.
- [890-017] Belle Grove Plantation, house, outbuildings, fields, etc. One of a set of 10 detail views of original taken Sept 1885; copies made 2/14/2000.
- [890-018] Belle Grove Plantation, house, outbuildings, fields, etc. One of a set of 10 detail views of original taken Sept 1885; copies made 2/14/2000.
- [890-019] Belle Grove Plantation, house, outbuildings, fields, etc. One of a set of 10 detail views of original taken Sept 1885; copies made 2/14/2000.
- [890-020] Belle Grove Plantation, house, outbuildings, fields, etc. One of a set of 10 detail views of original taken Sept 1885; copies made 2/14/2000.
- [890-021] Lease for a year, Hans Yost Height (Hite) to John Pawling. Signed, sealed and witnessed, January 8, 1730.
- [890-022] Typewritten transcript of Lease for a year, Hans Yost Height (Hite) to John Pawling, January 8, 1730.
- [890-023] Isaac Hite Jr. house, known as "Belle Grove". Rear view, circa 3rd quarter 20th century.
- [890-024] House interior, decorated for Christmas. Found in a batch of Belle Grove photographs, but not Belle Grove. Woman has been tentatively identified as Madeline Stewart, member of Old Fredericktown Garden Club and other Winchester-Frederick County organizations, circa 1990s.