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### Manuscripts

- Edward Bomsey collection of deeds and contracts; c. 1800-1919. **MS 0725**
- Deeds and records of Jesse Brown's real estate holdings; 1826-1839. **MS 0056**
- List of lot owners in Brightwood subdivision; c.1880. **MS 0101**
- Charles M. Keyes real estate records; 1850-1915. **MS 0152**, folders 1-2
- Commissioners' statement of moneys due for lots, 1792. **MS 0288**
- Larkin Family real estate records; 1886-1942. **MS 0339**, folders 2-4
- William Hitz real estate records (Hitz Family Papers); 1908-1942. **MS 0392**, folders 1-6
- Charles C. Glover real estate records; 1950-1991. **MS 0525**, series III, folders 28-60
- Fred C. Hays real estate records, 1897-1951. **MS 0560**, folders 21-30
- E.O. Wagenhorst real estate records; 1901. **MS 0620**
- Mildred K. Santleman real estate records; 1897-1968. **MS 0699**
- O'Donnoghue family deeds; 1826-1874. **MS 0564**
- Records, deeds, etc. for individual transactions are also included in other manuscript files, including: **MS 0126, 0027, 0034, 0058, 0065, 0067, 0127, 0129, 0138, 0151, 0167, 0179, 0205, 0231, 0257, 0280, 0361, 0468, 0498, 0586.**

### Maps

- Faehtz and Pratt *Real Estate Directory of Washington*, 1874. **F 194 R43**
- *Baist Real Estate Atlases*, 1903-1968
- *Hopkins Real Estate Atlases*, 1887-1896
- There are a large number of plats for specific areas under development, scattered in manuscript and map files, and searchable by address or keyword "plat."

### Books and Pamphlets

- Pippenger, W.E. *Index to District of Columbia Land Records, 1792-1817*. Tappahannock, Va.: Wesley Pippenger, 2009. **F193. P567 2009**
- *Boyd's Directories of the District of Columbia, 1902-1935* **F192.5A**
- U.S. Senate Commission to Investigate Title of United States to Lands in District of Columbia, *Title of the United States to Lands in the District of Columbia, 1090*. **P 4836**

### Articles

- Brown, Letitia W. "Residence Patterns of Negroes in the District of Columbia, 1800-1860," *Records of the Columbia Historical Society*, 69/70 (1969/70), 66-79.
- Colket, Meredith B. Jr. "Public Records of D.C.," *Records of the C.H.S* 48/49 (1946/47), 281-99.
- Gauss, H.D. "Title Deeds to the City of Washington," *Records of the C. H. S.* 18 (1915), 44-52.
- Gilmore, Mathew. "A catalogue of Suburban Subdivisions in the District of Columbia, 1854-1902," *Washington History* 14:2 (2002-3), 26-55.
- Scott, Pamela "Archives Publishes Office of Public Buildings Inventory," *Washington History* 5:1 (1993), 38.