

383 SHORTHILL, ROBERT

Bookseller and/or Bookbinder Alexandria

Employee in Alexandria bookstore of Peter Cottom (107) & John A. Stewart (402) in 1806.

Shorthill is known to have been a part of the Virginia print trade from his appearance in the Alexandria city census for 1806. He was then either a bookbinder, store clerk, or both, for the firm of Cottom & Stewart, and lived with Stewart in the Second Ward. However, no further information on him has been uncovered, leaving his identity and fate unknown.

No Personal Data yet discovered.

Sources: *Artisans & Merchants.*