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- Alderman, Edwin Anderson (1861-1931) Sept. 30, 1896, James A. McLaughlin to him, in Folder 96; also to him, Dec. 11, 1911. From him, Dec. 8, 13, 1911.
- Allen, Arch Turner (1894-1935) Scattered through the group, mostly from Allen to Coon. See Jan., Feb., March 1911; Aug., Sept., Oct., Nov. 1915; April, May 1919; July 1920; Aug. 1923; March-May, 1924; April, June, Sept., Nov., Dec. 1926; Jan. 11, 1928, to Mrs. Sadie Collins.
- Andrews, M B Letters from July 17, 1918; Oct. 16, Nov. 10, 29, 1919; July 16, 1920; March 26, 1921; April 22, 30, 192h. Letter to him, July 18, 1918.
- Archer, Frederick Charles (1882- ) Scattered through, chiefly letters from him; see especially: Jan., Feb., Aug. 1913; Jan., March, July, Sept., Oct., 1914; Jan., April, June, Aug., 1915; March, Oct., 1916; Oct., Nov., Dec. 1917; Feb., July, Dec., 1918; Feb. 1919; Oct. 1920; Jan., June 1926.
- Ashe, Samuel A Court (1840-1938) From, April 4, 1910.
- Atkins, Simon Green March 1, 4, Oct. 14, Nov. 1, 9, 26, 1915; to him, Nov. 15, 1915.
- Aycock, Charles Brantley (1859-1912) To Coon, May 2, 1907; to F. A. Woodard, April 1907. To Coon, Oct. 28, 1909; to Aycock, Sept. 20, 1910, Jan. 16, 30, Feb. 4, 1911.
- Bailey, Josiah William (1873-1946) To him: Sept. 19, 1910; Jan. 5, 9, Feb. 34, Dec. 4, 1911; from him: Sept. 19, 1910; Jan. 6, Dec. 2, 1911.
- Bassett, John Spencer (1867-1928) Dec. 6, 1911; Sept. 15, 1917; April 19, 1918.
- Beasley, R F -- Dec. 1916; Jan. 1917.
- Benton, Miles -- June 27, 1805 copy of his will, Gates County.
- Boyd, William Kenneth (1879-1938) March, April, 1909; Nov., 1913; Nov. 1914; July, 1915.
- Branson, Eugene Cunningham (1861-1933) From him: Nov. 9, 1915; April 12, 30, Aug. 27, 1924; Jan. 6, Feb. 3, Aug. 24, 26, 1926. To him: May 2, 1924.
- Brooks, Rugene Clyde (1871-1947) Scattered throughout, mostly from Brooks to Coon. See April 1907; March, Aug., 1913; Aug., Nov., 1914; May, Nov. 1915; Sept., 1916; Jan., 1917; Jan., Sept., Oct., Nov., 1919; March, April, May, June, July, Aug., Sept., Nov., Dec., 1920; Jan., Feb., Oct., Nov. 1921; Feb., June, 1922; Jan., Oct., 1924; Jan., May 1926.
- Bryan, Joseph Shepard From him: Oct. 24, 1916; March 16, 1917; Jan. 25, Aug. 20, 1926. To him, March 19, 1917.

- Chase, Harry Woodburn (1883-1955) Jan., March 1911; July 1919; Feb. 1922; March, May 1926; Jan. 1927.
- Clark, Walter (1846-1924) From him: Oct. 12, 1911; May 15, 1914. To him: Oct. 10, 1911; May 14, 1914.
- Clarkson, Heriot (1863-1942) Sept. 27, 1910, Oct. 10, 1910; Jan. 13, Feb. 1, 1911. To him, Jan. 30, 1911.
- Claxton, Philander Priestley (1862-1957) To him: Feb. 24, 1912; Sept. 23, 1913; June 5, 1915; from him to Coon: June 3, 5, July 19, 1913; from him to F. A. Woodard: April 22, 1907; from him to secty of Interior: Dec. 21, 1911, Jan. 3, 1912.
- Connor, George W. May 13, 1907 (from); Feb 15, 1911, Feb. 21, 1913 (to).
- Connor, Henry Groves (1852=1924) April 18, 1907, to F. A. Woodard; Oct. 19, 1909.
- Connor, Henry Groves, Jr. Jan. 16, 1919; Jan. 14, 20, 1925. To him, Jan. 15, 16, 1925.
- Connor, Robert Digges Wimberly (1878-1950) Scattered, frequent correspondence; see esp. April 1907; Jan., April, June, Aug.-Dec. 1909; Jan., Ap., Aug., Sept., Nov., Dec. 1910; Jan., March, May-Aug., Oct., Dec. 1911; April, Aug., 1913; Feb., March, Sept.-Dec. 1914; Feb., March, May, June, Sept. 1915; March, Oct. Nov., 1916; Aug. 1917; Nov. 1921; Nov. 1921; Jan., April, June, Oct. 1925, May 1926, Undated in Folder 89; Copy of lecture, 1912.
- Crawen Bruce Feb. 16, 1903; Jan. 7, 1916. To him, Sept. 24, 1910.
- Curtis, Kader R. Jan., Feb. 1919; Feb., April, Nov. 1920; Jan., Aug. 1926; Dec. 1927.
- Dabney, Charles William (1855-1945) Jan. 29, Feb. 2, 5, 1903; Feb. 15, 1912. To him, Dec. 30, 1963; Feb. 24, 1912.
- Daniels, Josephus (1862-1948) Sept. 26, 1910; Nov. 4, 1911; June 2, 8, 1923; Aug. 26, 1927. To him, Jan. 16, Oct. 17, 1911. \*Davis, John S. (see below)
- Denson, Daisy Dec. 31, 1910, Jan. 7, Feb. 4, 1911; to her. Jan. 2, 6, Feb. 1, from her. in 1911.
- Dudley, James B May 20, 27, June 4, 1913. To him, from Coon, May 26, 1913; from Robert Jones, June 12, 1913.
- Durant, James Copy of his letter, Jan. 3, 1732, to Thos. Benton and Sons ordering items for his Perquimans County plantation.
- Fennell, Hettie (Mrs.) Sept., Oct. 1913.
- Foust, Julius Isaac (1865-1946) Scattered letters from him throughout: see especially Feb. 1903; April 1907; June 1909; Sept., Nov. 1910; Jan., Feb., Nov., Dec. 1911; Dec. 1923; May 1924; June 1926.
- \*Davis, John S. Volume 1, ledger of Davis, general merchant, Spring Cove, N. C., 1850-59.

- Grimes, John Bryan (1868-1923) To him, Feb. 1, 7, 1911; from Feb. 3, 1911
- Hall, James Jabez (18h9-1921) Sept., Oct. 1910; Feb. 1911; April 1912
- Hamilton, Joseph Gregoire de Roulhac (1878-1961) April 25, 30, 1910; Nov. 22, 1913; April 30, 1924; May 9, 1924; Jan. 16, 1925.
- Harding, Harry P. Dec. 1914; Jan. 1916; Jan. 1918; Jan., March, Sept., Oct. 1919.
- Hardy, Ira May (1874- Feb., March, Aug. 1911.
- Henderson, Archibald (1877-1963) To him, April 8, 1913; Oct. 28, 1914. From him, April 10, Oct. 24, Nov. 3, 1914; Oct. 25, 28, 1915; May 17, 1925; Sept. 8, 1926.
- Highsmith, J[ohn] Henry (1877-1953) Dec. 1912; Dec. 1916; Jan. 1917; Aug. 1919; May 1922; July 1924;
- Hill, Daniel Harvey (1859-1924) Sept., Oct., 1910; Sept. 1914; Nov. 1921; May 1923.
- Hollis, John Porter (1872- Sept., Oct. 1910; Jan., Feb. 1911.
- House, Robert Burton (1892- Nov. 1924; Jan., March 1925; Jan., May, June 1926.
- Howell, Harry Scattered through the group, chiefly from him; also copy of his 1909 paper, "The Development of Public Education in Washington, N. C." See esp. Feb., March 1911; Sept., Nov. 1913; Sept., Nov., Dec. 1916; Feb. 1917; Jan., Feb. 1919; June, Aug. 1926.
- Howell, Logan Douglass (1868- Sept., Oct. 1916; May, June 1917.
- Inborden, Thomas Sewall Jan., Nov. 1912.
- Jackson, Walter Clinton (1879-1959) Scattered throughout, chiefly from him to Coon. See Oct. 1913; Oct 1914; June 1915; Feb., March 1918; April 1919; July, Sept., 1920; Dec. 1922; Jan., Feb. 1926.
- Johnson, Archibald (1859-1934) Dec. 5, 1911; May 19, 1917 from him. Dec. 6, 1911; Oct. 11, 1917 to him.
- Joyner, James Yadkin (1862-1954) From him: Feb. 18, 1903; June 16, 1904; July 19, 23, 25, 1904; April 18, 1907 (to F. A. Woodard) Sept. 27, 1909; Sept. 30, 1915. To him: Nov. 10, 1913; Dec. 1915.
- Kennedy, F. M. Dec. 23, 1912; Oct. 25, 1913 from him. Nov. 4, 1913 to him.
- Kitchin, Claude (1869-1923) From him: Jan. 11, 1911; Feb. 22, 1912; Feb. 16, 1914; Nov. 3, 11, 19, 1915; April 28, 1916; June 5, 1920; Nov. 18, 1921. To him: Feb. 18, 1911; Feb. 9, 1912; Feb. 10, 1914; Feb. 17, 1914; Jan. 14, 1920.

- Knight, Edgar Wallace (1886-1953) From him: Nov. 7, 1913; Aug. 4, 8, 1917; Feb. 12, 1925; June 9, 1926; Aug. 25, 30, 1926. To him: Sept. 20, 1917.
- Latham, R. H. Correspondence scattered through, mostly from Latham. See Feb., Dec., 1911; Aug., Nov. 1914; Sept., Nov. 1915; Feb., April 1917; Feb., Dec. 1918; Jan., Feb., March 1919; March, Sept., Dec., 1920; June 1926.
- Lovejoy, Owen R. Scattered through from April 1909 to July 1912.
- McKelway, Alexander Jeffrey (1866-1918) Scattered throughout from January 1910 to May 1912.
- McIver, Charles Duncan (1860-1906) Feb. 6, 1903; Oct. 8, 1903, to Carrie Sparger.
- McIver, Lula (Martin) Feb. 4, 1909; Jan. 25, 1910.
- McIver, Mrs. Charles Duncan see McIver, Lula (Martin).
- Masslich, Chester Bentley (1872-1933) June, July 1920; Jan. 1921; Sept., Oct. 1926.
- Matheson, J. A. Feb., April 1914; Sept., Oct., 1915; April, May, July, Sept., Nov. 1916.
- Merritt, R. A. Picture of Merritt, educator, attached to July 3, 1916 letter.
- Mills, W. R. March, May 1916; May, Oct. 1917.
- Morrison, Cameron (1869-1953) Feb. 13, 1925.
- Moses, Edward Pearson (1857-1948) Sept. 5, 1913.
- Newbold, Nathan Carter (1871-1957) Aug. 1913; Oct. 1917; July 1919; Jan., June, July, Oct. 1920.
- Newsome, Albert Ray (1894-1951) Scattered throughout from July 1926 to Nov. 1927.
- Noble, Marcus Cicero Stephens (1855-1942) Scattered throughout, chiefly from Noble. See April 1909; Oct., Dec. 1910; July 1914; Sept. 1916; March, Sept. 1918; April 1919; Feb. 1920; Jan., Nov., Dec. 1921; Jan., Feb., May 1922; Sept. 1923; July 1925; Sept., Oct. 1926.
- Overman, Lee Slater (1854-1930) April 17, 1907 (to F. A. Woodard); April 5, 1910; Feb. 14, 1914. To him, Dec. 20, 1910; Dec. 18, 1911.
- Pace, E. R. Jan. 2, 30, 1911, to him. Jan. 4, 23, 1911, from him.
- Page, Robert Newton (1859-1933) Feb. 12, 1912; Sept. 23, 1919.
- Poe, Clarence (Hamilton) (1881-1964) Scattered throughout from Jan. 1909 to Nov. 1915.
- Poteat, William Louis (1856-1938) Oct. 1910; Jan., Feb., Nov. 1911; Nov. 1915.

- Ray, John Edwin (1852-1918) Jan. 1911; Jan., Feb., March, 1914; April 1915.
- Richardson, D. S. Three letters from Edward P. Stone, April 24 (copy), May 19, July 29, 1913, give information on Richardson and Mrs. Richardson. Stone and Richardson were Northerners who taught in North Carolina just before the Civil War.
- Rose, Wickliffe (1862-1931) Oct. 28, 1909.
- Row, Robert Keable (1858-1932) Oct., Nov. 1917.
- Judd, Edith (Royster) Jan. 1912; Jan. 1913; July 1914; Sept., Oct. 1916.
- Royster, Edith Isabella, see also Judd, Edith (Royster) Miss Royster married Zebulon Vance Judd in 1915.
- Ryder, Charles Jackson (1848-1917) May, Sept., Oct., Dec. 1912; Feb. 1913.
- Sherrill, William Lander (1860- Jan., April, May 1926.
- Simmons, Furnifold M[cLendell] (1854-1940) Jan. 2, Dec. 19, 1911 from him. Dec. 18, 1911; Feb. 8, 1916; April 18, 1922 to him.
- Small, John Humphrey (1858-1946) Sept. 24, 1910; Feb. 14, 1912; Dec. 19, 1912 Efrom him. Feb. 16, 1912 to him.
- Stone, Edward P. April 18, 1913; May 19, 1913 to him. April 24 (copy), May 19, July 29, 1913 from him.
- Strange, Robert (1857-1936) Oct. 1910; Jan., Feb., Dec., 1911; Jan. 1913.
- Swift, Wiley Hampton (1875- April 18, 1907. Scattered through from Dec. 1911 to Feb. 1914. March 27, 1916; July 30, 1918.
- Thornton, Mary Lindsay From her: Feb. 14, 1918; Feb. 14, 18, 1925; Jan. 16, 1926. To her: Feb. 16, 1918.
- Tomlinson, Charles Fawcett (1871- Dec. 1911; Jan. 1912; March 1924.
- Underwood, Samuel Bobbitt (1885-1924) Scattered throughout, most from him. See May 1912; March, Aug., Sept. 1914; June, July, Sept. 1916; March 1919; May 1920; Feb., March, May 1924.
- Vann, Richard Tilman (1851-1950?) Sept., Oct. 1910; Feb., Dec. 1911.
- Walker, Nathan Wilson (1875-1935) March 1909; Dec. 1911; July, Nov. 1914; Aug., Sept. 1916; Sept. 1926.
- Washington, Booker Taliaferro (1856-1915) Dec. 24, 1912; Dec. 8, 1913; Feb. 16, May 23, 1914. From him. Dec. 30, 1912; Dec. 4, 1913; April 20, 1914; March 24, 1915. To him.
- Weeks, Stephen Beauregard (1865-1918) Feb. 19, 1908; June 17, 1908; Jany 27, 1915.

- Wiley, Calvin Henderson (1819-1887) Copies of letters to and from Wiley, 1838-1888, and also excerpts from Wiley's reports as N. C. State Superintendent of Common Schools, in folders 13-22.
- Williams, Lester Alonzo (1880- April 1915; Sept. 1916; April 1918.
- Williamson, Hugh (1735-1810) Copy of letter from Williamson to Gov. Richard Dobbs Spaight regarding preservation of North Carolina history, Dec. 23, 1793.
- Wilson, Louis Round (1876- Feb. 21, 1918; May 29, 1922; Feb. 16, March 29, 1927-from him. May 29, 1922-to him.
- Woodard, Frederick A. April, May 1907. June 21, 1915 "In Memoriam."

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- Caswell Training School Originally known as School for the Feebleminded. Coon was instrumental in its establishment, Dec. 1910-Aug.1911.
- Catawba County, North Carolina Copy of Zion Church Record, 1815-1851, Lutheran Church, in Folder 91.
- Davie County, North Carolina New Jerusalem Church Record, 1766-1874, in Rowan County, now Davie. Translation from the German. Volume 15.
- Federal Childrens' Bureau Coon was active in the campaign for its establishment, April 1910-Feb. 1912. He was secretary of the North Carolina Child Labor Committee at the time.
- Johnston County, North Carolina Typed manuscript, author unknown, on educational development in Johnston County prior to 1870, in folder 50. Also a course of study for 1901-02, in folder 25.
- Lincoln County, North Carolina A paper on Lincoln County folklore in 1830, by Goon, in folder 50. Correspondence with William L. Sherril on research in Lincoln County history, folders 76 and 78.
- Mecklenburg County, North Carolina Papers of members of the Harris family, Gilbert Cowles, and other residents of Mecklenburg County, Gllected by Coon, probably during the period when he lived in Charlotte and was engaged in historical research on the history of Mecklenburg. See survey of Folders 140-144 for more information.
- National Child Labor Committee Coon was secretary of the committee in North Carolina and an associate member of the national committee, Correspondence with officials guiding the southern campaign, April 1909-Feb. 1914: A. J. McKelway, Owen R. Lovejoy, Wiley H. Swift, John Porter Hollis.
- North Carolina Child Labor Committee Coon was secretary of the committee, 1906-16. Correspondence and newspaper clippings on the work of the committee, 1909-16.
- North Carolina Teacher's Assembly Coon was active in this organization, chiarman of the Committee on the History of Education, member of the committees on Professional Ethics and on Legislation and president in 1911.
- Rowan County, North Carolina Information on Locke Township Schools, by Goon, in Folder 25. Vol. 15 New Jerusalem Church Record, 1766-1874, in Rowan, later Davie, County. Translation from German. See also Salisbury.
- Salisbury, North Carolina. Coon was superintendent of the Salisbury schools from 1899 to 1903. See folders 26, 27, 70, Vol. 7 for information on schools during his administration and for letters from Salisbury residents.
- Southern Education Board = Coon was secretary and editor of the Bureua of Information and Investigation in 1903, with headquarters in Knoxville, Tenn. See folder 26 for his report on the work of the Bureau under his direction.

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- Spring Cove, North Carolina Volume 1, ledger of John S. Davis, 1850-59, general merchandise.
- Washington, North Carolina copy of the "Development of Public Education in Washington, N. C.," by Harry Howell, 1909.
- Wilson, North Carolina. Many of Coon's papers for 1907-1927, pertain to his work as superintendent of schools in Wilson and Wilson County and to his activities as a citizen in the community.
- Wilson County, North Carolina. Coon was superintendent of the county schools.

#### SUBJECT INDEX ENTRIES

- Agriculture Farm life schools, 1912-14, in Folders 37, 47,
- Charities, Public Welfare, & Foundations. Information on social service work in Wilson; Coon was chairman of committee of Social Service League, 1912, and President of Community Welfare League, 1914 folders 39, 44, 47, 94. Also report of S. E. Leonard, 1920, on work of State Board of Charities and Public Welfare in Wilson County, folder 62.
- Cotton Manufacturing. As secretary of the N. C. Child Labor Committee Coon corresponded with some manufacturers and collected information on working conditions in mills. Scattered throughout, 1909-16; see folder 32 for for conditions in Reidsville Mills.
- Education history See entire survey for information on these subjects in the papers. schools and teachers .
- Labor child Coon was secretary of the North Carolina Child Labor Committee, 1906-16, active in campaigns for state regulation, associate member of the National Child Labor Committee, and supporter of the bill to establish the Federal Children's Bureau. See correspondence 1909-16 and clippings in Volume 9.
- Medicine public health Correspondence about founding and financing of Negro Tuberculosis Sanatorium, Wilson, N. C., Dec. 1912; Dec. 1913; Feb. 1914; March 1915; Feb., Oct. 1917. Address, 1910, at organization of Wilson County Ant-Tuberculosis Assn.; speech, 1916, Conference of N. C. Health Officers. Also a little on anti-hookworm campaign in public schools, in folders 98-99.
- Negroes and Race Relations since 1906. Coon's appointment as superintendent of Negro Normal Schools for N. C., June-July 1904; speeches on Negro education scattered through 1909-13. Correspondence with Negro educators E. E. Smith, F. M. Kennedy, J. B. Dudley, J. D. Reid, B. T. Washington, Sept. 1909; Nov., Dec. 1912; Jan., Feb., May 1913.

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- Pacifism and Peace Movements Correspondence, Feb. 1914; Nov. 1915; Jan. 1920; Nov. 1921, with Claude Kitchin, about opposition to Woodrow Wilson's preparedness campaign. Coon organized Peace Day in 1912, 1913 for the American School Peace League and spoke at the organization of the N. C. Branch of the American Peace Society in 1913.
- Religion education Leeons on various books of the Bible prepared by Coon in 1924 for the Methodist Episcopal Church of Wilson, N. C. Folder 119. (Coon himself was Lutheran.)
- Religion Lutheran Church Coon was a member of the Lutheran Church and was interested in its history and in the history of its German membership. See folder 91 for copy of Record Book of Zion Church, Catawba County, 1815-1851; see Vol. 15 for translation from German of Record of New Jerusalem Church, 1766-1874, in Rowan, later Davie, County.
- Writers and Writings Material on historical research and writing scattered throughout, dealing with history of education in N. C., contributions and membership on editorial board of North Carolina Historical Review, correspondence with N. C. historians, especially R. D. W. Commor, interest in local, state history, the Germans in North Carolina, history textbooks.
- Writers and writings historical Wrote for North Carolina Historical Review, and served on editorial board, correspondenced with R. D. W. Connor and other N. C. historians, was interested in history of education, of German settlers in N. C., other aspects of state and local history and history textbooks, edited documents on educational history. There is material reflecting thises interestes scattered through the papers.

## Also listed:

Account books - Vol. 1, ledger of John S. Davis, 1850-59.

Personal Narrative - Three letters, April 24 (copy), May 19, July 29, 1913, from Edward P. Stone give recollections of his life and that of D. S. Richardson as northern teachers in North Carolina before the Civil War.

Photograph - R. A. Merritt, Picture of Merritt, educator, attached to letter of July 3, 1916.