

Martin-Douglas Letters

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- Title:** Martin-Douglas Letters
- Accession No.:** 1993-048
- Extent:** 1 binder
- Provenance:** Donated by Lucy Blount Blum
- Inclusive Dates:** 1838-1858
- Subject Headings:** Douglas, Stephen A., 1813-1861
Martin, Lucinda, d.1846
Martin, Martha, d.1852
Martin, Mary Settle, d.1860
Martin, Robert, 1784-1848
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- Descriptive Note:** Robert Martin was the nephew of Governor Alexander Martin. His wife, Mary Settle Martin, was also from a prominent Rockingham County family. The Martins had two daughters, Lucinda and Martha. Martha married Stephen A. Douglas, a Senator from Illinois, whom she met through David Settle Reid, Senator from North Carolina who later became Governor. The letters mostly concern family life and were borrowed from a descendent of the family, Lucy Blount Blum. They were also transcribed and published in the June and December 1994 issues of the *Journal of Rockingham County History and Genealogy*.
- Contents:** 1 binder containing letters of the Martin and Douglas families (photocopies only)

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