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Emmett E. Robinson research papers, ca. 1975

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Creator: Robinson, Emmett E.

Description: ca. 0.75 linear ft.

Biographical/Historical Note: Historian and designer, of Charleston, S.C.

Scope and Content: Research notes arranged chronologically (1670-1939) and by subject, relating to the jail in Charleston, S.C., including data on the hangings of Daniel Duncan (d. 1911), Lavinia Fisher (d. 1820), and William Marcus (d. 1906), jail escapes, punishments, and prisons and prison life during the 18th-20th centuries; together with drawings by Robinson for museum design, floor plans, maps, plats, photos, photocopies, clippings, and narrative history by Robert P. Stockton.

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Note: In part, photocopies.

Provenance: Gift of Mr. Robinson, 1983.

Search terms:

Duncan, Daniel, d. 1911.

Fisher, Lavinia, d. 1820.

Marcus, William, d. 1906.

Jails -- South Carolina -- Charleston.

Museums -- Design.

Museums -- South Carolina.

Prisons -- History.

Escapes -- South Carolina.

Prisoners -- South Carolina.

Hanging -- Research -- South Carolina.

Women prisoners -- South Carolina.

Charleston (S.C.) -- History.

Genre Architectural drawings.

Histories.

Maps.

Plats.
Subject Designers -- South Carolina.
Historians -- South Carolina.
Added Author Stockton, Robert P.

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Research papers, ca. 1975. Approx 750 items

Charleston historian and designer. Research on Old Charleston Jail, (21 Magazine Street) including narrative history of the building by Robert Stockton, notes on its construction (1802-1886), drawing by EER for museum design, floor plans, maps, plats, photographs, photocopies, and clippings. Research notes are arranged by date (1670-1939) and subject; including data on public hangings of Lavinia Fisher (1820), William Marcus (1906) and Daniel Duncan (1911), jail escapes, methods of punishment, etc.

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Research papers, ca. 1975. Approx 250 items

Charleston historian. General research on 18th, 19th, and 20th century prisons, prison-life, and punishments, consisting mostly of clippings and photocopies of published sources.