Archival and Manuscript Collections Finding Aid

ACCESSION No.: HRHS-39

COLLECTION TITLE: Morrison Stirewalt Collection

DATES: 1850s-1890s

SIZE: 5 (five) folders

DONOR: Katherine McQuade, 10/16/1998

PROCESSED: Processed 11/28/2012 by K. Craun and L. Adams. Originally part of Museum acc. # 98.11. Only 5 items in HRHS-39. Other related archival items: 98.11.11(journal) *Missing*; 98.11.12 a, b, c (photos); 98.11.14 (certificate) - see HRHS 55 Folder 11; 98.11.16 (newspaper) - see HRHS 91.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE: John Clinedinst Morrison of Harrisonburg, VA and Henrietta Helena Stirewalt of New Market were married on November 16, 1857. John was a carriage and wagon builder and owned and operated a factory in Harrisonburg, VA. His products were known for their quality and workmanship and they were used in the vicinity of Harrisonburg and throughout the State of Virginia. He served in the First Virginia Regulars in the Confederate Army.

SCOPE AND CONTENT:

Autograph book of Mrs. Henrietta Stirewalt Morrison (Museum acc. # 98.11.13a) 1850's-1870's

Autograph book of Henrietta Morrison (McQuade), daughter of Henrietta Stirewalt Morrison, 1880's (98.11.13b)

Autograph book of Miss Maria Morrison, daughter of Henrietta Stirewalt Morrison (Museum acc. # 98.11.13c) 1880s-1890s

Autograph book of Elizabeth (Lizzie) Morrison, daughter of Henrietta Stirewalt Morrison (Museum acc. # 98.11.13d) 1880s-1890s

Morrison family research paper (Museum acc. # 98.11.17) Booklet is a typed manuscript, *The Morrison Family of Virginia*, researched by Jennie T. Grayson and made in 1939.

COLLECTION INVENTORY:

Folder 1: Autograph book of Mrs. Henrietta Stirewalt Morrison 98.11.13a

Folder 2: Autograph book of Henrietta Morrison (McQuade) 98.11.13b

Folder 3: Autograph book of Miss Marie Morrison 98.11.13c

Folder 4: Autograph book of Miss Elizabeth Morrison 98.11.13d Folder 5: Typed copy of The Morrison Family of Virginia, dated March 6, 1940, 98.11.17

ARRANGEMENT:

Four folders each containing an autograph book. One folder containing the Morrison family history.