

## Norma B. Gordon Collection

- Repository:** Rockingham Co. Historical Collections  
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Rockingham Community College  
P. O. Box 38  
Wentworth, NC 27375
- Title:** Norma B. Gordon Collection
- Accession No.:** 12-084
- Extent:** 26 boxes and approximately 95 3-ring binders
- Provenance:** Donated by Cindy Kernodle, daughter of Norma Gordon, in 2012
- Subject Headings:** Apple's Chapel Christian Church  
Apple family – Genealogy  
Brown family – Genealogy  
Flack family – Genealogy  
Gordon, Norma B., 1938-2011  
Gordon family – Genealogy  
Kimbrough family -- Genealogy  
Payne family -- Genealogy  
Rockingham County (N. C.) -- Genealogy
- Preferred Citation:** *Norma B. Gordon Collection. 12-084. Rockingham Co. Historical Collections, Gerald B. James Library, Rockingham Community College.*
- Descriptive Note:** Norma B. Gordon was born in 1938 in Alamance County, North Carolina. She was the wife of Irvin Clay Gordon and daughter of Eura Brooks and Lillian Jane Hensley Brown. She retired from the City of Greensboro as a property researcher. She was a member of Apple's Chapel Christian Church and an avid gardener.
- Norma was a life-long genealogy enthusiast, compiling hundreds of family and local history information files, focusing on the history of Apple's Chapel and surrounding areas and

the Apple, Brown, Flack, Gordon, Payne and Kimbrough families, among many more. She was also active in the Genealogical Society of Rockingham and Stokes Counties. Upon her death in 2011, her collection of books and papers were donated to the Rockingham County Historical Collections by her daughter, Cindy Kernodle.

**Contents:**

Box 1:

File Folders:

Albrecht/Albright

Albright

Anderson

Andrew/Andrews

Apple 1-16

Box 2:

File Folders:

Apple letters

Lowell Apple Family

William Apple

Bates

Bell

Bevill/Beville

Bishop

Bohn/Boon/Boone/Buhn 1-3

Branch

Brasfeild, Helen Hall

Brewer

Brown 1-5

Browning-Kimbrough

Brown Reunion 1-2

Burney

Busick

Cable/Coble

Caffey/Coffee

Caldwell

Cannon

Carman

Chilcutt

Chrisman/Chrismon/Christman/Crisman 1-3

Clapp 1-2

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File Folders:

Clapp 3  
Clymer  
Cobb  
Cone  
Cook  
Cooper  
Cummings 1-3  
Custis  
Daugherty/Dougherty  
Dilworth  
Donnell  
Driver  
Evans 1-3  
Farrington  
Faust/Foust  
Field/Fields  
Flack 1-4

Box 4:

File Folders:

Flack 5-22 (Flack 11 contains 3 CD-ROMs)  
Flack/Dilworth  
Flack/Parks/Roundtree

Box 5:

File Folders:

Fonvielle/Fonville  
Forbes  
Fryar  
Fulton  
Gass  
Gerringer 1-2  
Goodner  
Gordon 1-5  
Graham  
Graves

Green  
Griffith  
Grissom  
Hagey  
Hart  
Hayes  
Heath  
Hensley 1-3  
Hines  
Holder  
Holman  
Holt  
Hopkins

Notebooks:  
Flack Family  
Flack Family Land Records

Box 6:

File Folders:  
Huffines  
Ingle  
Ingold  
Iseley/Isley  
Jones  
Kernodle  
Kerr 1-3  
Kimbrow/Kimbrough 1-10  
King  
Kirk  
Lambert  
Lambeth 1-3  
Lee

Box 7:

File Folders:  
Lewis  
Lloyd  
Lockhart  
Loftin

Low/Lowe/ Loy 1-2  
Macommas  
Madren  
Malone  
Martin  
Maxwell 1-2  
May  
McCuiston/McQuiston/McQuiston 1-4  
McDaniel  
McKinney  
Michael  
Miles  
Milton  
Mitchell  
Moore  
Neal, Richard D.  
Nease/Neese  
Paisley  
Paschal  
Payne 1-4

Box 8:

File Folders:  
Payne 5-10  
Pegg  
Philips/Phillips  
Prior  
Pritchett  
Rayl  
Rankin  
Reagan  
Reitzel  
Rhodes  
Roach  
Roberson  
Ross  
Rudd  
Scherer  
Sharpe  
Shaver  
Shelton  
Shelton/Matlock  
Simpson

Slade  
Small  
Smith 1-2  
Snow  
Sockwell  
Spoon  
Starnes  
Starr  
Stephens  
Strader  
Summers 5

Notebooks:  
Payne Family Information  
Payne Family Reunion

Box 9:

File Folders:  
Summers 1-4 (Summers 5 located in Box 8)  
Summers, Ludwig  
Swaney  
Swing  
Thomas  
Tickle  
Tinnen/Tinnin 1-4  
Trollinger  
Troxler  
Vanstory  
Vaughn  
Waggoner/Wagoner 1-8  
The Wagoner Family  
Walker  
Weatherly  
Webb  
Weeks  
Wharton  
Whitesell 1  
Land Records 4

Box 10:

File Folders:

Whitesell 2

Whitt

Wilson

Wirick, Mike-Letters

Wirick/Wyrick 1-13

Woollen/Woolen

Box 11:

File Folders:

Wright

Young

Family Name Lists 1-3

Box 12:

File Folders:

Alamance County NC

Apple's Chapel

Apple's Chapel Cemetery Records 1-4

Apple's Chapel Christian Church 1-3

Apple's Chapel Deeds, Etc.

Apple's Chapel Letters

Apple's Chapel United Church of Christ 1-3

Battlefields

Battle of Guilford Courthouse

Battle of Shallow Ford

Bessemer School

Bethel United Methodist Church

Bethlehem Christian Church

Brick Church

Brown Summit, NC

Brown Summit United Methodist Church

Brown's Chapel

Buffalo Presbyterian Church

Burlington Times News

Busick Club House (empty file)

Busick Elementary School (empty file)

Caswell County Information

Caswell Co. Maps  
Cave Creek Baptist Church  
Cemetery Records

Box 13:

File Folders:

1815 Guilford County Tax List  
Census Forms  
Census Records-1790  
Census Records-1800  
Census Records-1810  
Census Records-1820  
Census Records-1830 & 1840  
Census Records-1850 1-2  
Census Records-1860  
Census Records-1870  
Census Records-1880  
Census Records-1900  
Census Records-1910  
Census Records-1920  
Census Records-1930  
Church Maps  
Churches-Organized  
Civil War Records  
Church Records  
Civil War 1-3  
Chatham County, NC  
Contact Information  
Court Records  
The County Court-Early Years  
Country Church  
Death Records  
Diseases  
Donner Party  
Downeast Ancestry-April 1983  
Downeast Ancestry-December 1983  
Downeast Ancestry-February 1984  
Downeast Ancestry-April 1984  
Early American Life-August 1973  
Early American Life-June 1974  
Early American Life-June 1975  
Fairgrove Methodist Church  
Farm Plat Book



First Baptist Church-Gibsonville, NC  
Friedens Lutheran Church  
Friendship Methodist Church

Box 14:

File Folders:  
Genealogical Research Information 1-7  
Genealogy Forms 1-3  
German Immigration  
Gethsemane Methodist Church  
Gibsonville, NC  
Glencoe Village  
Goodspeed Biographies-Lincoln County TN  
Guilford County NC  
Guilford County Township Information  
Guilford County Mortality Schedules 1870-80  
The Guilford Genealogist  
Gum Grove Presbyterian Church  
Haw River Cemetery  
Haw River Presbyterian Church

Box 15:

File Folders:  
Hexology  
High Rock Mill and House  
Hines Chapel Church  
History of Apple's Chapel Church  
History of the Weldon Railroads  
Huffine Mill  
Immigration  
Journal of the Genealogical Society of Rockingham and Stokes  
Counties, NC-June 1997  
Journal of the Genealogical Society of Rockingham and Stokes  
Counties, NC-September 1997  
Journal of the Genealogical Society of Rockingham and Stokes  
Counties, NC-December 1997  
Journal of the Genealogical Society of Rockingham and Stokes  
Counties, NC-March 1998  
The Journal of Rockingham County History and Genealogy  
Kentucky  
Kirk-Holden War  
Land Records 1-3, 5-10

(Land Records File 4 is located in Box 9)  
Land Transactions 1-3

Notebooks:  
Land Records

Box 16:

File Folders:  
Land Transactions 4  
Lebanon Baptist Church  
Letters 1-3  
Lincoln County NC  
Lowe's Church  
Maps 1-2  
Marriage Records  
Mecklenburg County NC  
Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence  
Military Records  
Misc. Photographs and Newspaper Articles  
Monticello Christian Church  
Monticello Club House  
Monticello High School  
Monticello Primitive Baptist Church  
Monticello United Church of Christ  
Moravian Church Info  
Mr. Tommy Faucette's Home  
Native American Information  
North Carolina Genealogical Reference

Box 17:

File Folders:  
North Carolina Historical Almanack  
North Carolina Historical Information  
North Carolina Wills: A Testator Index 1665-1900  
Obituaries 1-2  
Orange County Marriage Bonds  
Orange County NC  
Osceola Baptist Church  
Paper-Blank  
Pedigrees 1-2  
Pennsylvania-Naturalization and Settlement

Poor House Story  
Railroad Info  
Recollections  
Revolutionary War 1-2  
Rockingham County Information  
Rowan County NC  
School Districts 1895  
School Information  
Stoner's (Steiner's) Church  
Surname Index  
Tennessee Info  
Terrell Chair  
Texas Info  
Thacker Ledger Book  
Third Avenue Christian Church  
Thomas School  
Thomas Schoolhouse  
Thomas Scott Homeplace  
Tornado  
Virginia Info  
Wachovia  
War of 1812  
Wetzell's Mill Skirmish  
Wills

Box 18:

Miscellaneous photographs (mostly unidentified)

Box 19:

Additional genealogies of families

Box 20-21:

Church records

Box 22:

Additional family records:

Apple  
Flack  
Huffines  
Wyrick

Additional church records

Box 23:

Glass framed photos

Box 24:

Correspondence  
Miscellaneous oversized items

Box 25:

Background information including German migration census  
for VA and NC

Box 26:

Monticello High School (Brown Summit, NC) yearbooks, 1940's  
and 1950's  
Monticello High School mementos

Books:

Cataloged and added to the collection:

*Cobb Connections* by Joan Cobb, 1997

*Burton: Our Caswell County, North Carolina Ancestry* by  
Margaret Burton Woods, 1992

*Lambert/Lambeth Family of North Carolina* by Mary Norton  
Doggett, 1974

*The Christmann Heritage* by Charles and Neva Chrisman, 2004

*Apple Genealogy: A Genealogical Register of Apple Families  
Originating in North Carolina* by Stephen W. Apple, 1992

3 Ring Notebooks:

Apple 1

Apple 2

Apple 3

William Apple 1

William Apple 2

Boone Family History

Braskey Brown WWII Letter

Brown  
Cobb Family History  
Cummings Family History  
Dilworth  
Samuel and Dorcas Flack Dougherty Family  
John and Hannah Flack Dougherty Family  
Evans  
Flack 1  
Flack 2  
Flack 3  
Flack 4  
Flack 5  
Flack 6  
Andrew Flack And Mary Dilworth Family  
Andrew Flack and Nancy Ann Tinnin Family  
Captain Thomas Flack  
Elijah Flack Family  
Elisha Flack Family  
Family Records: Andrews-Zimmerman  
James Elone Flack  
Jane Flack  
John Yancey Flack  
Thomas Flack  
Thomas Flack Jr.  
Thomas Pinkney Flack Family  
Gerringer Family History  
Gordon 1  
Gordon 2  
Gordon Family History  
Green Gordon (son of Woodson Gordon)  
Graves Family History  
Kimbrough  
Lowe Family History  
Neese Family History  
Payne 1  
Payne 2  
Payne Family History  
Payne Reunion  
Payne-Stevens  
Smith, Andrew  
Smith, Jacob  
Smith, John and Frederick  
Summers Family History  
Tinnin

Troxler  
Various Families' Records 1-2  
Various Family Names A-W  
Various Family Names A-Z-Eli Washington Brown Family  
Waggoner  
Wagner  
Wagner/Waggoner Family  
Whitesell  
Apple's Chapel Christian Church Cemetery Records  
Apple's Chapel United Church of Christ History  
Battles/Wars  
Brick Church Records  
Bulletin of VA-NC Genealogy 1979-1980  
Bulletin of VA-NC Genealogy 1982-1983  
Census Information  
Family Puzzlers  
Guilford Grays  
Land Records 1  
Land Records 2  
Land Records 3  
Military Records and Photographs  
Misc. Historical Document 1  
Misc. Historical Document 2  
Misc. Historical Document 3  
Misc. Historical Document 4  
Misc. Historical Document 5  
Misc. Newspaper Articles 1  
Misc. Newspaper Articles 2  
Misc. Newspaper Articles 3  
Misc. Newspaper Articles 4  
Misc. Newspaper Articles 5  
Misc. Newspaper Articles and Photos-Guilford County  
Information  
Misc. Pictures-Newspaper Clips Etc. 1  
Misc. Pictures-Newspaper Clips Etc. 2  
Misc. Photographs  
Misc. Wills Prior to 1800  
Obituaries and Wedding Announcements  
Raleigh Archival Information  
Revolutionary War Pensions  
Various Cemetery Records  
World War II Letters