



Charleston Automobile Club records, 1909-1925
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Creator: Charleston Automobile Club (Charleston, S.C.)

Description: 0.25 linear ft.

Biographical/Historical note: Charleston, S.C. automobile owners' club established in 1909. Affiliated with the Charleston Chamber of Commerce, the club held social events and sought to promote good roads and other interests of drivers.

Scope and content: Records consist of minutes, correspondence, financial records, and other items.

Bound volume contains minutes (1909-1916) of meetings of the Charleston Automobile Club and its Board of Governors and includes lists of members, financial statements, clippings, and a brief account of the club's first "run." Topics discussed in meetings include the election of officers and committee members, Charleston traffic regulations, Charleston County road construction and maintenance, bridge construction, street railroad tracks, street and highway improvements, and a state highway system. Topics discussed in loose minutes (1916-1925) include automobile taxes, interstate highways, and road signs.

Financial records include cancelled checks, bills, receipts, and a check stub book.

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Search terms:

Charleston Automobile Club (Charleston, S.C.) -- Records and correspondence.
Automobile drivers -- South Carolina -- Charleston.
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Interstate Highway System.
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Traffic regulations -- South Carolina -- Charleston.
Traffic signs and signals -- South Carolina.
Charleston (S.C.) -- History.
Charleston (S.C.) -- Social life and customs.
South Carolina -- History.
Financial records.
Letters (correspondence)
Minutes.