



Salisbury University Topics List

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- Salisbury University archives as the first teacher's college on the Eastern shore of Maryland
- Early sanitation in Salisbury, including sewers, health codes, and responses to cholera found in City minutes and ordinances.
- Development of Ocean City in the mid-20th century
- Frontiers of freedom from slavery—free Black communities (i.e. San Domingo, Unionville)
- Ocean City Lifesaving Station in the late 19th century
- Rural post offices and mail delivery
- One room schoolhouses and early education on the Delmarva Peninsula
- Forest fires in Wicomico County
- Correspondence from the Lankford Family Papers, including letters sent from family in the West
- Delmarva Peninsula's first airports, airmail, and the impact of Richard A. Henson
- Failed mining venture in California from the Miles Family Papers
- Frontiers of American colonization, including Aztec codices and explorers' accounts
- Enslaved Delmarva individuals' sales to the South during 19th century expansion
- Island life – Smith Island, etc.
- Corey Family letters that detail their experiences during the CA gold rush in the 1850s
- Henry Reitzels' journey from Illinois to Kansas from 1869-1875 where he talks about passing missions, Indian reservations, and camping on the prairie
- Coldevin Angel Anderson's diary about working on a railroad in Minnesota in the 1930s
- Various propaganda posters from Cuba, the Soviet Union, the Chinese Cultural Revolution
- The Pavlick Tschepotkin and Elvira Christophornia Letters - White Russian refugees in the 1920s
- A Century of Progress Exposition Scrapbook (Chicago, Illinois) from 1933 (Chicago's World's Fair Expo)