

**RG 77 Office of the Chief of Engineers**  
**Wilmington, North Carolina District**  
**Correspondence, 1884-1938**  
**National Archives Identifier 2794671**

This series consists of letters sent, letters received, and press copies of correspondence on topics such as river and harbor projects, surveys, and fortifications.

**Letters Received and Sent, 1884-1906**  
**Entry 1113; 55 boxes**

- Box 1-2. Beaufort Harbor Project, 1892-1906
- Box 3-4. Beaufort and New River Waterway Project, 1891-1905
- Box 5. Beaufort and New Bern River Waterway, 1893-1905
- Box 6. Black River Project, 1892-1912
- Box 7-24. Cape Fear River Below, 1892-1906
- Box 25-28. Cape Fear River Above, 1892-1924
- Box 29. Contentnia Creek, 1892-1906
- Box 30. Fishing Creek, 1892-1926
- Box 31. Georgetown Harbor and Lockwood's Folly River, 1892-1894
- Box 32-33. Neuse River, 1893-1904
- Box 34-35. New River, 1892-1906
- Box 36. New River and Swainsboro River, 1895-1904
- Box 37. Northeast River, 1899-1912
- Box 38-40. Ocracoke Inlet, 1892-1904
- Box 41-44. Pamlico and Tar River, 1892-1906
- Box 45. Shallotte and Stanton River, 1893-1905
- Box 46. Town Creek and Northeast River, 1899-1906
- Box 47-48. Trent River, 1889-1906
- Box 49-52. Wingaw Bay, 1892-1896
- Box 53. Yadkin River, 1892-1897
- Box 54. Miscellaneous Indexed Letters, 1899-1906
- Box 55. Miscellaneous Indexed Letters, 1903-1910

**Reports of Operations, 1891-1907**  
**Entry 1121; 3 boxes**

- Box 1. Reports of Cape Fear Below  
Property Records, 1891-1906  
Records of Accounts, 1891-1907
- Box 2. Reports of Operations  
Contracts, 1906  
Reports of Steamers and Dredges, 1896-1900
- Box 3. Reports of Operations, 1891-1907

**Letters Received and Sent, 1892-1909**  
**Entry 1117; 14 boxes (94-98, 1-9)**

Box 94. Letters and Civil Service Applications, 1897-1909  
Box 95. Letters Received, 1895-1904  
Box 96. Letters Received, 1896-1900  
Box 97. Miscellaneous Letters, 1896-1903  
Box 98. Financial Correspondence, 1892-1898  
Box 1. Letters Received related to Funds, 1898-1901  
Box 2. Letters Received related to Funds, 1901  
Box 3. Letters Received related to Funds, 1902  
Box 4. Letters Received related to Funds, 1903  
Box 5. Letters Received related to Funds, 1903-1904  
Box 6. Letters regarding Monuments, 1905-1906  
Box 7. Letters regarding National Defense and Personnel, 1898-1901  
Box 8. Letters regarding National Defense and Personnel, 1895-1898  
Box 9. Letters regarding National Defense and Personnel, 1898-1901

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**Entry 1114; 16 boxes (56-71)**

Box 56-71. Correspondence regarding Fortifications, 1892-1906

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**Entry 1116; 21 boxes (73-93)**

Box 73-84. Letters Received, 1892-1903  
Box 85. Letters Received, 1904  
Box 86-88. Letters Received, 1905  
Box 89. Letters Received, 1906  
Box 90. Letters Sent, 1892-1893  
Box 91. Letters Sent, 1895-1897  
Box 92. Letters Sent, 1892-1899  
Box 93. Letters Sent, 1903-1906

**Reports Received and Sent, 1893-1897**

**Entry 1120; 5 boxes (1-5)**

Box 1. Reports Sent, 1893-1894  
Box 2-3. Reports Sent, 1894-1895  
Box 4. Reports Sent, 1896-1897  
Box 5. Reports Received, 1894-1895  
\*Endorsements, 1909 (Entry 1119)

**Field Survey Notebooks, 1903-1934**

**Entry 1122; 5 boxes**

Box 1. Cape Fear, 1909-1921  
Fort Caswell 1913-1921  
Box 2. Beaufort Inlet – Wrighttrifle Tretle, 1910-1934

- Box 3. Cross Section and Field Books, 1903-1934
- Box 4. Survey of Spur Dikes on Lower Lilliport, 1903-1934
- Box 5. Level Books, 1903-1934

**Register of Correspondence, 1905-1906**

**Entry 1115; 1 box (72)**

Each entry of correspondence includes the correspondence number, the date, the name or firm to whom or by whom the correspondence was sent, and a brief description.

**Examination and Survey Files, 1907-1938**

**Entry 1118; 7 boxes (1-7)**

There are index sheets throughout the files that list the correspondence number, description of the correspondence, date, and to and from whom the correspondence was written. There are also maps and drawings attached to some of the correspondence throughout the series. The second number denotes the folder number in the box (Box 1.3 = Box 1, Folder 3).

- Box 1.1. Bogue Sound near Morehead City, 1909-1910
- Box 1.2. Various creeks and rivers, 1909-1917
  - Little Contentnia Creek, 1909
- Box 1.3. Smiths Creek, 1909-1935
  - White Oak River, 1907-1916
- Box 1.4. White Oak River, 1907-1916
  - Maysville, 1915
  - Assignments by the Chief of Engineers (with index sheet), 1919-1927
- Box 1.5. Assignments by the Chief of Engineers, General Matters of, and Instructions (with index sheet), 1909-1930
- Box 1.6. Assignments by the Chief of Engineers, General Matters of, and Instructions (with index sheet), 1930-1935
- Box 2.1. Swift Creek, 1909-1911
- Box 2.2. Contentnia Creek, 1909
  - Core Creek, 1910-1912
  - Belhaven Harbor, 1910-1912
  - Slades Creek, 1910-1912
- Box 2.3. Core Sound Channel to Newport River, 1910-1922
- Box 2.4. Elizabeth River, 1910-1912
  - Fishing Creek, 1910-1911
- Box 2.5. Shallotte River, 1915-1920
  - Deep Creek, 1911-1928
- Box 2.6. Shelter River, 1912-1920
- Box 3.1. Cape Channel, 1912-1913
  - Harbor at Silver Lake Ocracoke, 1912-1928
- Box 3.2. Harbor at Silver Lake Ocracoke, 1912-1928
  - Inland Waterway Pamlico River at Goose Creek to Jones Bay, 1913
- Box 3.3. New River, 1912
  - Northwest Prong Bay River to Dam Bayboro, 1912-1913

- Newport River, 1913
- Box 3.4. Newport River, 1913
  - Hoods Creek, 1915
  - Neuse River, 1915-1918
- Box 3.5. Neuse River, 1915-1918
  - Town Creek, 1916-1929
  - Gales Creek, 1916-1917
- Box 4.1. Queens Creek, 1917-1918
  - Waterway from New Bern to Wilmington via Trent and Northeast Rivers, 1919-1920
  - Mill Cut – stream flowing into Neuse River 5 miles west of Adams Creek, 1922-1924
- Box 4.2. Mill Cut, 1922-1924
  - Cape Fear above with a view to 3<sup>rd</sup> Lock and Dam, 1922-1930
- Box 4.3. Cape Fear above with a view to 3<sup>rd</sup> Lock and Dam, 1922-1930
- Box 4.4. Cape Fear above with a view to 3<sup>rd</sup> Lock and Dam, 1922-1930
- Box 5.1. Cape Fear above with a view to 3<sup>rd</sup> Lock and Dam, 1922-1930
- Box 5.2. South River to Sloans Bridge, 1925
- Box 5.3. Proposed Improvement to Cape Fear River, 1922-1930
- Box 5.4. Lockwood Folly River, 1925
  - Shalotte River, 1925-1926
  - Elizabeth River, 1925
- Box 5.5. Muddy Slough, 1925
  - Belhaven Harbor, 1925-1937
- Box 5.6. Belhaven Harbor, 1925-1937
  - Newport River, 1925-1933
- Box 6.1. Smiths Creek and Harbor at Oriental, 1925-1939
- Box 6.2. North River, 1925-1933
  - Beaufort Harbor and Gallants Channel, 1925-1939
- Box 6.3. Beaufort Harbor and Gallants Channel, 1925-1939
  - Channel from North River via Black Sound to Lighthouse Bay, 1927-1933
  - Douglas Bay, 1927-1929
- Box 6.4. Far Creek from Pamlico Sound to Engelhard, 1927-1931
  - Smiths Creek, 1927-1932
- Box 6.5. Smiths Creek, 1927-1932
  - Battlefield at Bentonville, 1928-1929
  - Fort Fisher, 1928
- Box 6.6. Battlefield at Alamance, 1928 (1808 map of location)
- Box 7.1. Channel Pamlico Sound to Beaufort Harbor, 1930-1940
- Box 7.2. Vandemere Harbor, 1935-1936
  - Channel Pamlico Sound to Beaufort, 1937-1939
- Box 7.3. Trent River from Trenton to Tuckahoe Bridge, 1930-1932
  - Pamlico Sound to Beaufort, 1931-1937
- Box 7.4. Contentnia Creek, 1937-1938
  - Factory Landing near Hampstead, 1936-1937
  - Flood Control of Drum Inlet, 1936-1938
- Box 7.5. Inland Waterway from Cape Fear to St. Johns River (FL), 1936

Mill Creek at Pollocksville, 1930  
Limestone Creek, 1930  
Box 7.6. Contentnia Creek, 1930-1935  
Alligator Creek, 1930-1931

**Press Copies of Endorsements, 1909**  
**Entry 1119; 1 small book**

This small bound volume is in Box 5 of Entry 1120 – Reports, 1893-1897.