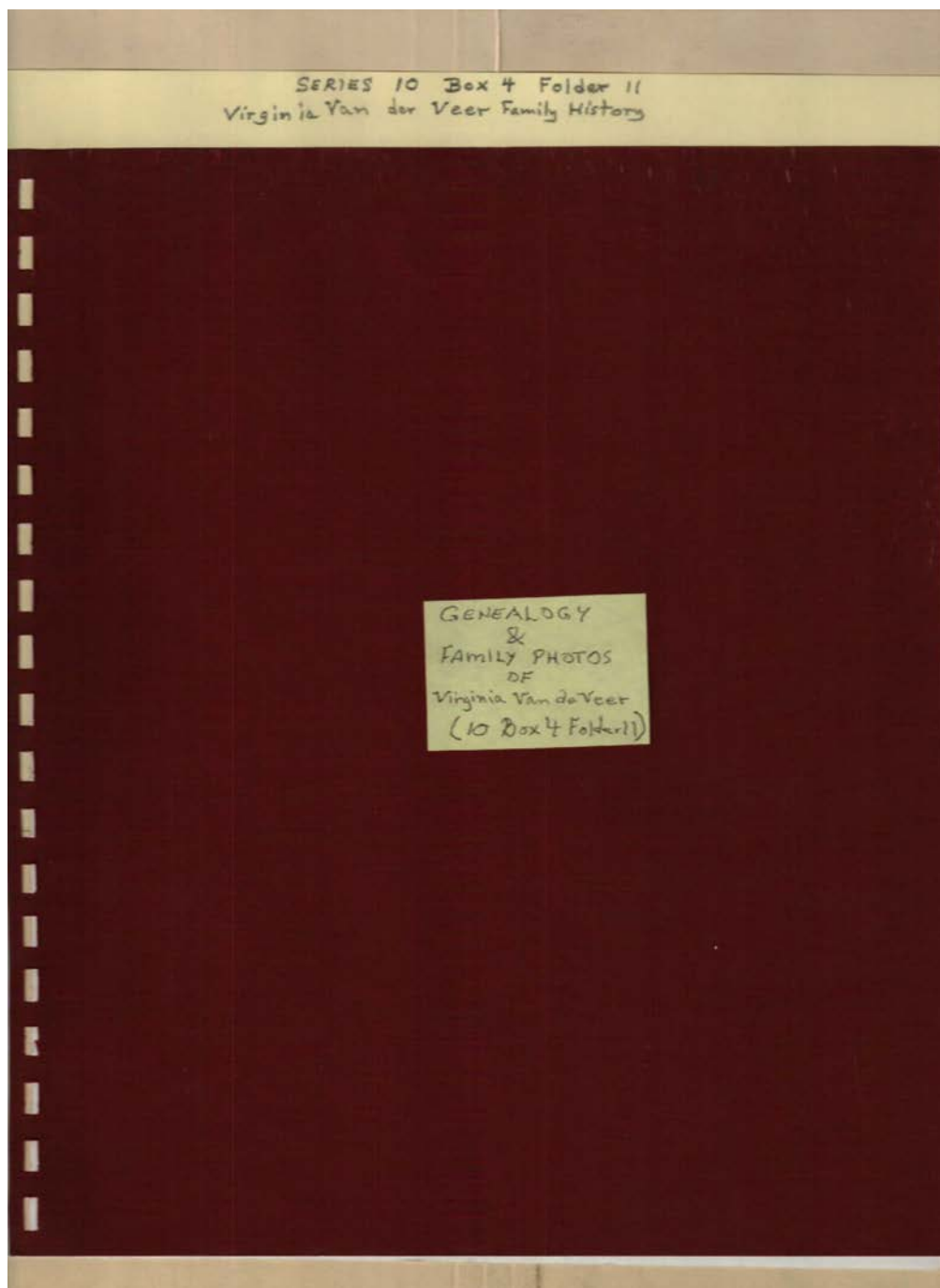


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Names:

Van de Veer, Virginia

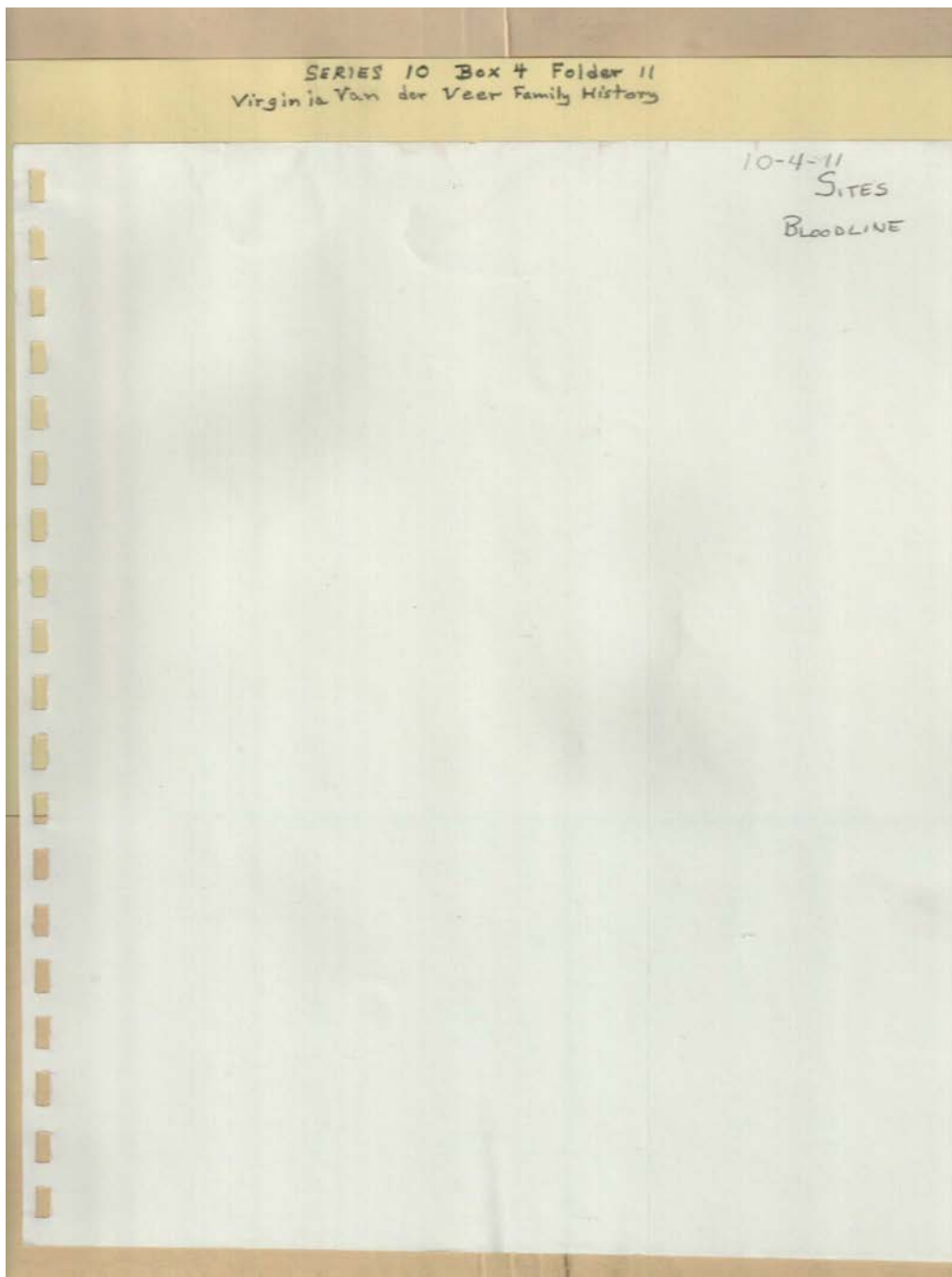
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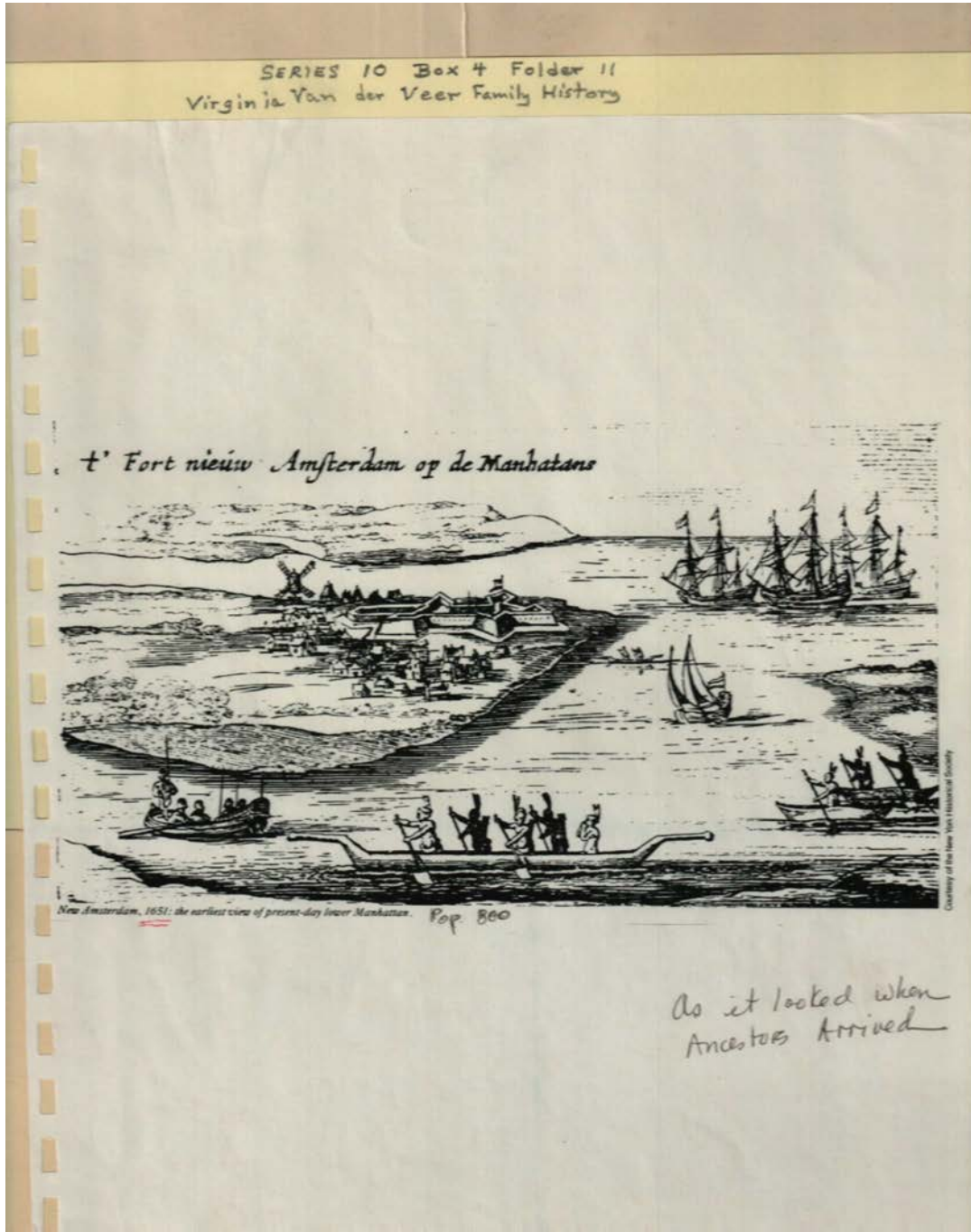


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de Mandeville, Jan

Types:

photograph

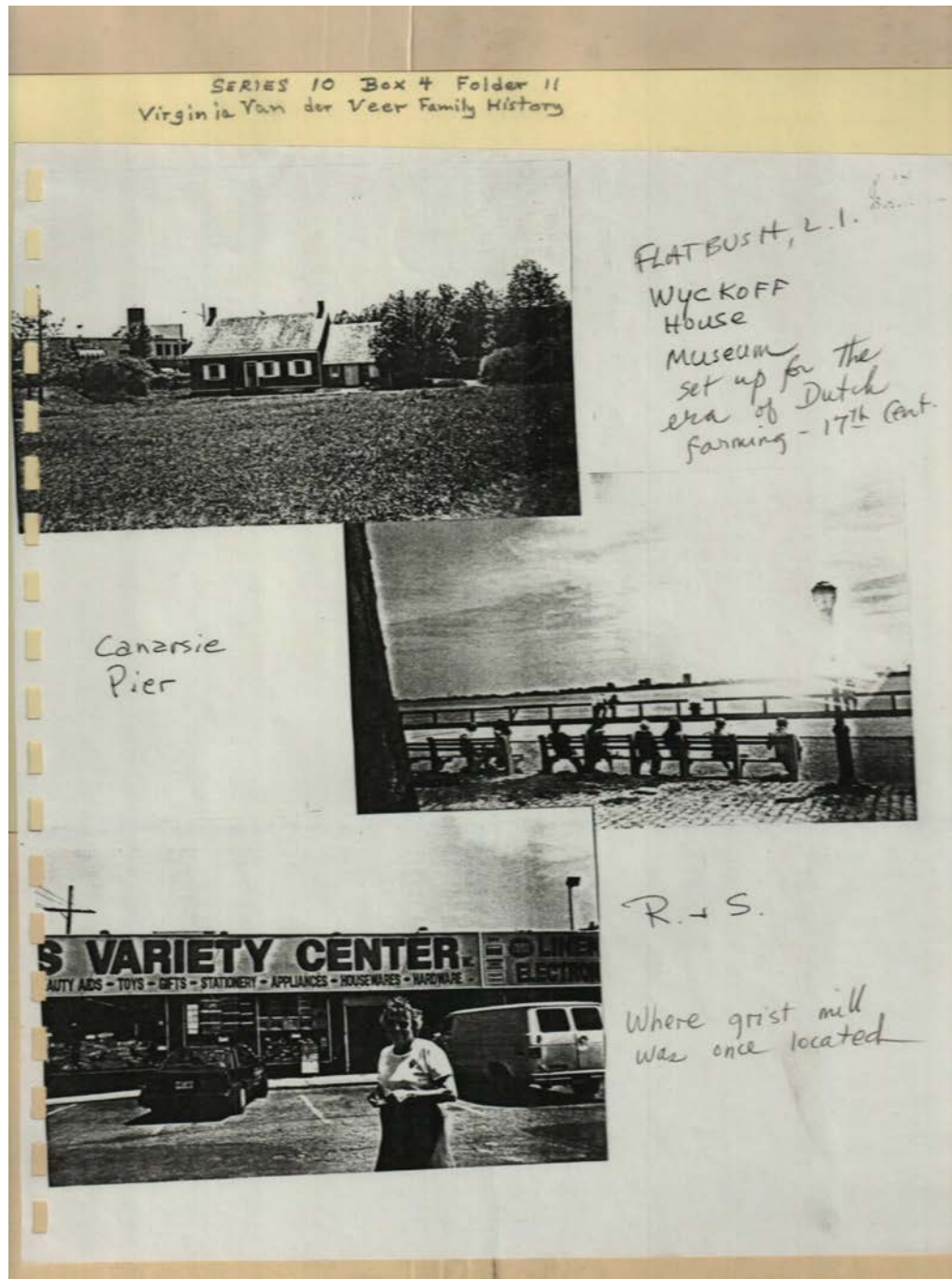


Names:

Manhattan as it
Looked

Types:

drawing



Names:

Wyckoff House
Museum

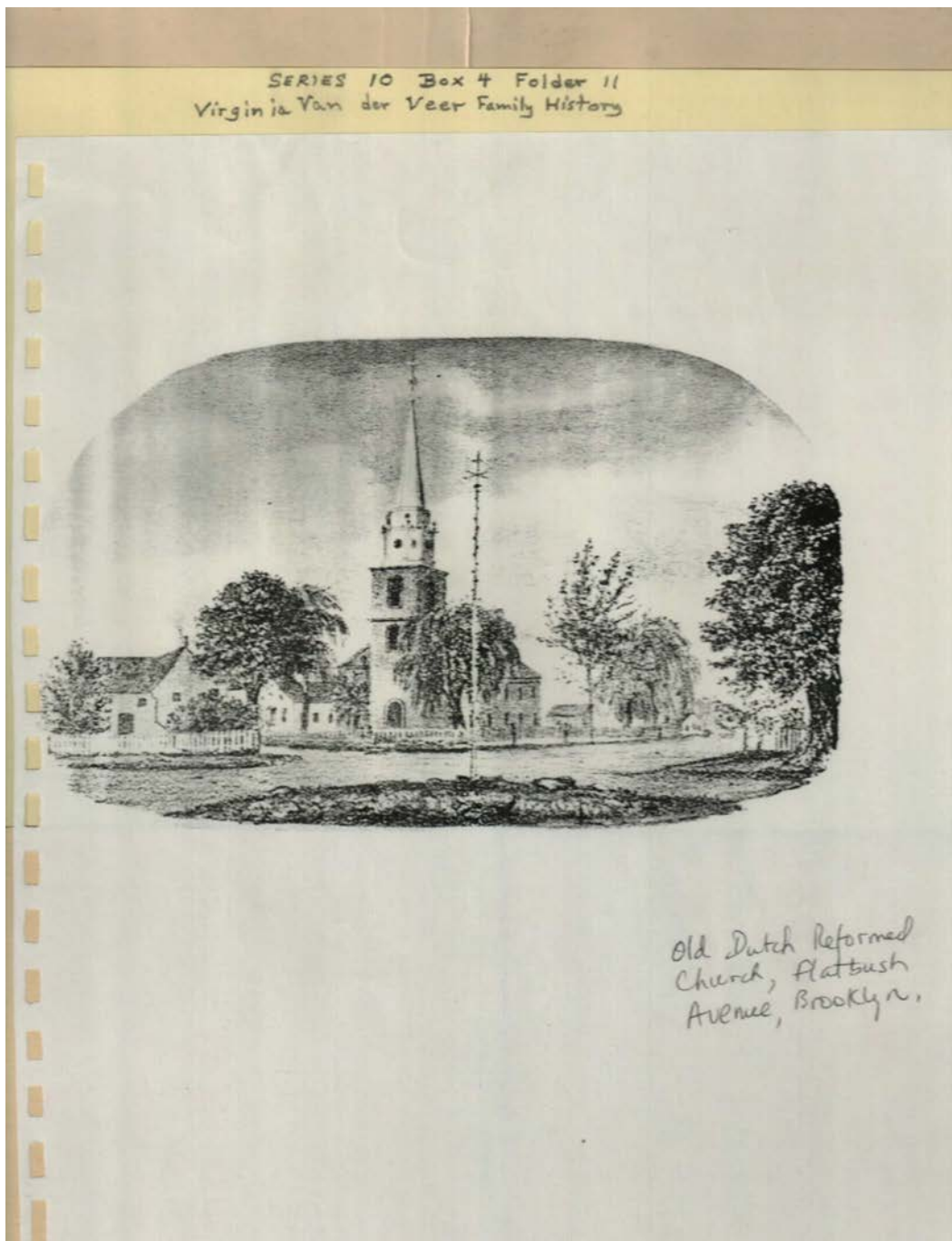
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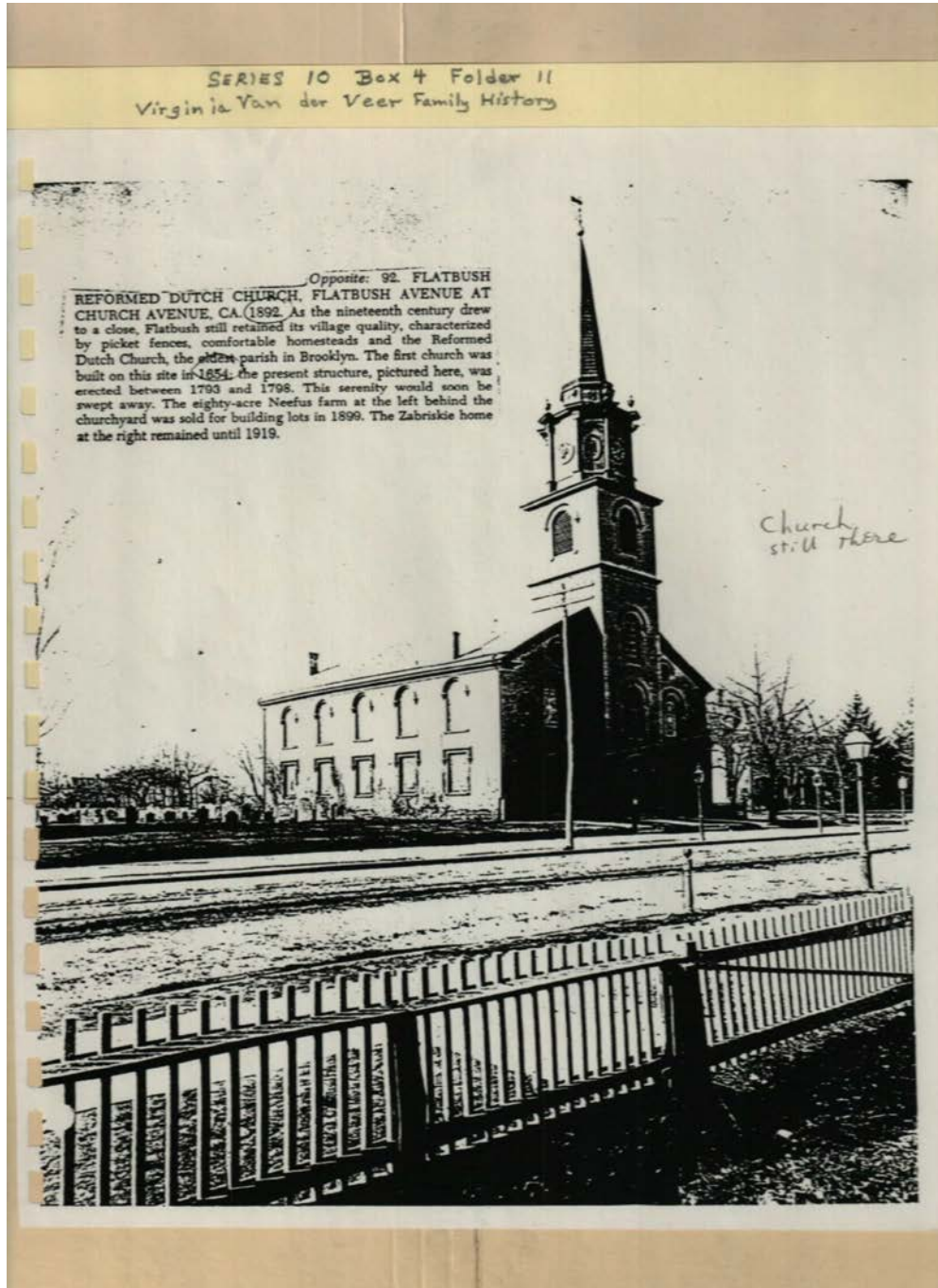
Old Dutch Reformed
Church

Places:

Brooklyn, NY

Types:

drawing



Names:

Flatbush Reformed
Dutch Church

Places:

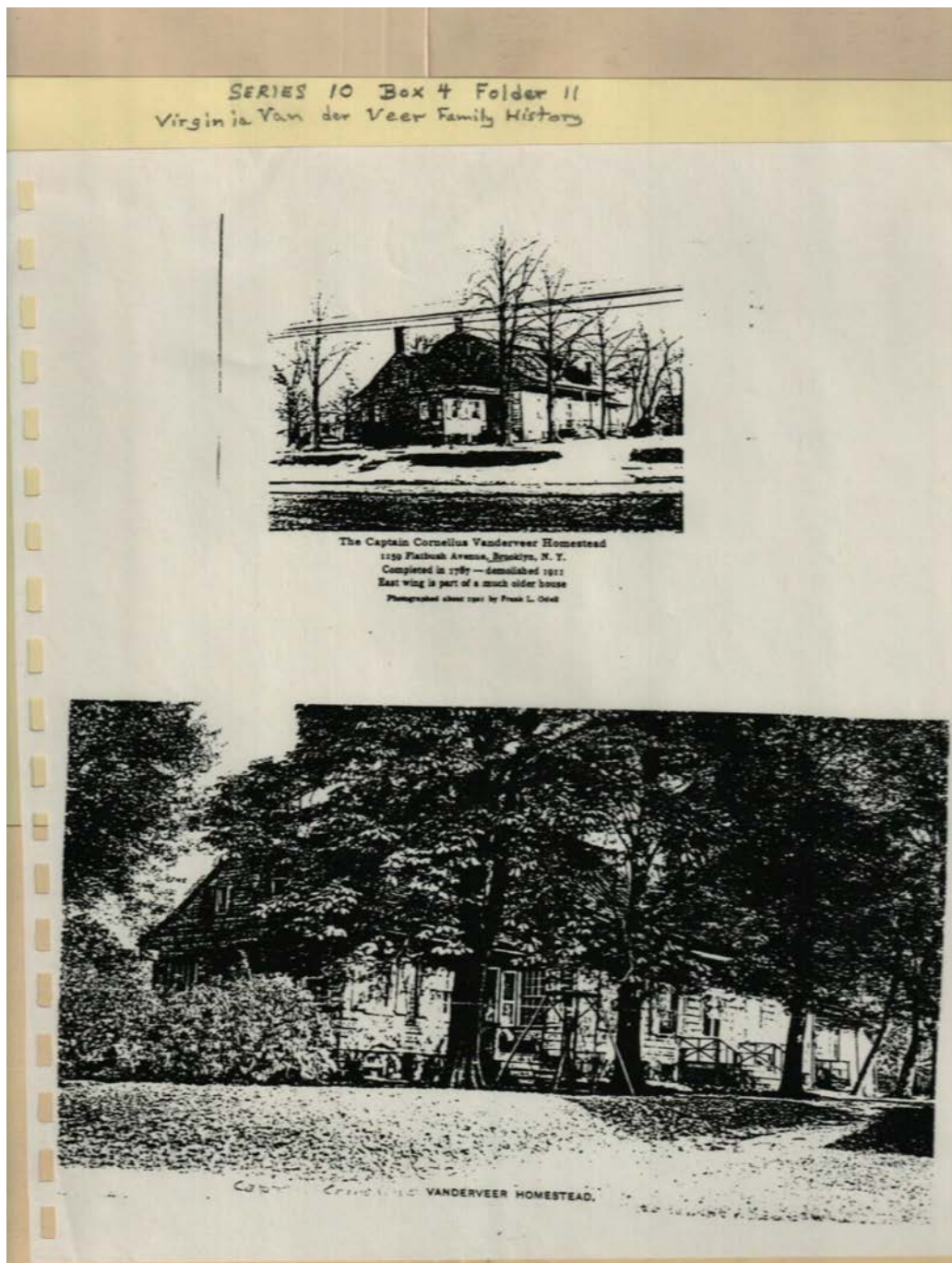
Brooklyn, NY

Types:

photograph

Dates:

1892



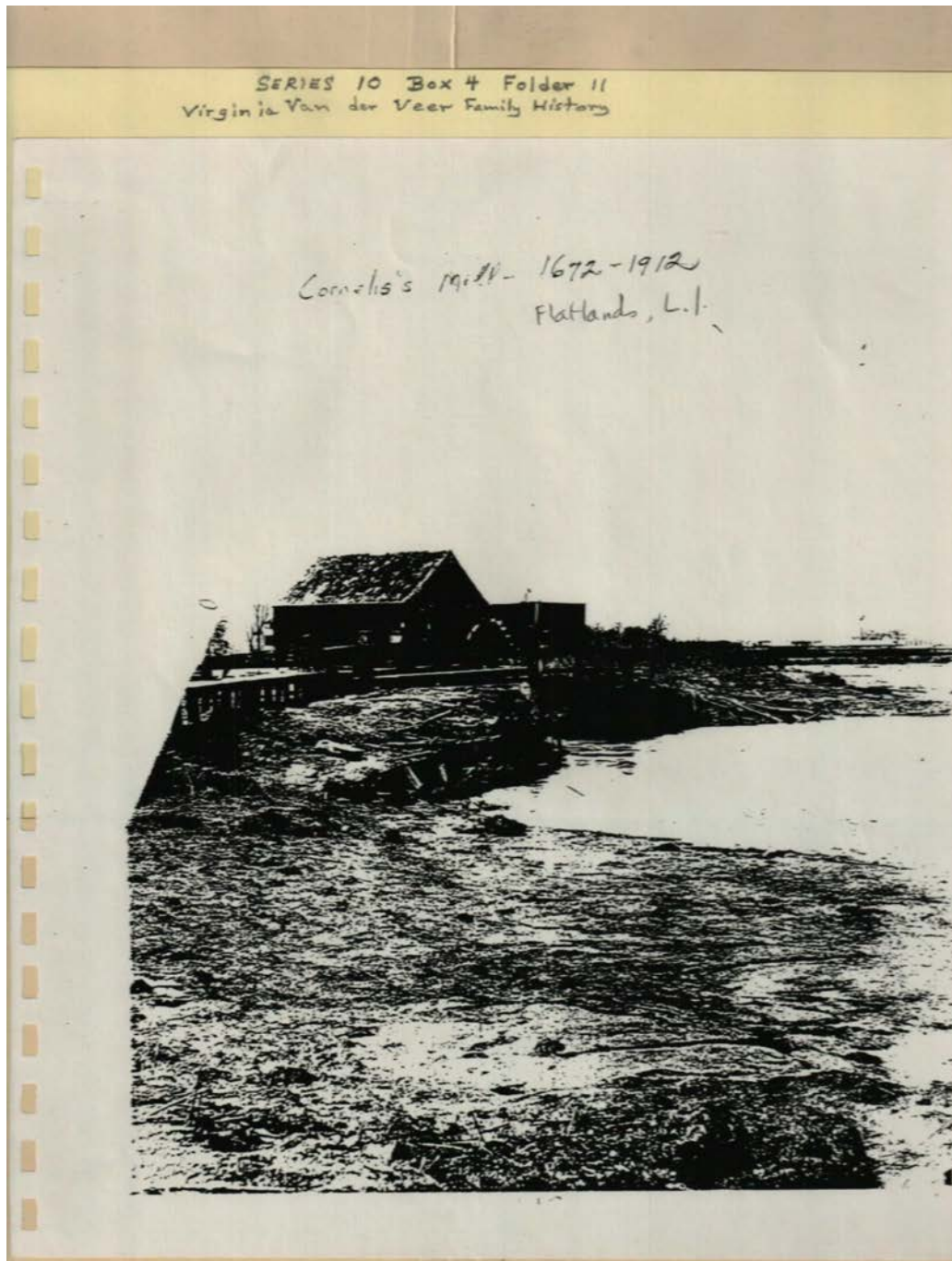
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Vanderveer
Homestead

Vanderveer,
Cornelius, Captain

Types:

photograph

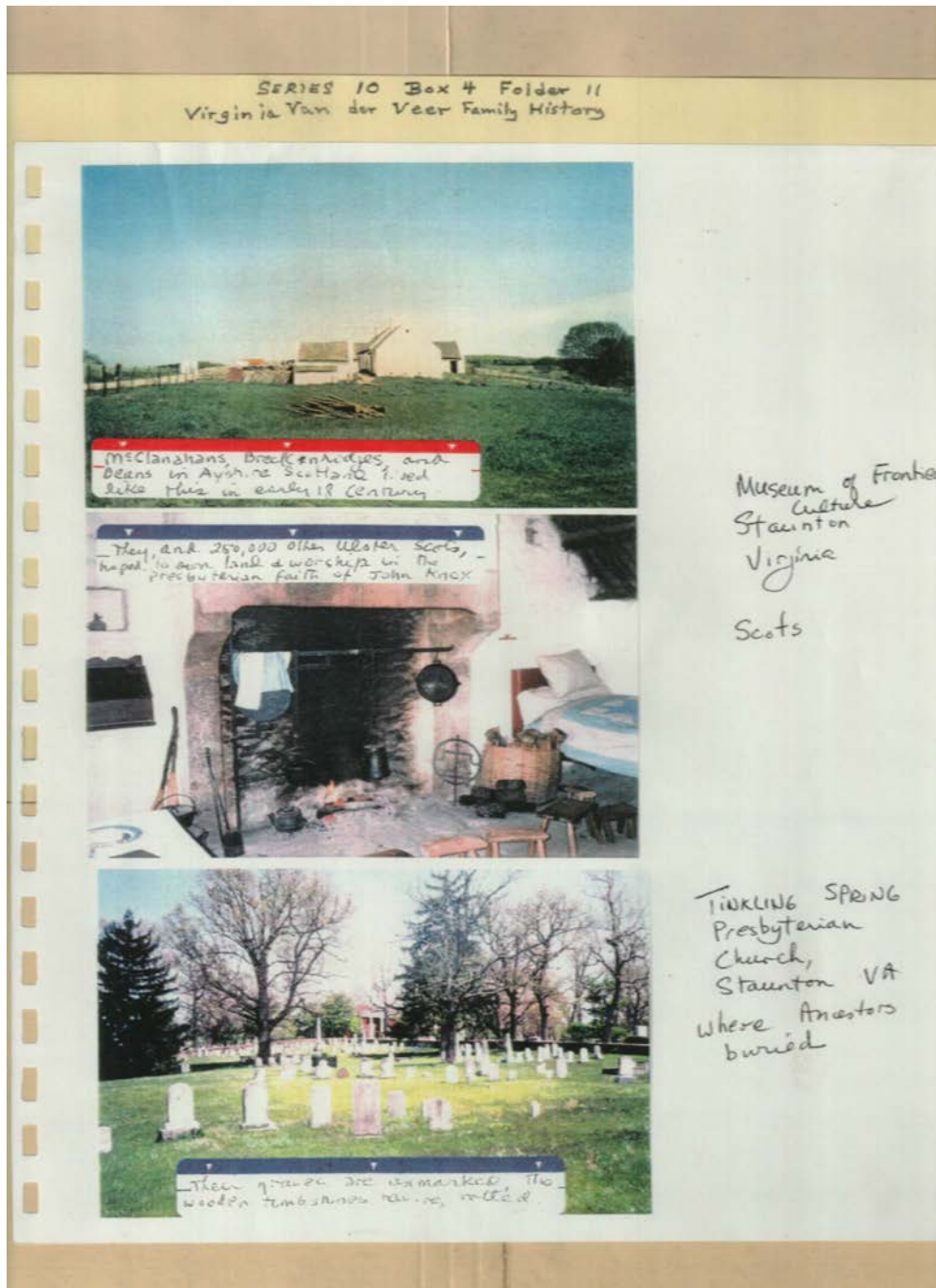


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Cornelis Mill

Types:

drawing



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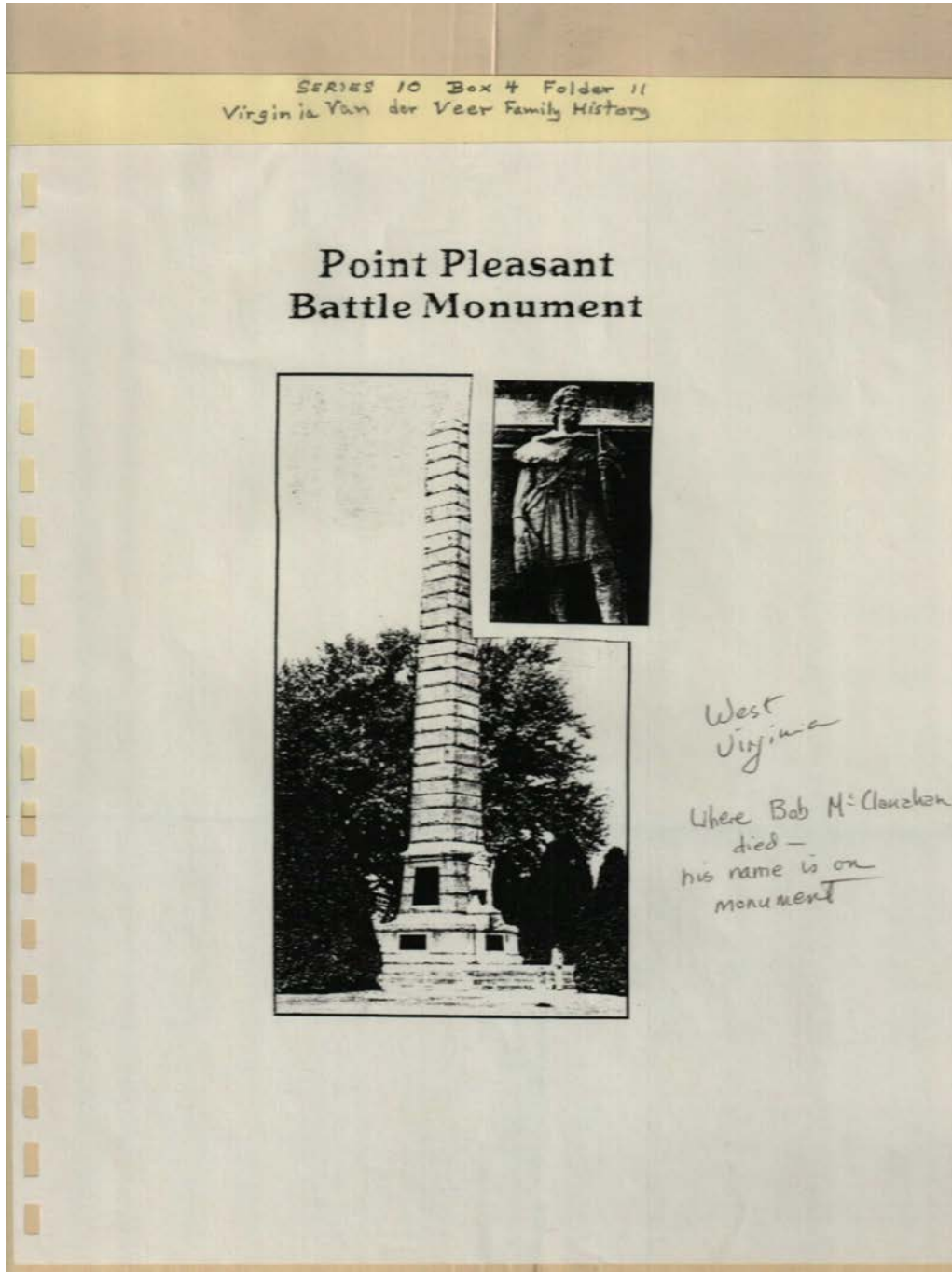
Museum of Frontier Culture

Places:

Staunton, VA

Types:

photograph



Names:

McClanahan, Bob

Point Pleasant Battle
Monument

Types:

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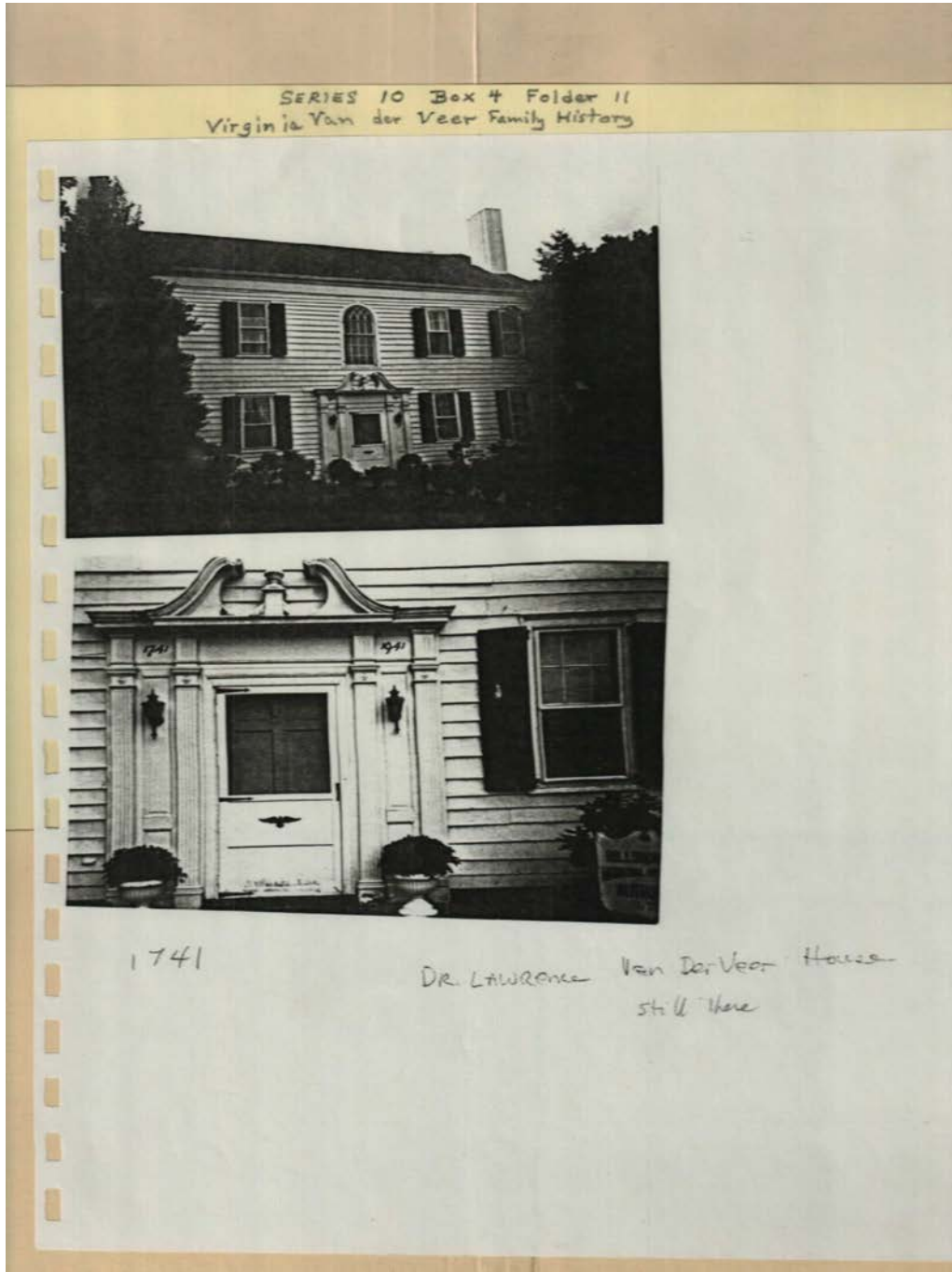
Ten Eyck-Van
Derveer House

Places:

New Jersey

Types:

drawing



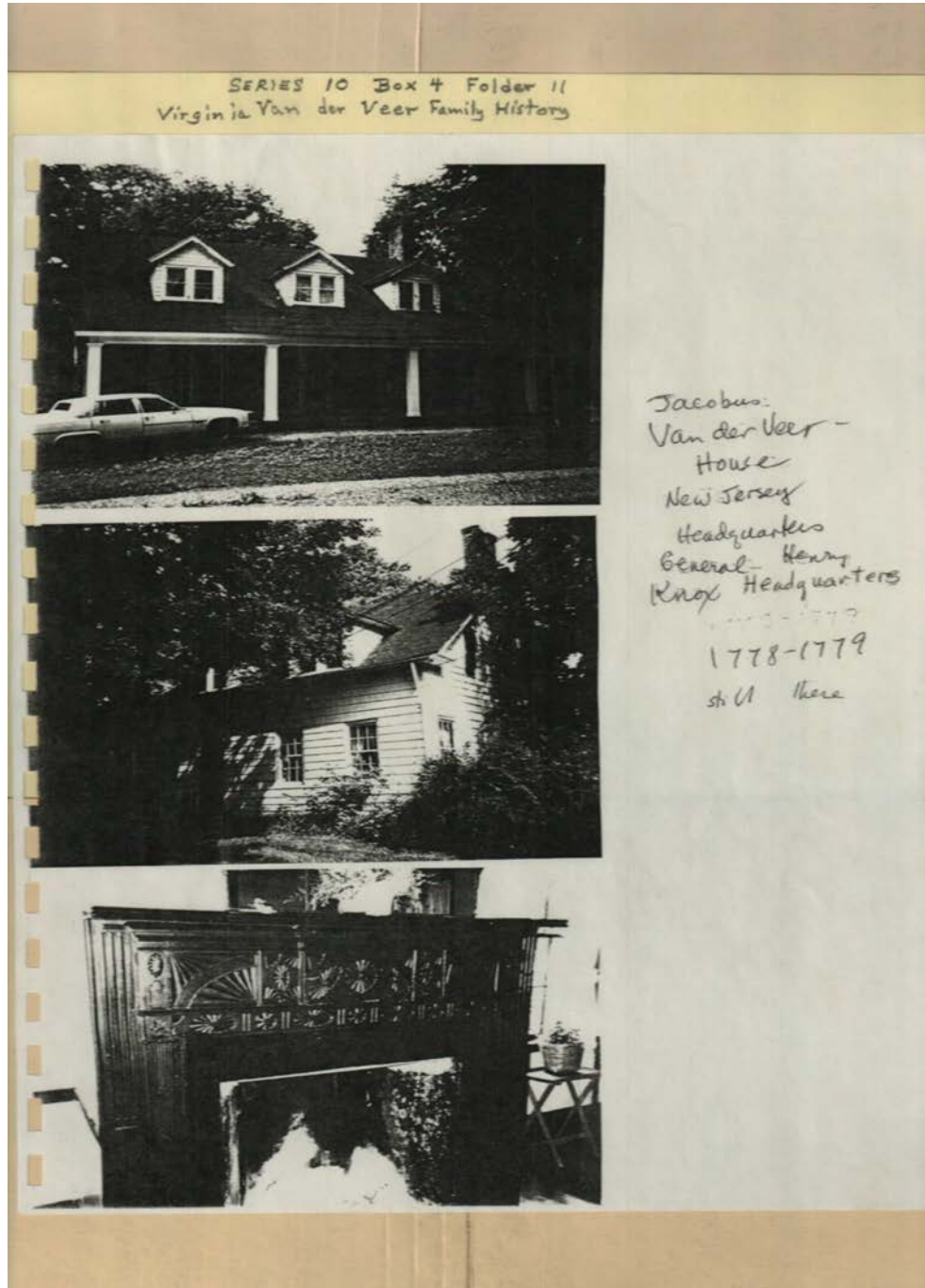
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Van de Veer,
Lawrence, Dr.

Van der Veer House

Types:

photograph



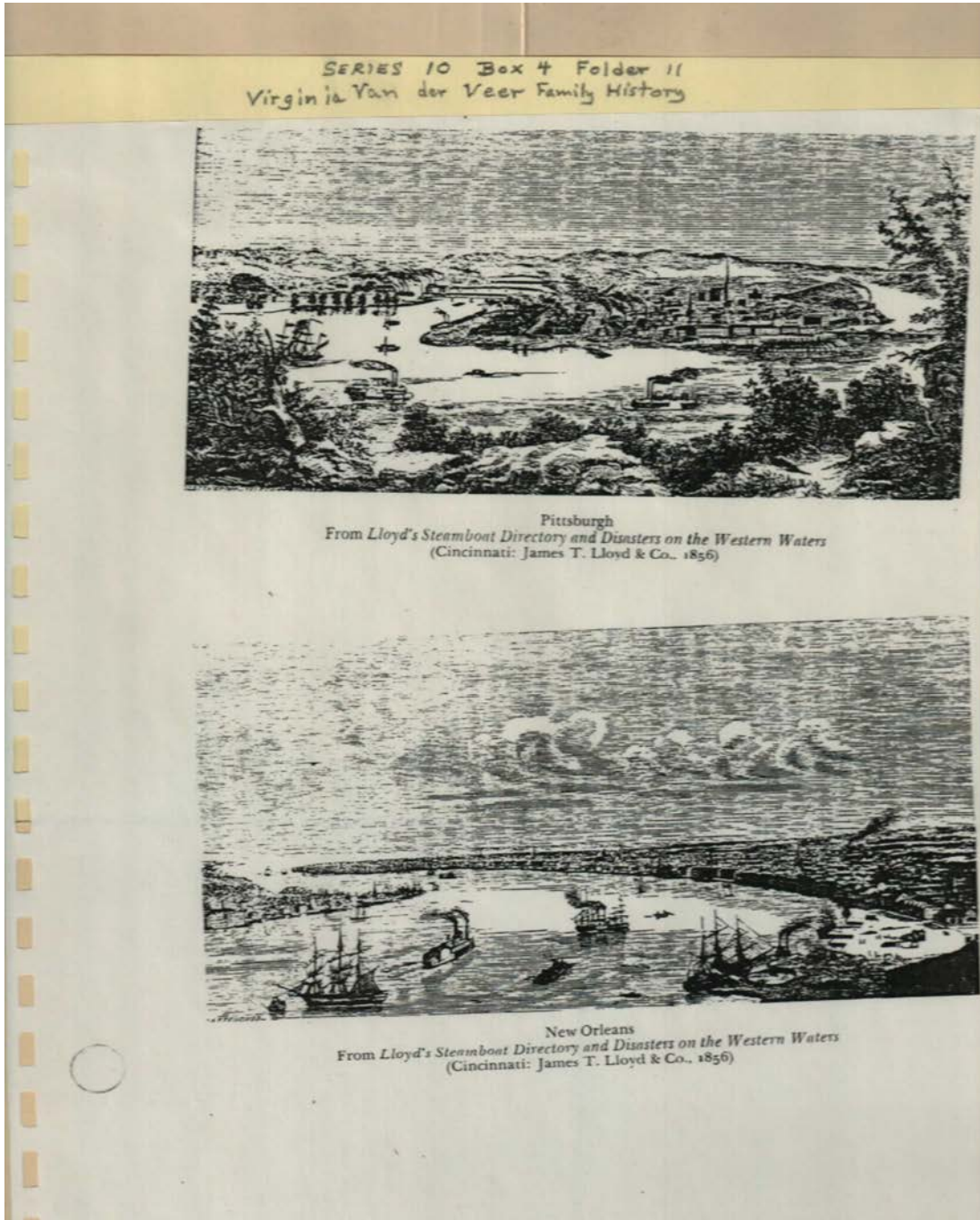
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Van der Veer House

Van der Veer, Jacobus
House

Types:

photograph



Names:

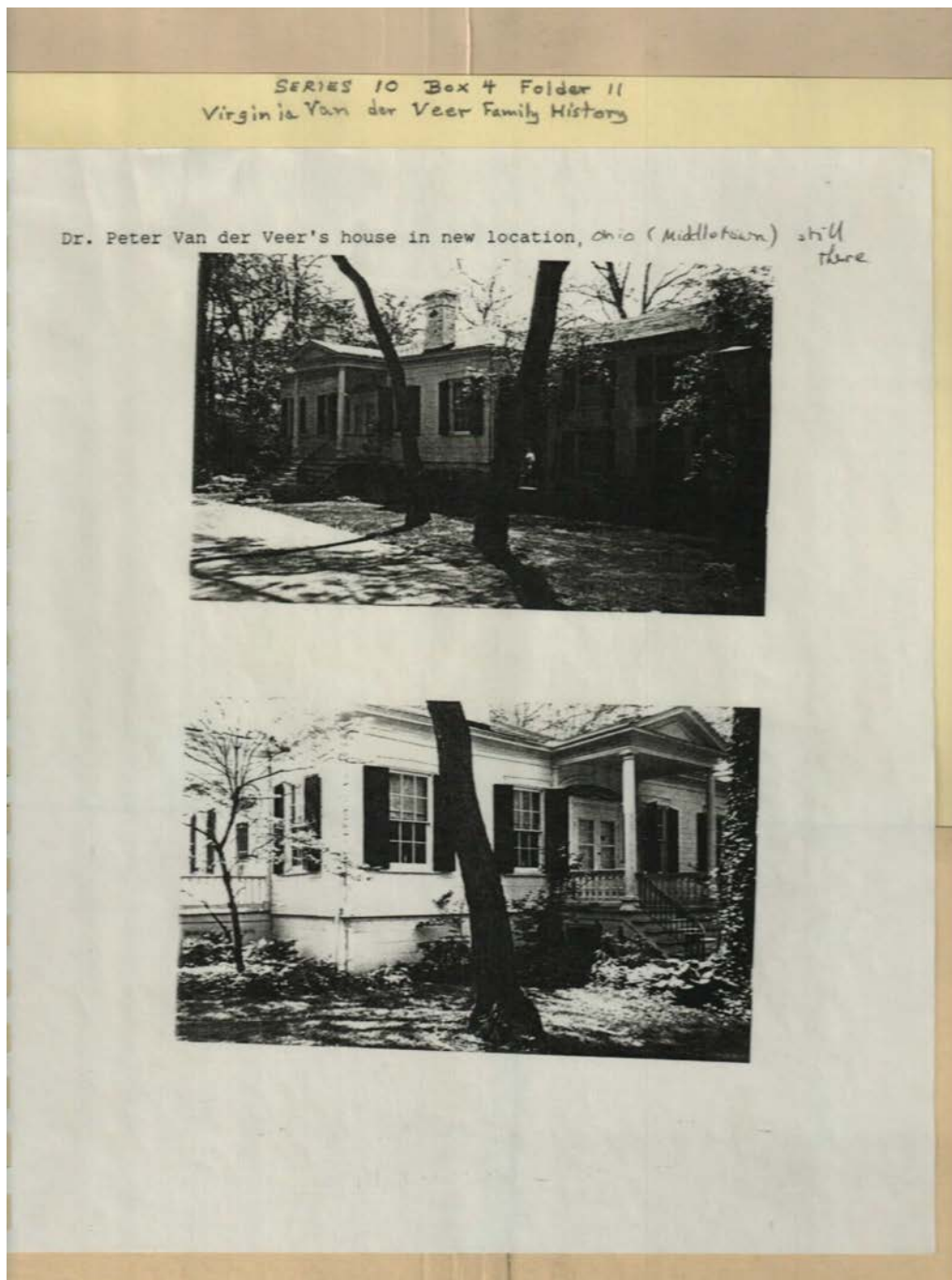
Lloyd, James T.

New Orleans

Pittsburgh

Types:

drawing



Names:

Van de Veer, Peter,
Dr.

Van der Veer House

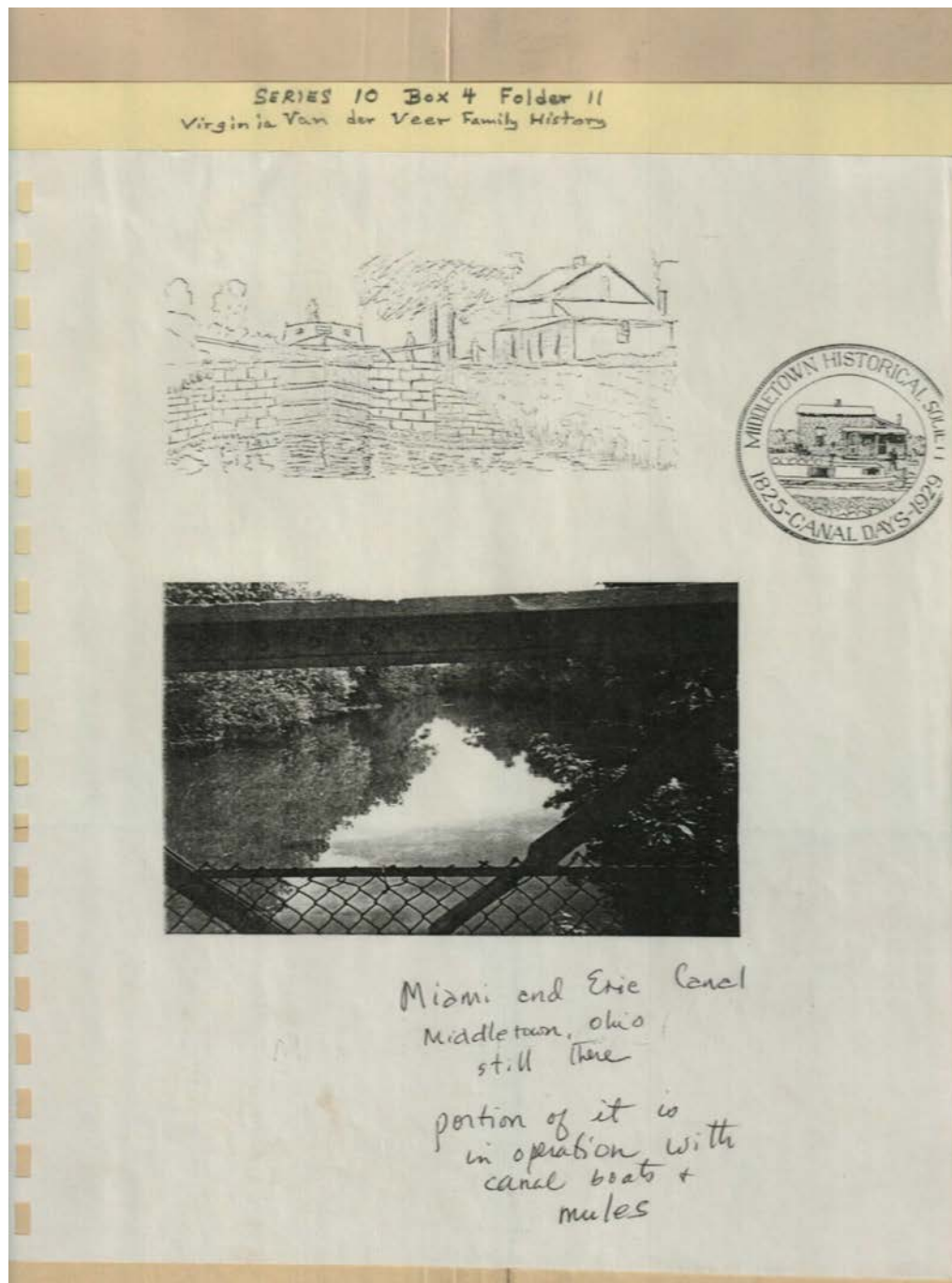
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Names:

Miami & Erie Canal

Places:

Middletown, OH

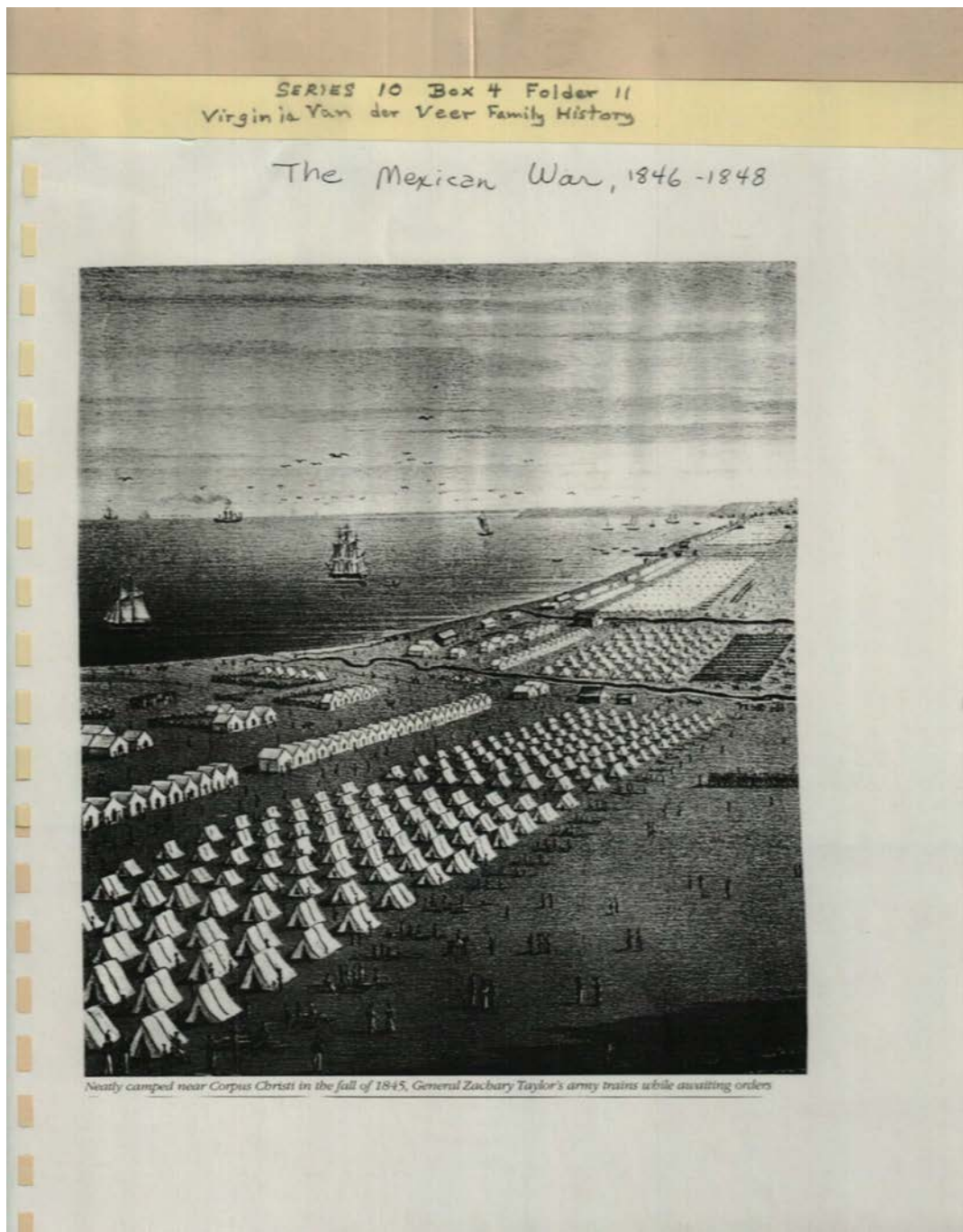
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Names:

Mexican War, 1846-
1848

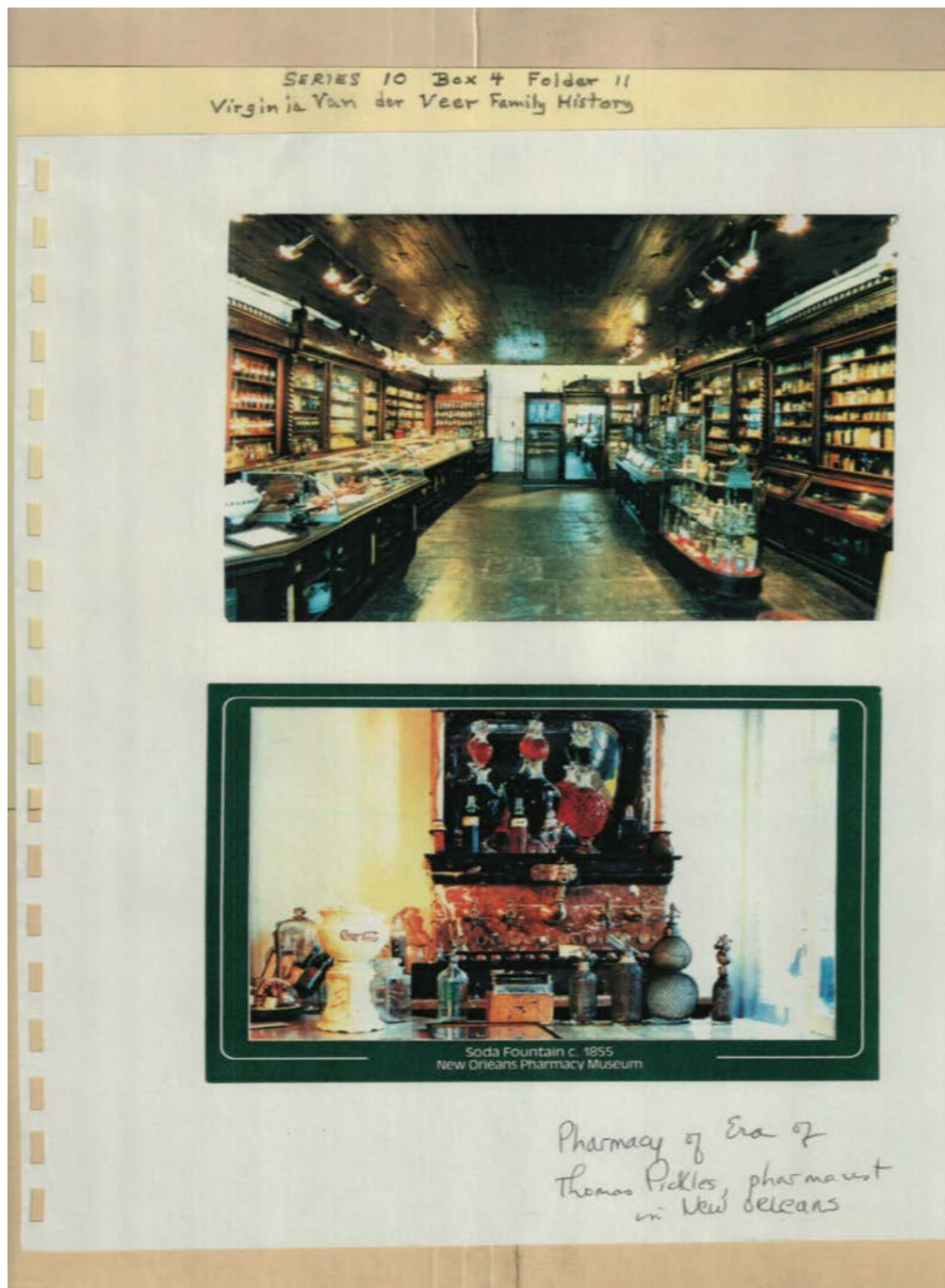
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Names:

Pharmacy

Pickles, Thomas

Types:

photograph

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Travel



LIVING IN HARMONY

In the early 1800s Bavarian immigrants, fleeing religious persecution, created oases of civilization in the American wilderness. The four towns they built are still models of order and beauty

BY WILLIAM BRYANT LOGAN



In Harmony, clockwise from above: Cemetery gate opens like two tablets on a central pivot. Bavarian Pietist George Rapp's son, Frederick, lived in this brick house. Barrel-vaulted wine cellar beneath the Harmony museum. Sophia, spiritual symbol, carved on museum lintel. In Economy, three views at right: Grapevines in the garden. Doorway of the Feast Hall. Figure of Harmony stands in a pavilion.

Leaving route 79 at Exit 27, not far from Pittsburgh, you drive directly into a typical suburban landscape: traffic lights, convenience stores, donor shops. Cars growl impatiently as they wait for the green. Buildings seem to have been thrown up hastily and haphazardly, like outsized versions of a Lego house built by a distracted child.

But when you make a right turn at the Chrysler dealership, go over a slight rise, and come to a four-way stop, the world slows down. At the crossroads two steep-roofed stucco houses—straight out of the Middle Ages—seem to lean over the road. Around the little town square more tall whitewashed buildings come right to the edge of the street with only the tiniest strip of sidewalk.

This is Harmony, half an hour from downtown Pittsburgh and almost two centuries into the American past. Here, in 1804, the Bavarian Pietist George Rapp brought several hundred followers to a 300-acre chunk of wilderness. Pittsburgh was still a squalid village when Rapp and his community—who called themselves Harmonists—laid out their town, orchard, and fields and built houses in the style of medieval Württemberg, their home town.

Rapp's Harmonists were one of several religious groups fleeing to America around the same time. The Shakers, persecuted in England for their beliefs, came first in 1774, followed in 1804 by the Pietists—Christians who wanted a direct and mys-

tical connection to God, unmediated by the Lutheran church. When they left southern Germany, where authorities sent them to jail for refusing to attend the state church, some went to Russia, but others came to America with the intent of creating heaven on earth.

In large measure they succeeded. They built four towns—Harmony and Economy in Penn- >

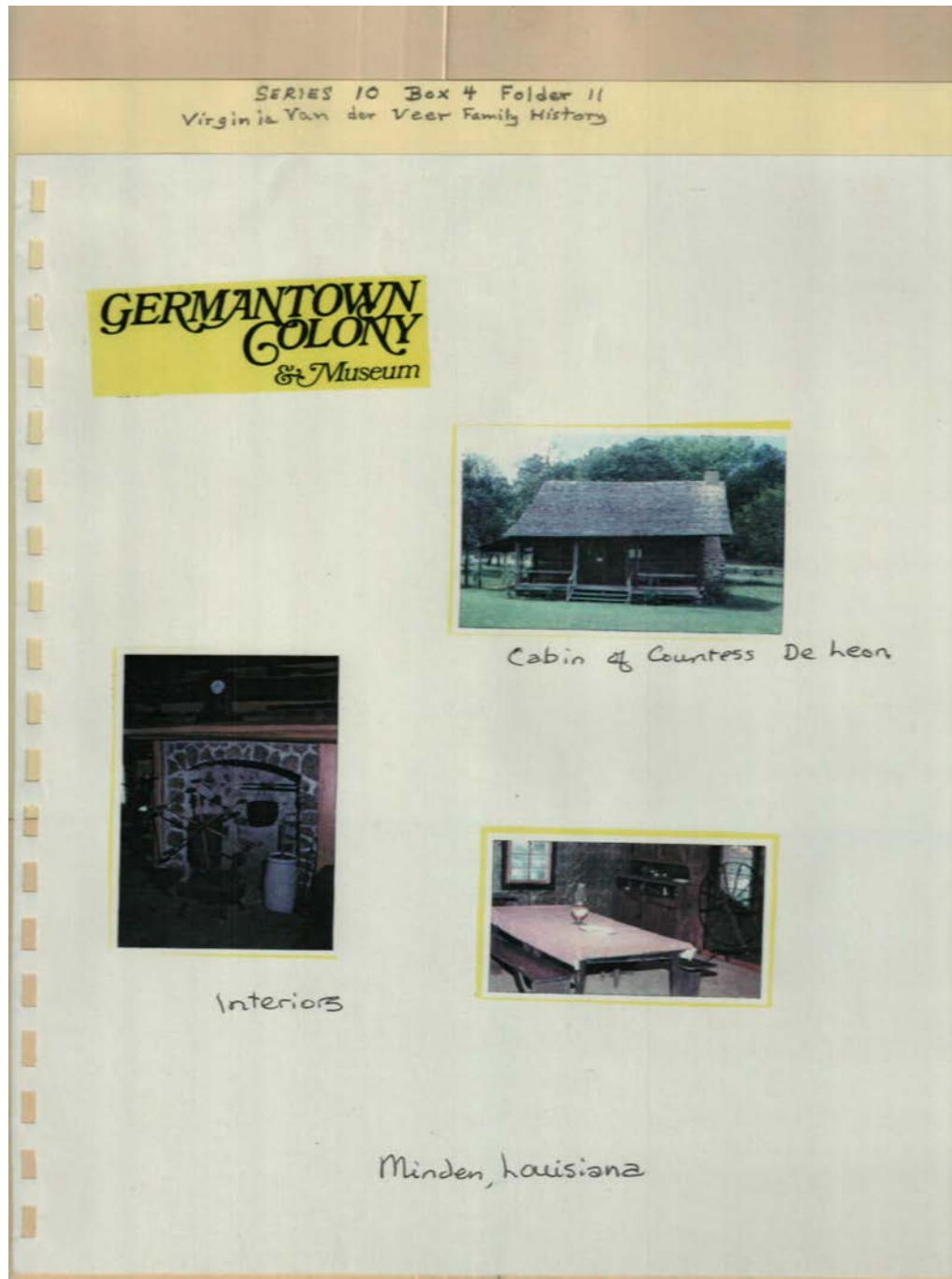
60 *Home Beautiful* (October 1996)

Names:

Travel

Types:

magazine



Names:

Germantown Colony
Museum

de Leon, Countess

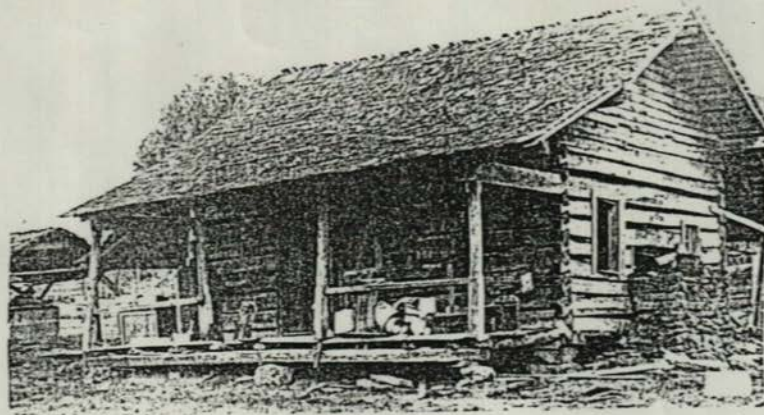
Places:

Minden, LA

Types:

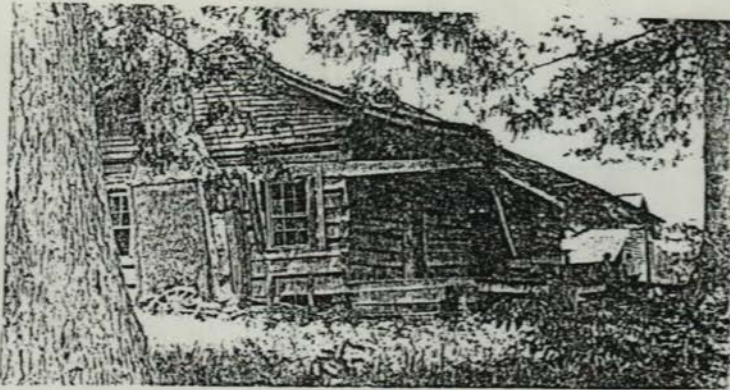
photograph

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A cabin in which the Oberbibliothekar of Frankfurt am Main lived

One of the cabins in the forgotten German colony

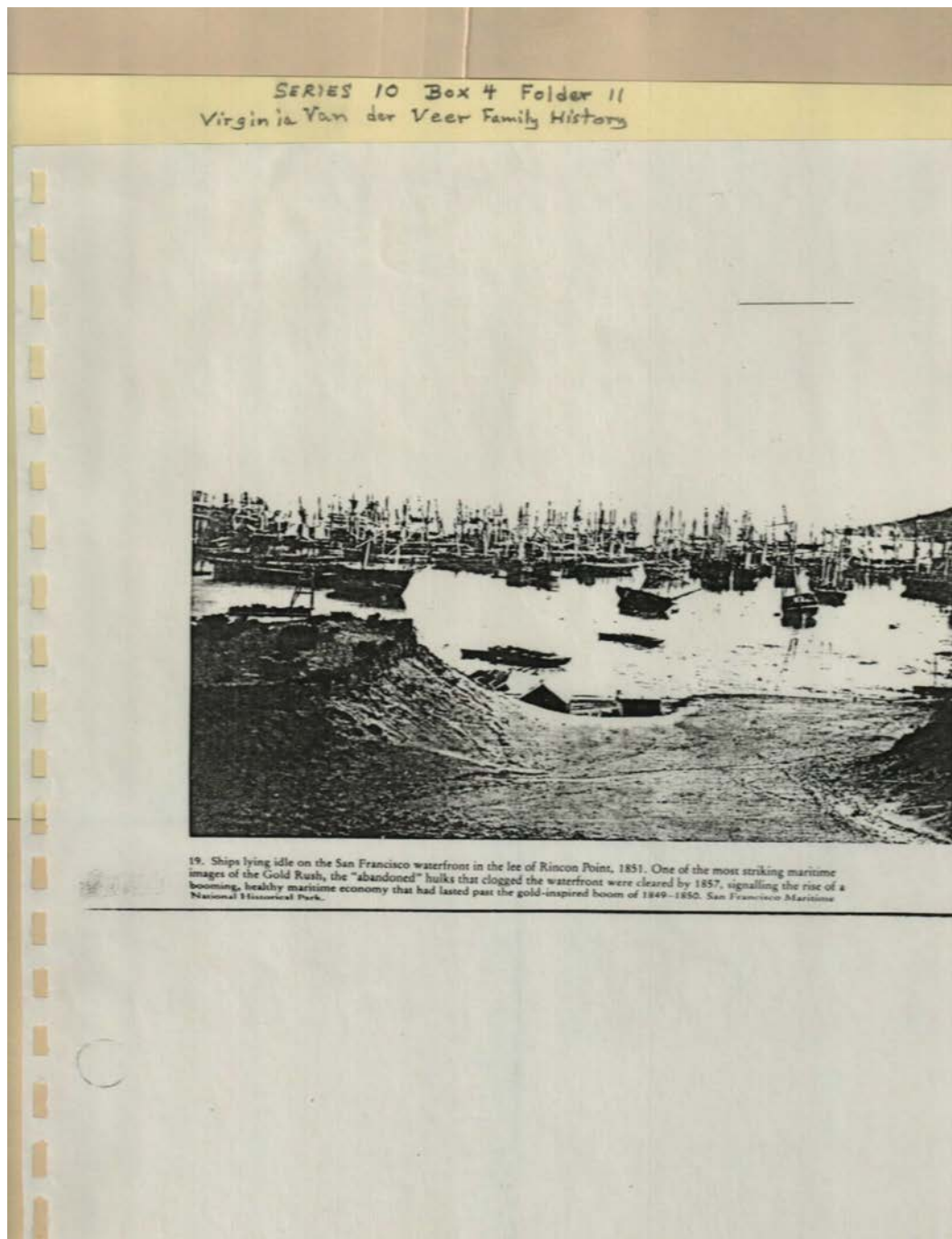


Names:

German Colony
Cabins

Types:

photograph



Names:

San Francisco
Waterfront

Types:

photograph

Dates:

1851



Names:

Snodgrass Hill

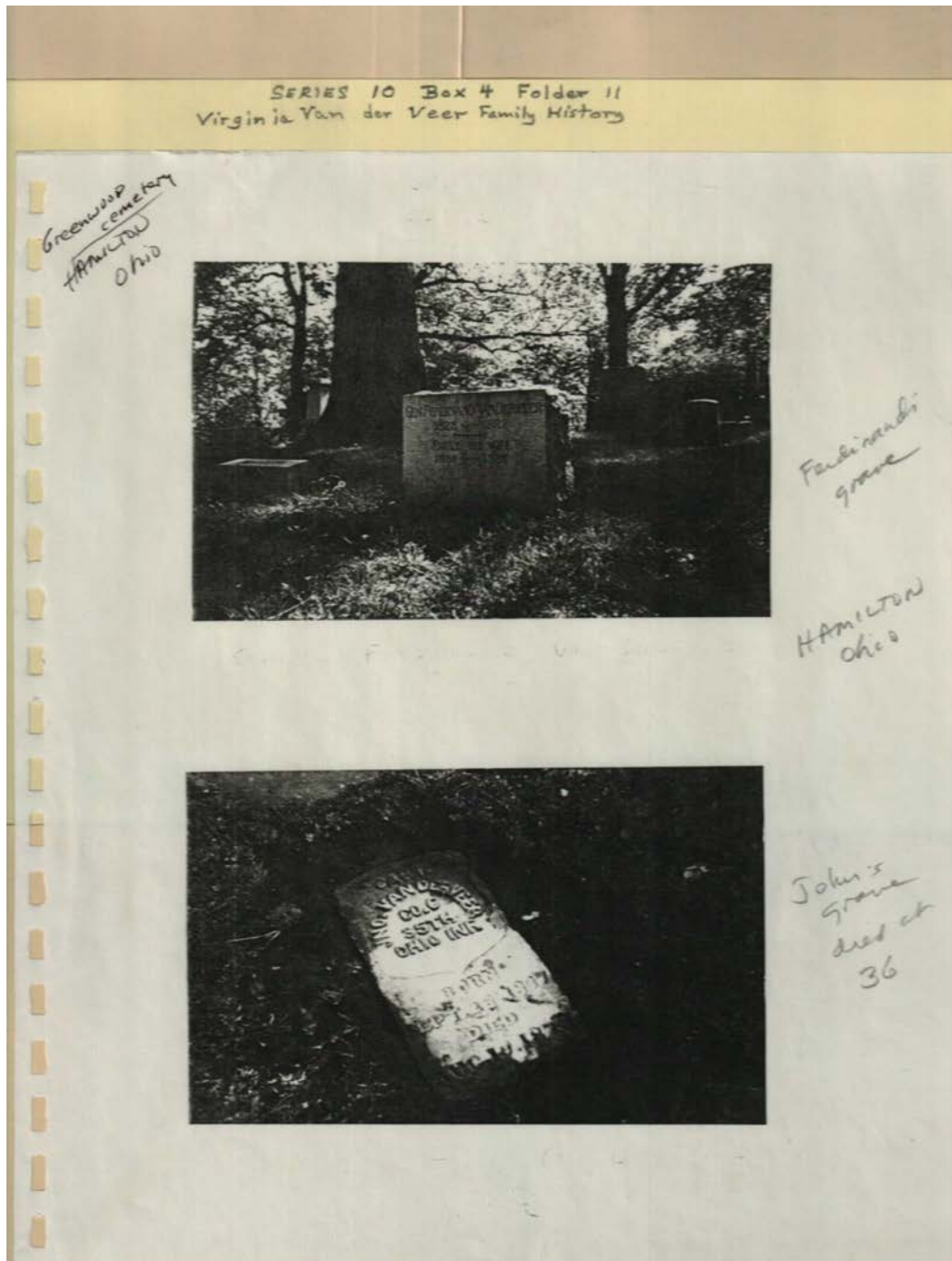
Van de Veer,
Ferdinand, General

Places:

Chickamauga
Battlefield

Types:

photograph



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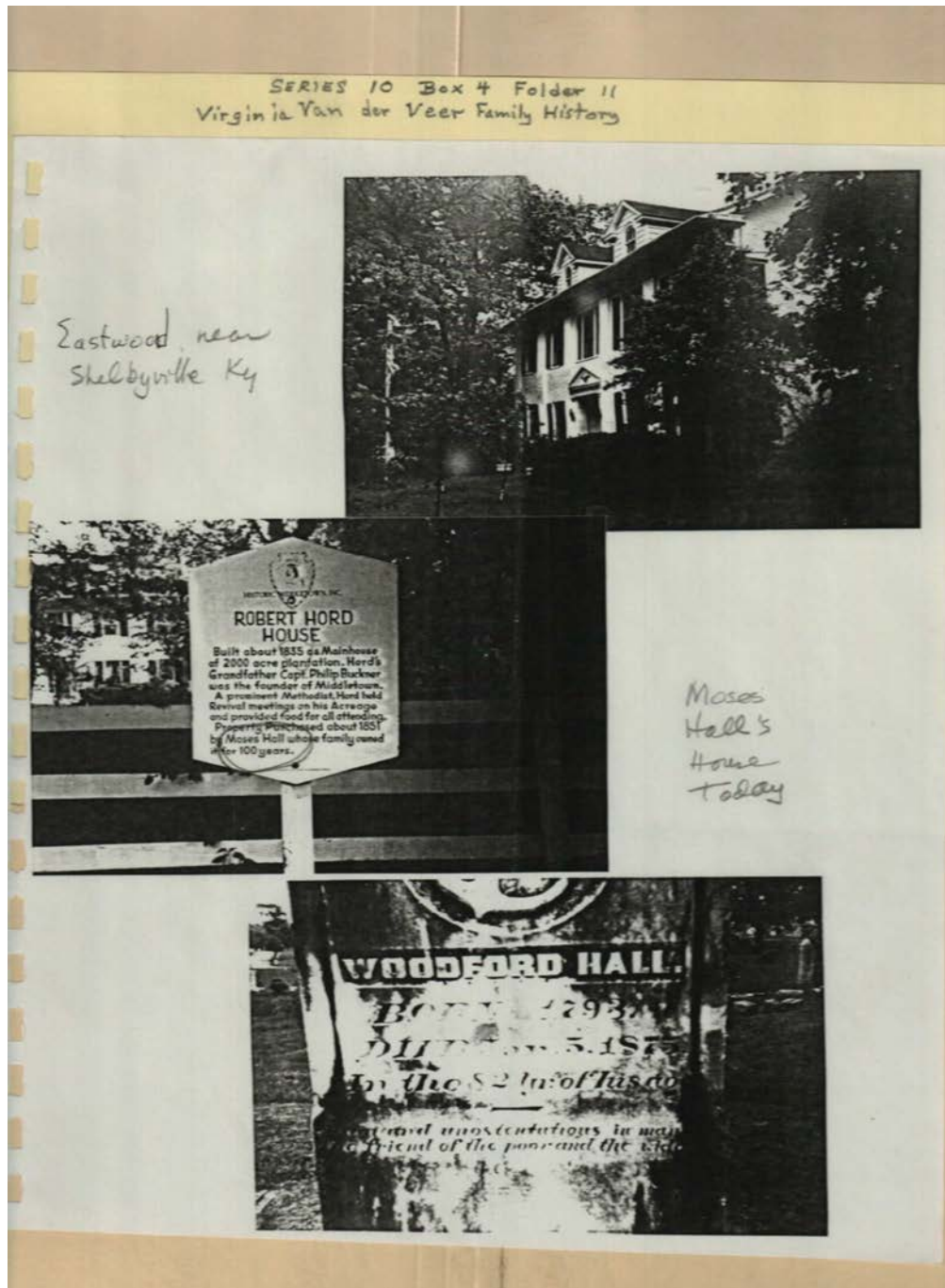
Ferdinand Grave sites

Places:

Hamilton, OH

Types:

photograph



Names:

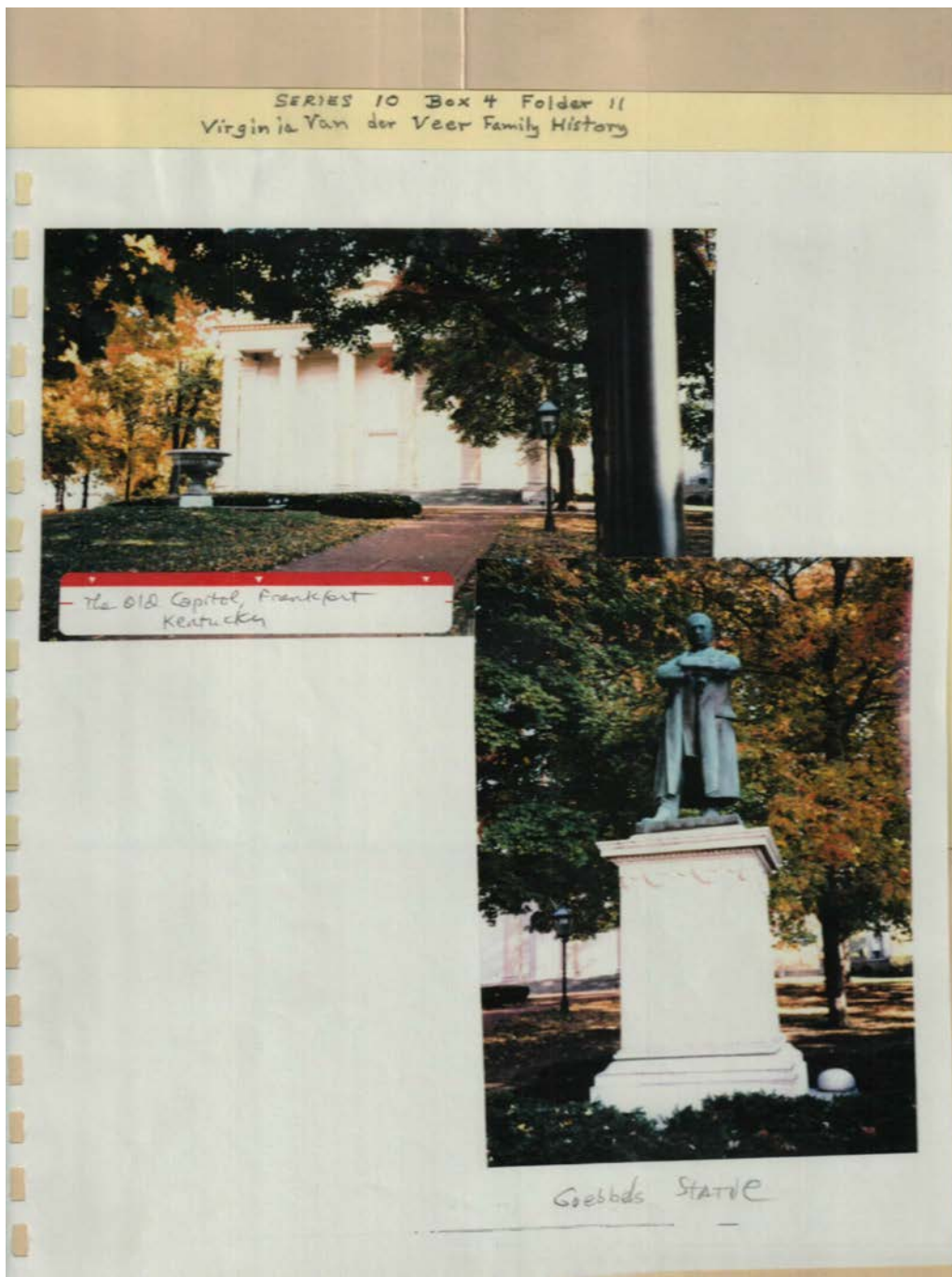
Mose Hall Home

Places:

Shelbyville, KY

Types:

photograph



Names:

Goebbel's Statue

Old Capitol

Places:

Frankfort, KY

Types:

photograph



Names:

, Mae
, Rose

First Presbyterian
Church

Sawyer, Paul

Places:

Frankfort, KY

Types:

photograph



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LaBrot + Graham Distillery © 1885
Mac Van Deweer (seated, front row, 3d from left
(beardless))

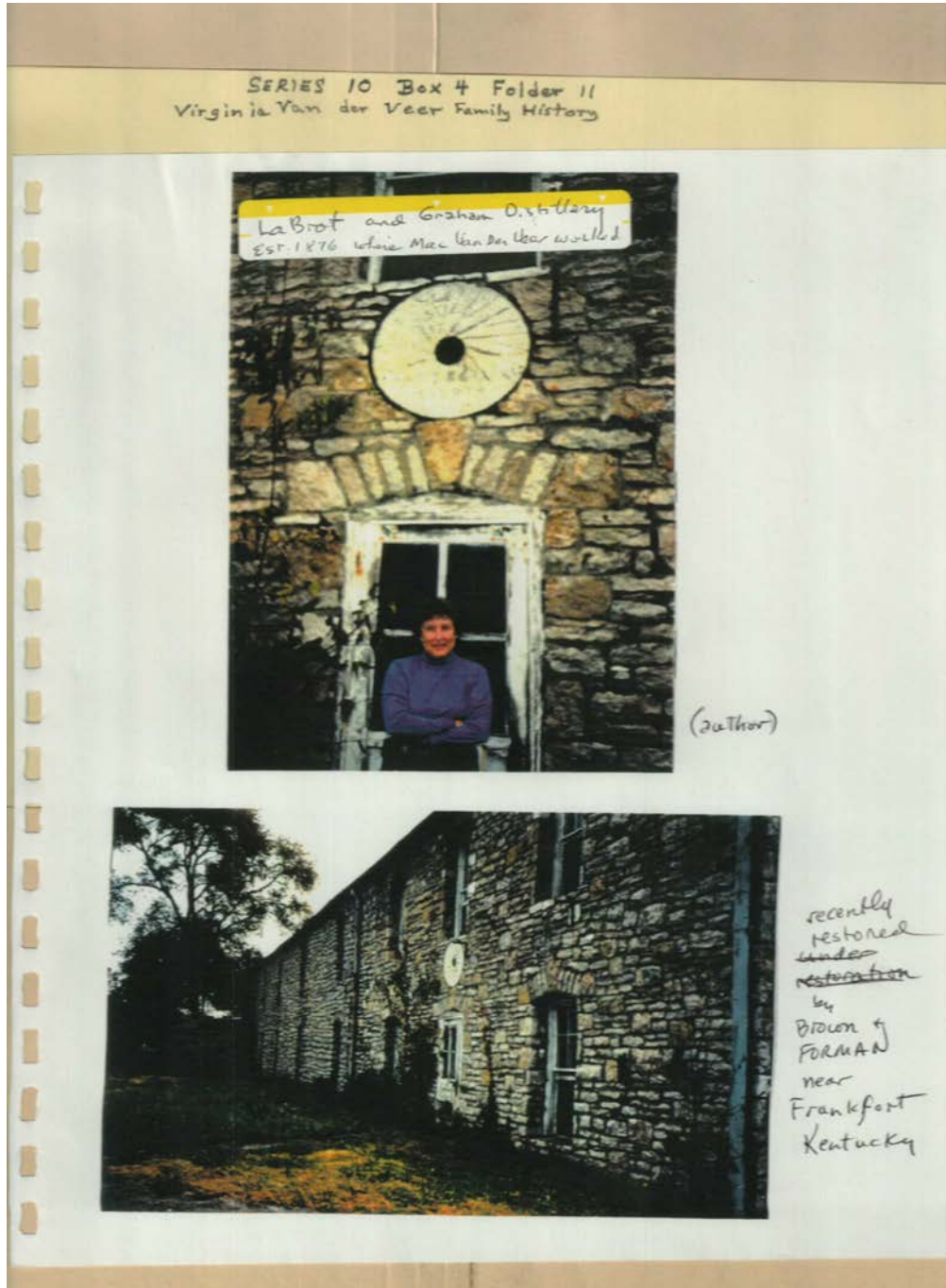
Names:

LaBrot & Graham
Distillery

Van Deweer, Mac

Types:

photograph



Names:

LaBrot & Graham
Distillery

Types:

photograph



Names:

Distillery Opens

Places:

Lexington, KY

Types:

magazine

Dates:

Oct 18, 1996

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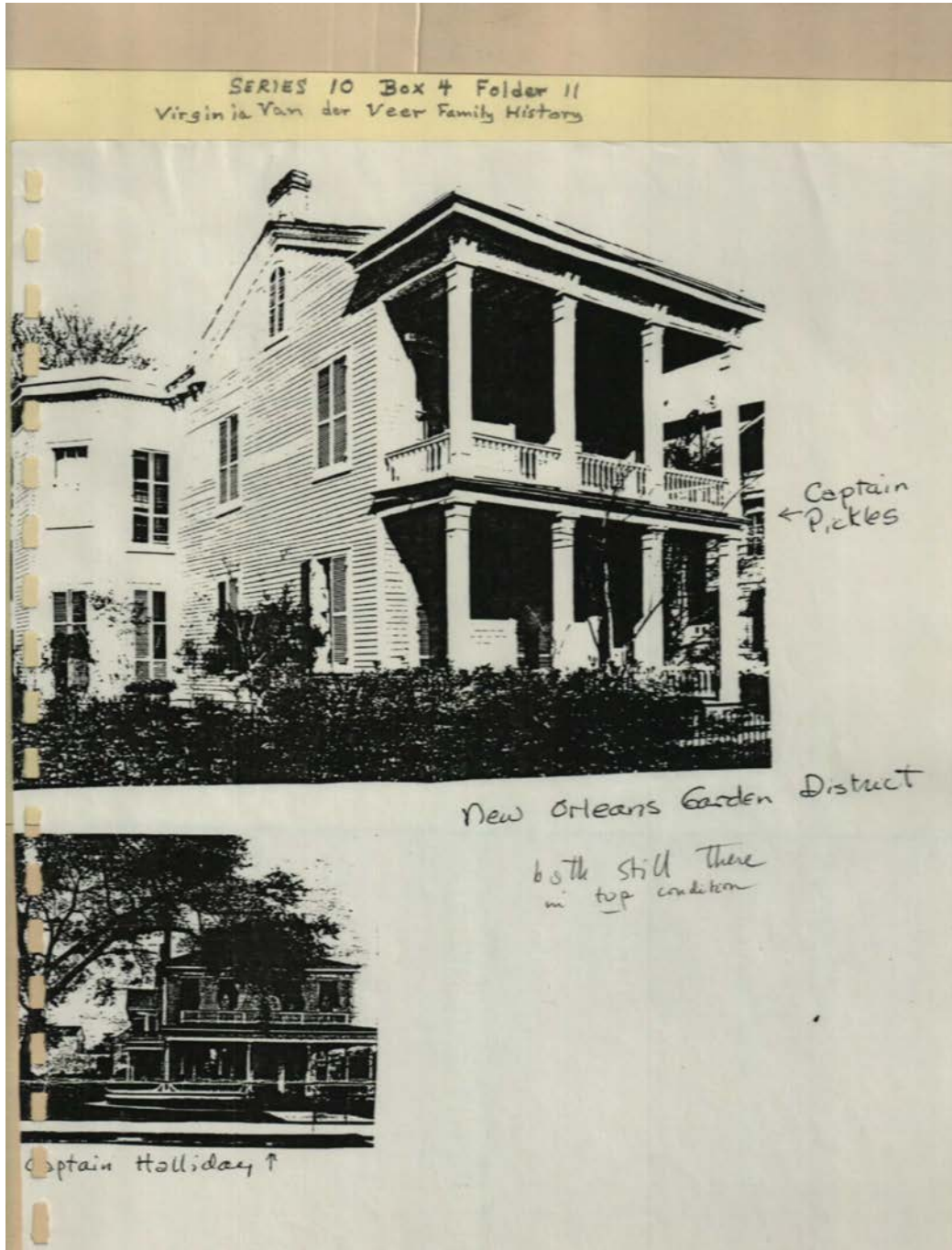
Canal Street

Places:

New Orleans, LA

Types:

drawing



Names:

Garden District

Halliday, Captain

Pickles, Captain

Places:

New Orleans, LA

Types:

photograph



Names:

New Orleans Homes

Places:

New Orleans, LA

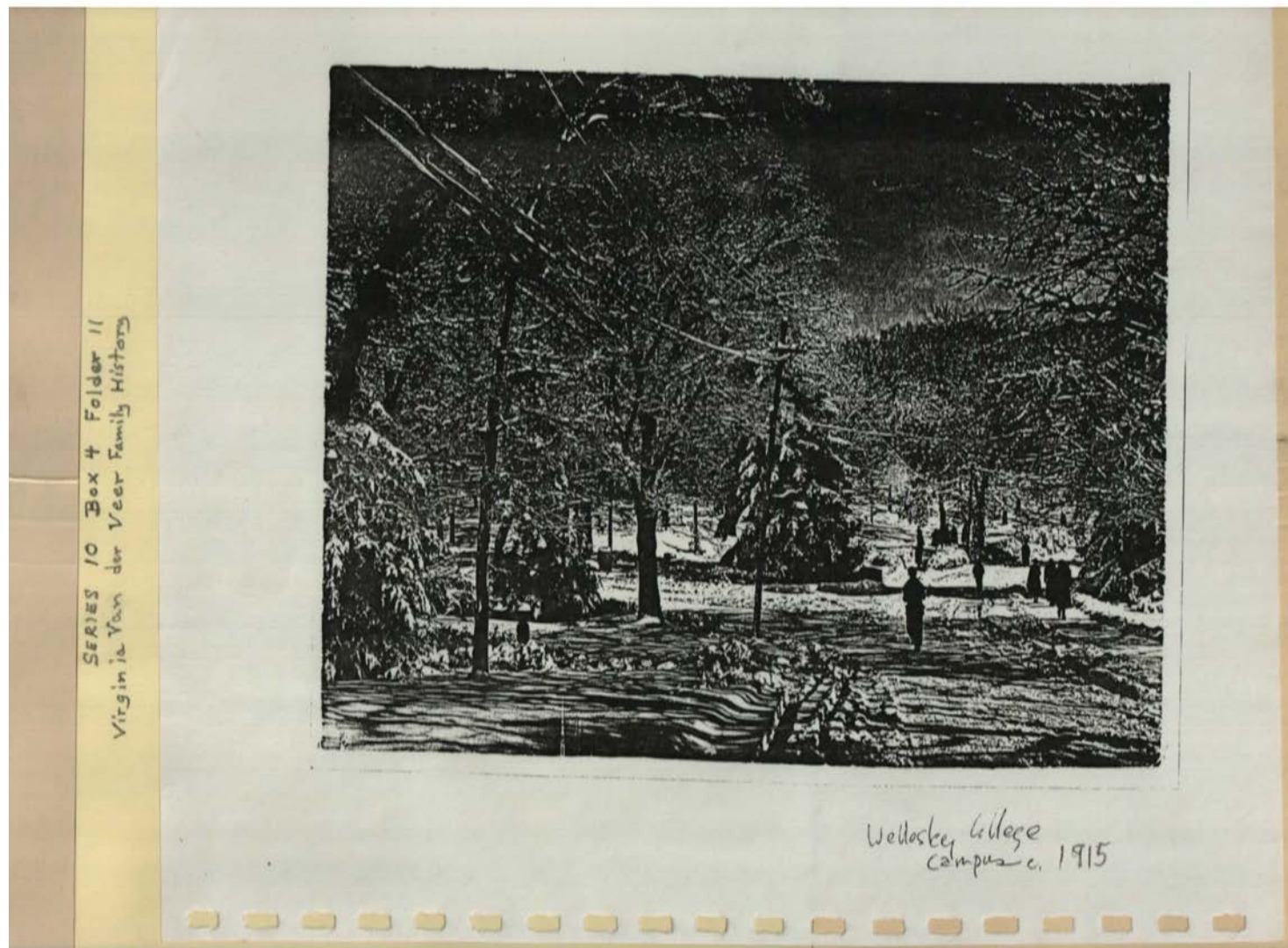
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Names:

Wellesley, College
Campus

Types:

photograph

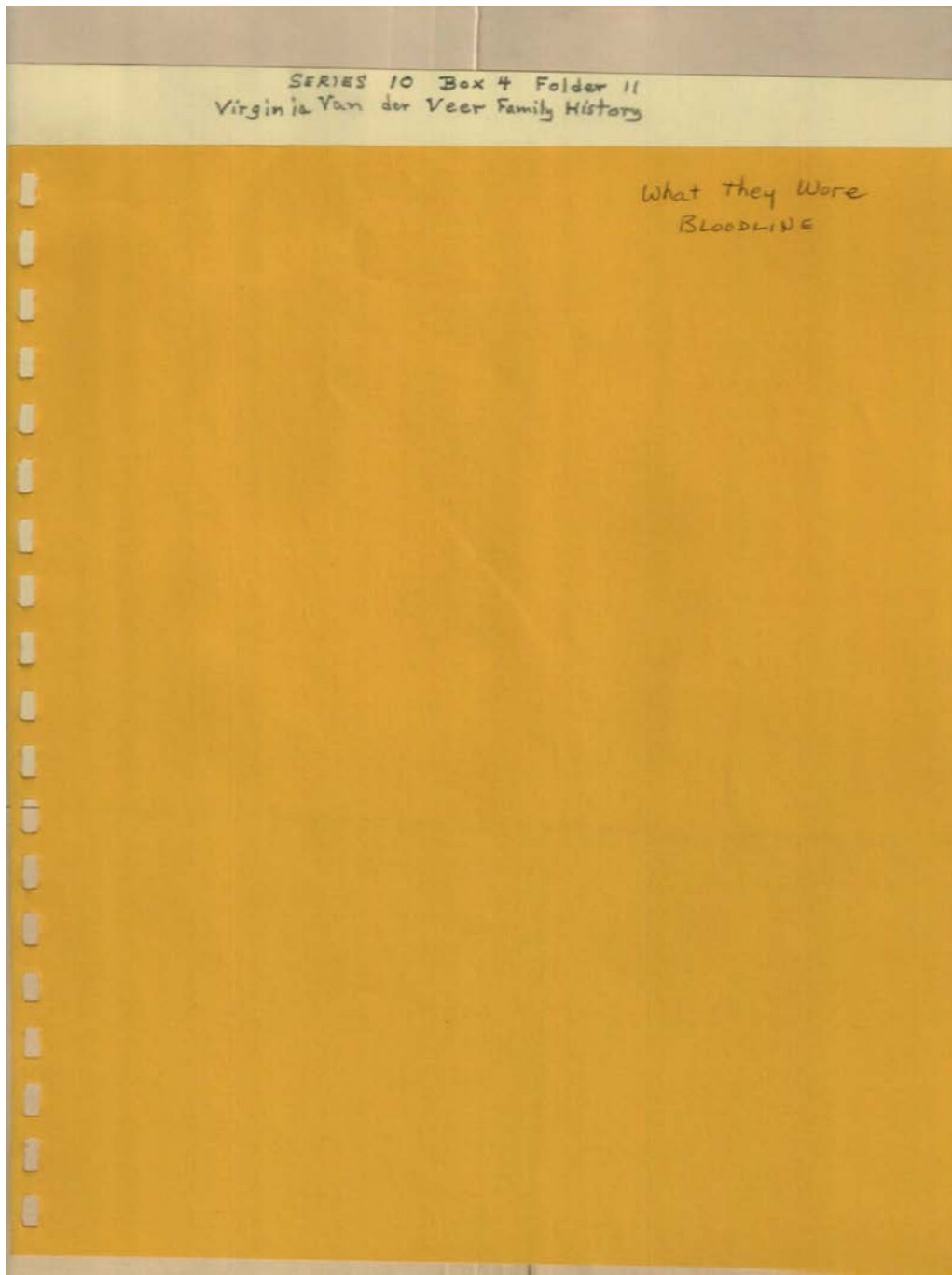
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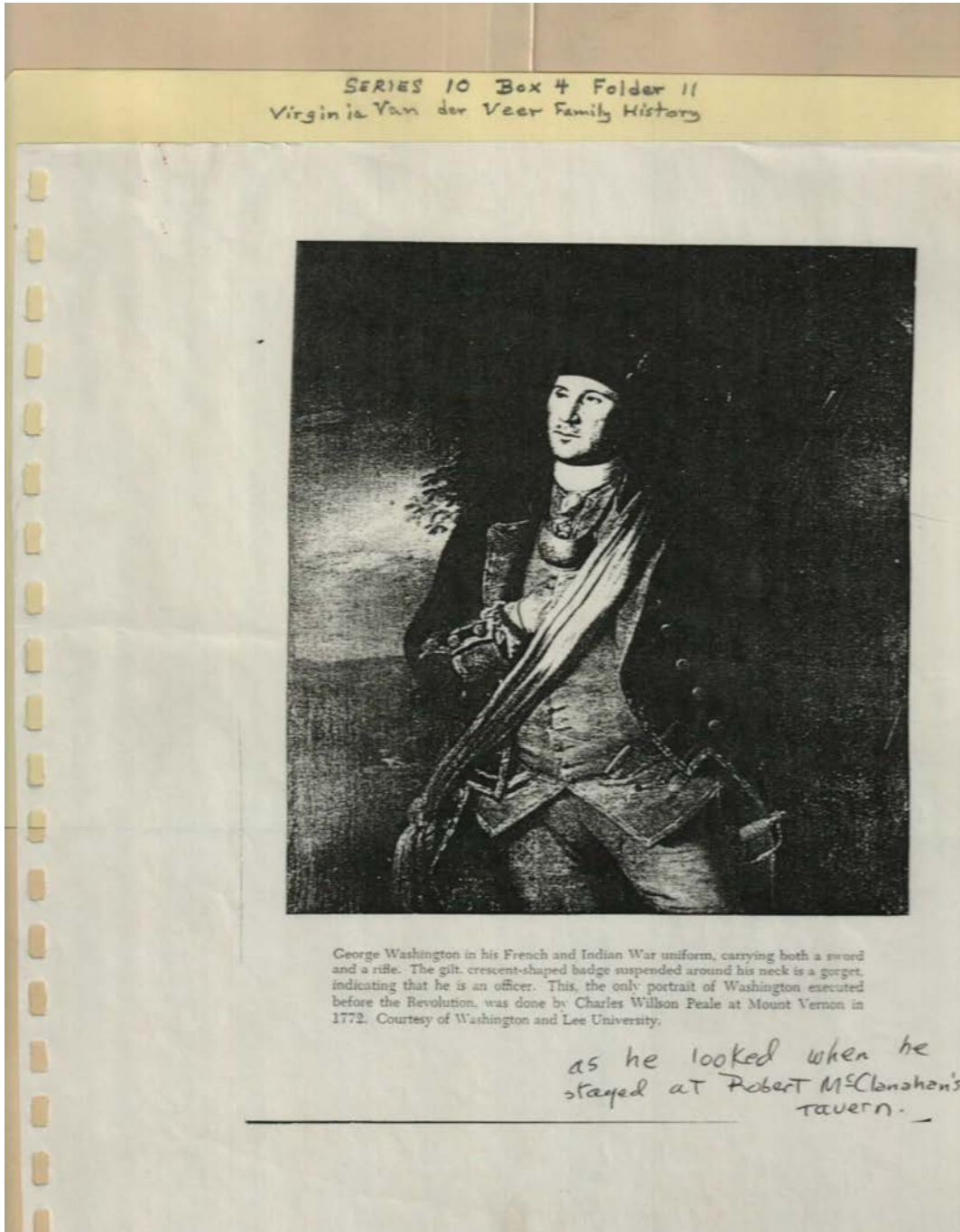
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Types:
booklet



Names:

McClanahan, Robert

Peale, Charles
Willson

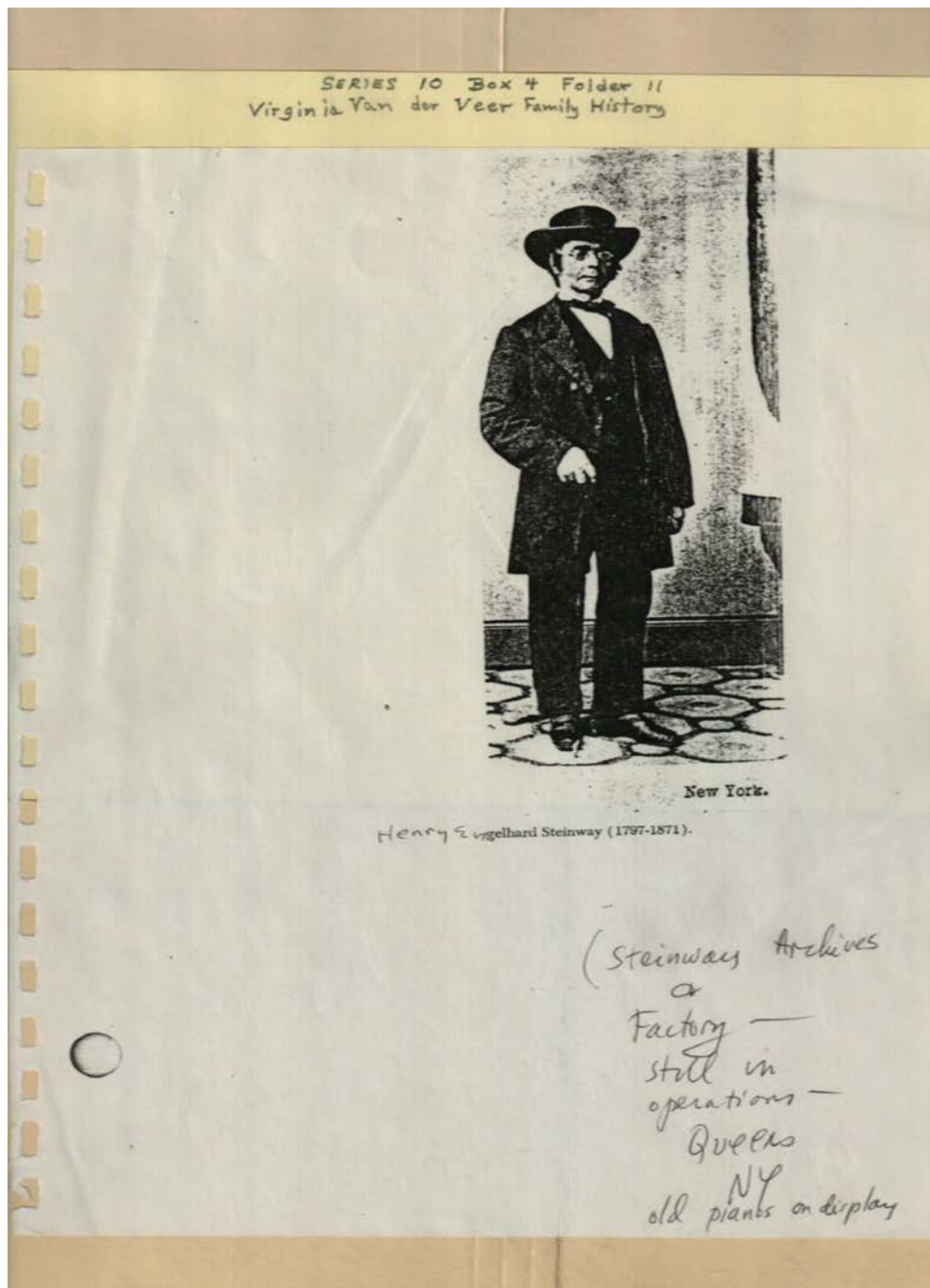
Washington, George

Types:

painting

Dates:

1772



Names:

Steinway, Henry
Engelhard

Types:

photograph

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ADELINA PATTI WITH HER FATHER

c. 1850s

Names:

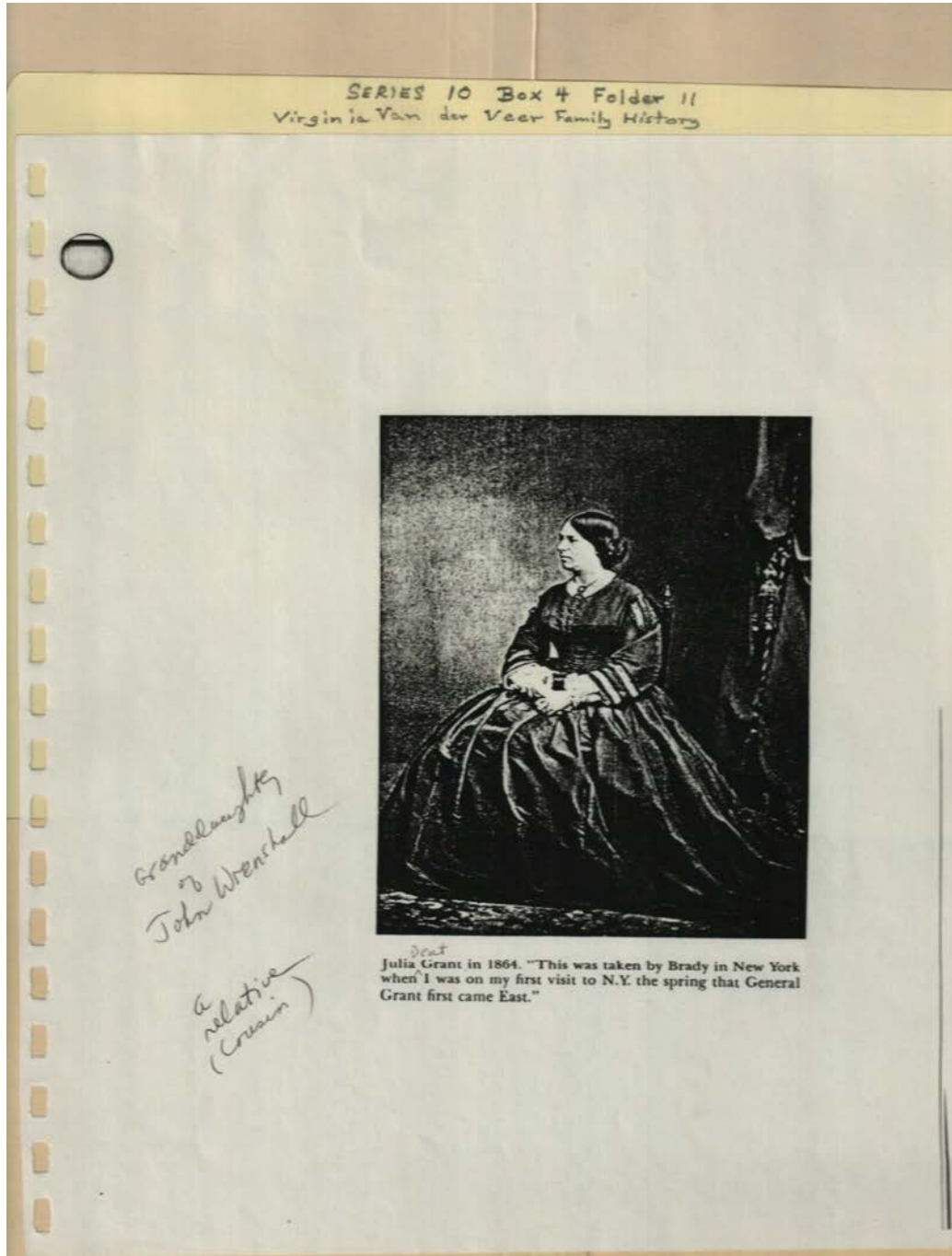
Patti, Adelina

Types:

photograph

Dates:

1850



Names:

Brady,

Grant, Julia

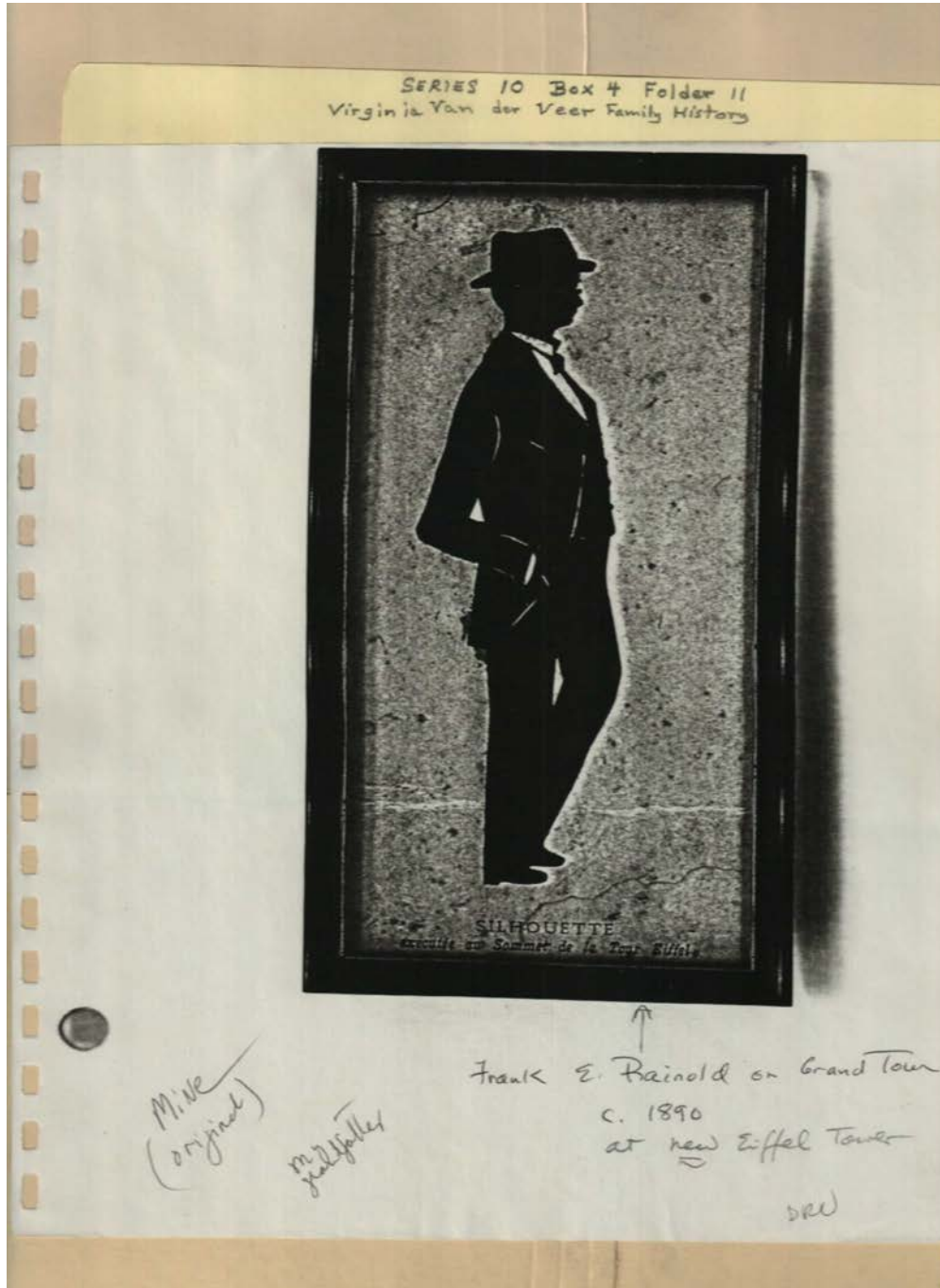
Wrenshall, John

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Dates:

1864



Names:

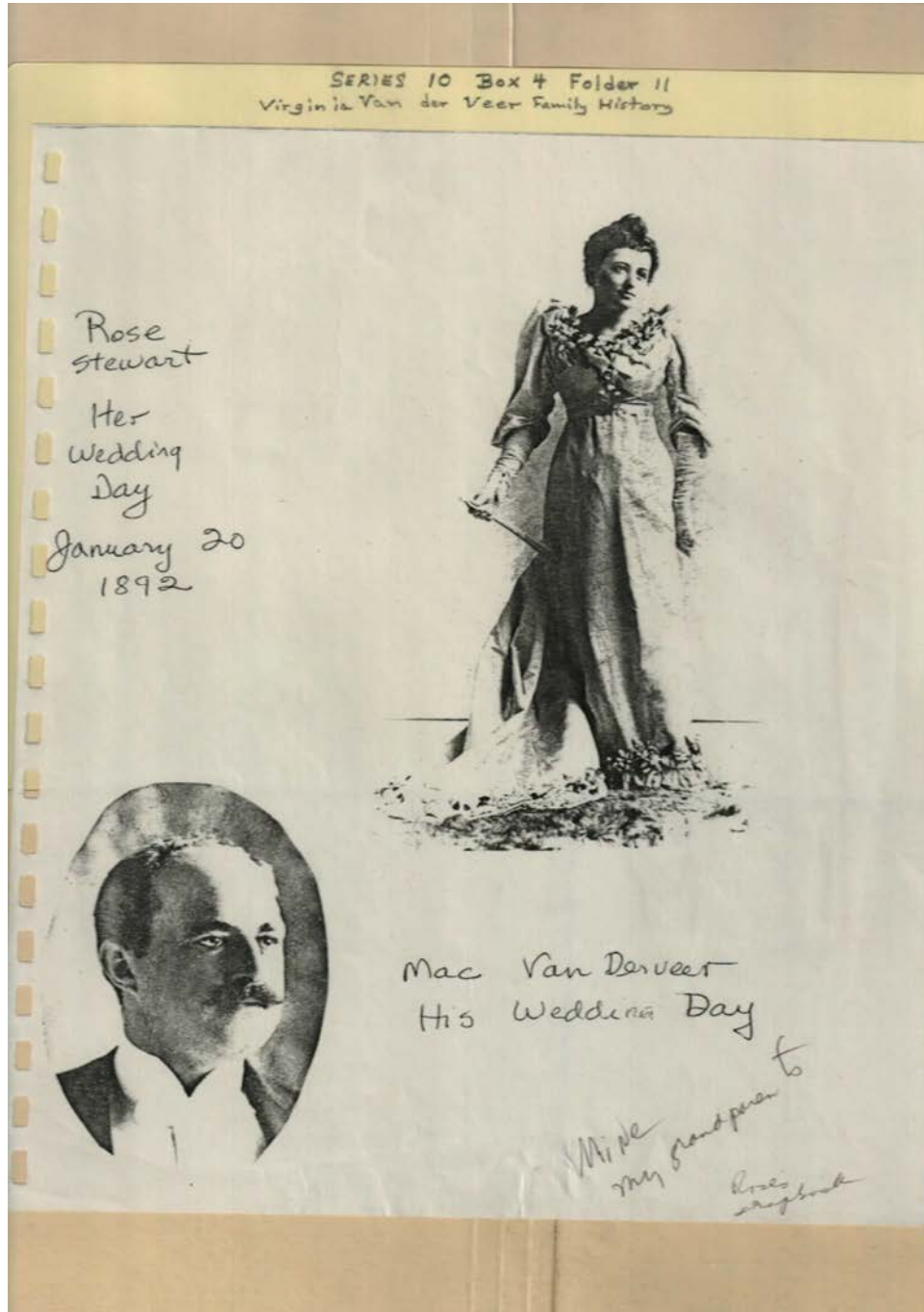
Rainold, Frank E.

Types:

drawing

Dates:

1890



Names:

Stewart, Rose

Van Derveer, Mac

Types:

photograph

Dates:

Jan 20, 1892

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Names:

Rainold, Holliday
wedding

Types:

photograph

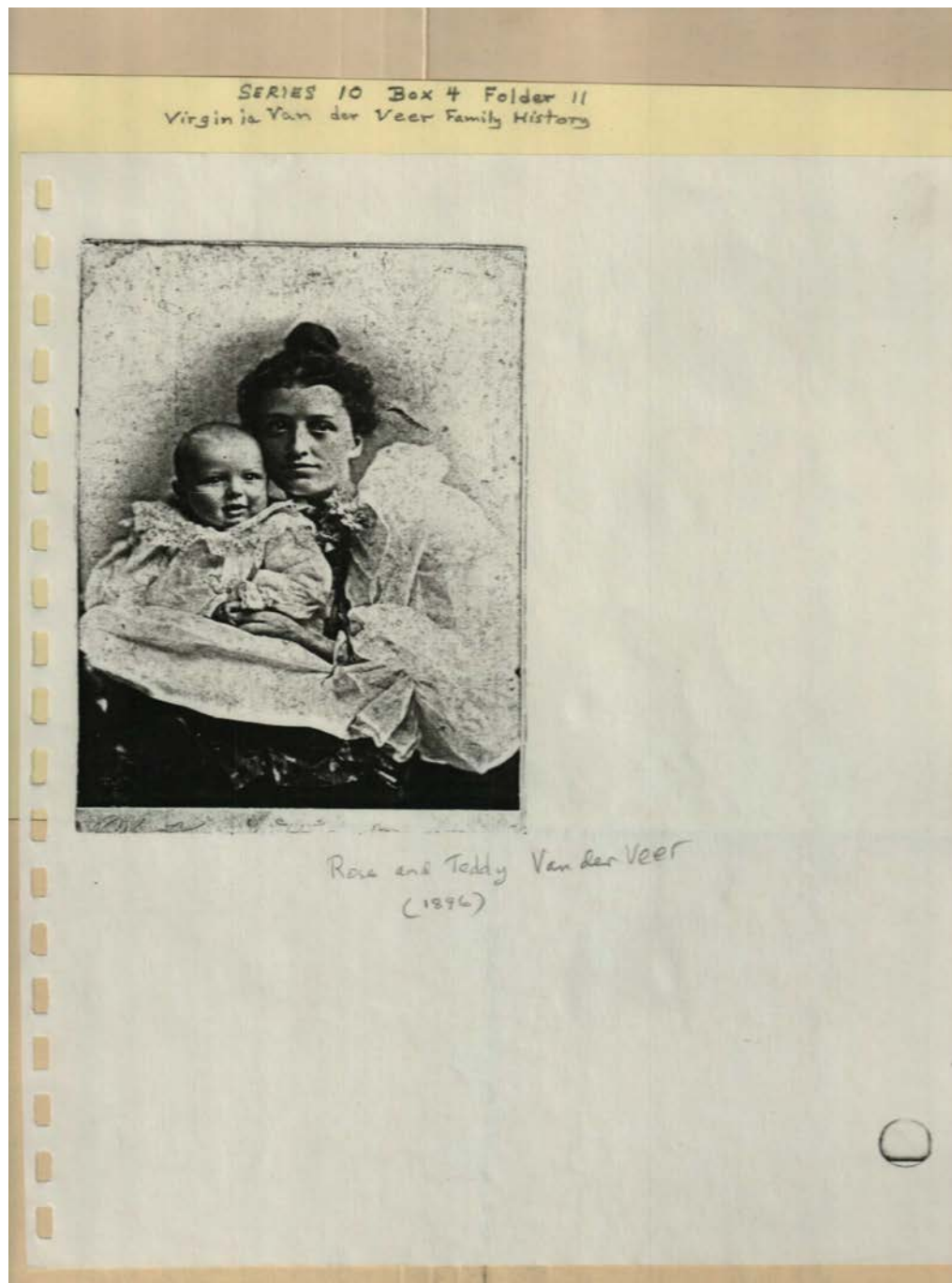
Dates:

1898

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Names:

Van der Veer, Rose

Van der Veer, Teddy

Types:

photograph

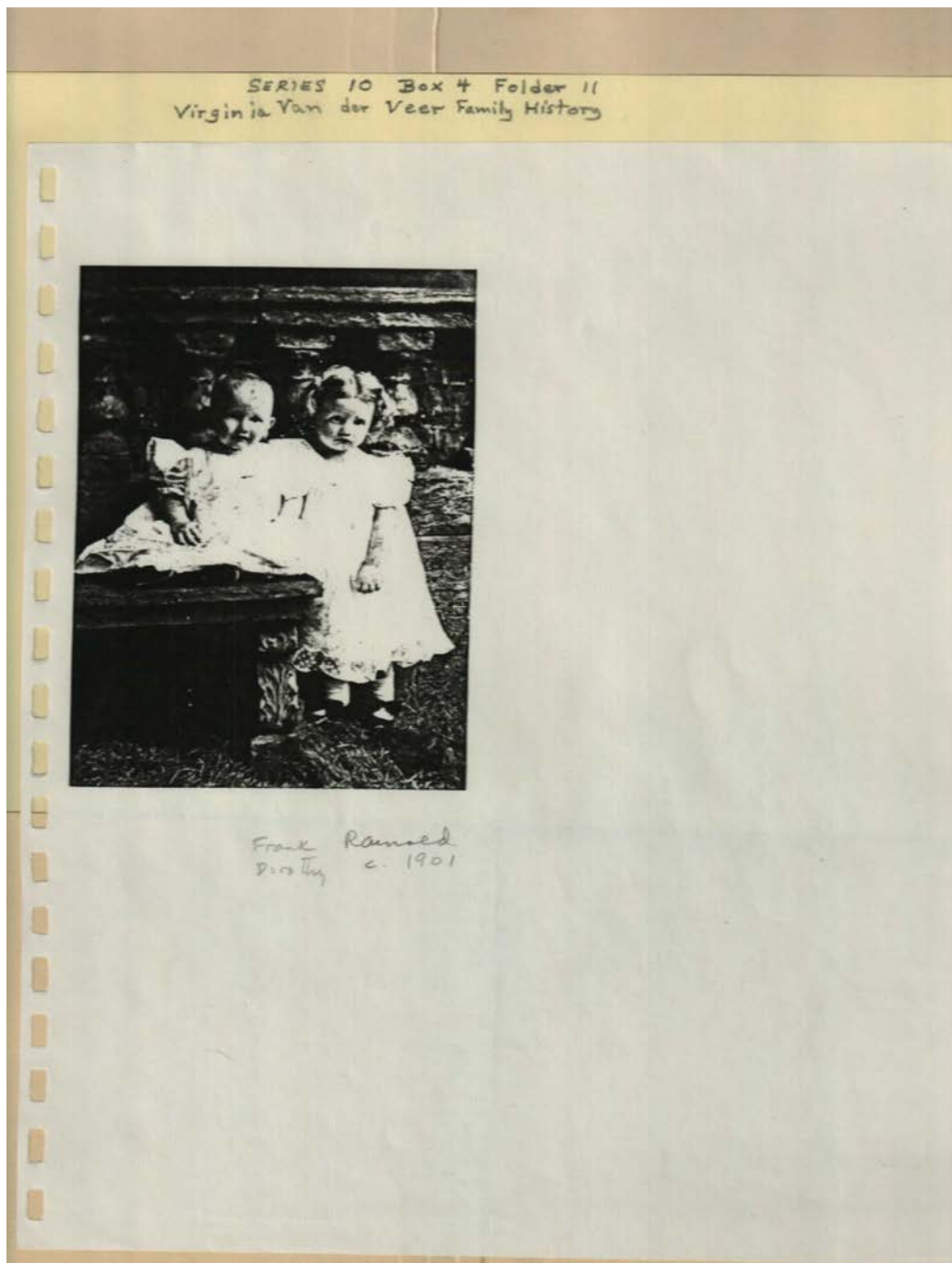
Dates:

1896

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Names:

Rainold, Dorothy

Rainold, Frank E.

Types:

photograph

Dates:

1901

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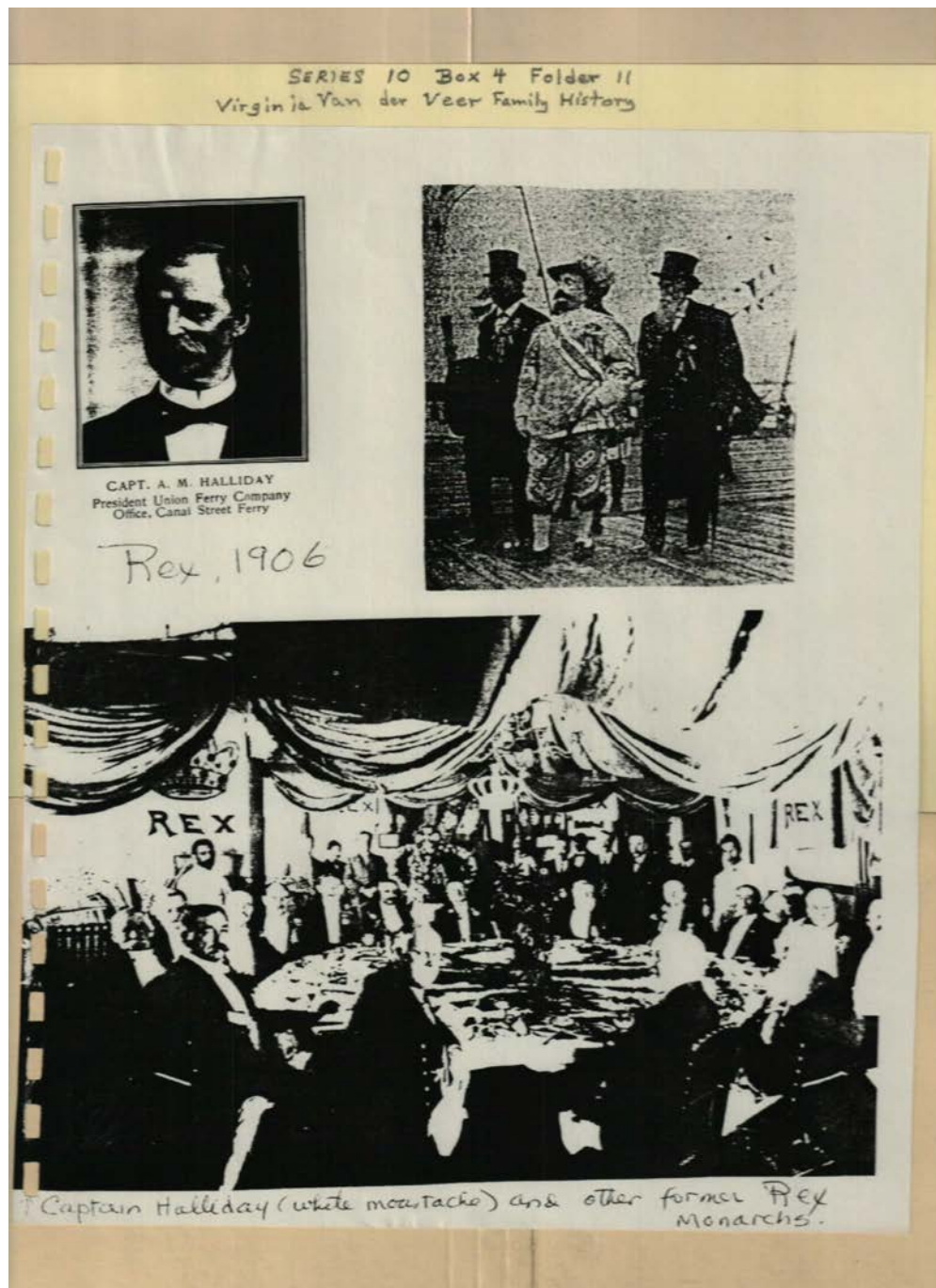
, Dorothy

Types:

photograph

Dates:

1903



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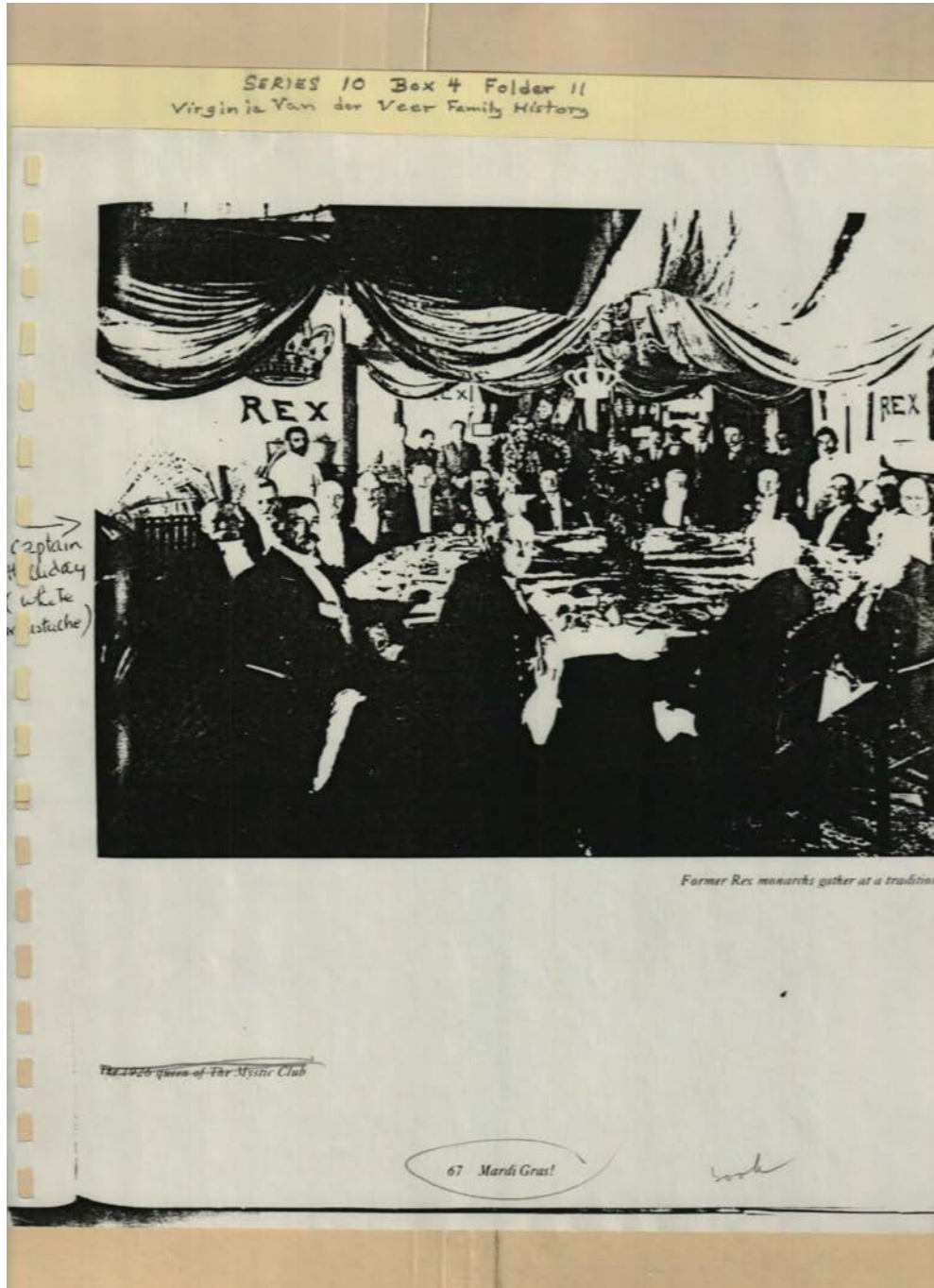
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Captain

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photograph

Dates:

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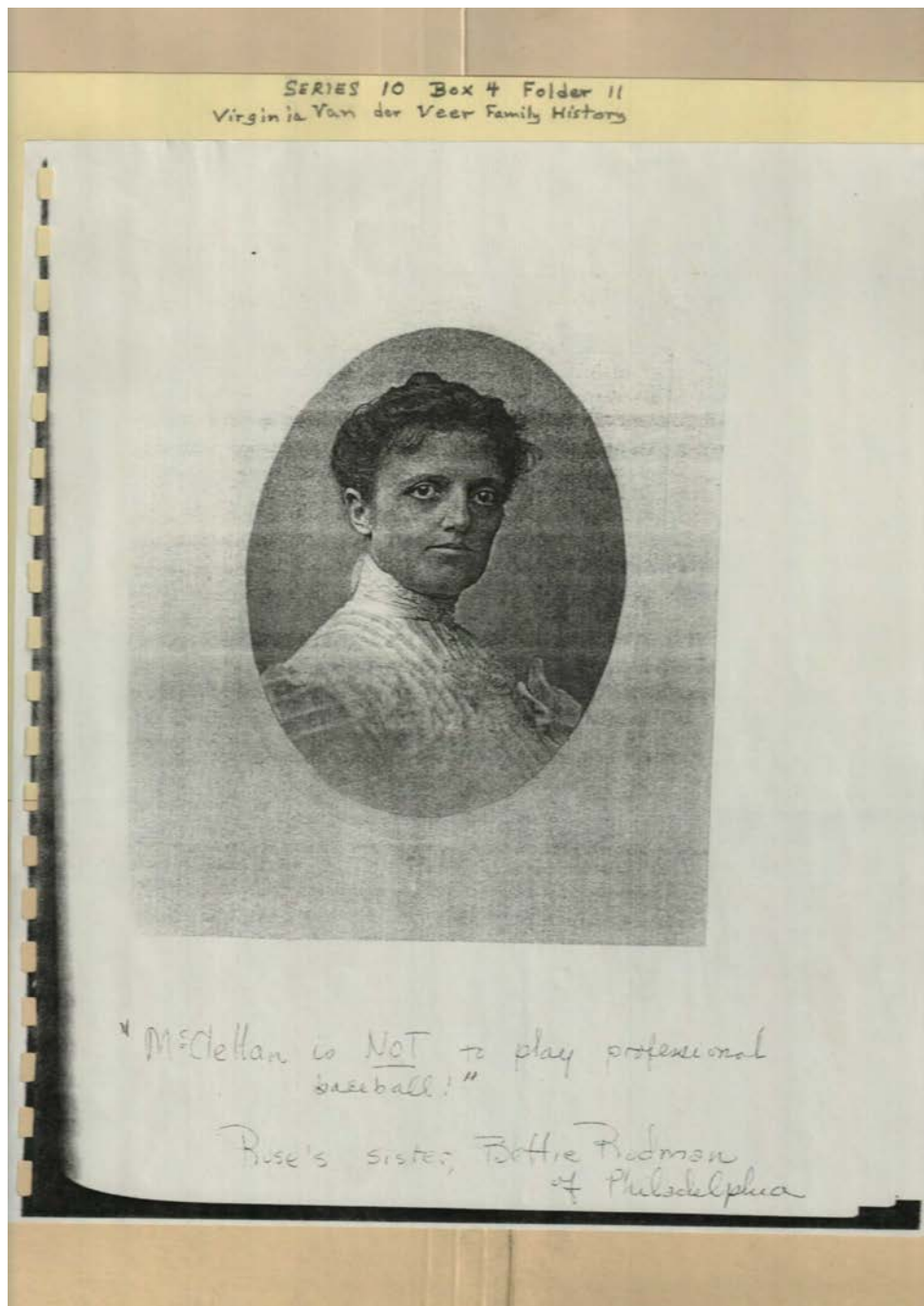


Names:

Halliday, A. M.,
Captain

Types:

photograph



Names:

Rodman, Bettie

Types:

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Names:

Bender, Chief

Mack, Connie

Mathewson, Christy

McGraw,

Types:

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Names:

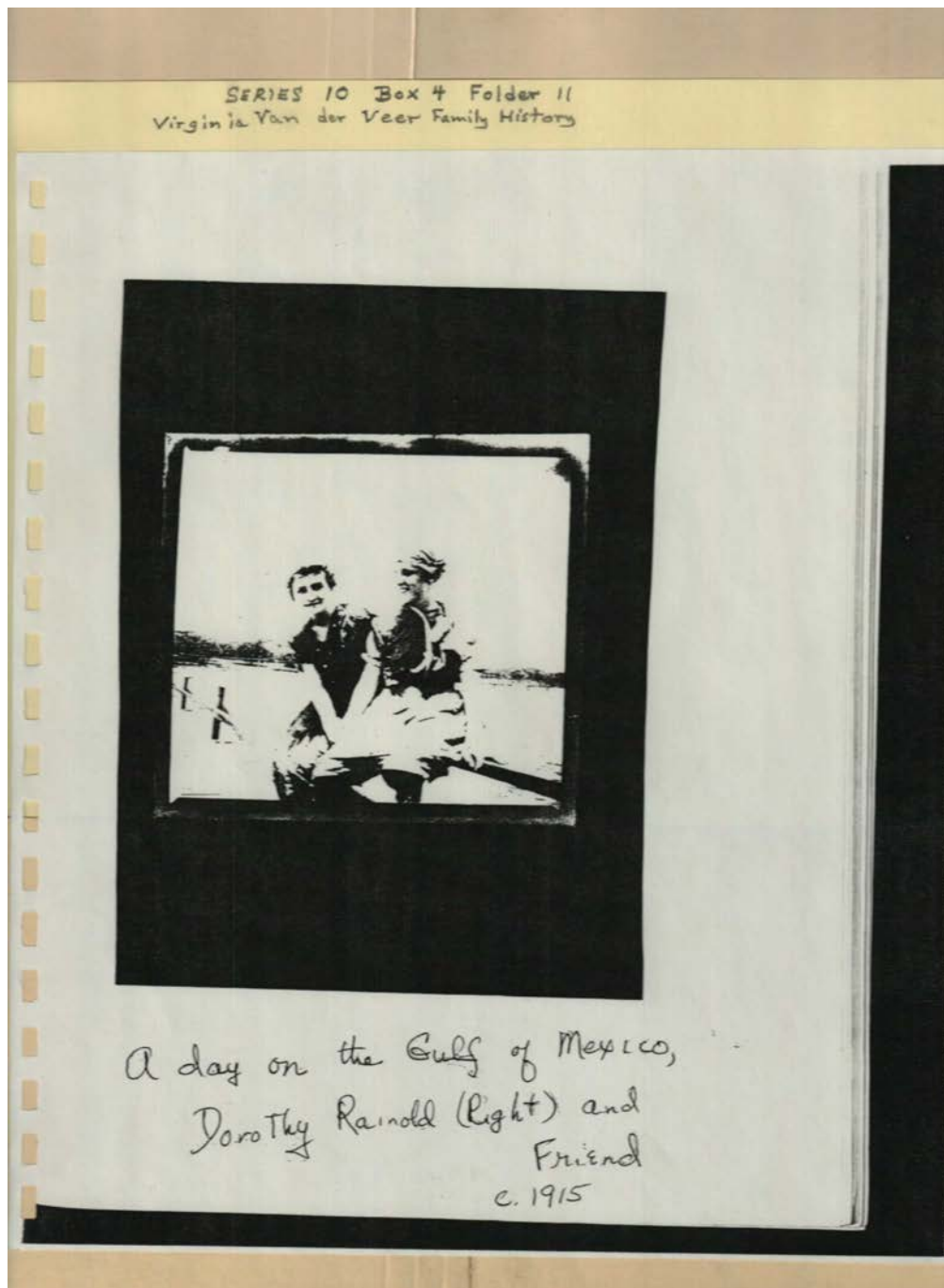
Giants and Athletics
World Series

Types:

photograph

Dates:

1913



Names:

Rainold, Dorothy

Types:

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Names:

Rainold, Dorothy

Types:

photograph

Dates:

1915



Names:

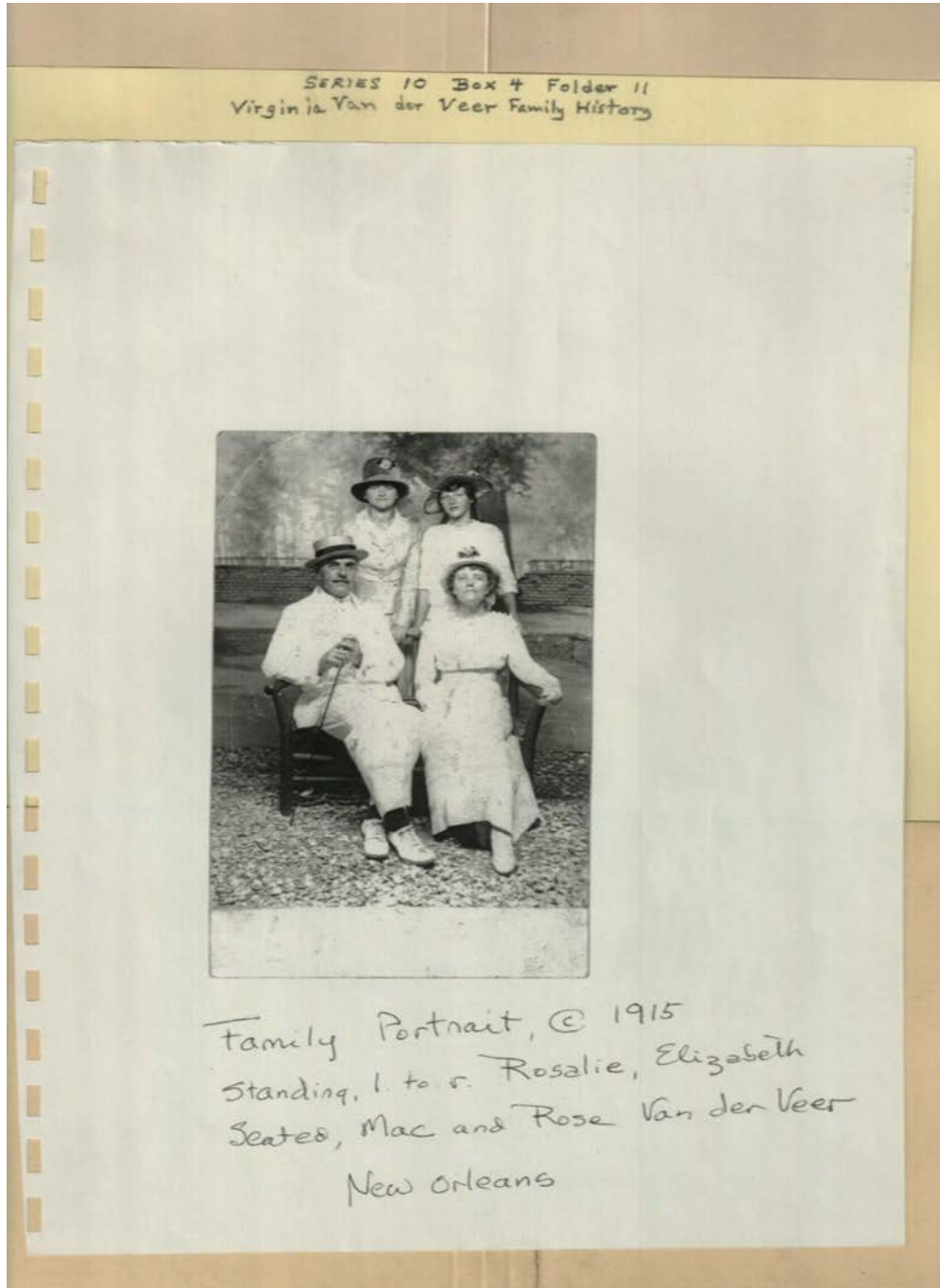
, Alexander
, Bob

, Dorothy
Halliday, Captain

Rainold, Frank

Types:

photograph



Names:

Van der Veer,
Elizabeth

Van der Veer, Mac
Van der Veer, Rosalie

Van der Veer, Rose

Types:

photograph

Dates:

1915



Names:

Brannock, Julia

Taylor, Gladys

Types:

photograph

Dates:

1915

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"Virginia Van der Veer's Family History,"

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Names:

Rainold, Dorothy

Types:

photograph

Dates:

1919

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Names:

Rainold, Dorothy

Types:

photograph

Dates:

1920

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Names:

Rainold, Robert
Reinfort

Types:

photograph

Dates:

1991

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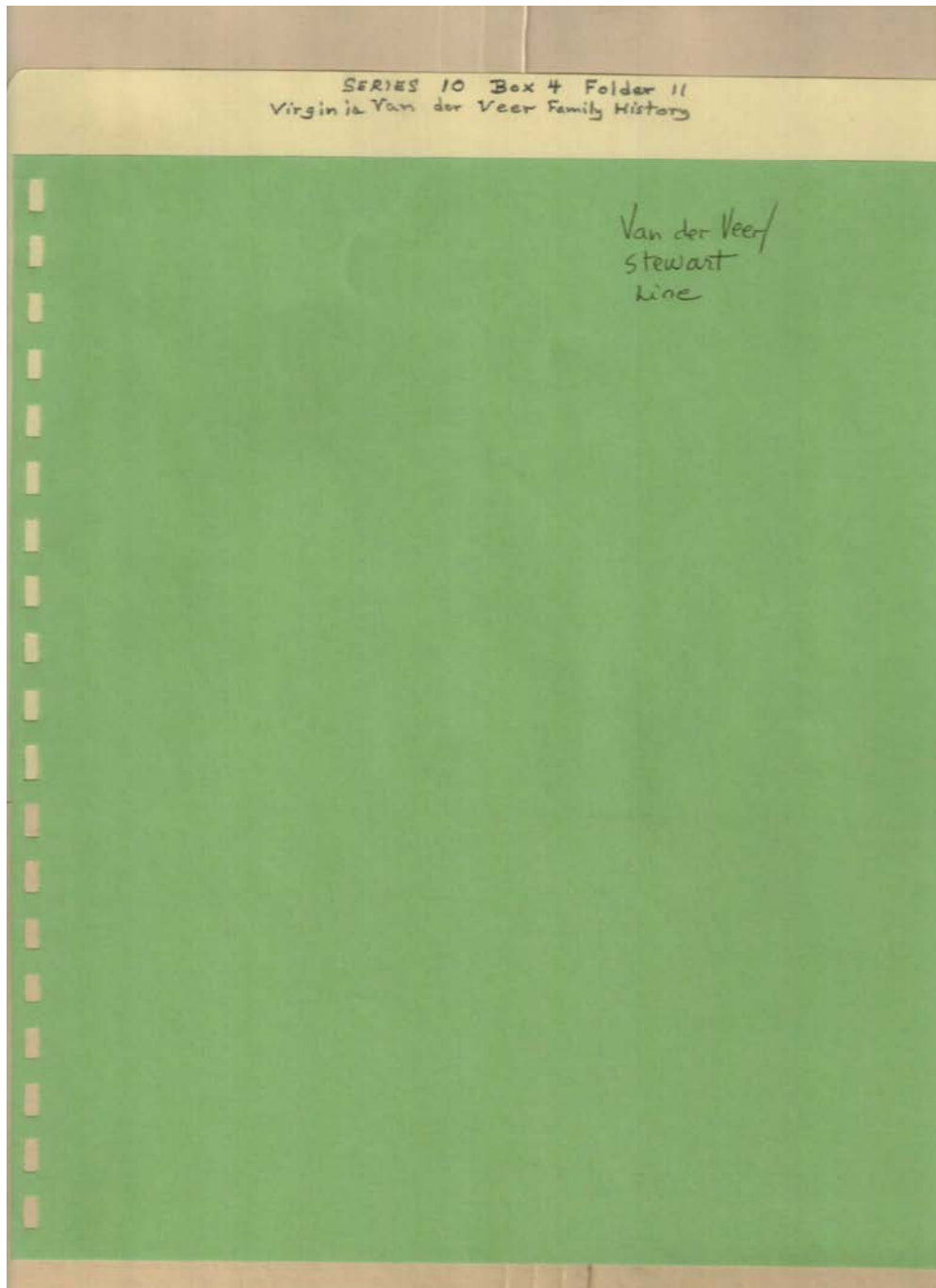
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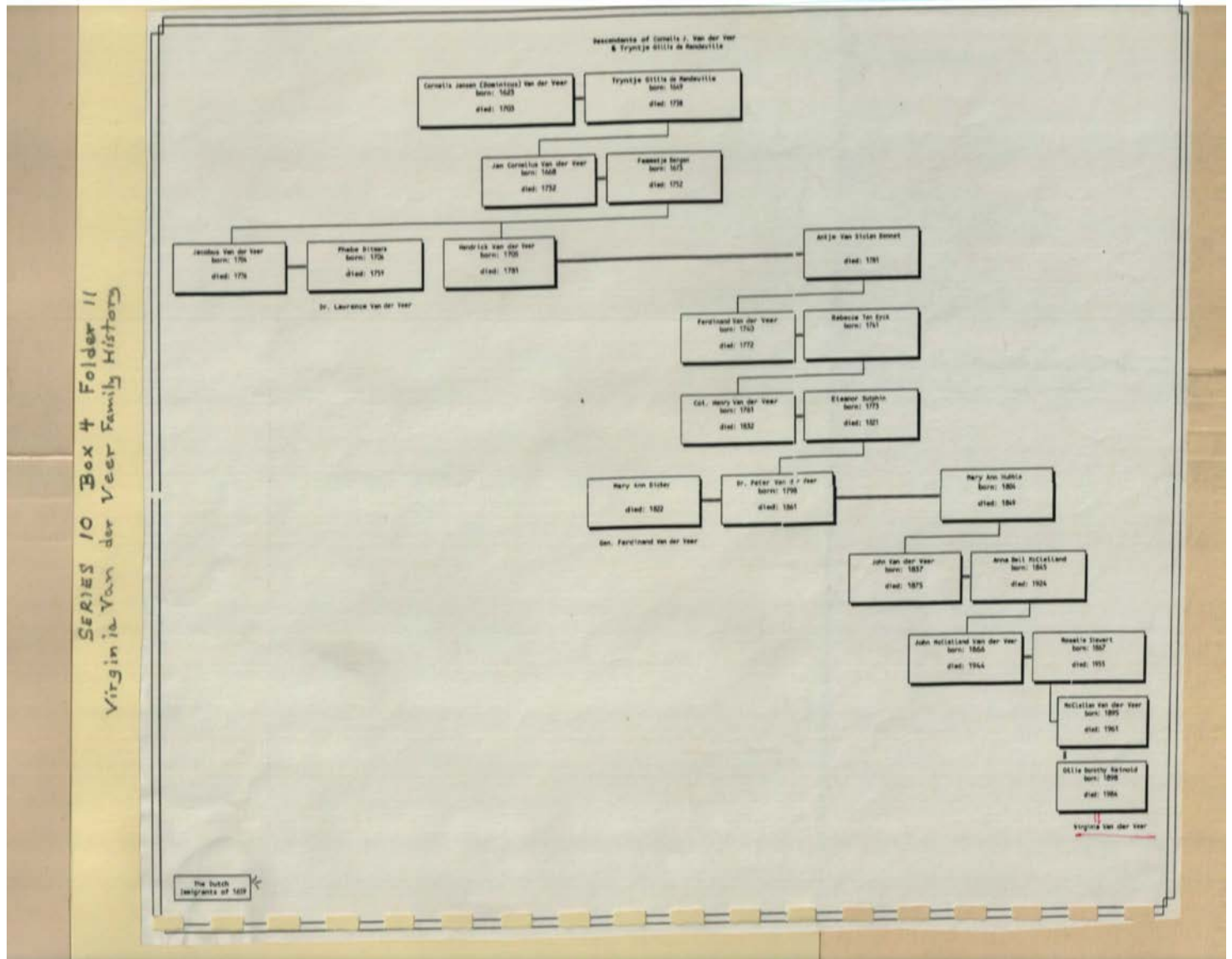
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Types:

booklet

"Virginia Van der Veer's Family History,"



Names:

Descendants of
Cornelia J. Van der
Veer

Descendants of
Tryntje de
Mandeville

Van der Veer,
Cornelia

de Mandeville,
Tryntje

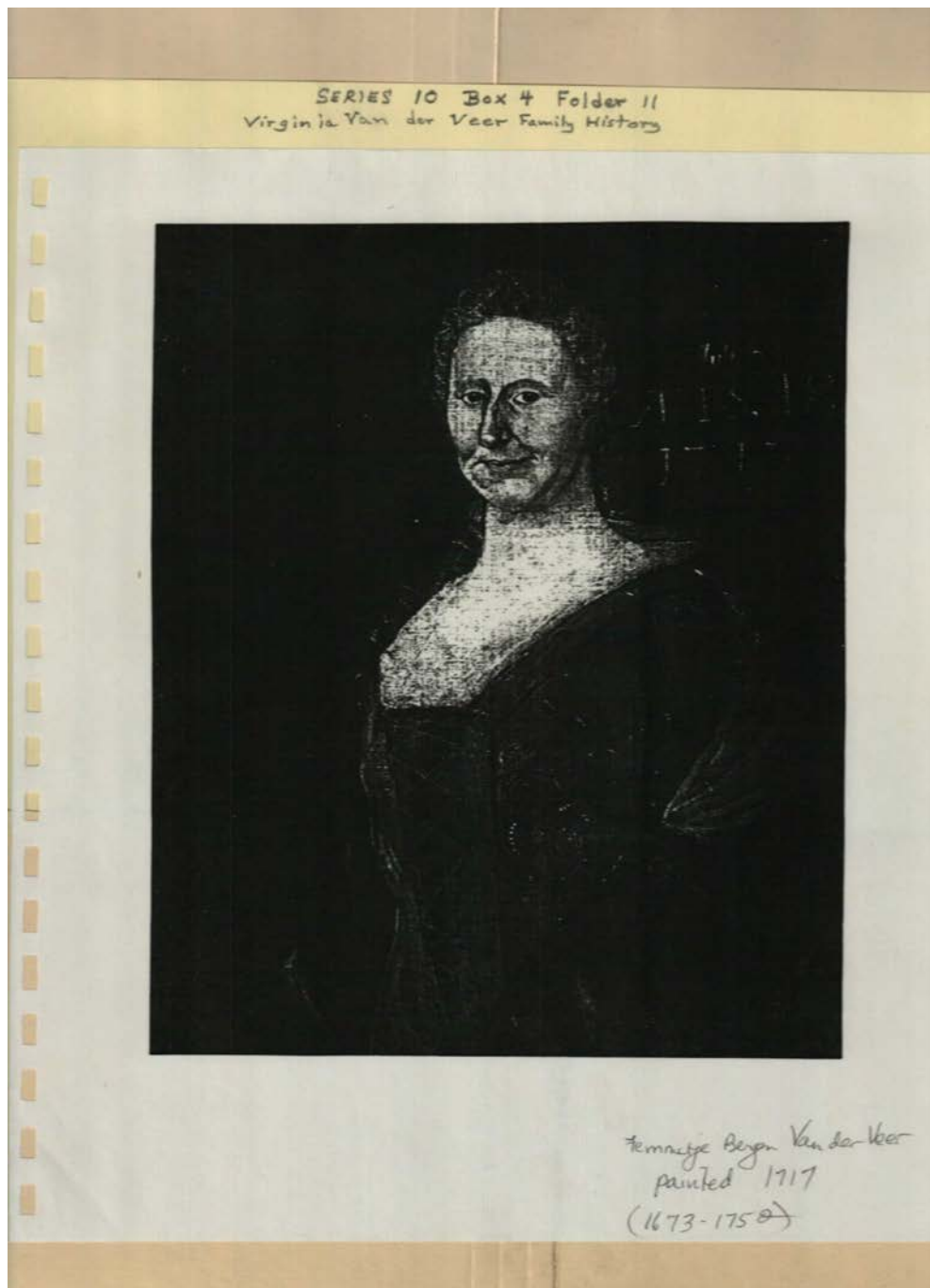
Types:

chart

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Names:

Van der Veer,
Femneje Began

Types:

painting

Dates:

1717

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Names:

Van der Veer, Eleanor
Sutphen

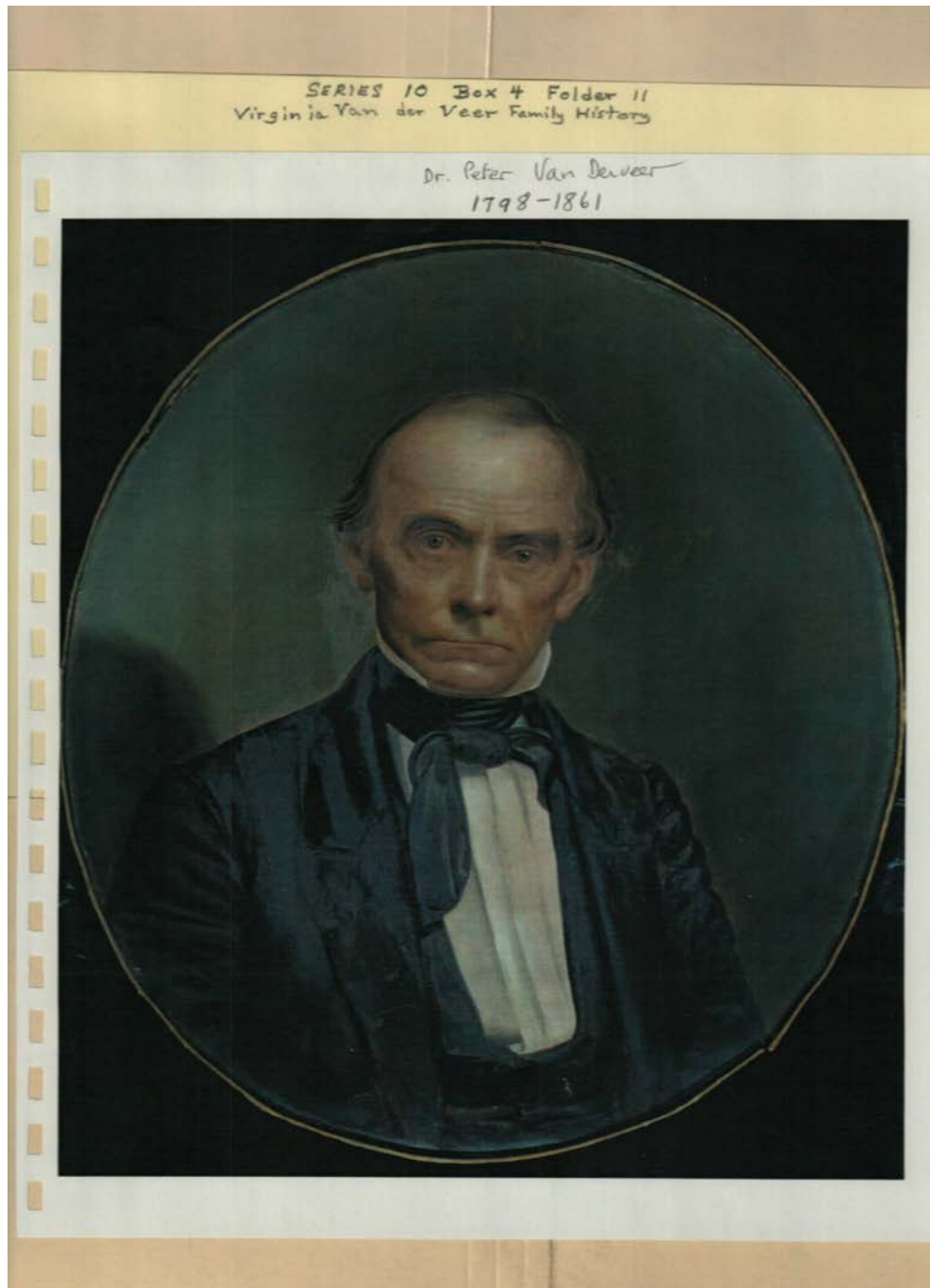
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painting

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Names:

Van de Veer, Peter,
Dr.

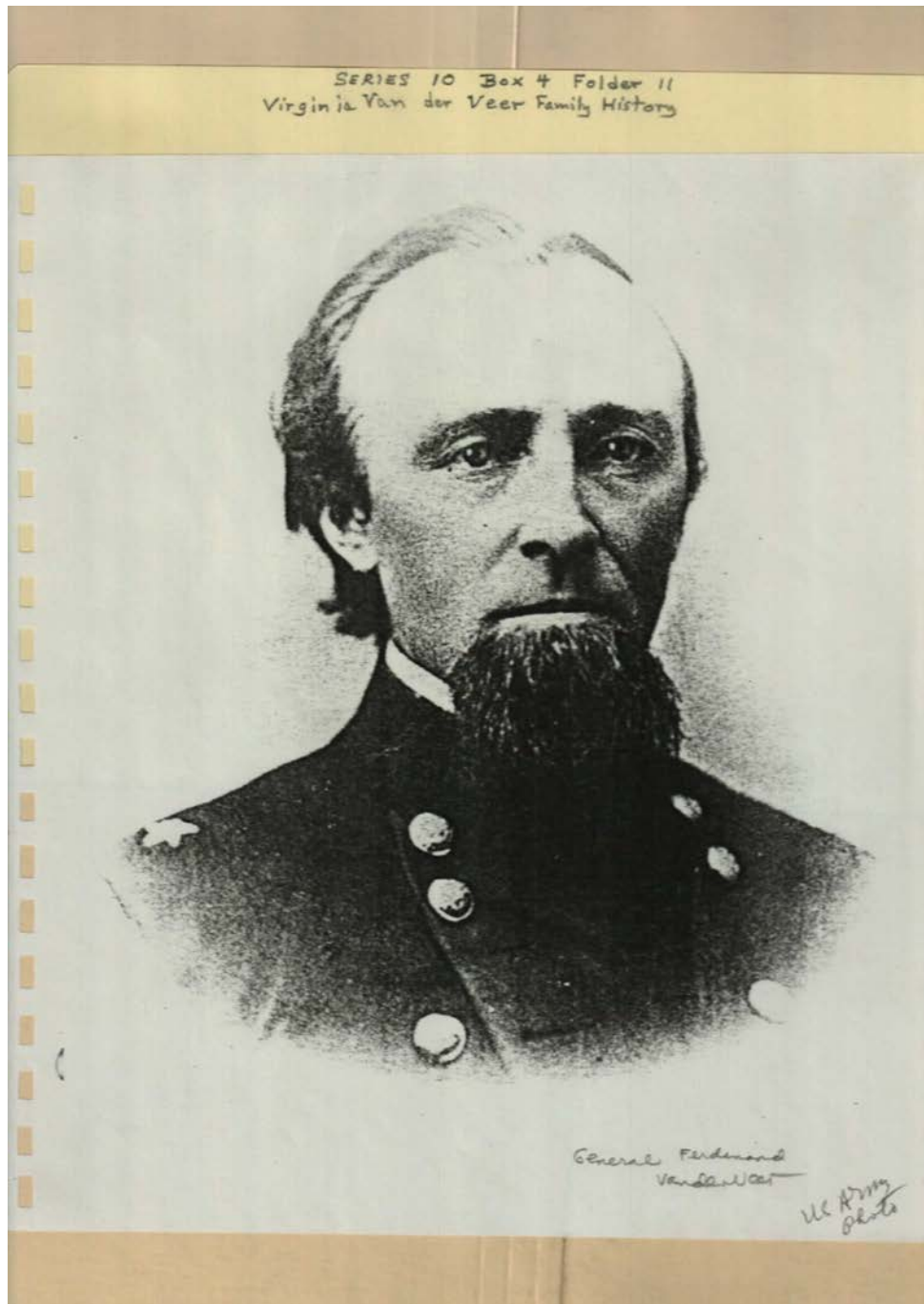
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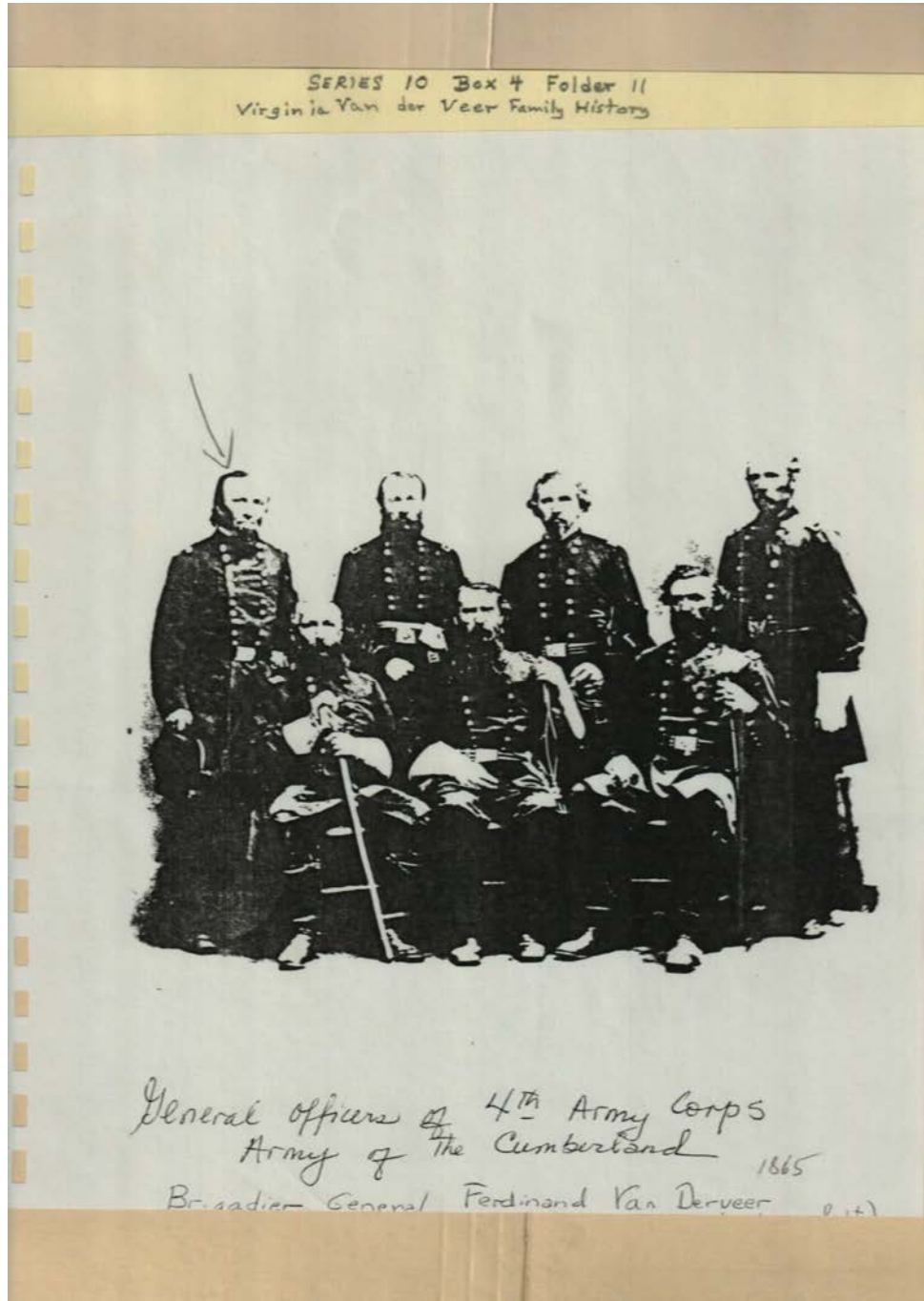


Names:

Van der Veer,
Ferdinand, General

Types:

photograph



Names:

4th Army Corps
General Officers

Van Derveer,
Ferdinand, General

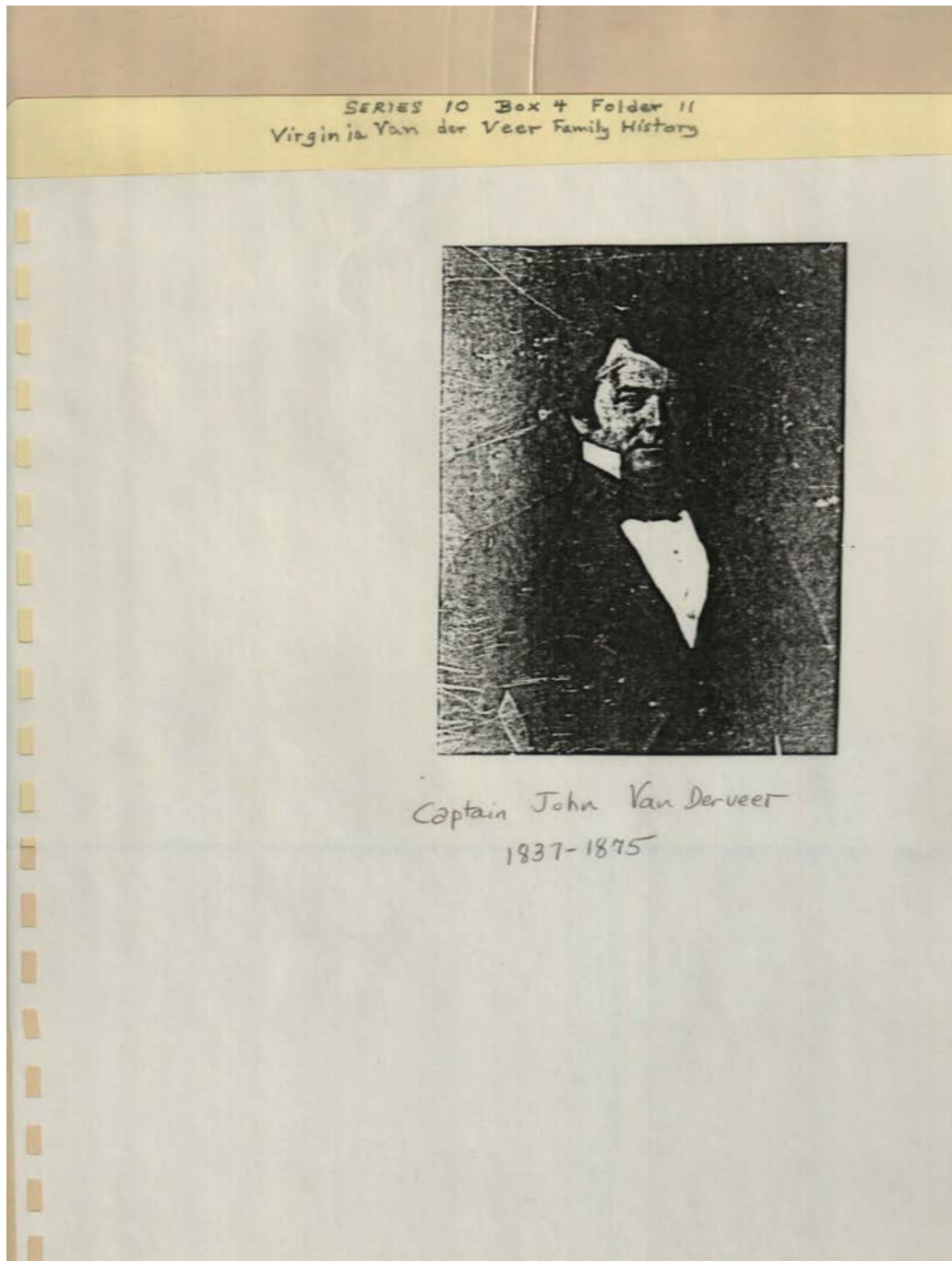
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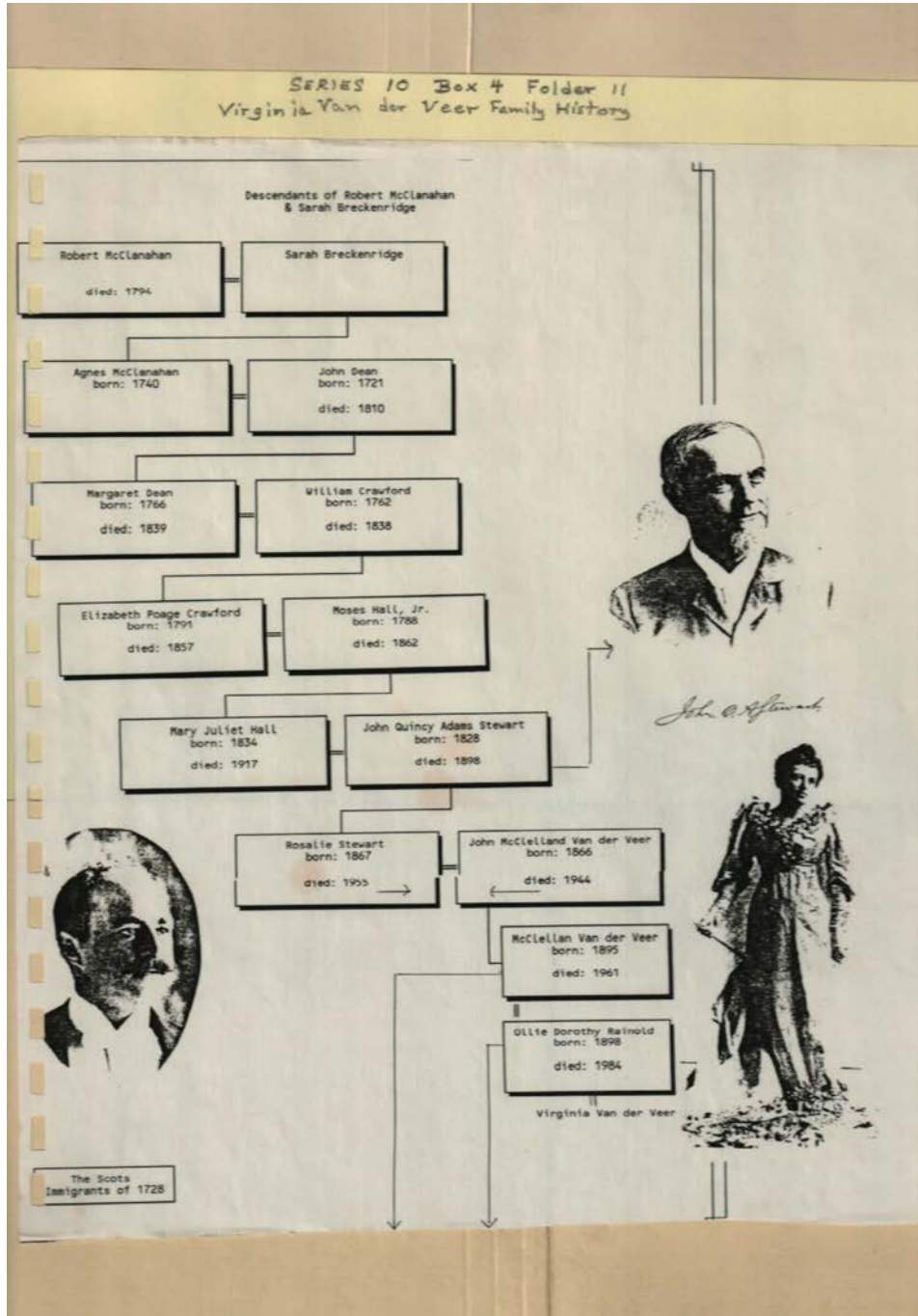


Names:

Van Derveer, John,
Captain

Types:

photograph



Names:

Breckenridge, Sarah

Descendants of
Robert McClanahan

Descendants of Sarah
Breckenridge

McClanahan, Robert

Types:

chart



Names:

, Mac

, Rose

Types:

photograph



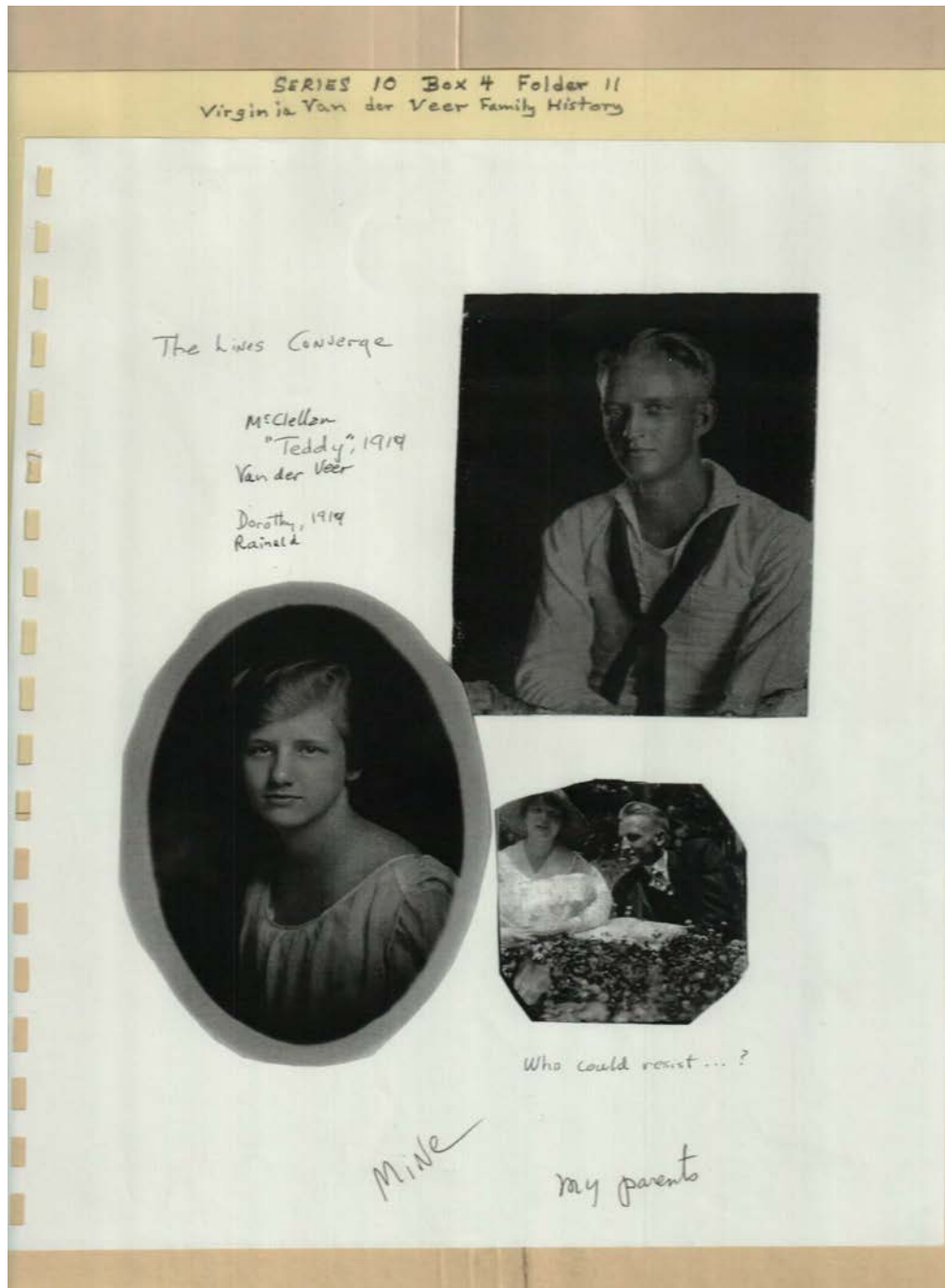
Names:

Tulane University
Basketball

Champions
Van Derveer, Teddy

Types:

photograph



Names:

Rainold, Dorothy

Van der Veer,
McClellan (Teddy)

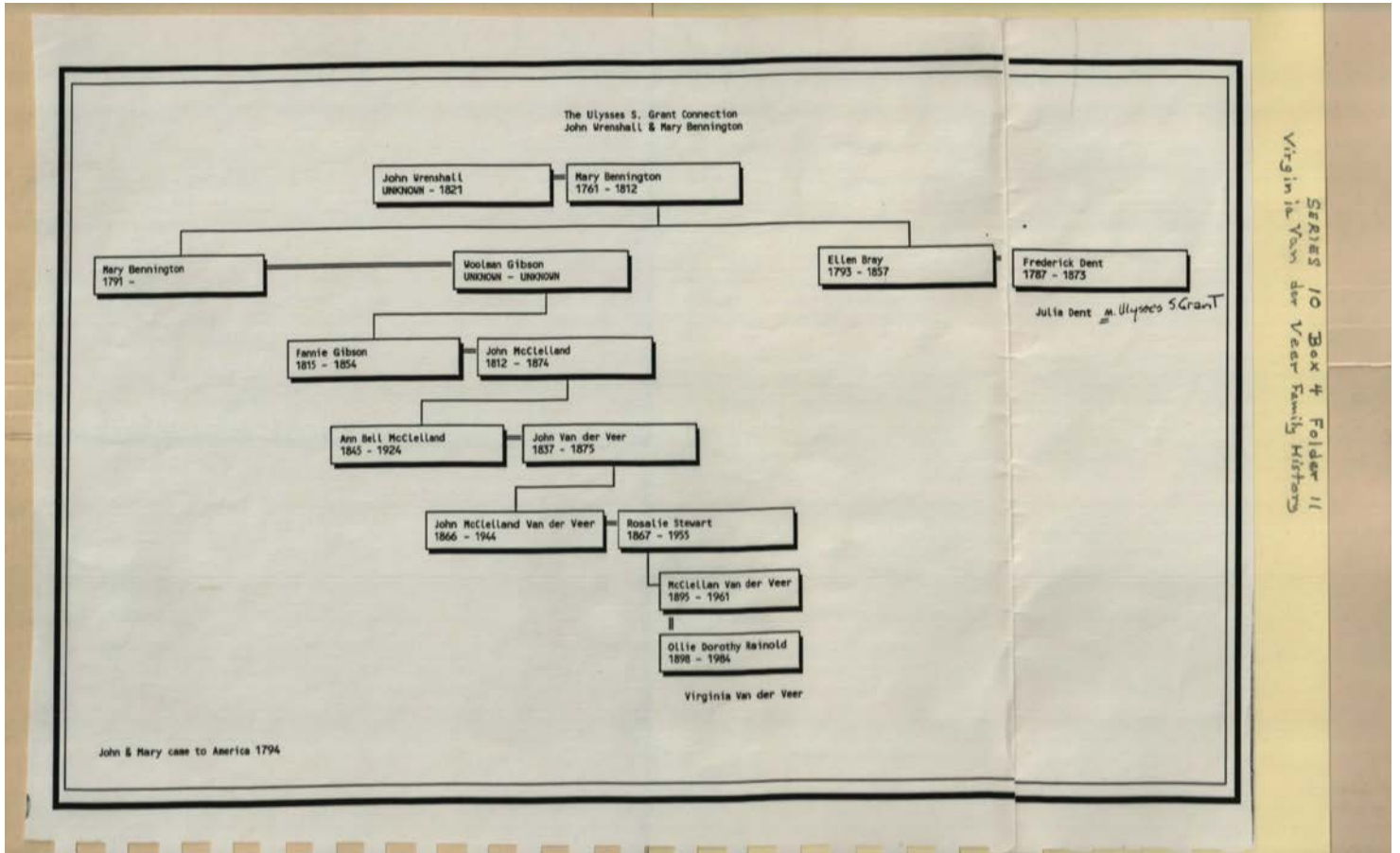
Types:

photograph

Dates:

1919

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Names:

Bennington, Mary

Descendants of John
Wrenshall

Descendants of Mary
Bennington

Grant, Ulysses S.
Wrenshall, John

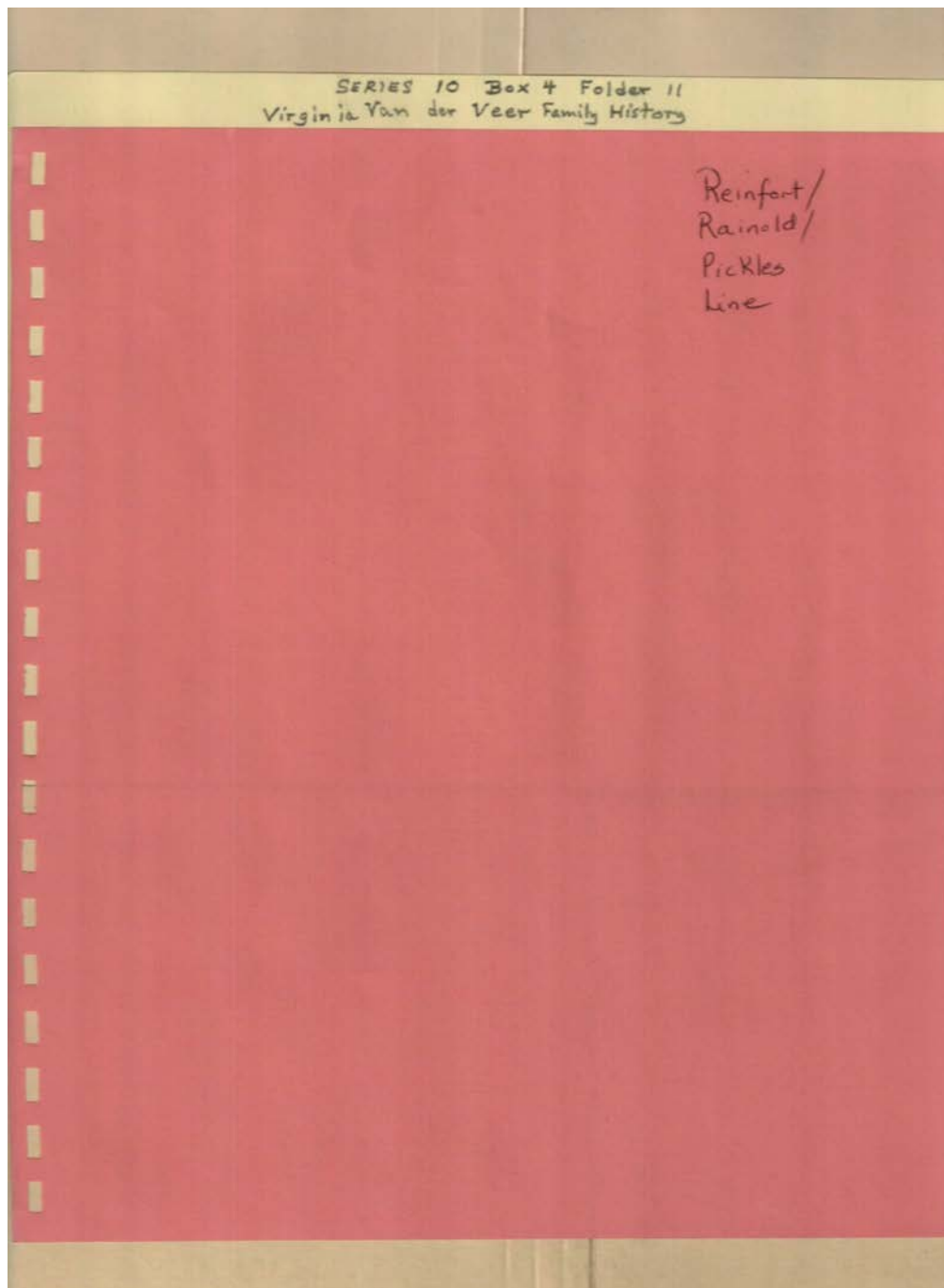
Types:

chart

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Names:

Pickles,

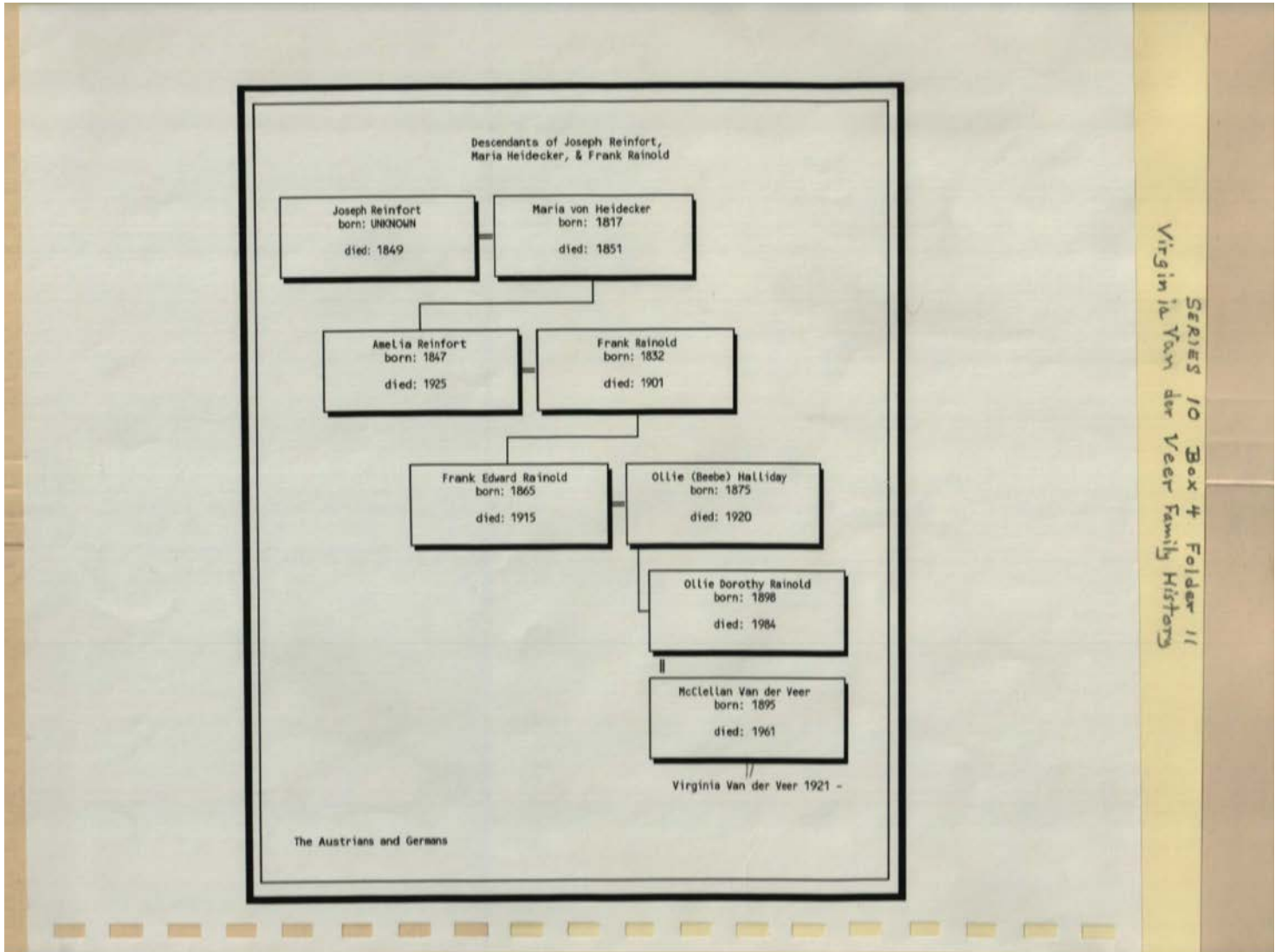
Rainold,

Reinfort,

Types:

booklet

"Virginia Van der Veer's Family History,"



Names:

Descendants of Frank Rainold

Descendants of Joseph Reinfort

Descendants of Maria Heidecker, Maria

Rainold, Frank Reinfort, Joseph

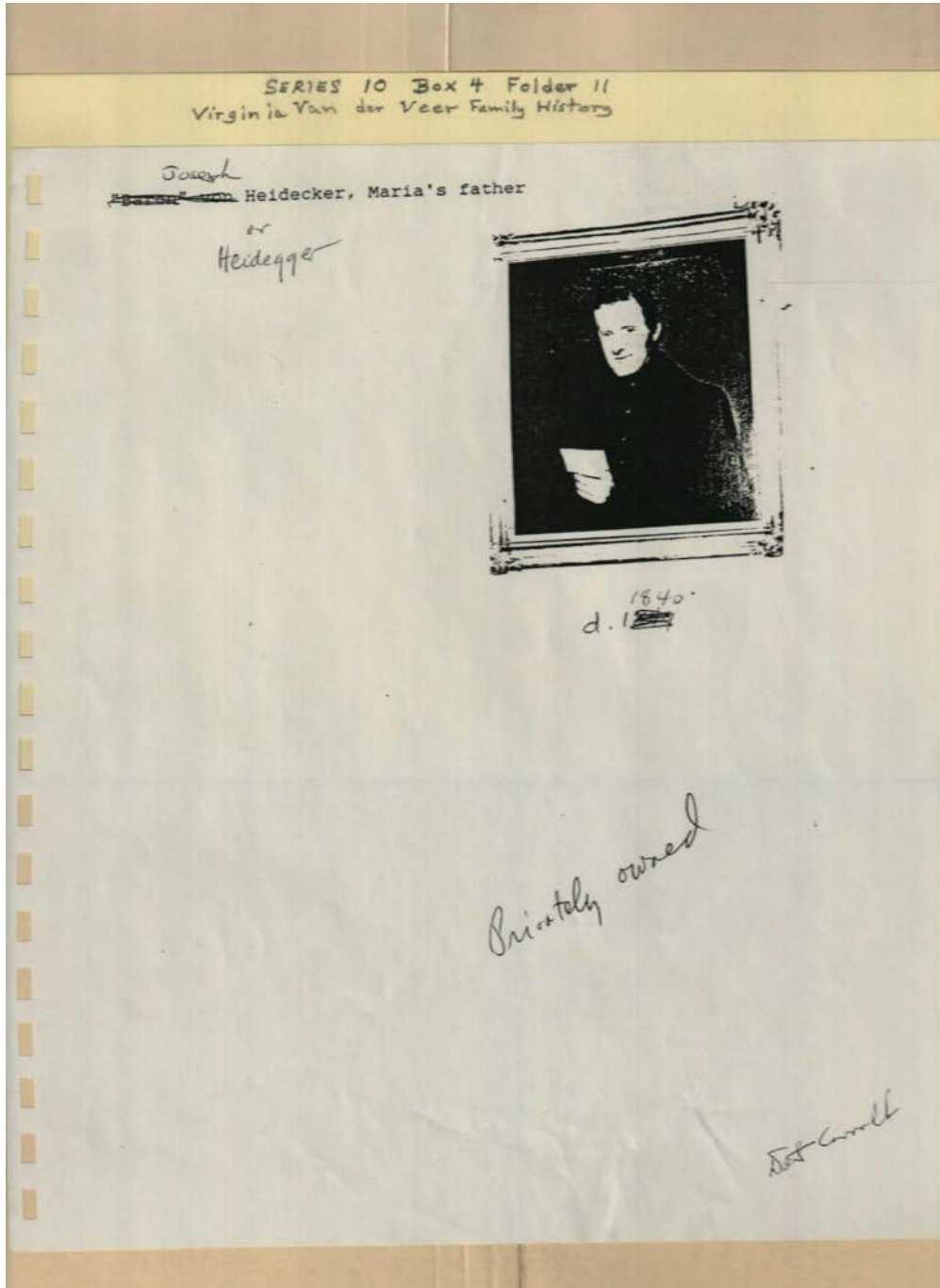
Types:

chart

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"Virginia Van der Veer's Family History,"

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Names:

Heidecker, Joseph

Heidecker, Maria

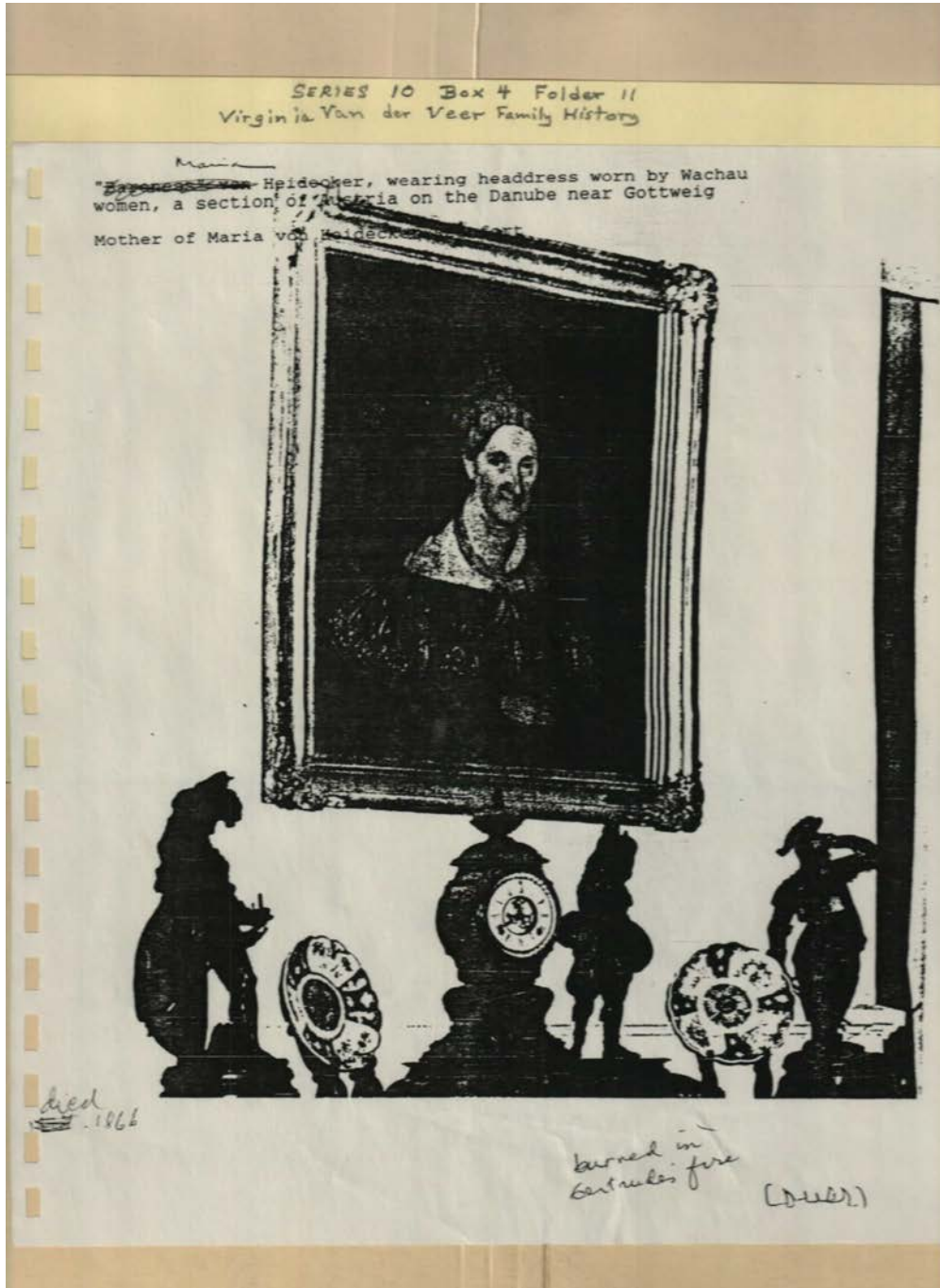
Types:

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Dates:

1840

"Virginia Van der Veer's Family History,"



Names:

Heidecker, Maria

von Heidecker, Maria

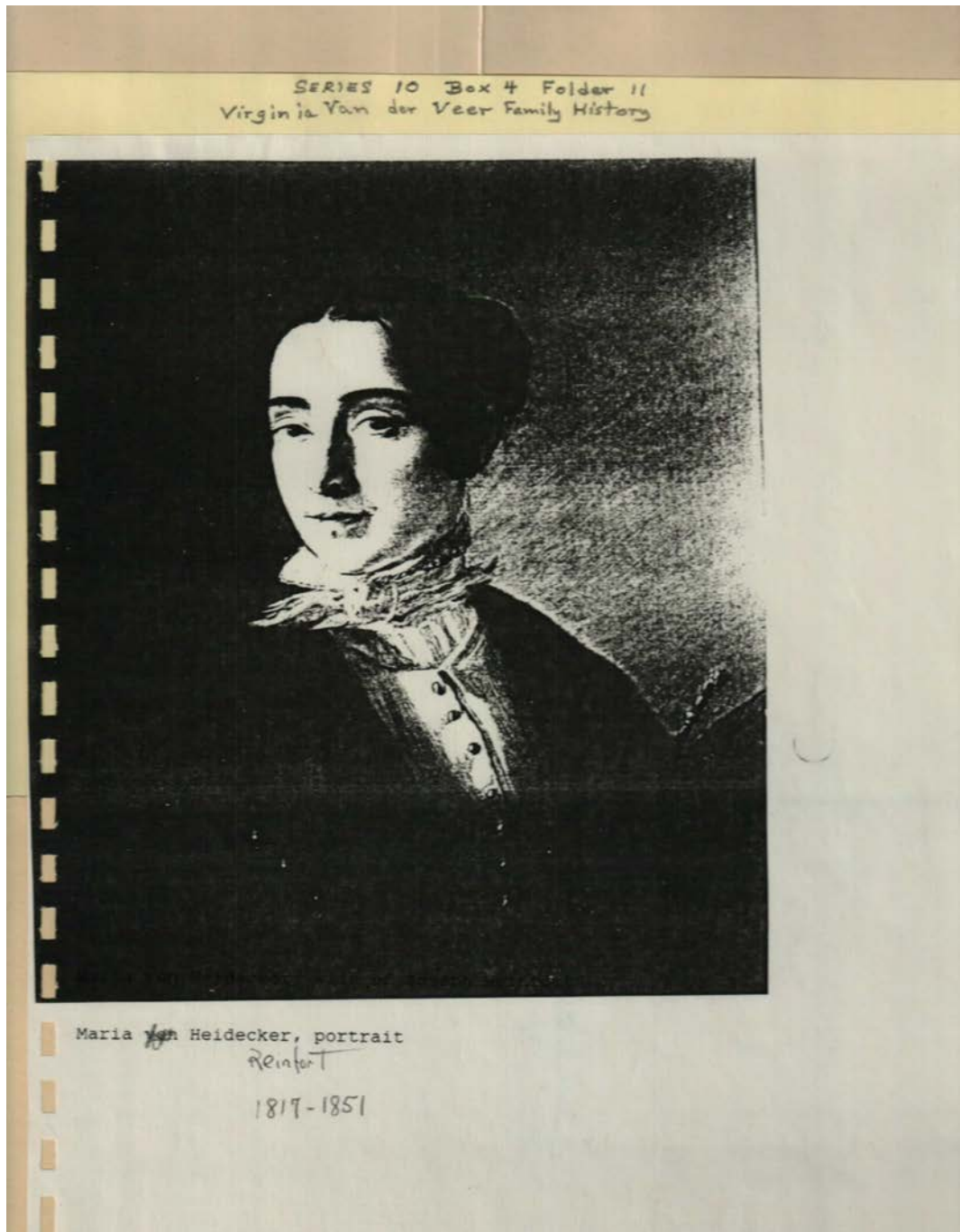
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"Virginia Van der Veer's Family History,"

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Names:

Heidecker, Maria

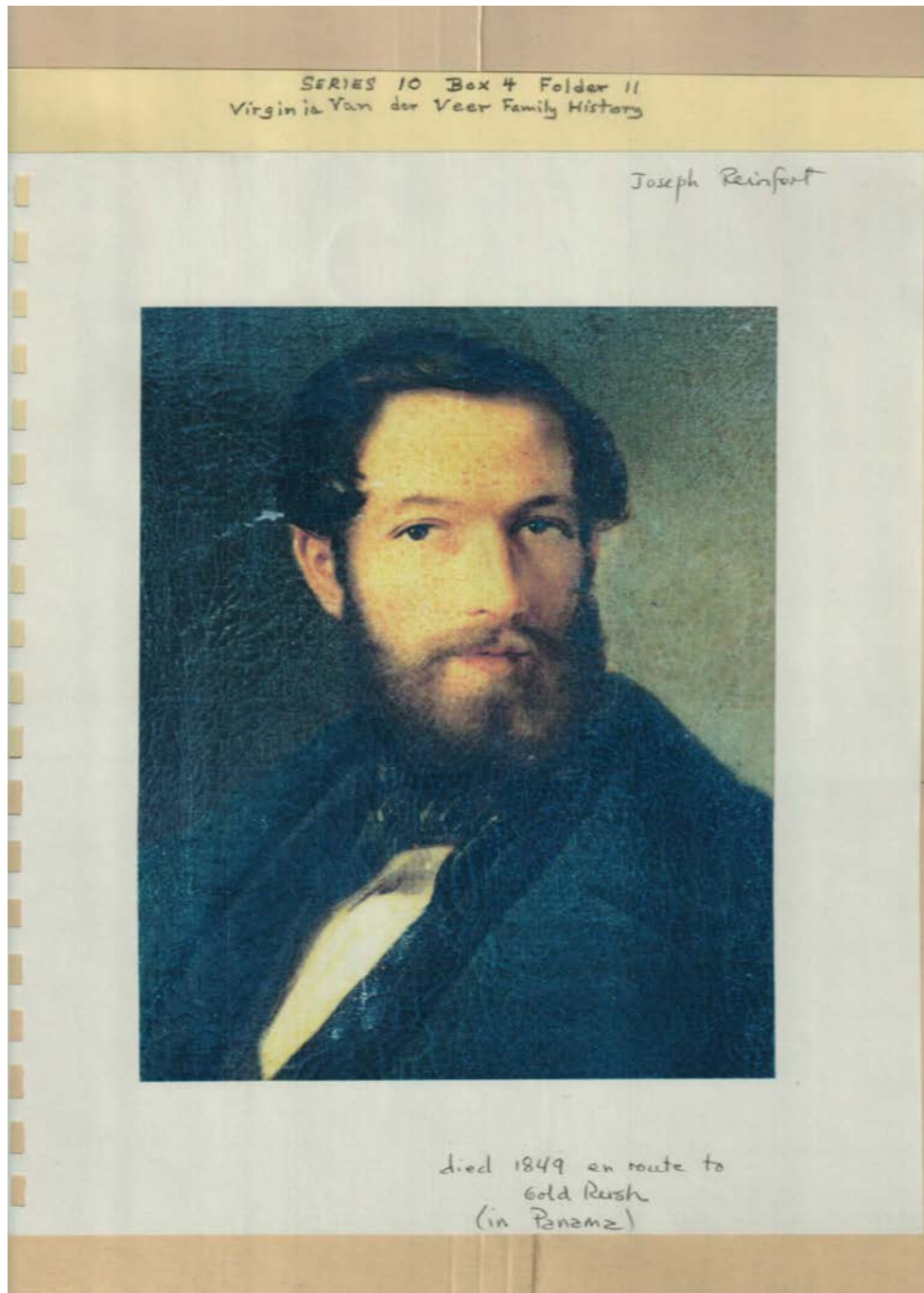
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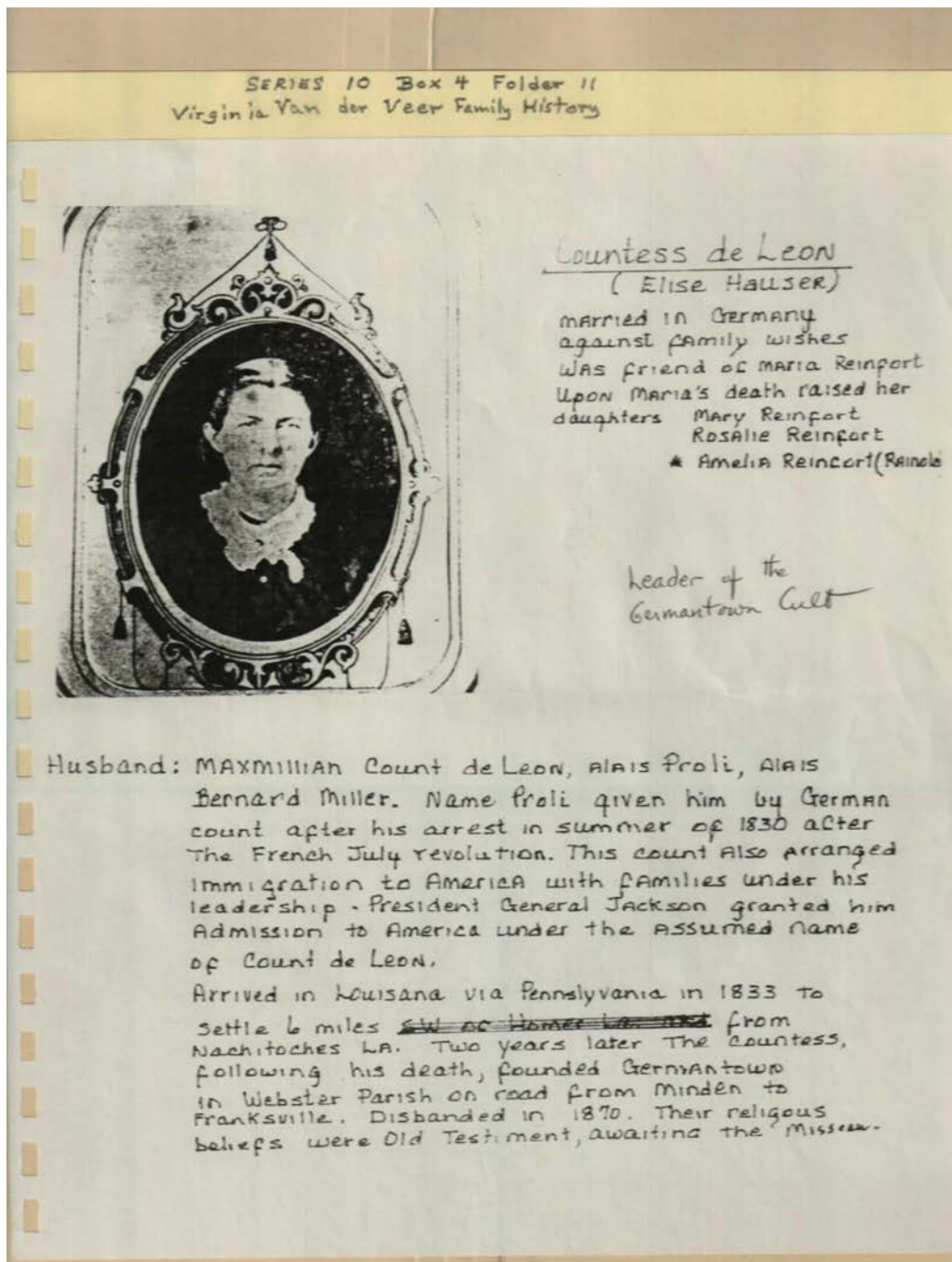


Names:

Reinfort, Joseph

Types:

painting



Names:

Hallser, Elise
Jackson, President &
General

Miller, Bernard
Reinfort, Amelia
Reinfort, Mary

Reinfort, Rosalie
Reinfort, Maria
de Leon, Countess

de Leon, Maxmillian
Count (Proli)

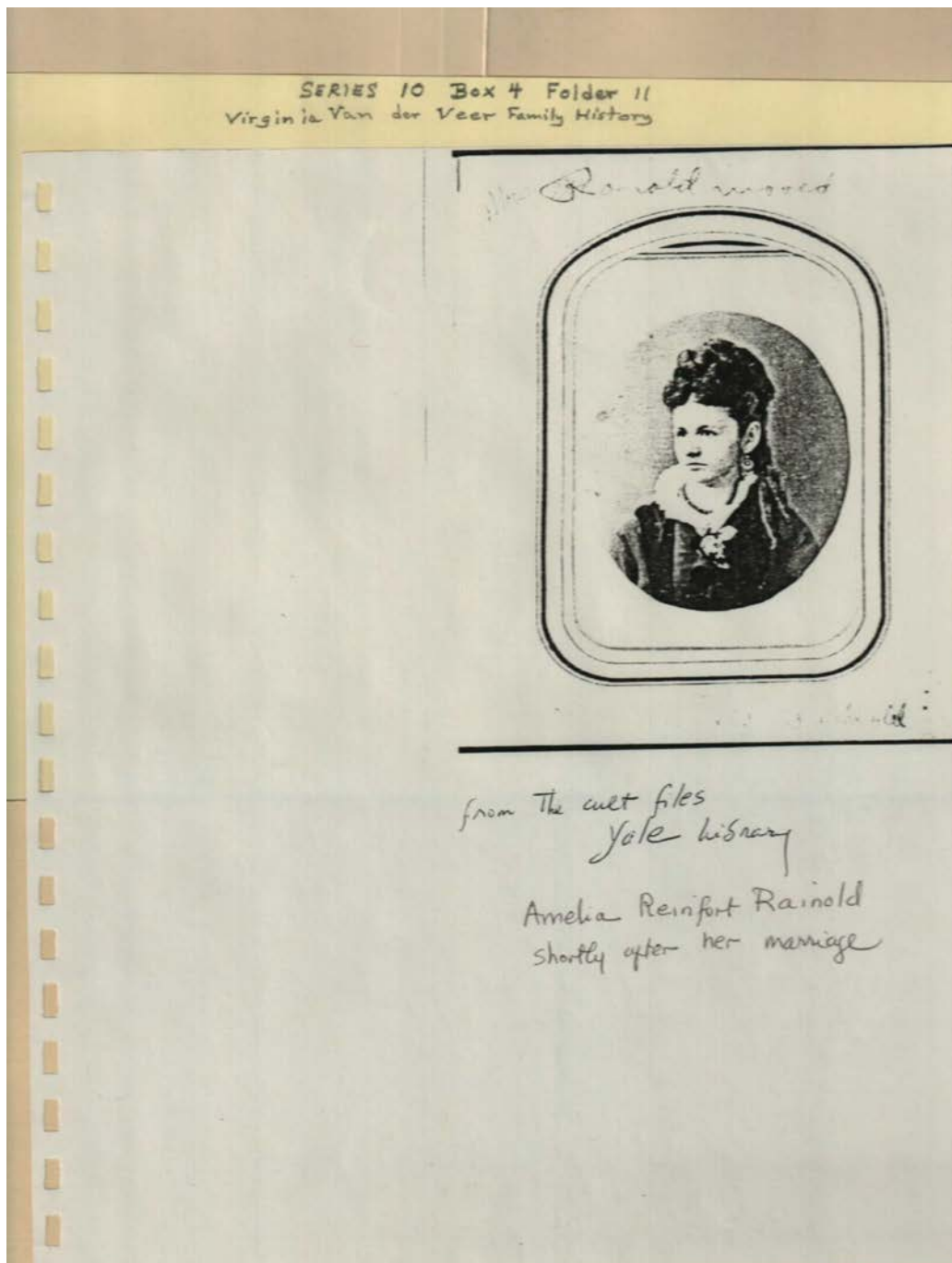
Types:

biography

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Names:

Rainold, Amelia
Reinfort

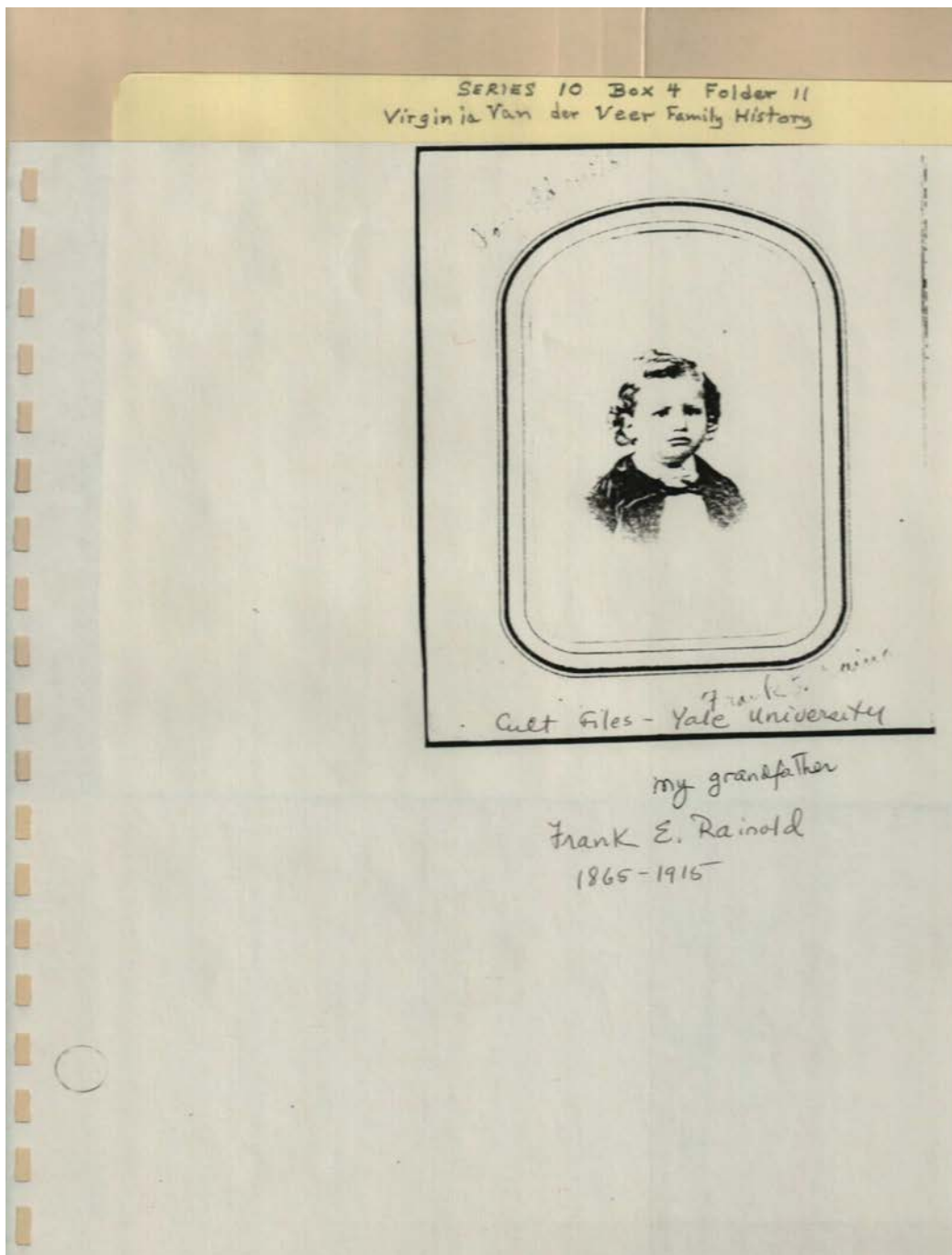
Types:

photograph

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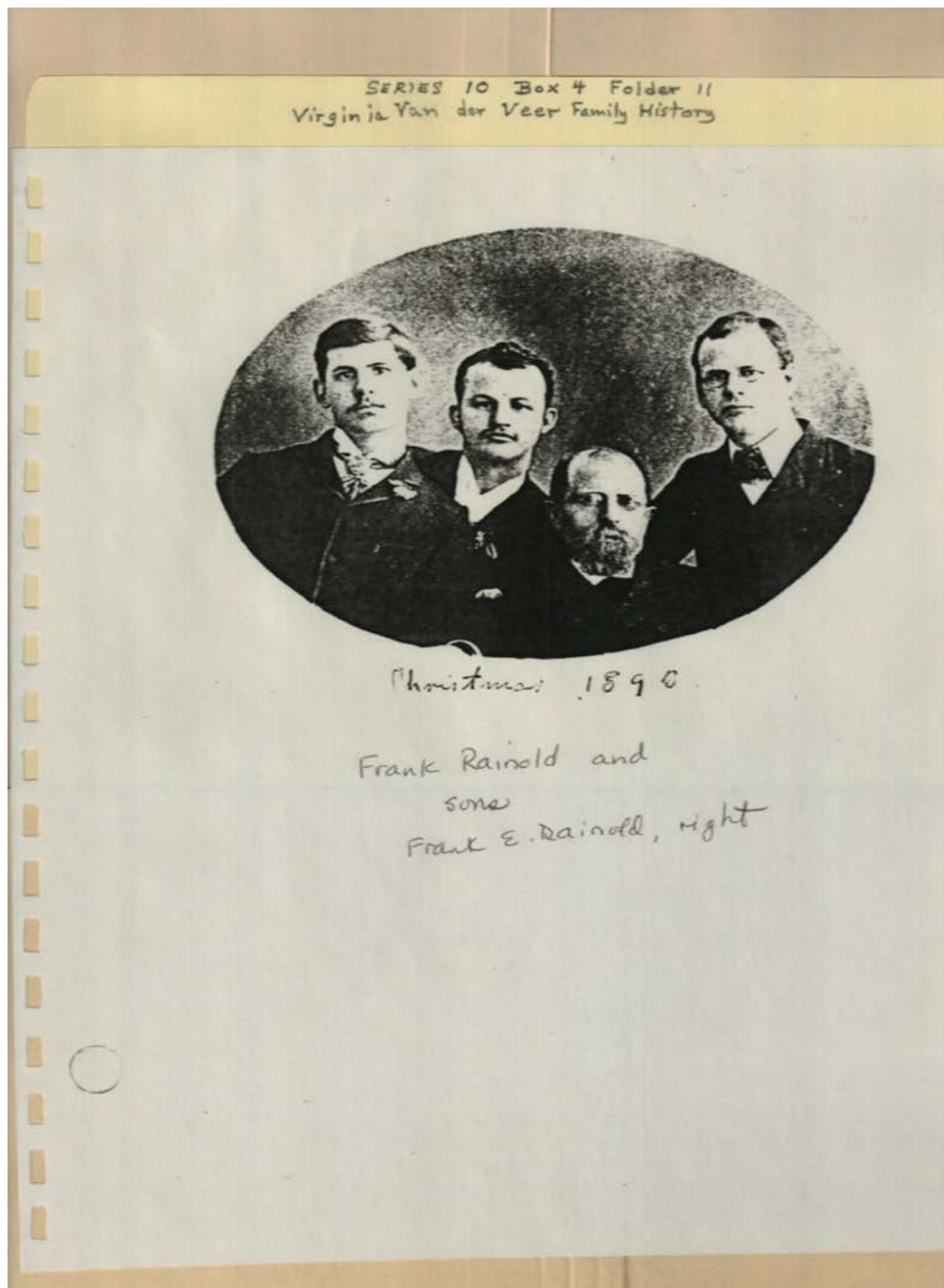


Names:

Rainold, Frank E.

Types:

photograph



Names:

Rainold, Frank

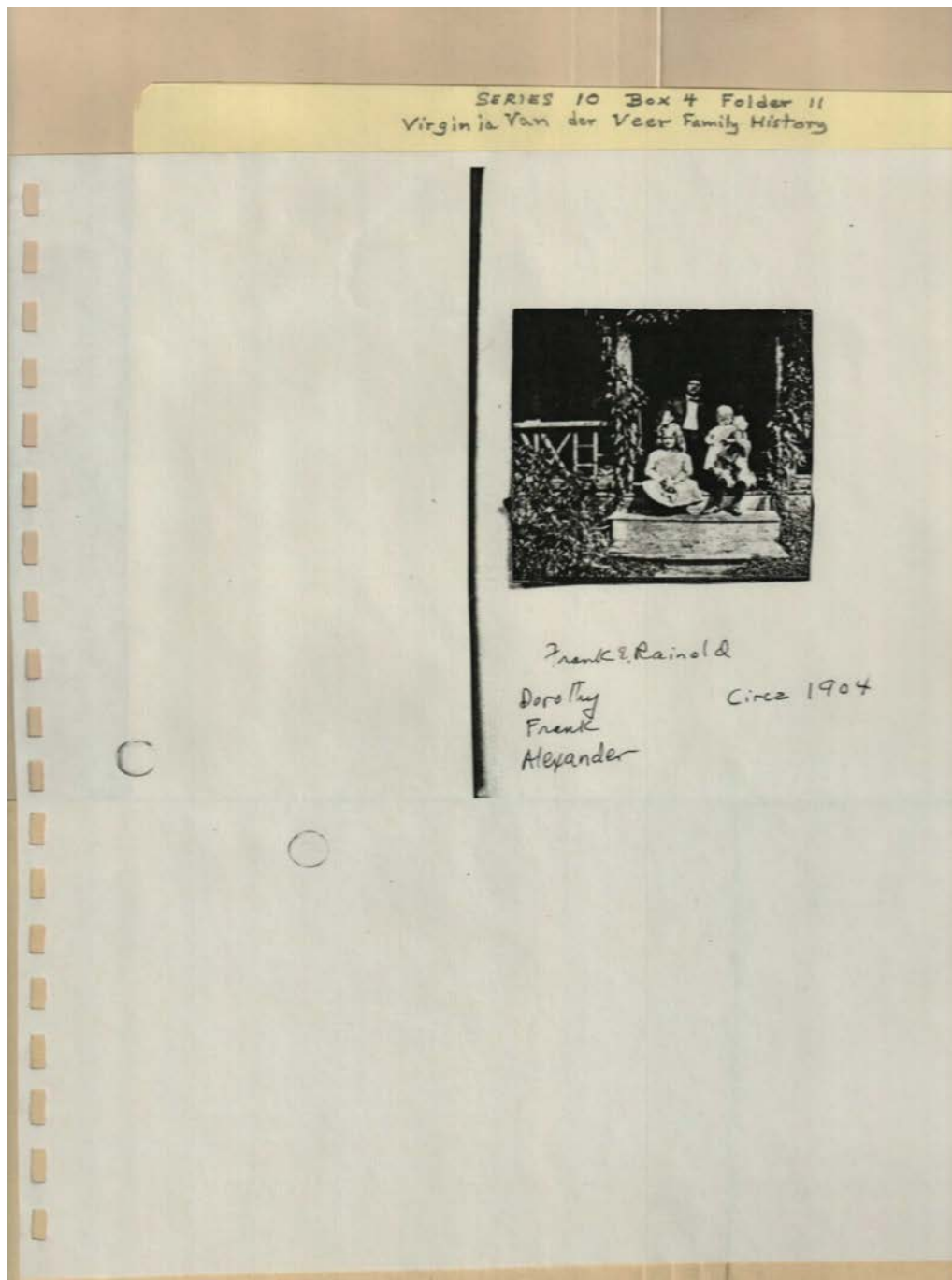
Rainold, Frank E.

Types:

photograph

Dates:

Dec 1890



Names:

, Alexander

, Dorothy

Rainold, Frank E.

Types:

photograph

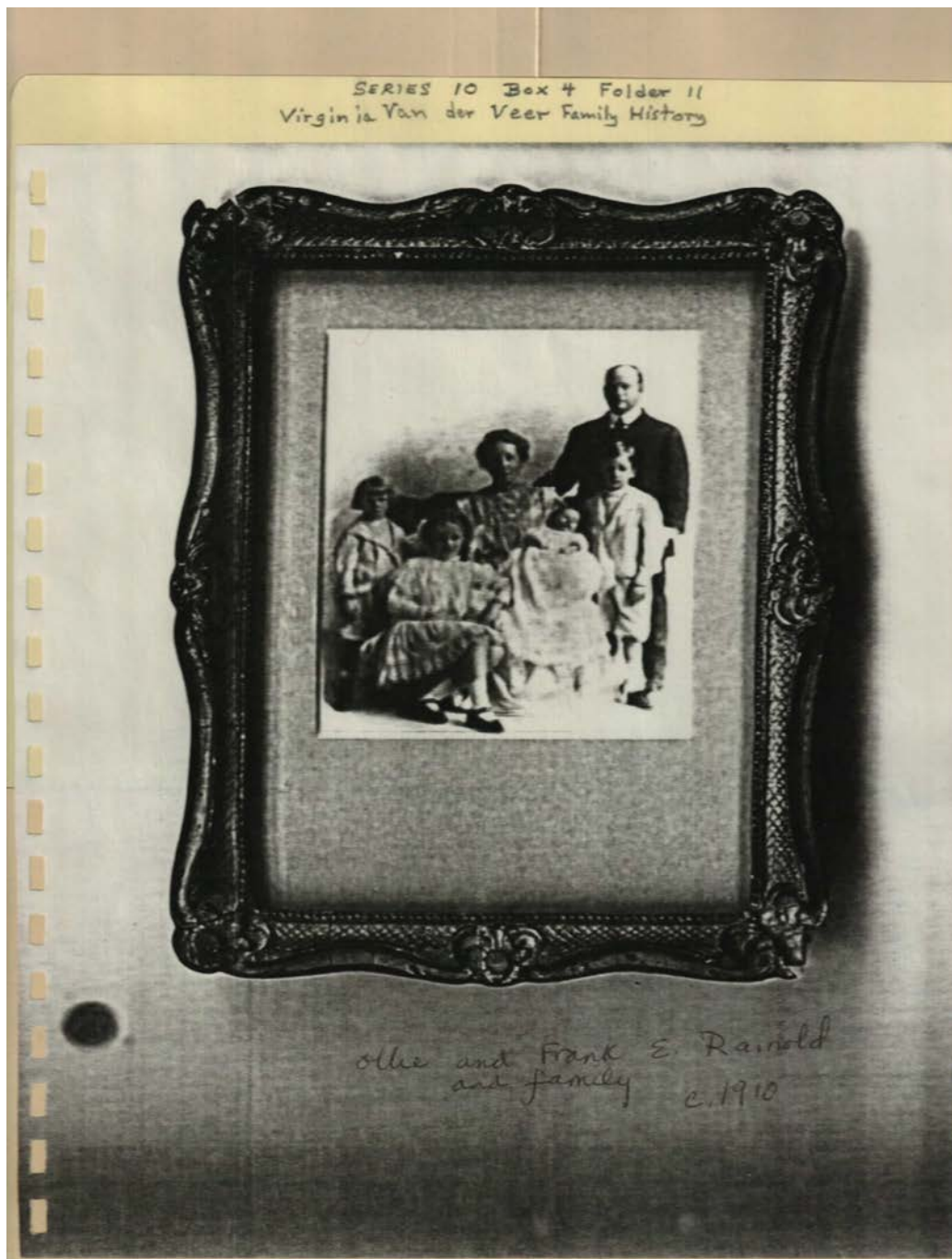
Dates:

1904

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Names:

Rainold, Frank E.

Rainold, Ollie

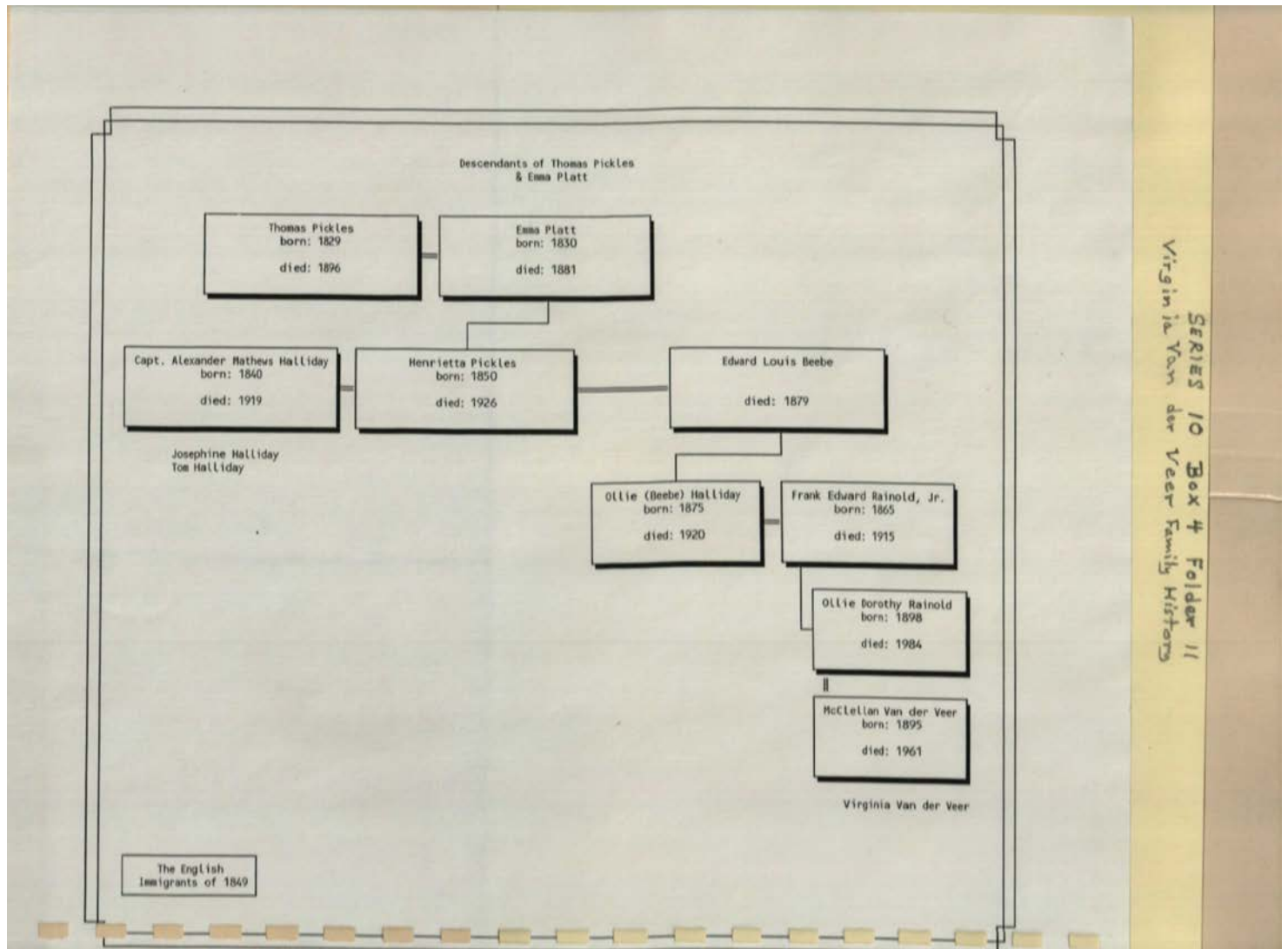
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Dates:

1910

"Virginia Van der Veer's Family History,"



Names:

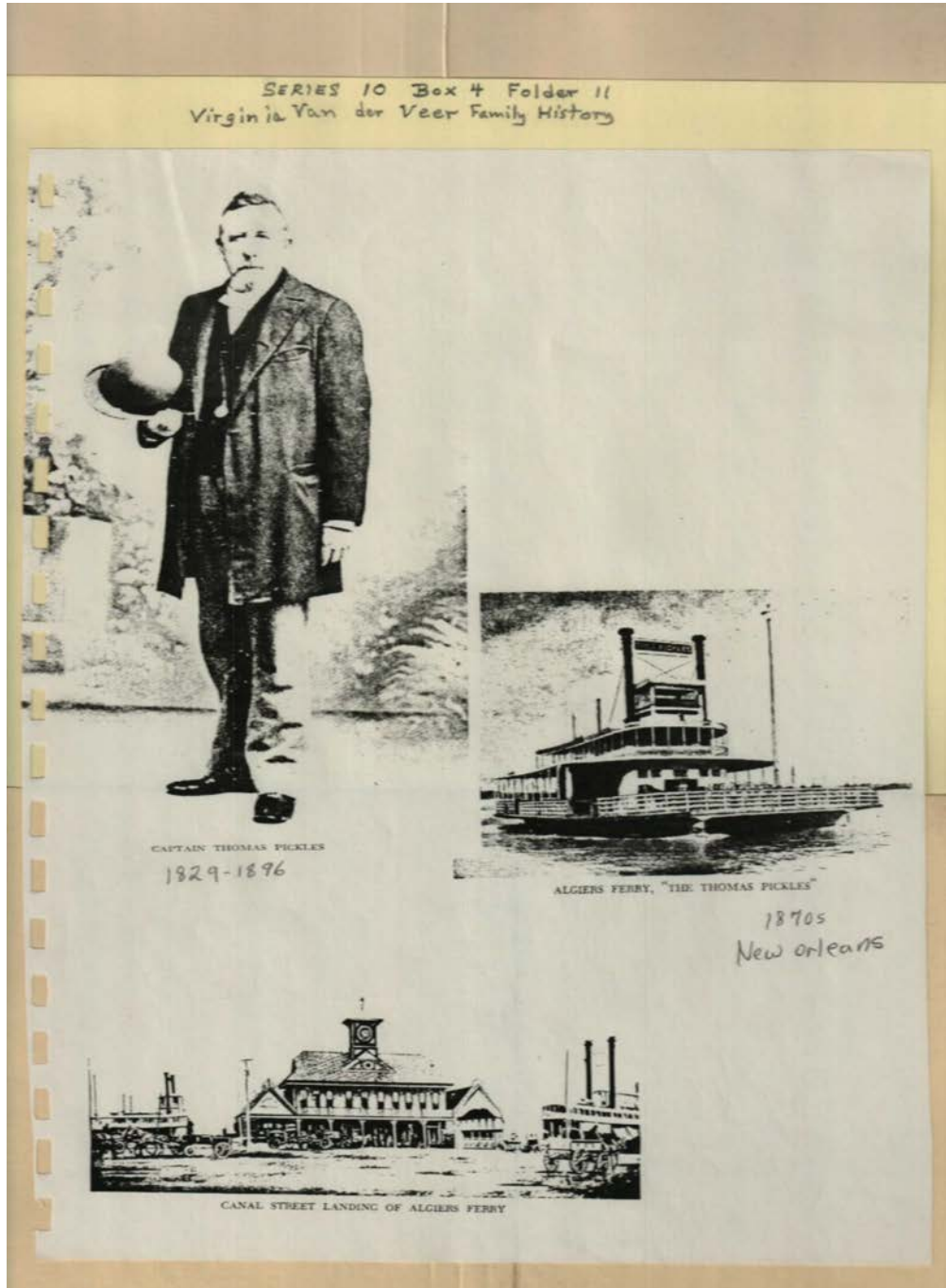
Descendants of
Emma Platt

Descendants of
Thomas Pickles

Pickles, Thomas
Platt, Emma

Types:

chart



Names:

Algiers Ferry Boat

Pickles, Thomas,
Captain

Types:

photograph



Names:

Halliday, A. M.,
Captain

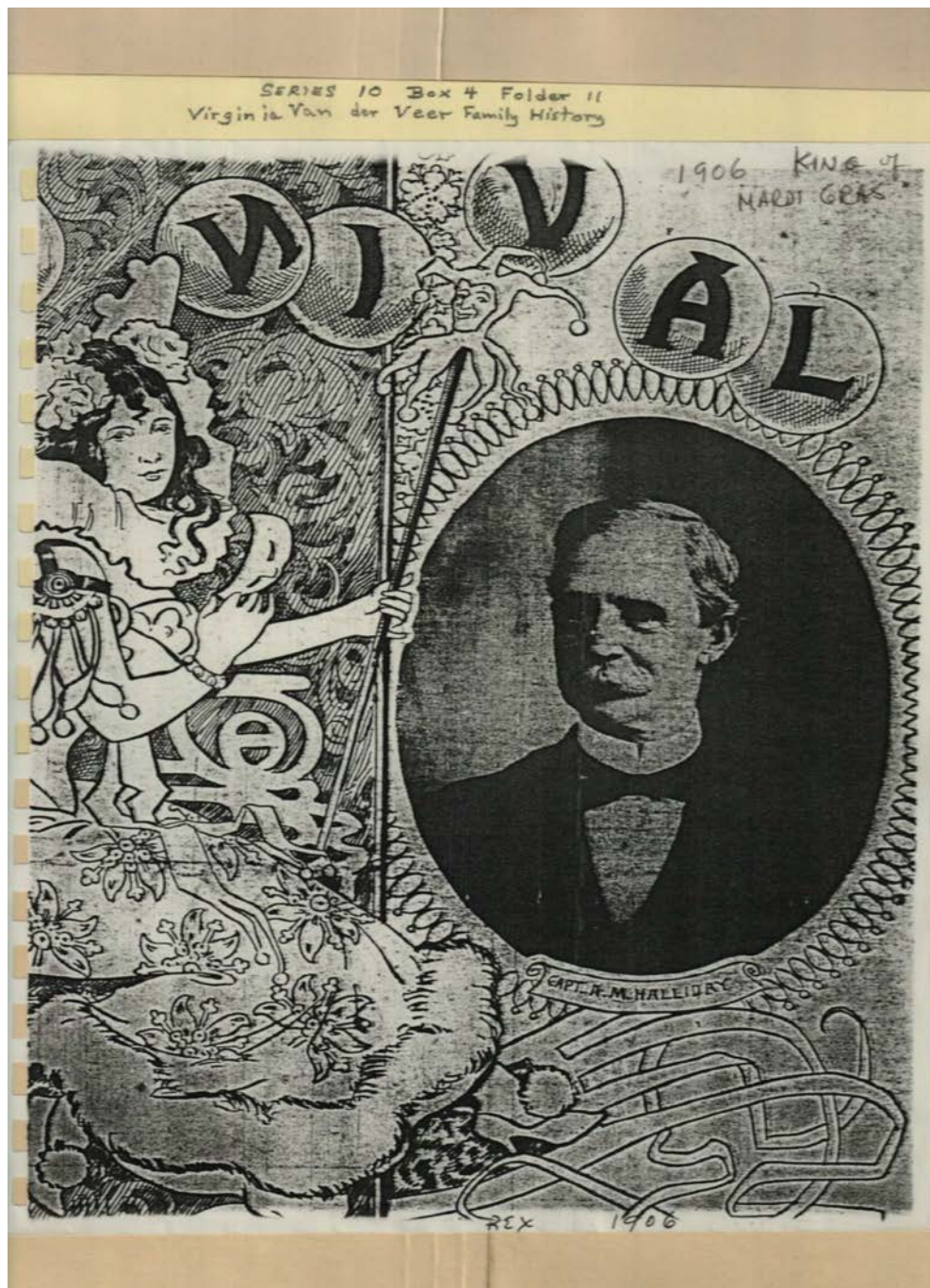
Types:

drawing

Frances Cabaniss Roberts Collection: Series 10, Box 4, Folder 11

"Virginia Van der Veer's Family History,"

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Names:

Halliday, A. M.,
Captain

Types:

photograph

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"Virginia Van der Veer's Family History,"

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Names:

Halliday, Henrietta

Pickles

Types:

photograph

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"Virginia Van der Veer's Family History,"

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Names:

Halliday, Ollie

Pickles

Types:

photograph



Names:

Potter, Ruth B.
Prentiss, M. Eleanor

Prior, Helen
Prugh, Mildred W.

Putney, M. Beatrice
Rainold, Dorothy

Types:

photograph



Names:

Rainold, Dorothy

Van der Veer,
McClellan (Teddy)

Types:

photograph

Dates:

1919

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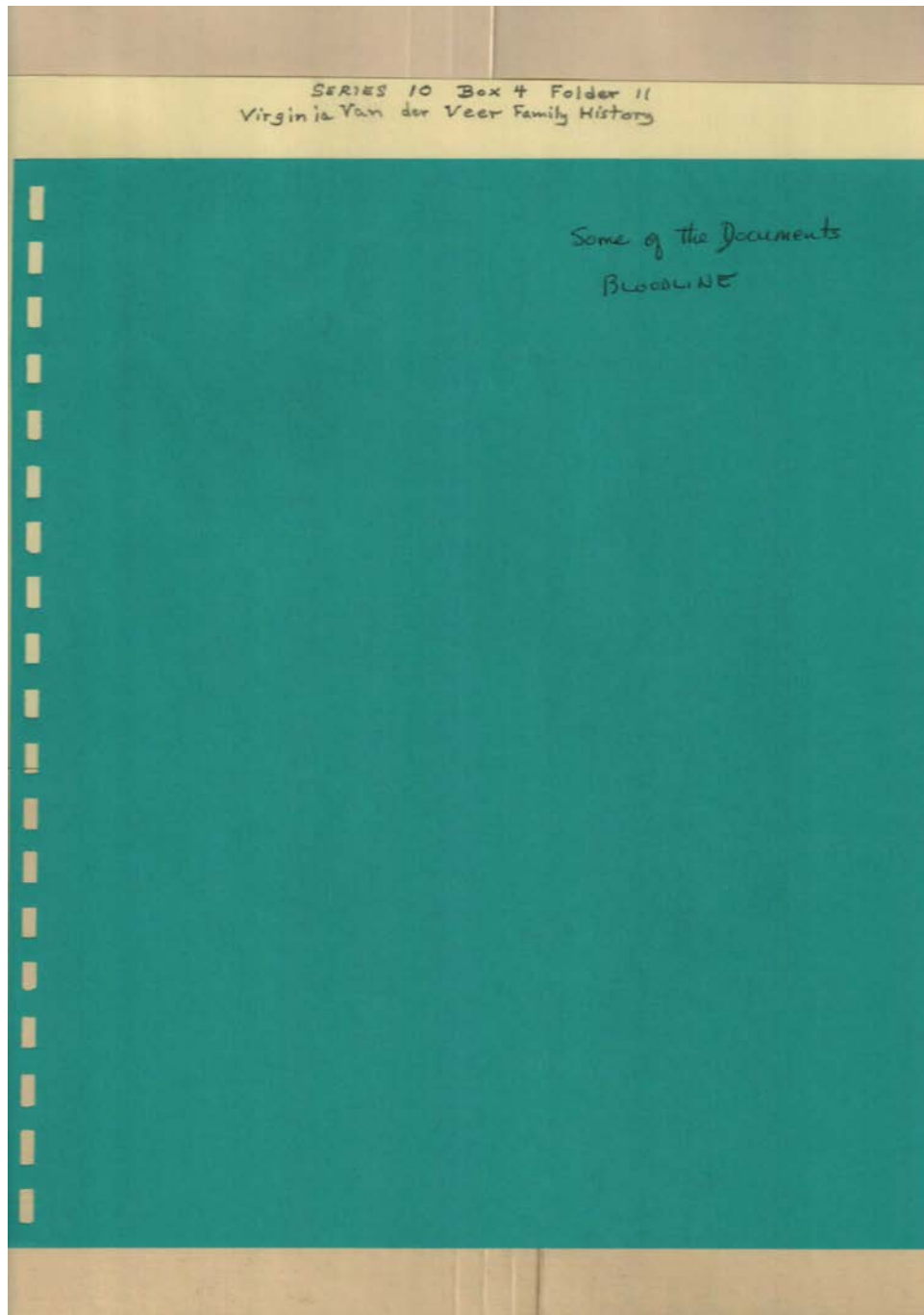
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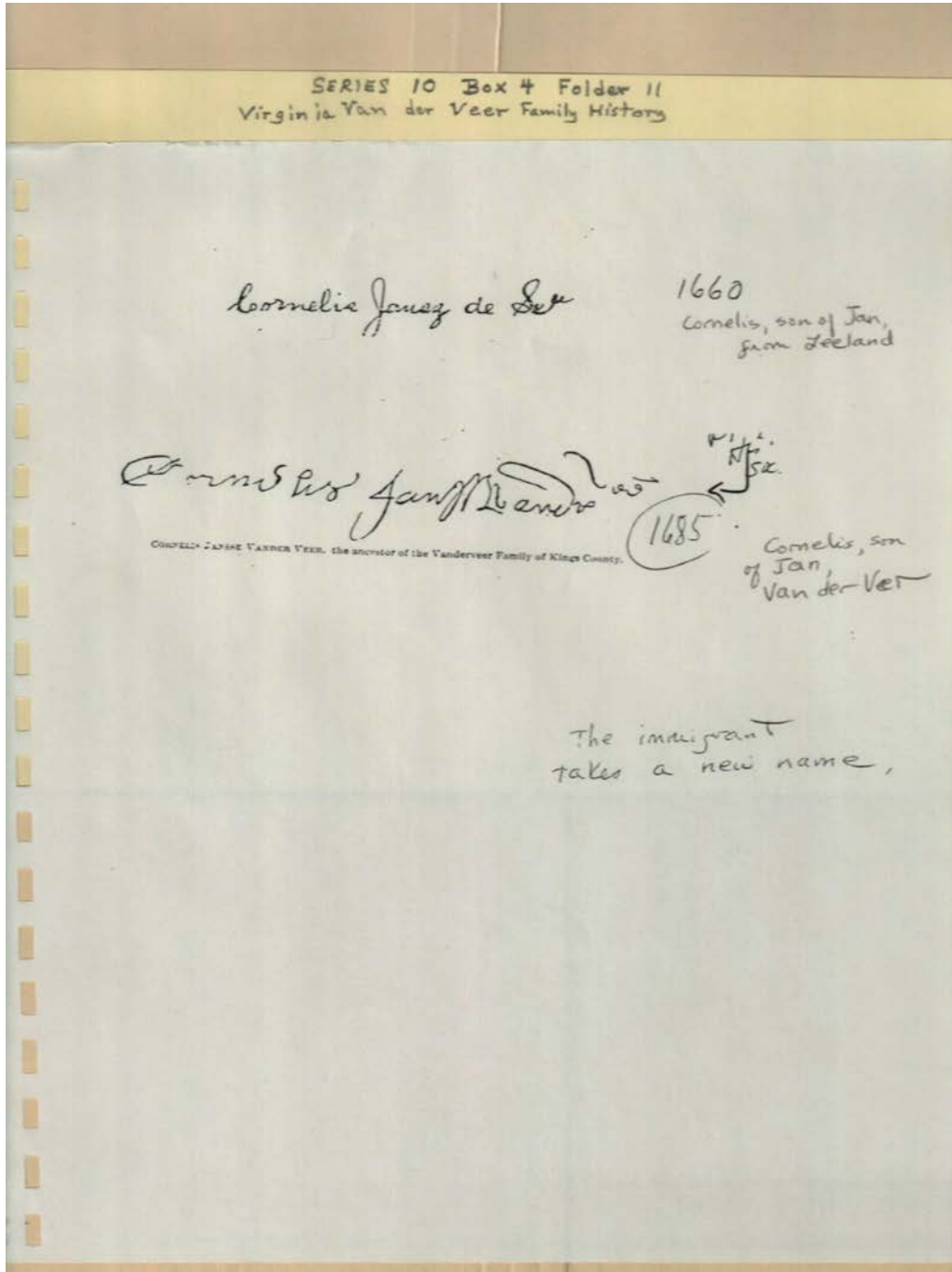
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Types:

booklet



Names:

Vander Veer, Cornelis

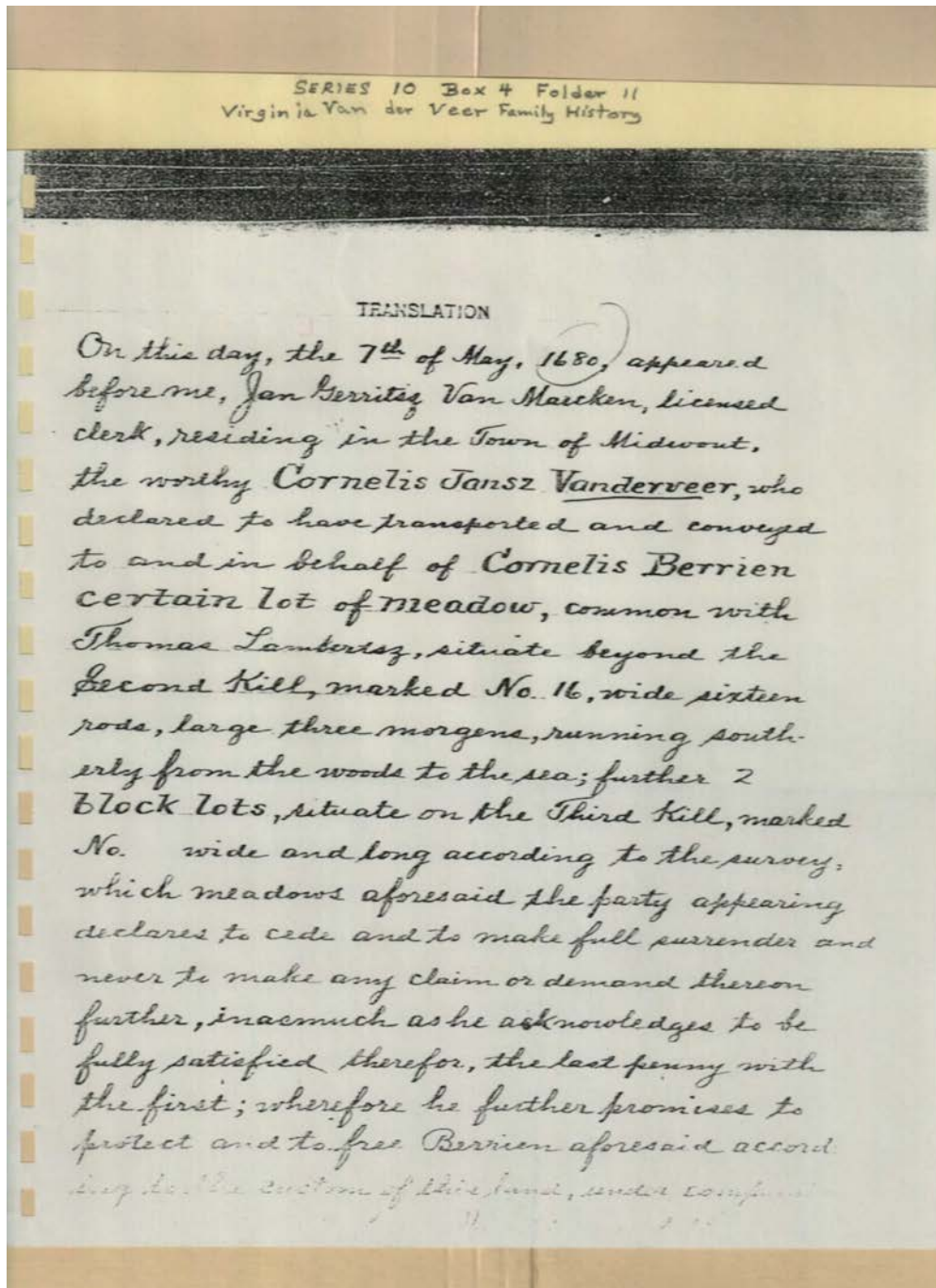
Jansse

de Sale, Cornelis

Jansz

Types:

signature



Names:

Berrien, Cornelis
Lambertsz, Thomas

Van Marcken, Jan
Gerritsz

Vanderveer, Cornelius
Jansz

Types:

deed

Dates:

May 07, 1680

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erly from the woods to the sea; further 2
Block lots, situate on the Third Kill, marked
No. wide and long according to the survey,
which meadows aforesaid the party appearing
declares to cede and to make full surrender and
never to make any claim or demand thereon
further, inasmuch as he acknowledges to be
fully satisfied therefor, the last penny with
the first; wherefore he further promises to
protect and to free Berrien aforesaid accord-
ing to the custom of this land, under compulsion
as according to law. In witness of the truth
signed with his own hand, at Midwout, as
above.

Cornelis Janssen Sees.

Witnesses:
Mynne Johannes.
Jan Ramsen.

Known to me.
J. G. V. Marcken, Clerk.

Names:

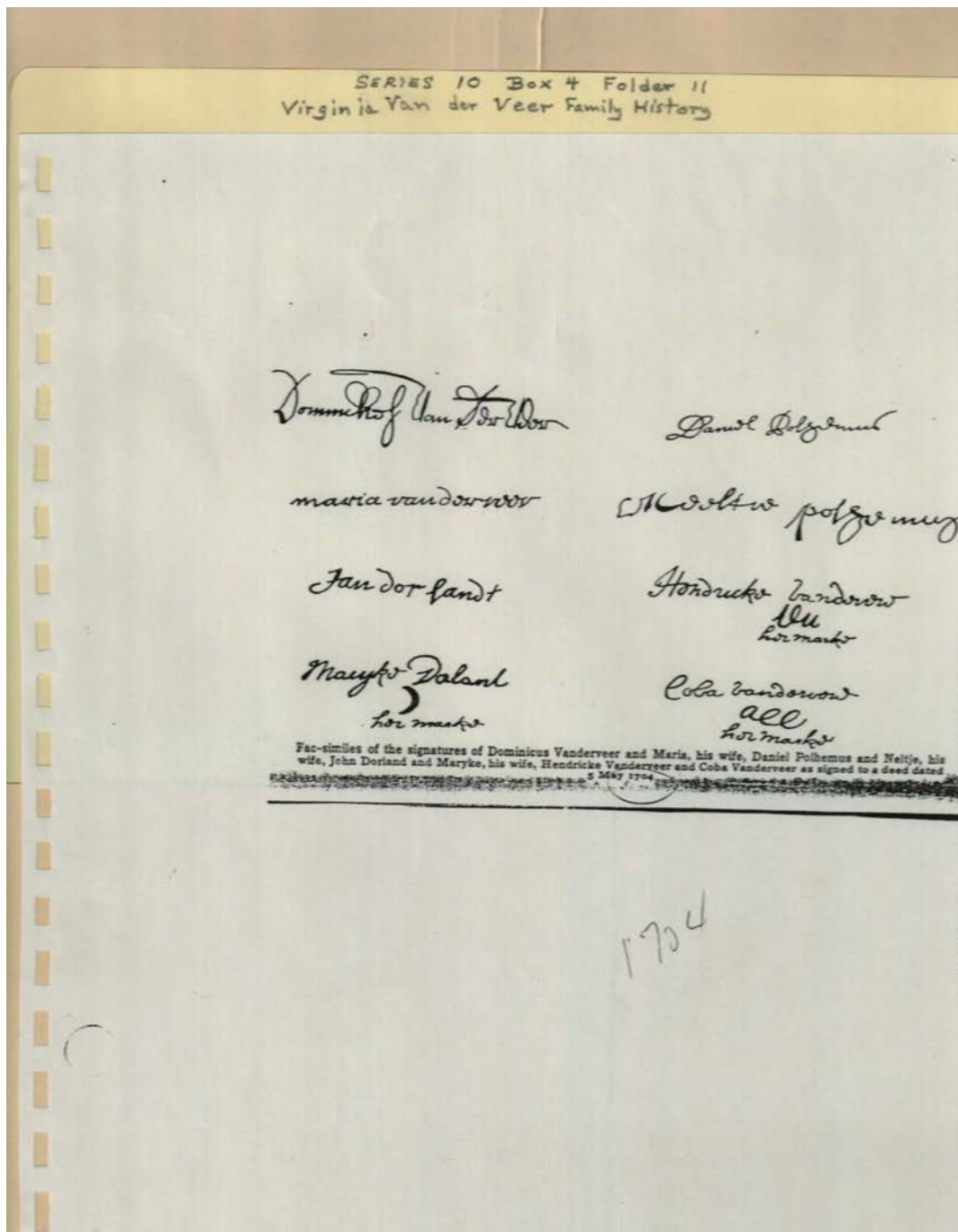
Johannes, Mynne
Marcken, J. G. V.

Ramsen, Jan

Sees, Cornelis
Janssen

Types:

deed



Names:

Dorland, John
Dorland, Maryke
Polhemus, Daniel

Polhemus, Neltje
Vanderveer,
Donimicus

Vanderveer,
Hendricke
Vanderveer, Maria

Vanderveer, Coba

Types:

signature

Dates:

May 05, 1704

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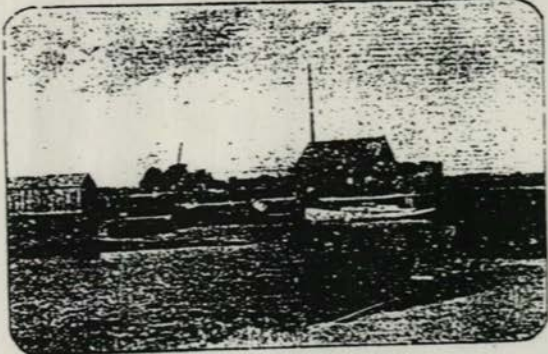
1905

NEW YORK, MONDAY, MARCH 13, 1905.

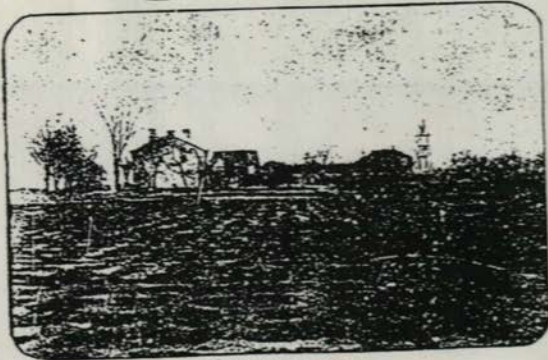
**JOHN VANDEVEER FARM SOLD TO A SYNDICATE
FOR \$555,000.**

←

... the largest industrial firm in
... of \$100,000,000 for a considerable time.
... in a syndicate
... of the
... of all adjoining
... in the
... of all adjoining
... in the
... of all adjoining
... in the



Fresh Creek, Running Through the Vanderveer Farm.



The Vanderveer Homestead.

New Brownsville

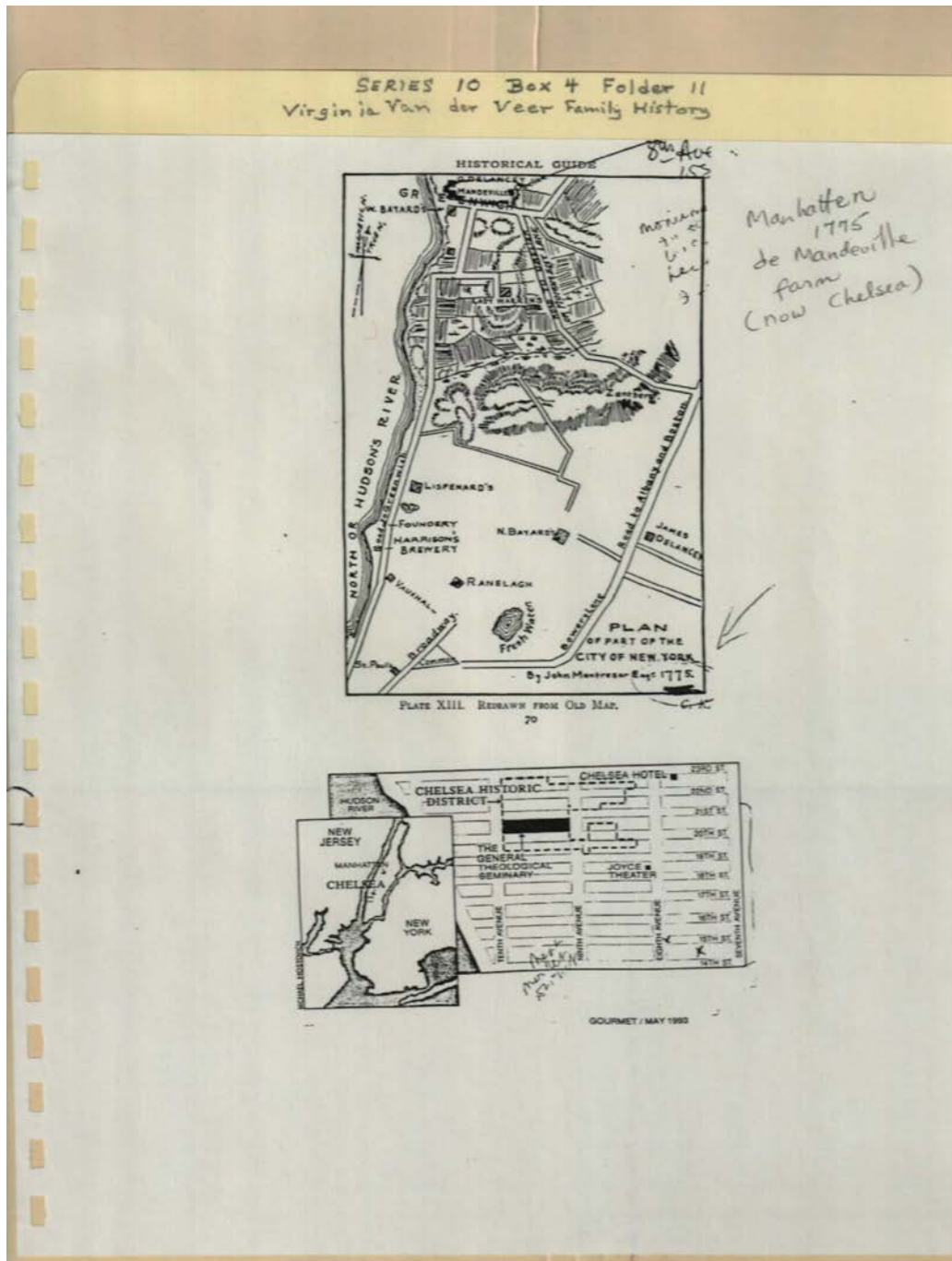
Names:

Vanderveer Farm Sells

Vanderveer, John

Types:

newspaper



Names:

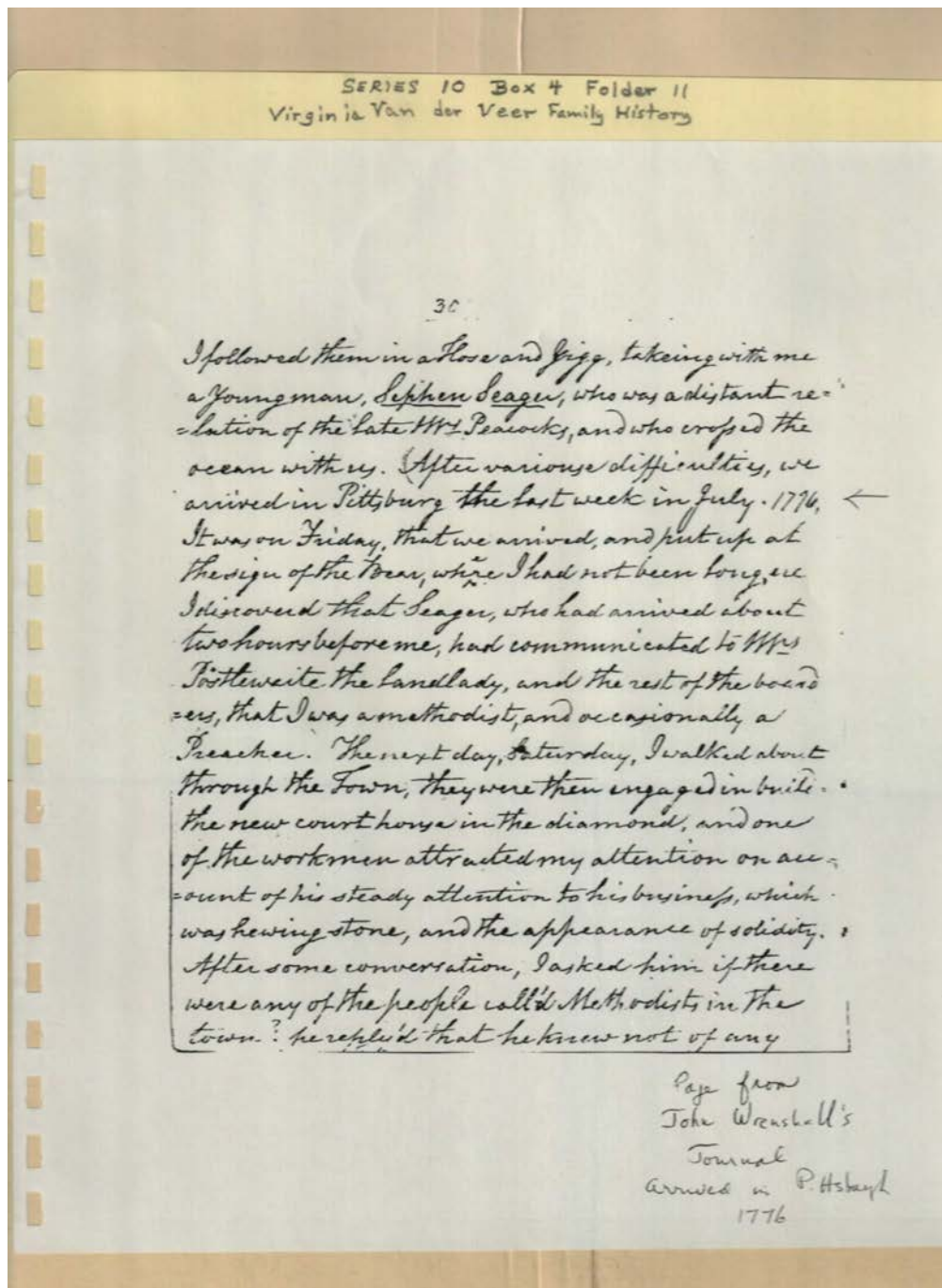
Manhattan, City of
New York

Types:

map

Dates:

1775



Names:

Peacock, William

Seager, Stephen

Tostlewaite, Mrs.

Wrashall, John

Places:

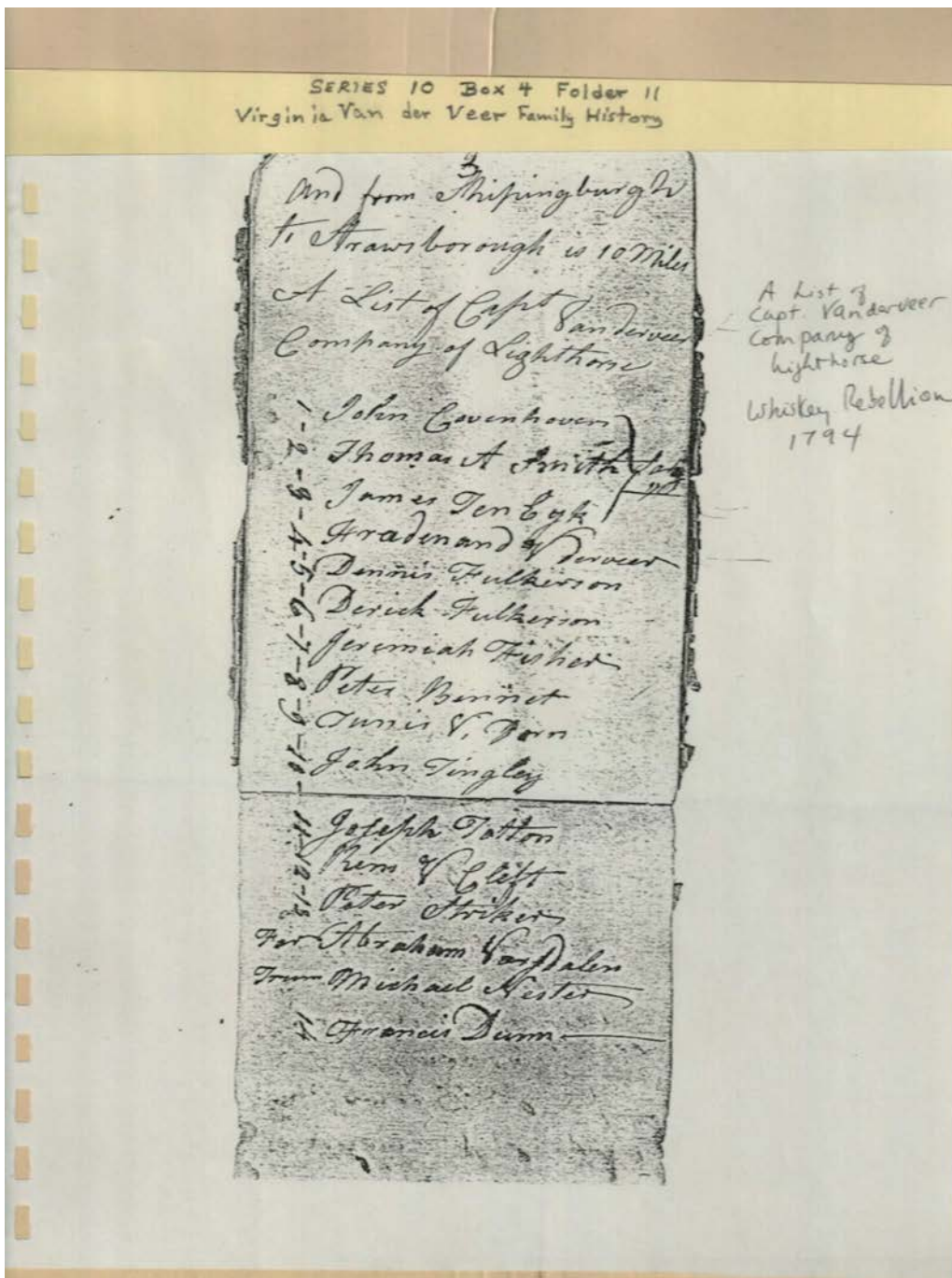
Pittsburg, PA

Types:

journal

Dates:

1776



Names:

Bennet, Peter
Clift, Reno
Covenhoven, John
Drum, Francis
Fisher, Jeremiah

Fulkerson, Dennis
Hester, Michael
Lighthorse Company
of Capt. Vanderveer
Smith, Thomas A.

Striker, Peter
Teneyk, James
Tingley, John
Totton, Joseph
Van Dalen, Abraham

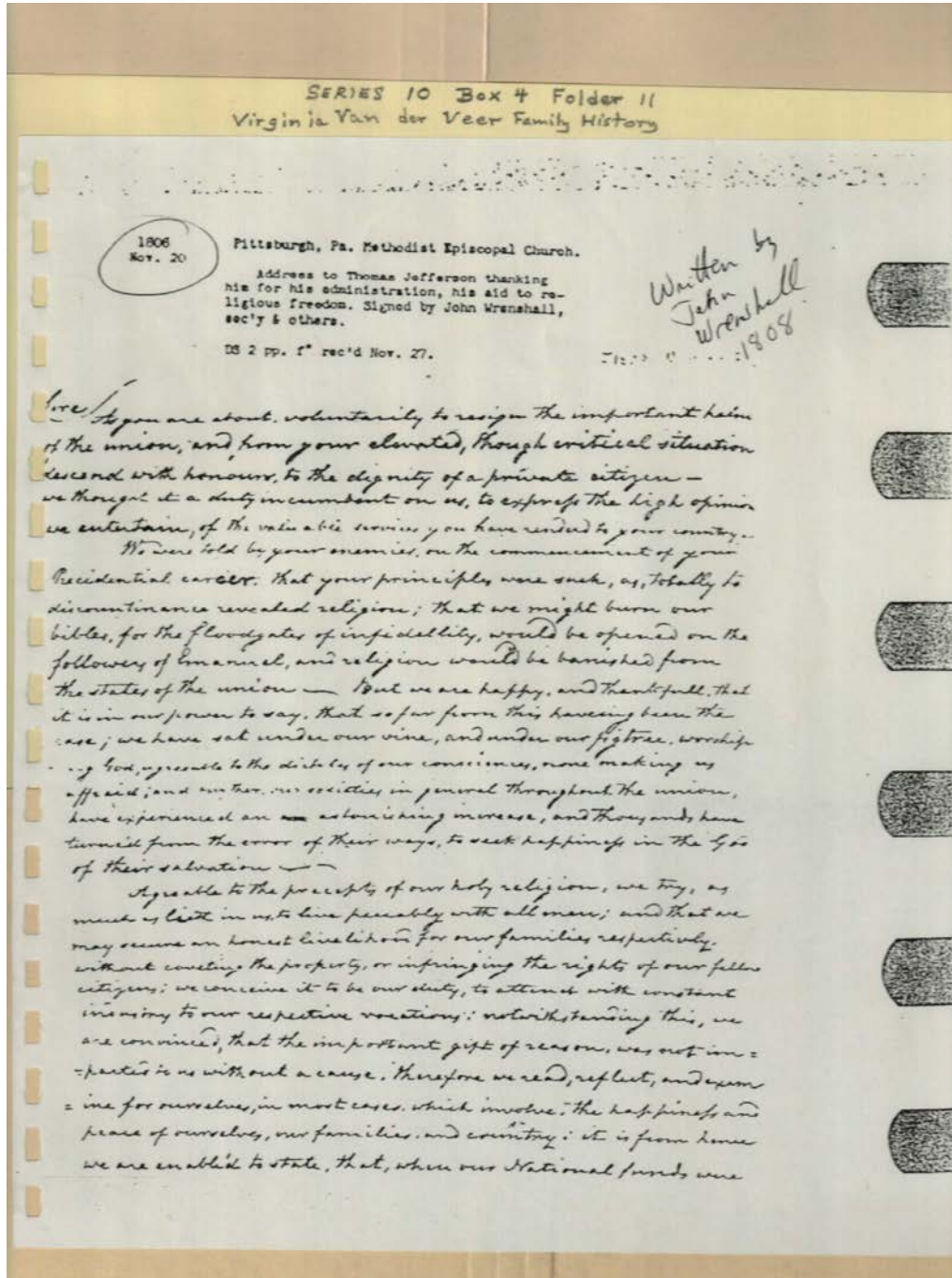
Vanderveer,
Vanderveer,
Hradenand
Vandorn, Dennis

Types:

list

Dates:

1794



Names:

Address - Religious Freedom

Jefferson, Thomas
Wrenshall, John

Places:

Pittsburg, PA

Types:

speech

Dates:

Nov 20, 1806

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Reply 1808

To the Society of the Methodist Episcopal church at
Pittsburg in Pennsylvania.

I am much indebted, fellow citizens, for your friendly ad-
-dress of Nov. 20. and gratified by it's expressions of personal regard
to myself. having ever been an advocate for the freedom of religious
opinion & exercise, from no person, certainly, was an abridgment of
these sacred rights to be apprehended less than from myself.
in justice too to our excellent constitution, it ought to be observed, that
it has not placed our religious rights, under the power of any public
functionary. the power therefore was wanting, not less than the will,
to injure these rights.

The times in which we live, fellow citizens, are indeed times
of trouble; such as no age has yet seen, or perhaps will ever see again.
to avoid their calamitous influence, has been our duty & endeavor.
and to effect it, great sacrifices by our citizens have been necessary.
they have seen that these necessities were forced by the errors
of others, and they have met them with the zeal, which the crisis called
for. what course we are finally to take, cannot yet be foreseen,
but reading, reflecting & examining for ourselves, you will find your
public functionaries, according to the best of their judgments, directing
your affairs, without passion or partiality, with a single view to your
rights & best interests. and it is the approbation of those who so read, re-
-flect & examine for themselves, which is truly ^{valuable} to the persons
charged with the guidance of your affairs. for the ^{entire} portion of your ap-
-probation which you are pleased to bestow on my conduct, I am truly thank-
-ful, and I offer my sincere prayers for your welfare, & a happy issue
to our country from the difficulties impending over it.

Washington Dec. 9. 1808.

Th. Jefferson

Names:

Jefferson, Thomas

Society of Methodist
Episcopal Church

Places:

Washington, DC

Types:

correspondence

Dates:

Dec 09, 1808

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I wish also that the other half of my grist & saw mills on
Gata creek with the lands & appurtenances thereto belonging
be sold & divid'd in like manner—

I give & bequeath to George Hardin son of Mark & Elizabeth
Hardin One horse creature worth seventy five dollars.

At the death of my wife, it is my will & desire that
my faithful slave [Harry] shall have the privilege
of choosing to which of my legatees he shall belong
who shall take him & pay his value-- and that he
shall have to himself One month in every year
during his life, which shall be designated by his owner—

It is also my will & desire that my remaining
negros, Henry, George, Emily & Mary
be equally divid'd between my four legatees viz
Woodford, Allen, David S. & Benjamin L. by sale or
otherwise— I give & bequeath to my son David S.
Hall a yellow boy nam'd Preston, until the year
Eighteen hundred & fifty— At which time it is my
will & desire that he shall be free, upon the
condition that within one year thereafter he shall
remove himself to a free state & there remain —

Should my wife die without having disposed of the
property devised to her herein, it is my will & desire
that it shall go to & be equally divid'd between my
four legatees, Woodford, Allen, David S. & Benj. L.

Should the forty acres of land purchased of Isaac
Watkins, & lying on the East of the old survey of
Worthington, not be sold during my lifetime—
I wish my Executors to sell the same, subject to
a reservation for a road thirty feet wide to run Eastwardly
from my present dwelling to the main road leading

the yellow boy
Moses Hall's will 1830

Names:

- | | | | |
|------------------|-------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| , Emily (Slave) | , Mary (Slave) | Hall, David S. | Hardin, George |
| , George (Slave) | , Preston (Slave) | Hall, Moses | Hardin, Mark |
| , Harry (Slave) | Hall, Allen | Hall, Woodford | Watkins, Isaac |
| , Henry (Slave) | Hall, Benjamin L. | Hardin, Elizabeth | |

Types:

will

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Dr. Peter Van Derveer's Will 1855

In the name of G. D. Amen! I Peter Van Derveer of Middletown Butler County and State of Ohio, being of sound mind and memory, do make and publish this my last Will and Testament.

It is my will that my estate shall descend according to the rules of Law now in force in the State of Ohio, with the following exceptions viz. my son Ferdinand and my daughter Margareta being now of full age, and having received assistance from me, ought not to receive as much of my estate as those of my children who are to be raised and educated — And here I observe for particular reasons my son John ought not to receive as much of my estate as the rest of the minor children — I therefore give and devise my property to all my children share and share alike, with the condition that Ferdinando, Margareta, and John shall be charged with five hundred dollars each for the benefit of my other children.

I hereby nominate and appoint my son Ferdinand and my son in law John B. Weston, guardians of my minor children, provided that said minors if they see proper after they attain the age of fourteen years choose other guardians

I hereby nominate and appoint my son

Names:

Mastin, John
Van Derveer,
Ferdinand

Van Derveer, John
Van Derveer,
Margareta

Van Derveer, Peter,
Dr.

Types:

will

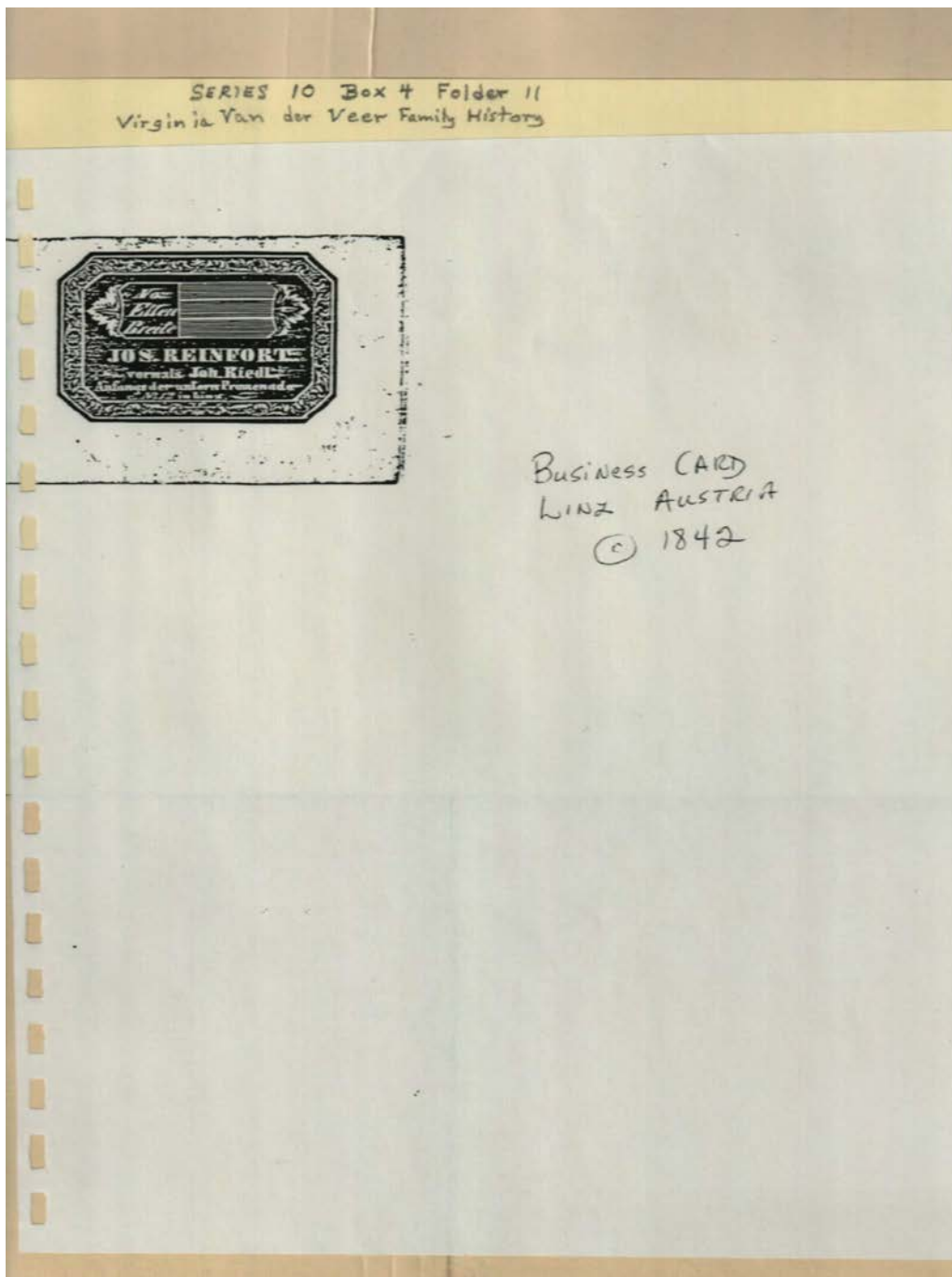
Dates:

1855

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Names:

Reinfort, Joseph

Places:

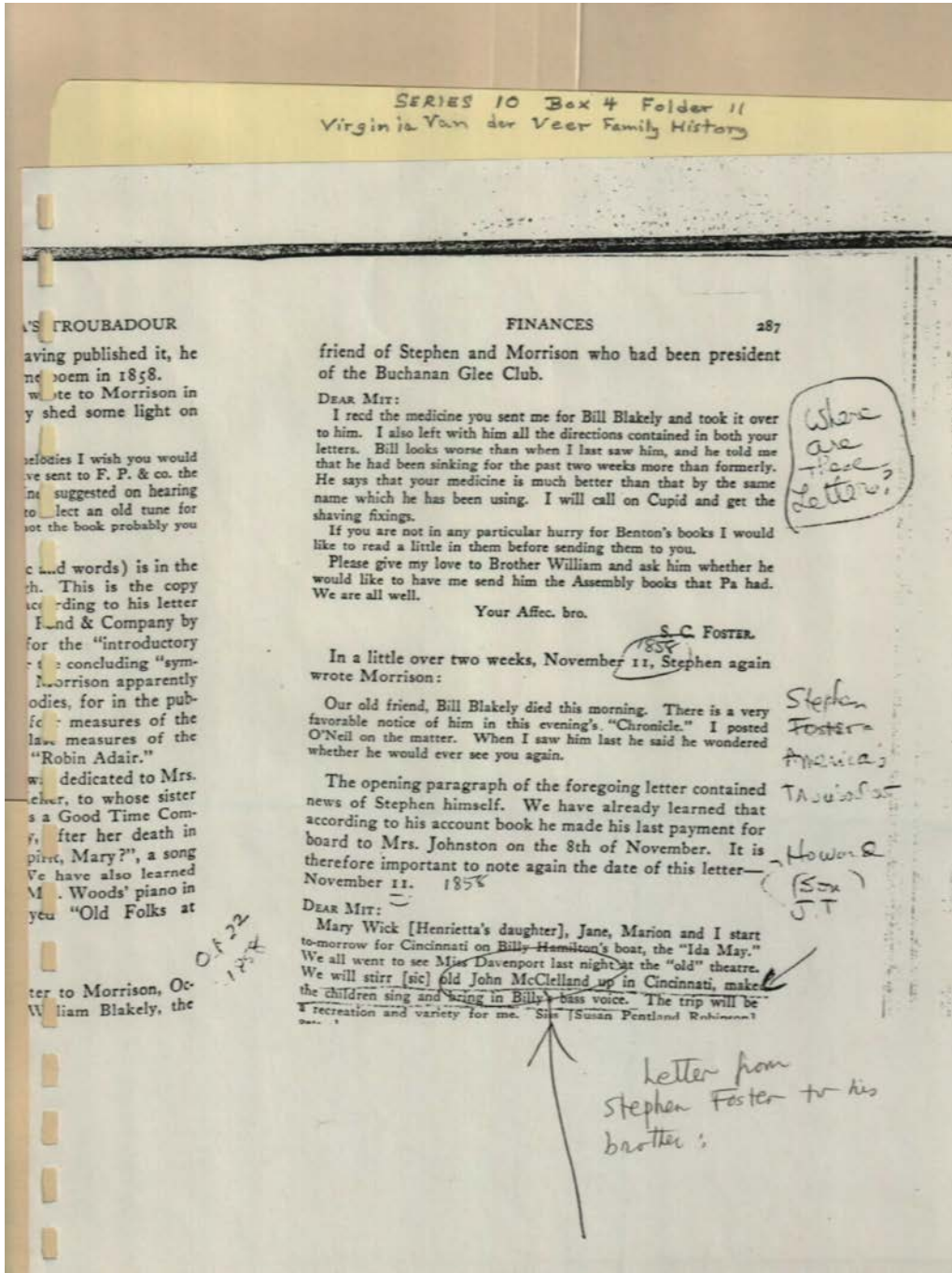
Linz, Austria

Types:

card

Dates:

1842



Names:

, Henrietta
 , Jane
 , Marion
 Blakely, Bill

Davenport, Miss
 Foster, S. C.
 Foster, Stephen
 Hamilton, Billy

Johnston, Mrs.
 McClelland, John
 Morrison,
 O'Neil,

Robinson, Susan
 Pentland
 Wick, Mary

Types:

booklet

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Pittsburg, Nov. 11, 1858

Dear Mother, Aunt, Maude
and I start tomorrow or tomorrow
on a very ambitious cat, the
De Wags. We all went to see
Miss Gammert last night at
the old theatre. We will
start all John McClelland up
in Cincinnati, make the children
sing and bring in Billy's best
line. The trip will be a sensation
and variety for me. Ess gets
along very well since her mother's
death. He had a nice drink
supper with her the other
evening. She had plenty of folks
about Andy's room.
Our old friend Will Stabing
died this morning. There is a
very favorable notice of him in
the evening chronicle. I had
a talk on the matter and
I saw him last he said he would
write he would see you again.
Yours affectionate Mother
G. Foster

Stephen Foster to brother Mit, 1858
"We will stir old John McClelland
up and make the children sing..."

11294
Stephen Foster's letter to Mother Mit (Morrison) (Pittsburg), Nov 11, 1858

Names:

, Andy
, Billy

Foster, Morrison
(Mit)

Foster, Stephen
McClelland, John

Places:

Pittsburg, PA

Types:

correspondence

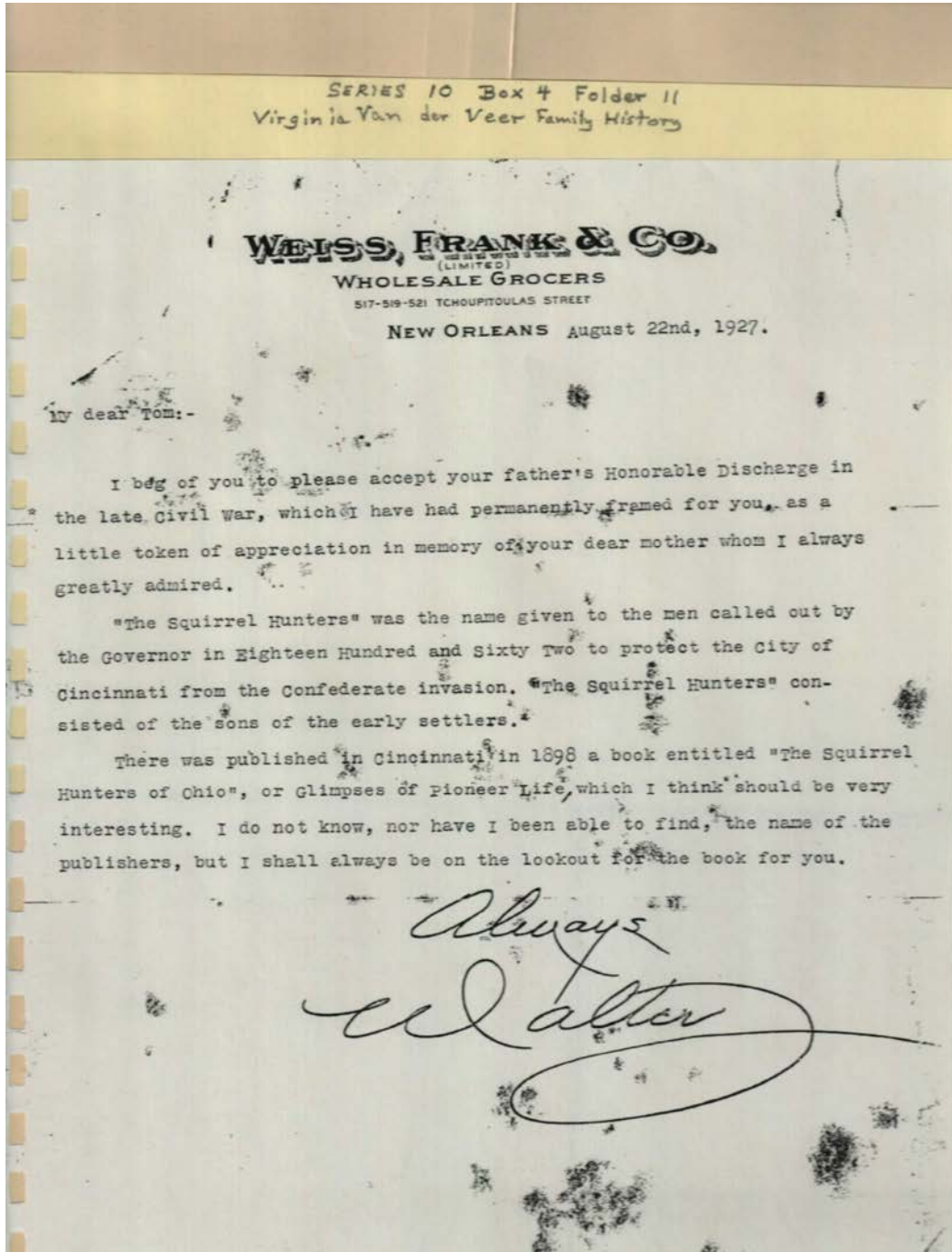
Dates:

Nov 11, 1858

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Names:

, Tom

, Walter

Weiss, Frank & Co.

Places:

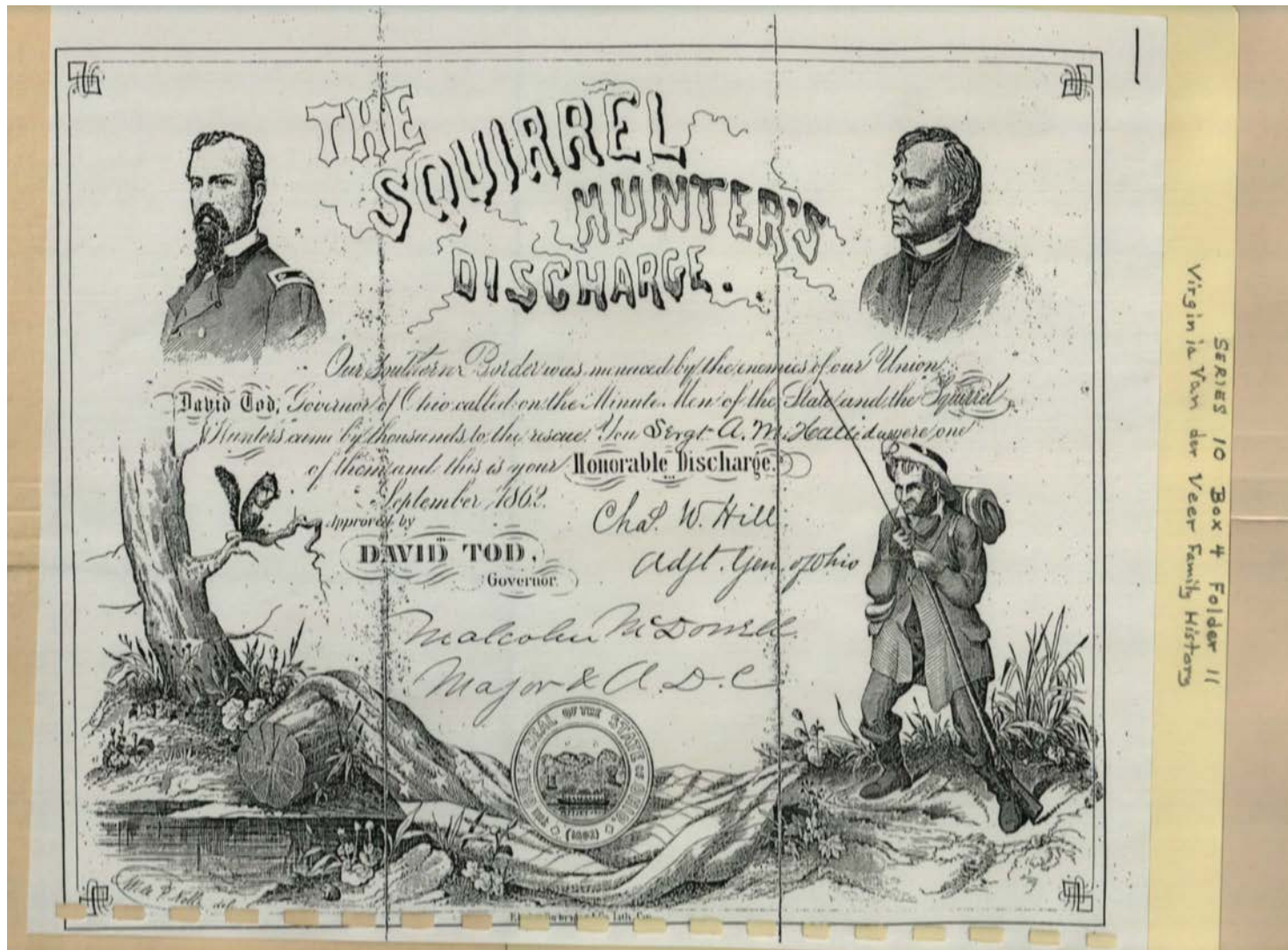
New Orleans, LA

Types:

correspondence

Dates:

Aug 22, 1927



Names:

Halliday, A. M., Sgt.
Hill, Charles W.

McDowell, Malcolm

Squirrel Hunter's
Discharge

Tod, David, Governor

Places:

Ohio

Types:

certificate

Dates:

Sep 1868

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Virginia Van der Veer Family History

Dec 4th 1862

Dear Mother

I was sick for a day or two and Dr Wright gave me a dose of castor oil and Dr Gordon gave me some quinine pills and I am now well again. If I had been at home they would have to hold my nose and pin it down me. The pills necessary to take because you know I like them. Poor little Dickie Long is very sick he has got a fever and a bad cold this is no place for sick little boys. About dinner time we could hear heavy cannonading in the direction of Nashville. There is some of the greatest old soldiers around here they come in here and talk to me about the things which the soldiers did. There was one old man came here and said he was a better union man than anyone who would steal his cattle. ~~John~~ Potter has just got her ~~Pa~~ Pa has got his new horse here day before yesterday. Give my love to all tell Mary and Sue to be good girls and Paul to visit his mother and be a good boy. Write me a letter mother please

from your son
Harry V

Harry Van Derveer

letter from 12-year-old Harry at war with his father in Tennessee to his mother in Ohio, 1862
"Write me a letter mother please ..."

Names:

, May
, Sue

Long, Dickie
Van Derveer, Harry

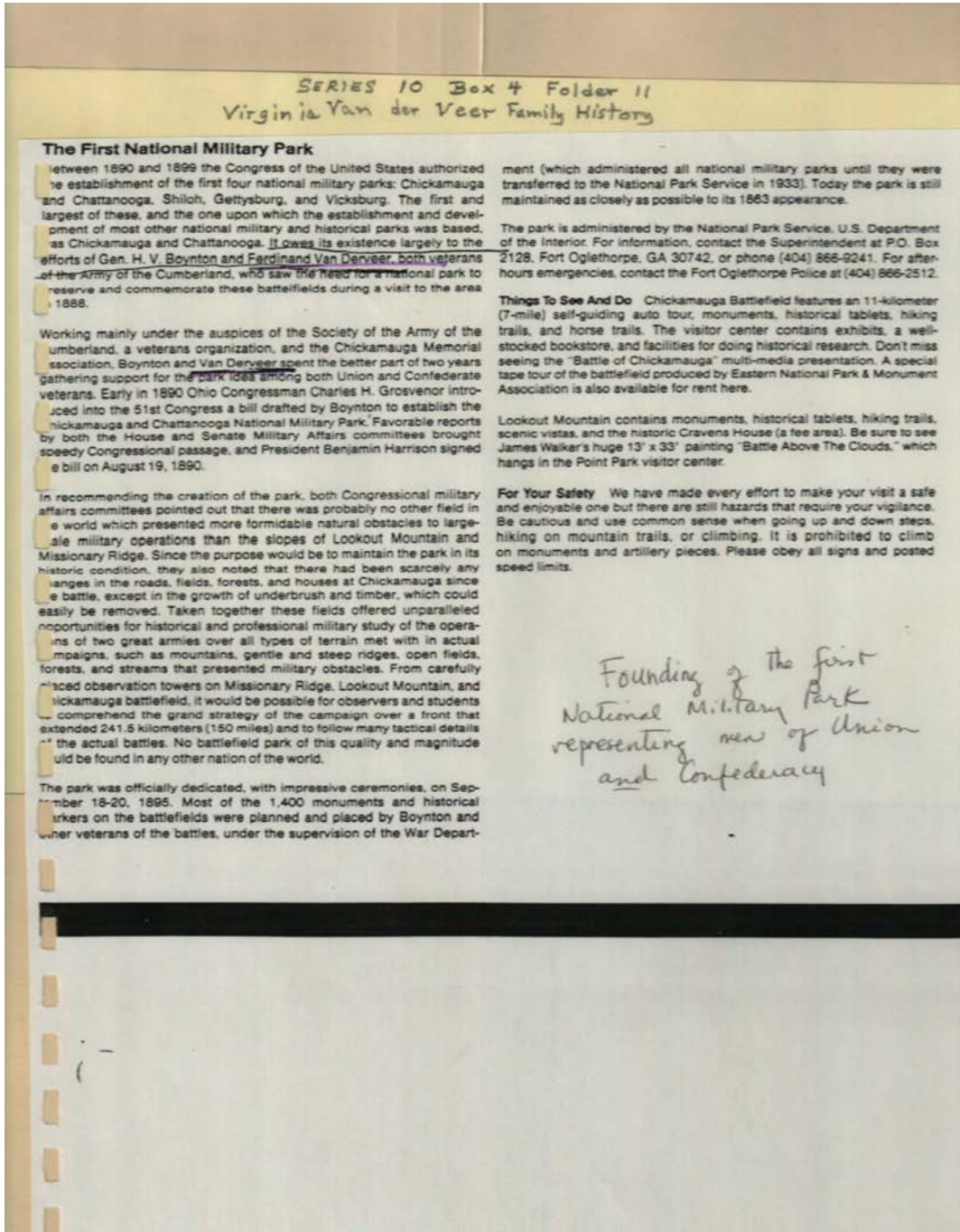
Wright, Dr.

Types:

correspondence

Dates:

Dec 04, 1862



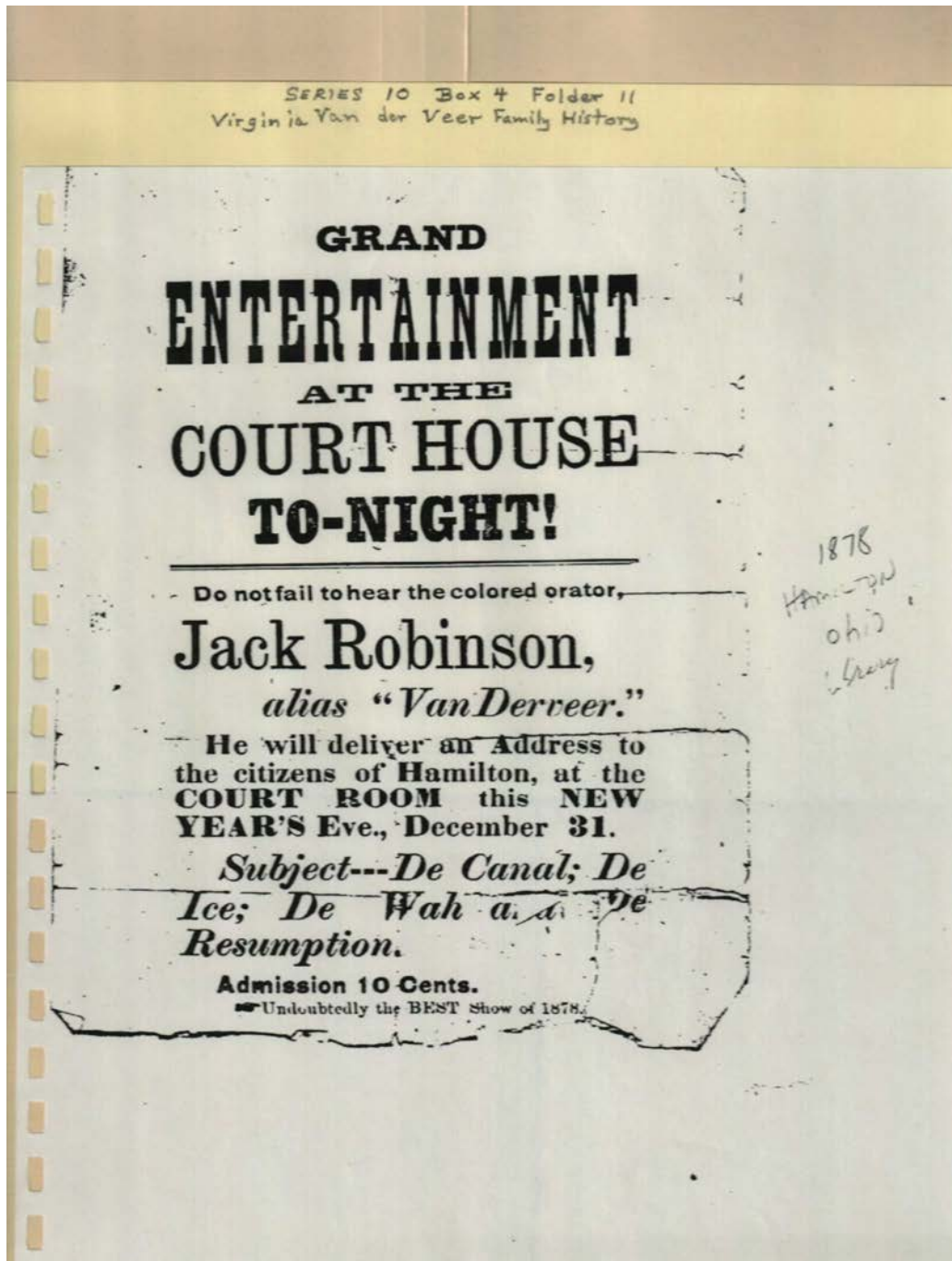
Names:

Chickamauga
Battlefield

First National
Military Park

Types:

article



Names:

Robinson, Jack

Van Derveer,

Places:

Hamilton, OH

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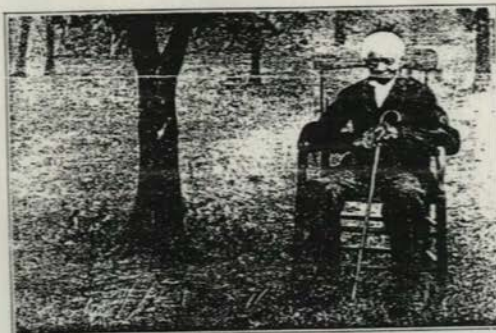
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"Jack," born as a slave in the family of General VanDerveer's grandfather, in New Jersey, died at "The Oaks" in 1901, at the age of about 104 years.

THE REPUBLIC

OLD "JACK" IS DEAD AT THE AGE OF 95

Jack VanDerveer Was a Noted Colored Character

Was Born A Slave in The State of New Jersey

Had Always Lived in The VanDerveer Family and Came With Them to Ohio About 75 Years Ago—Remembered The War of 1812

"Jack" VanDerveer, a noted old colored man of this section died at the residence of Mrs. Emily VanDerveer on South D street, yesterday afternoon at 2:30. Jack had been practically confined to his quarters at the VanDerveer home for about six months, due to the encroachments of old age.

He was nearly 95 years old and had all his life been in the Van Derveer family. He was born February 23, 1807, in Summerville, N. J., about 20 miles from New York City as a slave in the family of Col. Henry VanDerveer, father of Peter VanDerveer who was the father of Gen. VanDerveer, and the grandfather of Mrs. Hilker.

Old Jack came to Ohio with Dr. Peter VanDerveer about seventy-five years ago. The VanDerveers settled first at Middletown where Jack, then a youth, excited great curiosity on account of his color, he being the first colored man ever seen in that section.

He remembered very distinctly the war of 1812. He came to Hamilton to live with General VanDerveer about thirty-five years ago. Dr. Peter VanDerveer died about forty years ago.

When Dr. Peter VanDerveer moved to Ohio the trip was made overland by stage, Jack being the special guardian of General VanDerveer then a little boy of two years.

Jack had always borne the VanDerveer name. He had a great fund of reminiscences and had acquired a celebrity as a genuine character. He died of old age.

The funeral took place from the VanDerveer home this afternoon, the body being placed in the vault at Greenwood cemetery. It may be taken later to Middletown and placed in the VanDerveer family lot.

Names:

, Jack (Slave)
Hilker, Mrs.
Van Derveer, Emily

Van Derveer, Henry,
Colonel
Van Derveer, Jack

Van Derveer, Peter,
Dr.

Types:

obituary

photograph

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THURSDAY, DECEMBER 11th, 1884.
At 8 O'clock P. M.

Grand Vocal & Instrumental CONCERT
TENDERED BY HIS PUPILS AND FRIENDS TO
THEODORE CURANT, Violinist
WITH THE KIND ASSISTANCE OF
MISS A. SEAWELL, M^{rs} L. A. BOISSONNEAU, L. ESPENAN, PROF. F. RAINOLD, MR. J. ROSSI, and TWENTY of MR. CURANT'S PUPILS.
Accompanist MR. J. W. H. WERLEIN.

Tickets, - One Dollar.

PROGRAMME.—PART I.

- 1.—Marche Orientale for two Pianos..... KETTERER
M^{rs} L. A. BOISSONNEAU AND L. ESPENAN.
- 2.—Pavane. "Ou voulez-vous aller"..... GOUNOD
MR. J. ROSSI.
- 3.—Symphonie (G. Major)..... ALARD
Arranged for four Solo Violins by R. Meyer. Performed by Masters
H. Peters, W. Specht, E. Rainold, and G. Menetre. Accompanied
on the Piano by MISS HENNA THINFIELD.
- 4.—Alto Solo: Nimm deine Handtute..... BRAHA
MISS A. SEAWELL.
- 5.—Concerto No. 7, for Violin..... BERTINI
THEODORE CURANT.
- 6.—a. Chor from Eurypathe..... WERLEIN
b. Austrian Hymn..... HAYDN
c. Scherzo a capriccio..... MENDELSSOHN
Arranged for four Violins, performed by Masters: Horace Peters,
Otto Vogel, Frank Rainold, Jules Sarrazin, Arthur Kaufman, P.
Mitchell Milner, William Specht, Archie Benson, Alfred Hershstein,
Geo. Weingart, Edward Dinkespiel, Henry Bremer, Geo. Menetre,
Edward Jurgielewicz, Bernard Linemann, Sidney Heinemann, James
Lamothe, Bernard Levy, Fred Lenke, Geo. Paoletti.

INTERMISSION, 10 MINUTES.

PART II.

- 7.—Bariton Solo from "La Traviata"..... VERDI
MR. J. ROSSI.
- 8.—Piano Solo.....
a. Rondo-capriccio..... MENDELSSOHN
b. Nourme (A. Major)..... FIELD
PROFESSOR F. RAINOLD.
- 9.—a. Revil, and Romance, "Ecstasy SER." from Tannhauser... WAGNER
b. Mazurka caracteristique..... WIENIANSKI
THEODORE CURANT.
- 10.—Duo from "La Favorite"..... DONIZETTI
MISS A. SEAWELL and MR. J. ROSSI.

The Grand Piano used on this occasion is from the renowned Chickering & Son,
and kindly loaned by the agent, PHILIP WERLEIN.

Hopkins Printing Office, 22 Commercial Place, New Orleans.

1884
Professor Rainold
plays violin &
Piano in
some
concert

The Concert given by Prof. Rainold, on last Thursday night, was one of the most brilliant affairs of the kind that ever came off in our town. The Prof., assisted by his pupils and star amateurs, drew a vast multitude to a very large and delighted auditory, and won for himself new laurels in the line of his profession. That he is equal to the best performer in the country, no one can fail to acknowledge who witnessed his splendid performance. We understand that Prof. R. has been earnestly solicited to give another Concert very soon, which we hope, he will comply with.

Program . . . Professor Frank Rainold, Sr. family member

Names:

Boissonneau, A.
Curant, Theodore

Eckert, W. H.
Espenan, L.

Rainold, F.
Rossi, J.

Seawell, A., Miss
Werlein, Philip

Places:

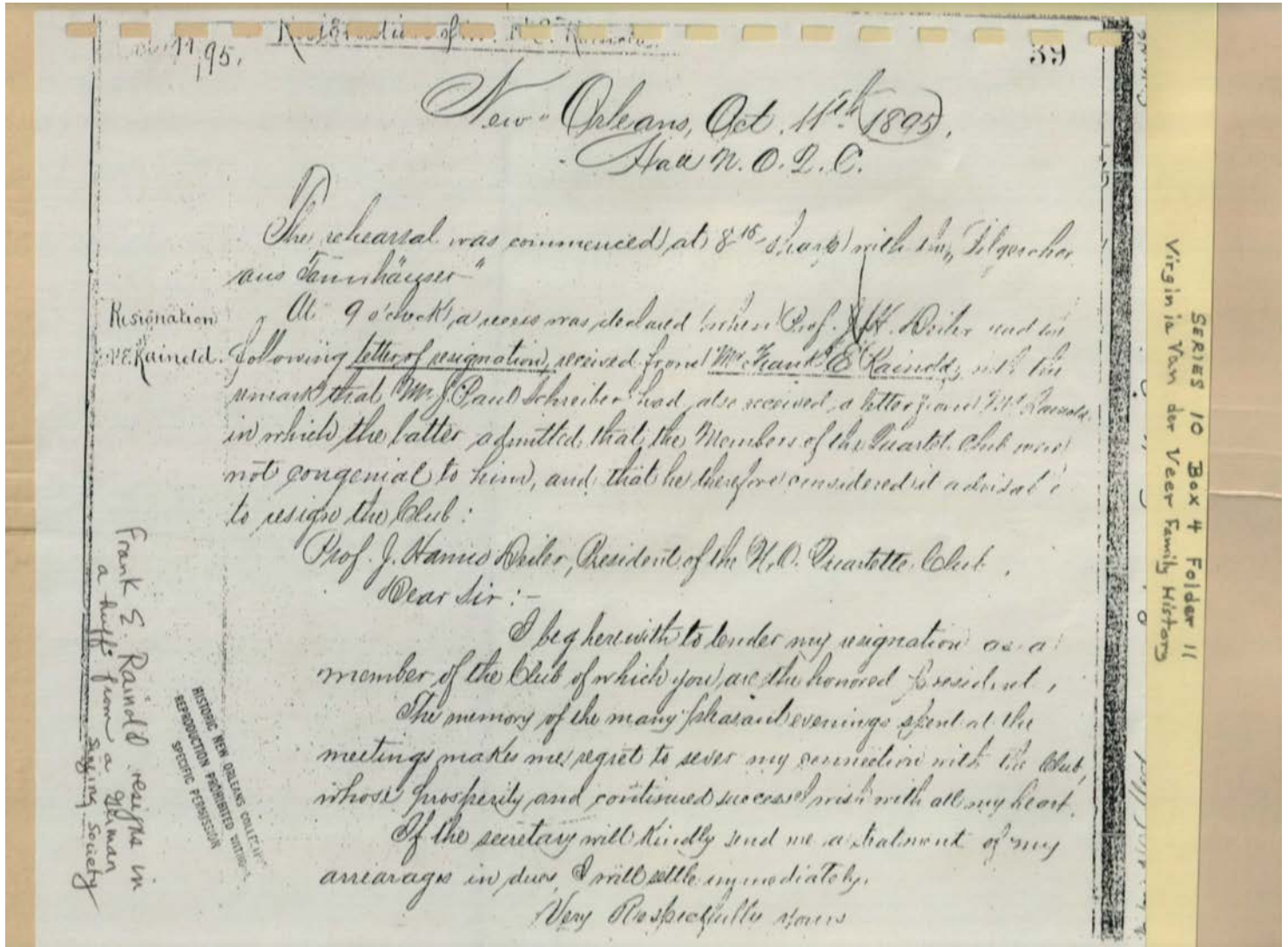
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program

Dates:

Dec 11, 1884



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Professor

Rainold, Frank E.
Schreiber, J. Paul

Places:

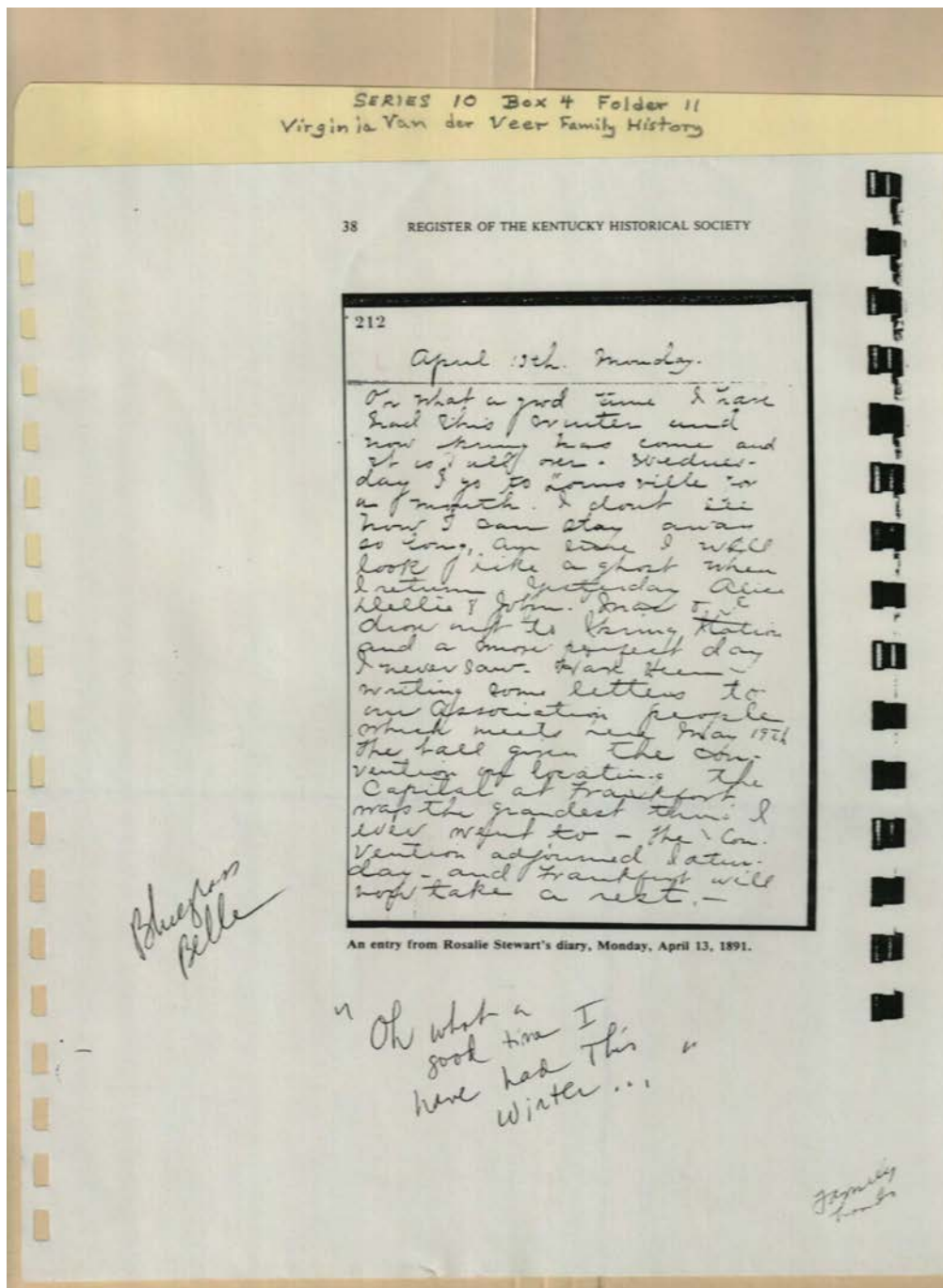
New Orleans, LA

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resignation

Dates:

Oct 11, 1895



Names:

, Alice

, Dellie

, John

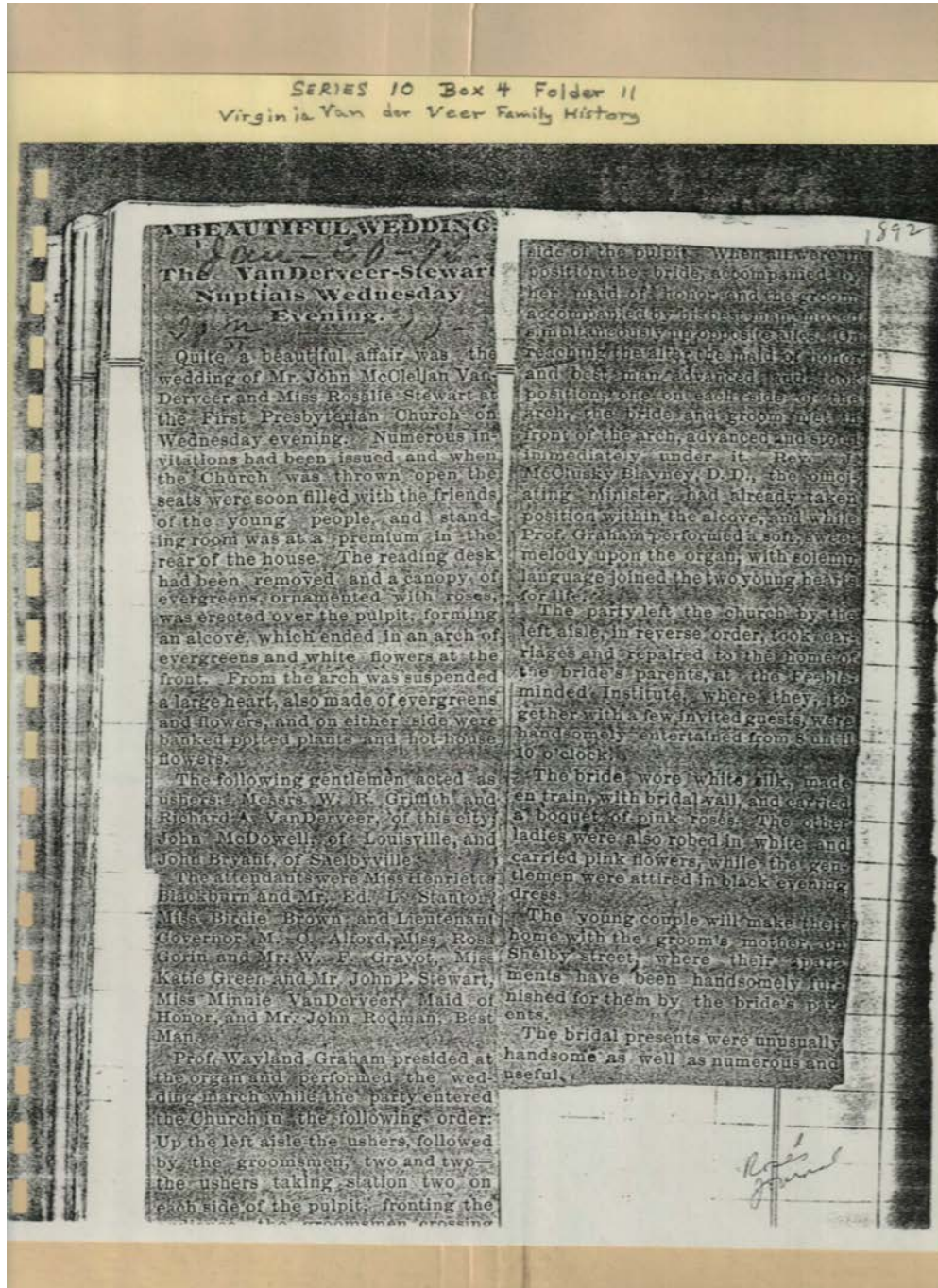
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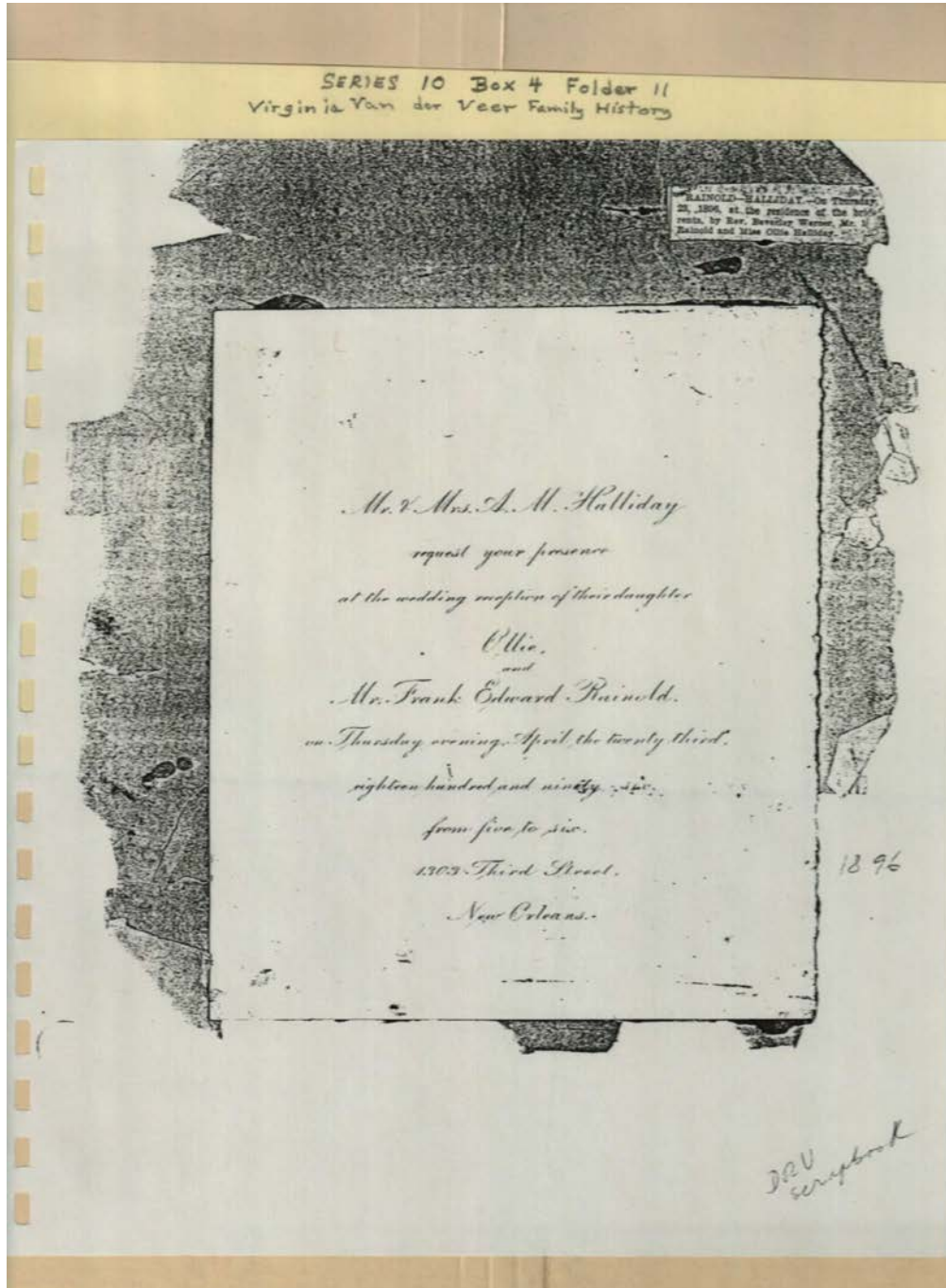


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Blackburn, Henrietta	Graham, Wayland	Stewart, John P.	Van Derveer-Stewart Wedding
Blayney, J.	Grayot, W. F.	Stewart, Rosalie	
McClusky, Rev.	Green, Katie	Van Derveer, John	
Brown, Birdie, Miss	Griffith, W. R.	McClellan	
Bryant, John	McDowell, John	Van Derveer, Minnie, Miss	
	Rodman, John		

Types:

newspaper



Names:

Halliday, A. M., Mr.
& Mrs.

Halliday, Ollie

Rainold, Frank
Edward

Types:

invitation

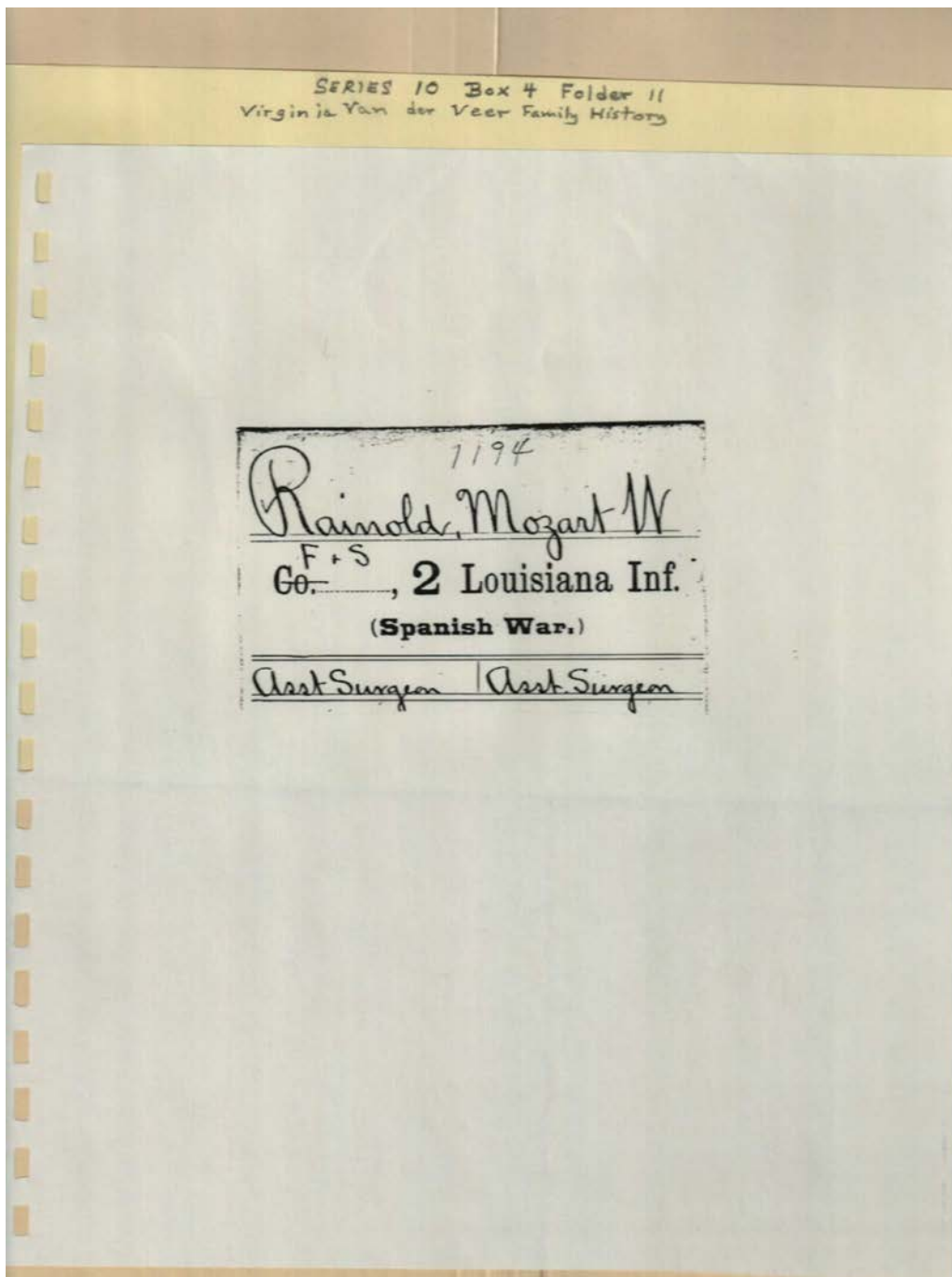
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Names:

Rainold, Mozart W.,
Dr.

Types:

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<p><i>Mr. W. Rainold</i></p> <p>appears as follows on the Regimental Return for the month of <i>March</i>, 1899. Commissioned officers present and absent: <i>Present</i> Station <i>Savannah</i> Remarks: <i>On duty with regiment to March 27. Special duty with 20th reg from March 27/99</i> Alterations since last return among the enlisted men: Date _____ Place _____ Remarks: _____ Absent enlisted men accounted for: Date; from _____, 189____, to _____, 189____ Where _____ Duty or cause _____ Book mark: _____ (612) <i>R. W. Carsady</i> Copyist.</p>	<p><i>Mozart W. Rainold</i></p> <p>appears on a Detachment Muster-in Roll of the organization named above. Roll dated <i>New Orleans, La. May 31, 1898.</i> Mustered in <i>May 4, 1898.</i> 1898 Age <i>28</i> yrs; height <i>5</i> feet <i>7 1/4</i> inches. Complexion <i>ruddy</i>; eyes <i>blue</i>; hair <i>black</i>. Where born <i>New Orleans, La.</i> Occupation <i>Doctor</i> Joined for duty and enrolled: When <i>May 2, 1898.</i> Where <i>New Orleans, La.</i> Period <i>2</i> years. Travel from residence to place of rendezvous: Residence <i>New Orleans, La.</i> No. of miles _____ Married or single <i>Single</i> If single, name and address of parent or guardian: <i>Frank Rainold Jr.</i> <i>New Orleans, La.</i> Remarks: _____ Book mark: _____ (607) <i>S. A. Ward</i> Copyist.</p>
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Names:

Carsady, R. W.

Rainold, Mozart W.,
Dr.

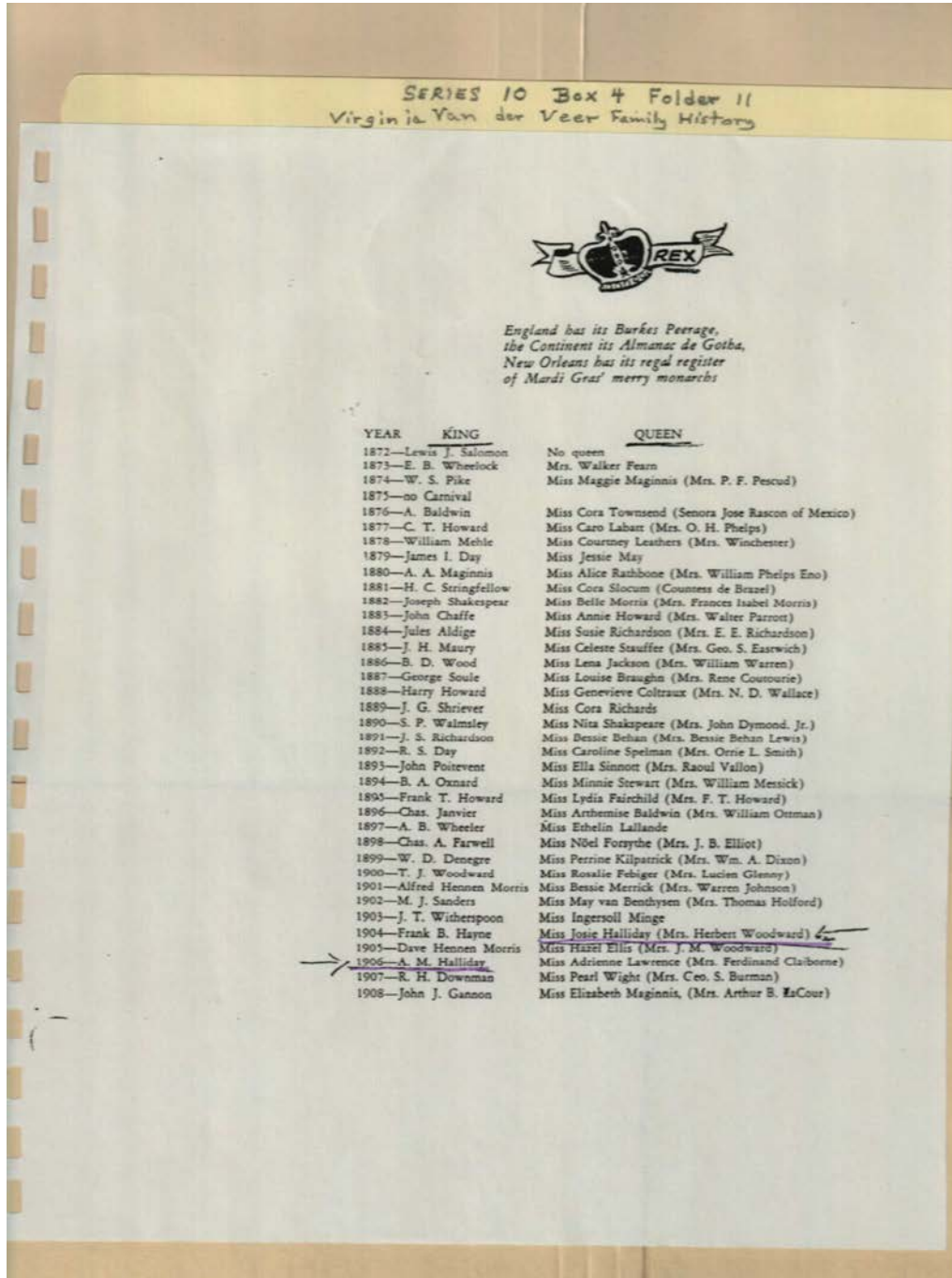
Ward, S. A.

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Dates:

Mar 1898



Names:

Halliday, A. M.
Halliday, Josie, Miss

New Orleans Regal
Register of

Monarchs

Woodward, Herbert,
Mrs.

Types:

list

Dates:

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Grand Quartier Américain du Corps Expéditionnaire
HEADQUARTERS AMERICAN EXPEDITIONARY FORCES

ORDRE DE MISSION Paris le 23, Decembre 1918

De la part de l'ADJUDANT GÉNÉRAL au Major J. H. PERKINS.
From: Adjutant General To: Major J. H. Perkins.

Armée Américaine, Commissaire de la Croix-Rouge Américaine pour l'Europe.
American Army, Commissioner of the American Red Cross for Europe.

SUJET: Autorisation de visiter dans la Zone. Etranger
SUBJECT: Authorization to visit the Zone.

Le COMMANDANT EN CHEF du Corps Expéditionnaire Américain autorise les représentants
The COMMANDER IN CHIEF, American Expeditionary Forces, authorizes the following representatives
suivants (militarisés) de la Croix-Rouge Américaine:
(militarized) of the American Red Cross:

Jahn Stewart VAN DER VEER
Ambulancier en Italie

à se rendre aux endroits suivants: **Paris a New Orleans, La. via Le Havre**
to proceed to the following points:



Southampton, Londres, Liverpool et New York (Valable jusqu'au 23 Janvier 1919)
where they will report to the civil & military authorities for the work as hereunder specified:

Retourne en Amerique

Une fois ce travail terminé, ils devront retourner à leur poste ordinaire.
Upon completion of this work they will return to their proper station.

Mode de locomotion **Chemin de fer et paquebot**
Mode of travel


Cette autorisation est donnée avec la permission du Grand Quartier Général Français, étant bien
This authorization is given under permission of the French General Headquarters with the understanding that
entendu que ces représentants de la Croix-Rouge Américaine (militarisés) sont soumis à toutes les ordonnances
these representatives of the American Red Cross (militarized) are subject to all the orders and regulations
et à tous les règlements publiés pour l'information et la conduite des soldats et auxiliaires des Armées Françaises
published for the information and guidance of soldiers and camp followers of the American and French Armies
et Américaines.

Officiel: 
Official: 

Major du Corps de Réserve des Etats-Unis.
Major of the U. S. Reserve Corps.

Commissaire de la Croix-Rouge Américaine pour l'Europe.
Commissioner of the American Red Cross for Europe.

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ROBERT C. DAVIS,
Adjudant-Général.
Adjutant General.


Names:

Davis, Robert C.,
Adjuant General

Van Der Veer, John
Stewart

World War I Orders
in French

Types:

orders

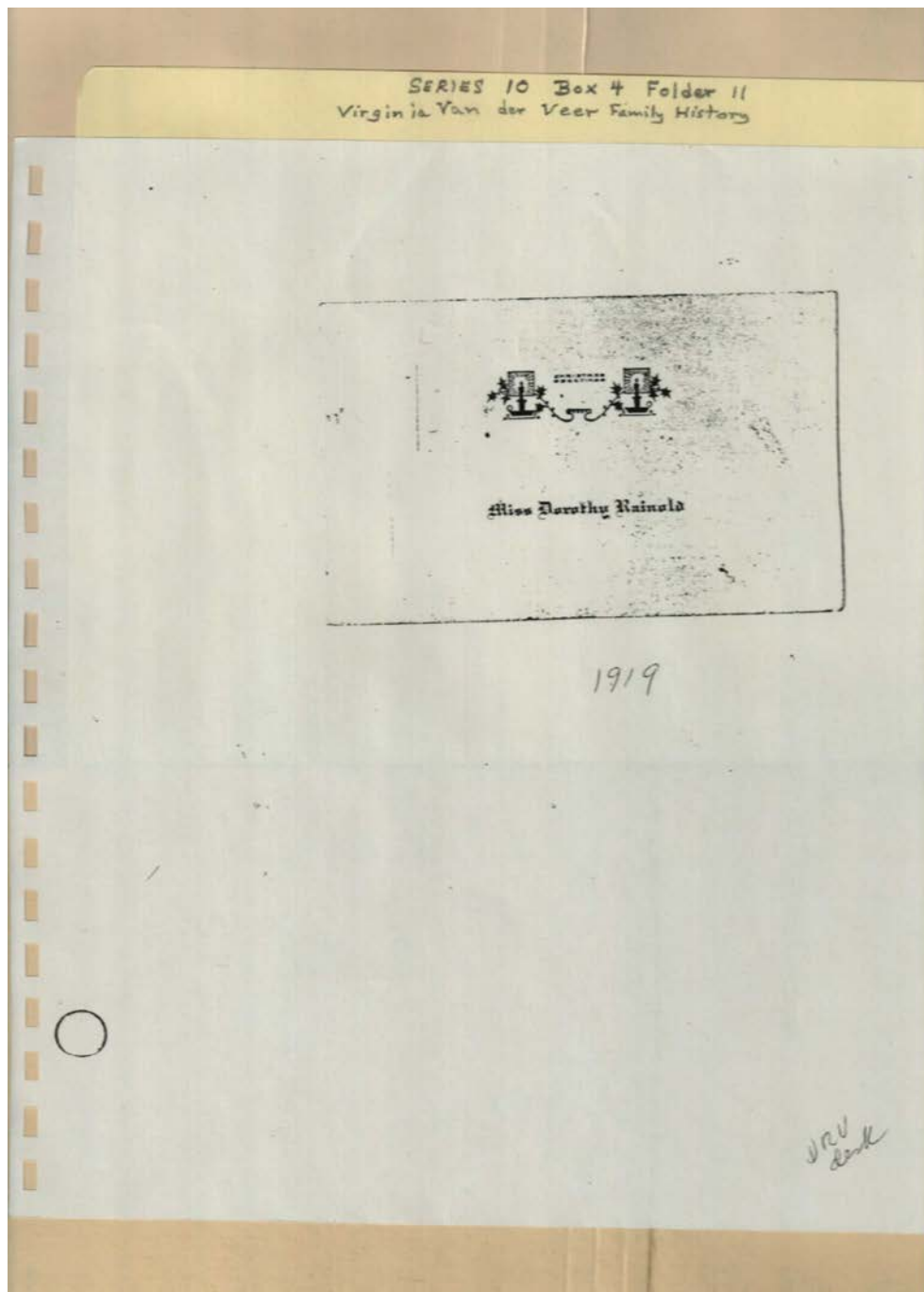
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Rainold, Dorothy,
Miss

Types:

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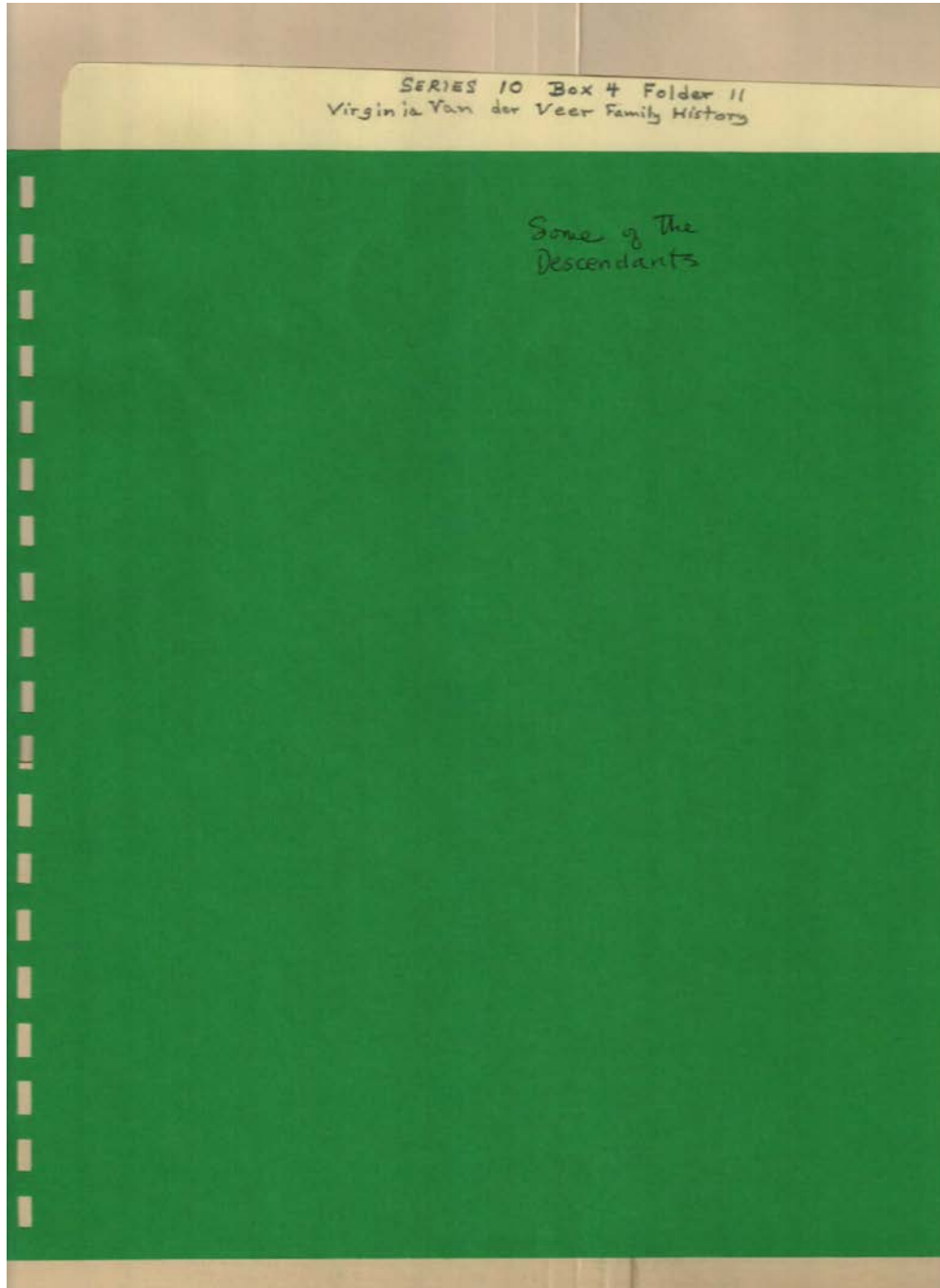
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Names:

, Cornelis

, Gisele

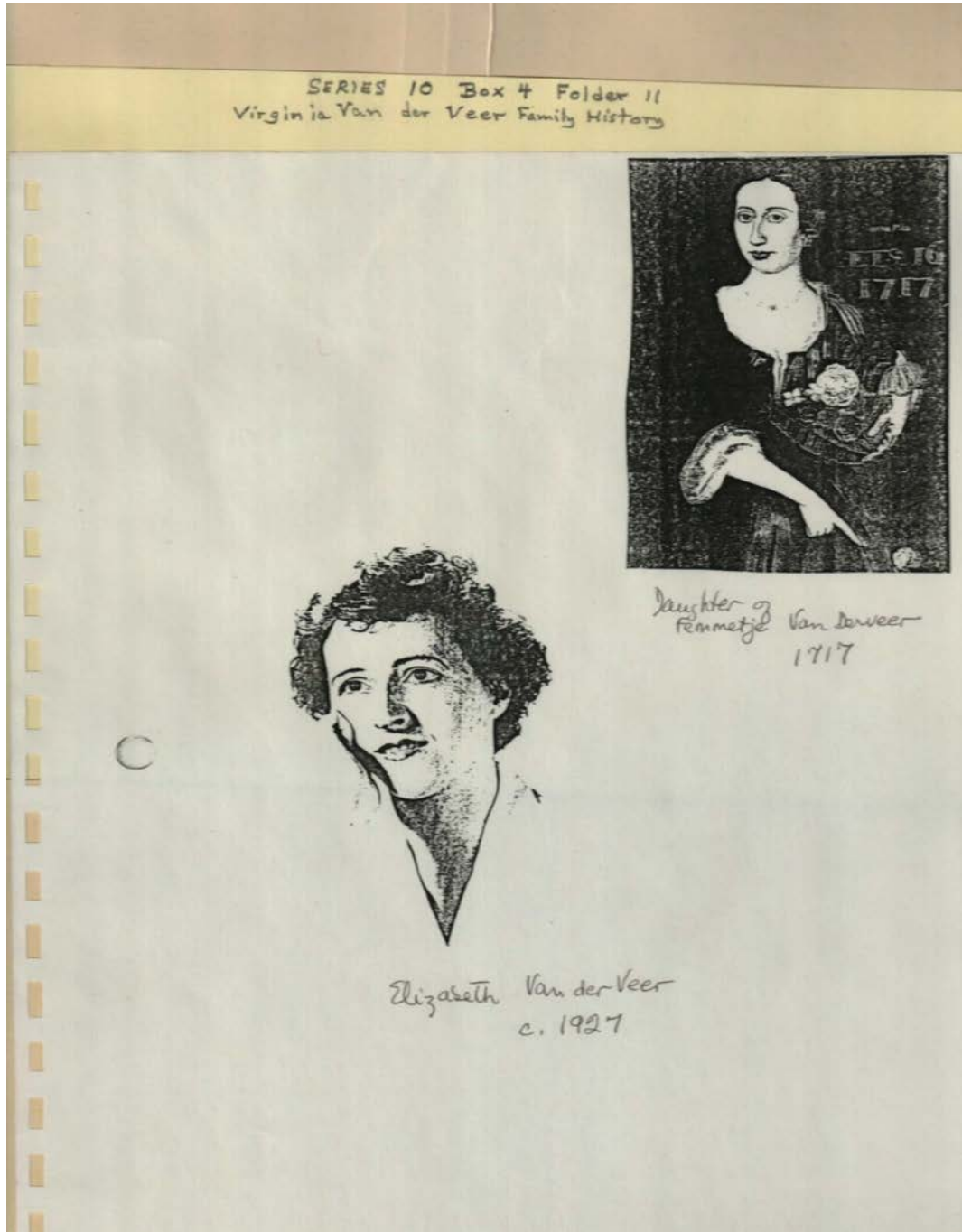
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Names:

Van Derveer,
Femmetje

Van der Veer,
Elizabeth

Types:

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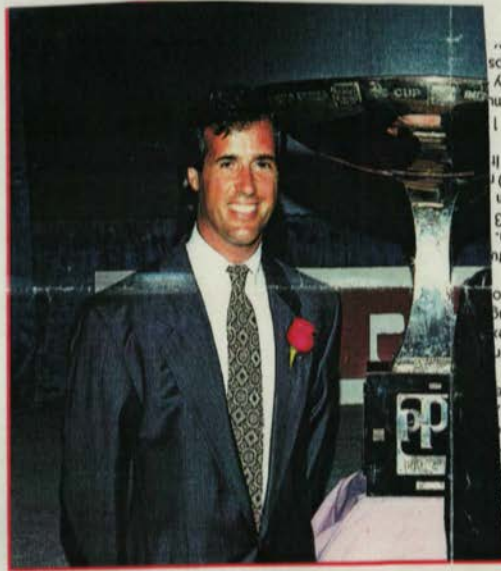
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1927



Dr. John Quincy Adams Stewart
1828-1898



**Oh, Danny (Sullivan) Boy,
Irish Eyes Are Smiling!**

Great-great grandson
Winner of Indianapolis 500

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Names:

Stewart, John Quincy
Adams, Dr.

Sullivan, Danny

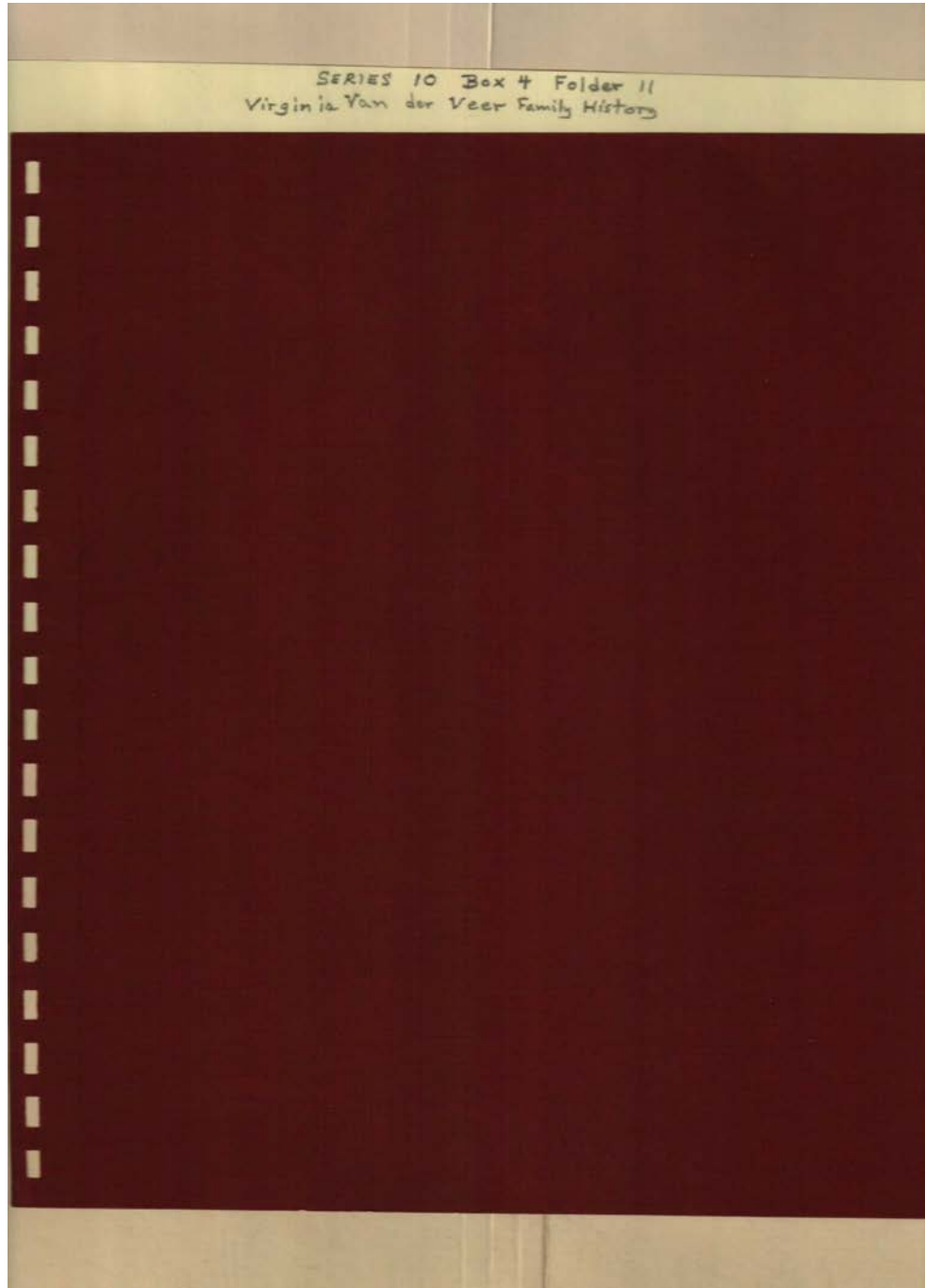
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