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CHARLES M. BENNETT AND LORAINA BENNETT RAE MAP COLLECTION

1923-1993

131 maps

Provenance

Most of the maps in this collection were gathered by Charles M. Bennett of Jonesborough for genealogical/historical research. His daughter, Loraine Bennett Rae also assisted in this research and collected maps as well. She inherited her father's collection upon his death in 1974. In turn, Rae gave both her father's and her own maps to Betty Jane Hylton of Johnson City, Tenn., before Rae moved to Portland, Oregon in the early 2000s. Mrs. Hylton donated the maps to the archives on July 17, 2017.

Scope and Content Note

The collection consists primarily of United States Geological Survey topographic maps used by Charles M. Bennett in his research on Washington County cemeteries. This research was eventually published in a three-volume work titled *Washington County, Tennessee Tombstone Inscriptions* (1977-1979). His notes and markings are found on the maps. Also included are other types of maps such as highway maps, navigation maps, geological maps, and reproductions of historic maps primarily related to Tennessee and the southern United States. Later maps were used by Bennett's daughter, Loraine B. Rae in her research.

The topographic maps are arranged by state (Tennessee and Virginia) and then alphabetically by geographic location. In cases where there are multiple maps for the same quadrangle, these maps are further arranged in chronological order. Following the topographic maps, miscellaneous maps are filed at the end of the collection in alphabetical order by map title.

* An asterisk indicates that the department has a digital copy of the map. These are found in the Gordon Edwards Digital Map Collection.

LIST OF MAPS

TENNESSEE TOPOGRAPHIC QUADRANGLE MAPS

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Blountville Quadrangle (197-SE): Tennessee – Virginia. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, 1938.

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Bluff City Quadrangle (198-NE): Tennessee. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, circa 1935. Some cemeteries marked. *

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Bluff City Quadrangle (198-NE): Tennessee. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, 1940. Jeremiah Dungan NC land grant and some cemeteries marked. *

Bristol Quadrangle (206-SW): Tennessee – Virginia. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, 1938. Printed in blue, notation on map reads, “Color Edition Exhausted.” Some cemeteries in Sullivan County, Tennessee and Washington County, Virginia marked.

Cedar Creek Quadrangle (181-SW): Tennessee. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, 1939. Two copies. *

Chestoa Quadrangle (199-SW): Tennessee – North Carolina. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, circa 1935. Some cemeteries in Unicoi County, Tennessee marked. *

Chuckey Quadrangle (190-NW): Tennessee. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, circa 1936. Some Washington County cemeteries marked by Mr. Bennett. *

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Erwin Quadrangle (199-NW): Tennessee. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, circa 1939. Some Washington and Unicoi County cemeteries marked by Mr. Bennett. *

Flag Pond Quadrangle (190-SE): Tennessee – North Carolina. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, 1939. Some cemeteries in Unicoi County, Tennessee marked. *

Greeneville Quadrangle (190-NW): Tennessee – North Carolina. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, surveyed in 1883 – 1884, 1888 and 1891. Edition of August 1904, reprinted 1934. Stage Road marked from Greeneville to Jonesborough. *

Greeneville Quadrangle (181-NE): Tennessee (Greene County). Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, 1940. Some cemeteries marked. Damaged. *

Greystone Quadrangle (190SW): Tennessee – North Carolina. United States, Tennessee Valley Authority Map, 1939. Some cemeteries marked. *

Holston Valley Quadrangle (206-SE): Tennessee – Virginia. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, 1938. Some cemeteries in Sullivan County, Tennessee and Southwest Virginia marked. *

Indian Springs Quadrangle (197-SE): Tennessee – Virginia. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, 1939. Two copies. Some cemeteries marked in Tennessee. *

Indian Springs Quadrangle (197-SW): Tennessee – Virginia. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, 1940.

Jearaldstown Quadrangle (198-SW): Tennessee. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, Tennessee, circa 1935. Some cemeteries marked. *

Johnson City Quadrangle (198-SE): Tennessee. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, 1940. Jeremiah Dungan's land grant has been drawn on this map. Some Washington County cemeteries marked by Mr. Bennett. *

Jonesboro Quadrangle (198-SW): Tennessee. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, circa 1939. Some Washington County cemeteries marked by Mr. Bennett. *

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Keensburg, Quadrangle (207-NW): Tennessee. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, circa 1935. *

Lake Davy Crockett Quadrangle (181-SE): Tennessee – North Carolina. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, 1940. *

Lake Davy Crockett Quadrangle (181-SE): Tennessee – North Carolina. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, 1940. *

Leesburg Quadrangle (189-SE): Tennessee. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, circa 1935. Some Washington County cemeteries marked by Mr. Bennett. *

Lovell Quadrangle (189-NW): Tennessee. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, circa 1935. Some Washington County cemeteries marked by Mr. Bennett. *

Mosheim Quadrangle (181-NW): Tennessee (Greene County). Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, 1939. *

Spurgeon Quadrangle (198-NW): Tennessee. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, 1940. Some cemeteries in Sullivan County and Washington County marked. (Spurgeon Quadrangle is later called Boone Dam Quadrangle.) *

Spurgeon Quadrangle (198-NW): Tennessee. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, circa 1950. Some cemeteries in Sullivan County and Washington County marked. (Spurgeon Quadrangle is later called Boone Dam Quadrangle.) *

Sullivan Gardens Quadrangle (189-NE): Tennessee. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, circa 1935. Some cemeteries in Sullivan County and Washington County, Tennessee marked. *

Telford Quadrangle (190-NE): Tennessee. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, circa 1936. Edward West, Sr., and Joseph Crouch, Sr., and "Roberts Heirs to Henderson Clark" property boundaries drawn on this map. Some Washington County cemeteries marked by Mr. Bennett. *

Telford Quadrangle (190-NE): Tennessee. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, 1939. Some Washington County cemeteries marked by Mr. Bennett.*

VIRGINIA TOPOGRAPHIC QUADRANGLE MAPS

Folder 4

Abingdon Quadrangle (213-NW): Virginia (Washington County). United States, Tennessee Valley Authority Map, 1939. Two copies.

Bristol Quadrangle (206-SW): Virginia – Tennessee. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, Surveyed in 1887-88 and 1894-95. Edition of June 1902, reprinted 1923 (smaller size.)

Hilton Quadrangle (197-NW): Virginia (Scott County). Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, 1938. Has some Scott County, Virginia cemeteries marked. Two copies

Mendota Quadrangle (197-NE): Virginia. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, 1939.

Mendota Quadrangle (197-NE): Virginia. Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, 1939.

Wallace Quadrangle (206-NW): Virginia (Washington County). Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, Tennessee Valley Authority, 1938. Lists “probable location” of the Jacob and John Droke farms.

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Wyndale Quadrangle (206-NE): Virginia (Washington County). Department of the Interior, U. S. Geological Survey, 1938.

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MISCELLANEOUS MAPS

Folder 5

Baltic Republics: Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania. Published in Vilnius, Lithuania, 1993.

Boone Reservoir, Tennessee Valley Authority, Navigation Map, 1954. Some Washington and Sullivan County cemeteries marked by Mr. Bennett. *

Southern Section of the United States including Florida etc. by John Melish. 1816. (copy)

Washington County, Tennessee 1836 Civil District Map, drawn by Charles M. Bennett in April 1963. Map includes locations of several residents’ homes. Two copies, one in negative format. *

Map Sets (Folder 5)

Geologic Map of East Tennessee, compiled by John Rodgers. Department of Conservation, Division of Geology. Nashville, Tennessee, 1952. (13 sheets)

Maps of Tennessee and Other Southern States [North Carolina, Kentucky and Alabama] for Genealogical Searching. Compiled by Pollyanna Creekmore, 1965. (31 sheets)

Folder 6 (Extra oversized maps)

General Highway Map, Washington County, Tennessee, 1991. *

Washington County, Tennessee. Map prepared by the Upper East Tennessee Section, Local Planning Assistance Office, January 1985. Approved by the County Commission of Washington

County, February 4, 1985. This map was used by Loraine Bennett Rae to mark cemeteries and determine the volume of the cemetery books covered by each area. Map has been cut into two sections. *