Finding Aid for the Gideon Shryock (1802–1880) Papers

Title: Gideon Shryock Papers
Date Span: 1837–2008
Extent: 1.0 linear feet ; 1 box
Language(s): English

Description: This collection documents the career and studies of 19th-century Kentucky architect Gideon Shryock who designed the old capitol at Frankfort and the Jefferson County Courthouse in Louisville.

Folder 1

Folder 2

Folder 3

Folder 4
- Letter from Owsley Brown to Dr. Robert Doherty dated April 6, 1971
- Letter from Owsley Brown to Mrs. Roy Bridwell dated April 12, 1971
- Letter from Owsley Brown to Mrs. Roy Bridwell dated June 3, 1971
- Copy of a letter from Congressman Ron Mazzoli to Owsley Brown dated August 20, 1971
• Notes from Owsley Brown from a meeting with Russell Keune
• Notes from Margaret Bridwell concerning National Historic Register and the Old Bank of Louisville building

Folder 5
• Letter from C. Frank Dunn to Dr. Justus Bier dated November 10, 1947
• Letter from Dr. Justus Bier to C. Frank Dunn dated January 8, 1948
• Letter from Dr. Justus Bier to C. Frank Dunn dated January 26, 1948

Folder 6
• Letter Margaret Bridwell to Mayor Richard Beliles dated April 7, 1971
• Letter from Margaret Bridwell to Mayor Richard Beliles dated May 18, 1971
• Letter from Margaret Bridwell to Mayor Richard Beliles dated July 6, 1971

Folder 7
• Letter from Clay Lancaster to Dr. Justus Bier dated January 28, 1945

Folder 8
• Letter from Elizabeth Douthitt to Adolf K. Placzek dated October 3, 1969

Folder
• Letter from Elizabeth S. Field (Gideon Shryock’s neice) to Dr. Justus Bier
• Letter from Alfred Andrews to Elizabeth S. Field dated October 6, 1947
• Letter from Elizabeth S. Field to Dr. Justus Bier dated October 10, 1947
• Letter from Elizabeth S. Field to Dr. Justus Bier dated November 20, 1947
• Letter from Beatrice Sternberg to Elizabeth S. Fields dated December 6, 1947
• Letter from Beatrice Sternberg to Elizabeth S. Fields dated February 24, 1948
• Postcard from Beatrice Sternberg to Elizabeth S. Fields dated March 2, 1948

Folder 10
• Letter from Arthur L.P. Scully to the Fine Arts Department dated April 30, 1969
• Letter from Margaret Bridwell to Arthur L.P. Scully dated June 9, 1969
• Letter from Arthur L.P. Scully to the Fine Arts Department dated June 12, 1969
• Letter from Margaret Bridwell to Arthur L.P. Scully dated July 1, 1969
• Letter from Arthur L.P. Scully to Margaret Bridwell dated September 16, 1969
• Letter from Margaret Bridwell to Arthur L.P. Scully dated October 2, 1969
• Postcard from Arthur Scully to Elizabeth Douthitt dated November 12, 1969
• Letter from Elizabeth Douthitt to Arthur Scully dated November 18, 1969
- Letter from Arthur Scully to Elizabeth Douthitt dated November 26, 1969
- Letter from Arthur Scully to Elizabeth Douthitt dated December 23, 1969
- Copies of letters from above parties
- Message about finding photographs mentioned in letters above.

Folder 11

- Gallaher, Mary Jane. “FACE LIFTING...for Gideon Shryock’s Old Morrison Hall at Transylvania is off to a $25,000 start.” [n.d.]

Folder 12

- 3 pages of notes from Dr. Justus Bier on Gideon Shryock

Folder 13


Folder 14

- Introduction to the paper “Gideon Shryock – His Life and his Work” by Elizabeth Shryock Field
- Death of Gideon Shryock – June 19, 1980, by Elizabeth S. Field.

Folder 15

- Deposition of Gideon Shryock, 29 November 1837, Louisville Chancery Court Case #793 (1837)

Folder 16
• Pamphlet from the Kentucky Historical Society Museum about the Old State House in Frankfort Ky.
• Hamlin, Talbot F. “The A.I.A. Meets in Kentucky.” *Pencil Points*, May 1940.