# Louise Sherman Collection

Quick inventory taken by Lisa Stuart on November 6, 2014

### #1 Spiral Notebook

Title: US Naval Training Station Coaster's Harbor Island Newport RI and Goat Island from 1658 and Torpedo Station from 1869 and Gull Rocks Lighthouse in Newport Harbor Condition: Excellent

Contains: handwritten notes tracing histories of houses, newspaper clippings, photos, Green Light articles, early newspaper clippings in envelope in back.

## #2 Herald Square Record Book

Title: None Condition Excellent Contains: Family histories including Sherman, Childs, Peckham, Ward, Wheldon handwritten genealogy, photos, original marriage certificate 1756 and original Baptism Joseph Childs 1784

## #3 Green Spiral Notebook #80 leaf

Title: None Condition: Excellent Contains: Handwritten notes of the history of houses on Washington St. from Willow to Chestnut

#### #4 Green Executive Stenographer Note Pad

Title: None Condition: Excellent Contains: handwritten notes and drawings on Washington Street Marsh Street Area History of Transportation in Newport starting in 1838 Ward and Wetterall Family History

#### #5 Yellow Spiral Notebook

Title: Point Streets, Addresses and Occupants from Director of 1856-7 Condition: Excellent Contains: There are loose photos, notes, articles in the front of the book. Notes on who lived on Battery Park, Washington St., Chestnut, Cherry, Second and Third Street.

## #6 Green Easyrite Spiral Notebook

## Title: None Condition: Excellent Contains: Handwritten notes and drawings about the Southwick and Holt families, Washington Street in the 1840s, 77 Third Street, Weavers.

#### #7 "The Tweed Workbook"

Title: Point Houses and Histories

Condition: Excellent, but photos are glued in and some pages falling are falling out of binder.

Contains: Front of book has a great deal of materials including Green Lights form the 1960s, clippings.

Someone had inventoried this book as written below:

Extensive information on Southwich family history and history of their houses (now 77 Third St.)

Extensive plats, maps, of Easton Point houses and who lived there along with dates Exhaustive history, description of Fort Green (Battery Park)

History of Dyer family origins and property then and now

History of Goat Island lighthouse and how were the keepers

Brief genealogy of Sherman family with dates, progeny who married whom from 1618 to 1891.

#### #8 Large Back Scrapbook

Title: Newport Condition: good for age Contains: Newspaper Clipping about houses on the Point.

#### #9 Scrapbook Red cover

Title: Free Newport This Week, Newporter of the Month Gladys Bolhouse Condition: Good Contains: This book was indexed previously by someone: About 2/3 s are local obituaries, particularly Pointers or of interest to Pointers including: Martha de Bethune Esther Fisher Bensen Edith Ballinger Price Various Sherman Family Members Admiral Eccles Dorothy Holt Manual John Martins Leon Nightingale Clipping of local news and/or history Back cover: Jamestown ferries.

#### #10 Black Scrapbook

Title: "Vogue" Condition: Good Contains: Clipping on houses, people

#### #11 Sketch Folder

Title: Racing Paper, Maps and Sketches. Condition: Good Contains: tracings and sketches of houses and maps.

## #12/13 Two File Folders

Title: None

Condition: Good, but has important photos glued to the folders that should be put in albums.

Contains: Photos of houses torn down and saved due to the "Jamestown Bridge."

#### #14 A Book

Title: Vital Records of Rhode Island 1636 to 1850 Condition: Water damaged (purchased that way as per note in book)