

the top, twenty-eight feet wide at the bottom, and four feet deep.

Contracts in items 1-90 are signed by Superintendent Wm. B. Mitchell in 1831; in items 100-116 by Superintendent Wm. F. Packer (eventually to be governor of Pennsylvania) in 1832.

**W2-h. 23. WEST BRANCH DIVISION - Contracts:
Sections**

Here the title is both inexact and misleading: the volume deals wholly with the Sinnemahoning Extension of the West Branch Division.

The contents include contracts for building locks 1 to 17 of the Sinnemahoning Extension, lock sections, and sections. All items, 1-66, are signed by Superintendent George Bressler and are on printed forms with precise specifications. The date of the contracts is 1 August 1838.

**W2-h. 24. WEST BRANCH DIVISION - Contracts:
Culverts**

Here, irregularly calendared, but running in dates 1828 - 1839, items 1-218 present contracts for culverts signed by Superintendents Andrew McReynolds, William B. Mitchell, Wm. F. Packer, John A. Gamble, and others.

At one point, John Ryon, Jr., appears as superintendent of both the Susquehanna and the West Branch Divisions.

**W2-h. 25. WEST BRANCH DIVISION - Contracts:
Bridges**