

A very useful addition to our finding aids was a card catalogue of county microfilm records. It is now possible by searching under the name of the county and the series desired to find the reel on which the record appears.

Along with our work of cataloguing the official publications of the State of Maryland, we prepared a list of the materials included in the series of so-called "Documents" which appeared from 1830 until 1920. This list has not only proved useful as a finding aid but by indicating clearly what we lack has provided us with a list of desiderata to be procured at the first opportunity.

Two very valuable indexes were transferred from the Rockville Courthouse to the Hall of Records: *General Index to Land Records 1777-1878*, 4 volumes, and *General Index to Wills, 1777-1942*, 1 volume. The transfer of these indexes makes the use of our Montgomery County records much easier and saves us the cost of preparing new finding aids for these two series.

Your attention is called to the list of card indexes here below, witnesses of the fact that while our work has expanded into all sorts of other record fields, we still do not neglect the genealogist and local historian for whom these very old records are of primary importance.

Among the other finding aids it has been customary here to report the appearance of annual reports of the Archivist, in this case the Fourteenth, because these reports contain accessions and lists of finding aids which have been prepared during the year.

List of typewritten cards filed this year in our index room:

- Caroline County Accounts, 1774-1791
- Caroline County Bonds, 1774-1790
- Charles County Wills, 1676-1777
- Dorchester County Accounts, 1695-1775
- Dorchester County Bonds, 1675-1774
- Kent County Accounts, 1673-1777
- Provincial Court Judgments, 1716-1717
- Queen Anne's County Wills, 1667-1788
- Somerset County Accounts, 1751-1790
- Talbot County Wills, 1668-1716, 1722-1746, 1777-1794
- Talbot County, Vital Statistics, 1657-1680