Porter Williams genealogical papers, 1924-1977
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Description: 0.25 linear ft.

Biographical/Historical Note: A native of Charleston, S.C., Porter Williams was the son of Henry Porter Williams (1870-1947), who was born in Madison, Ga.

Scope and Content: Papers consist of genealogical research and writings, related correspondence, and other items.

Genealogical research include a paper (1924) entitled "Ancestry and Posterity of Richard Williams and Frances Dighton, his wife, of Taunton, Massachusetts" by Charles C. Williams (there are also several copies, transcriptions, and photocopies of this paper in printed form); notes concerning connections between the Williams and Cromwell families of England; research on the Goode family of Georgia, Virginia, and England; "The Calhoun Family Line of Carlton Simons" including information on the related Calhoun, Simonds, and Simons families; and research on the Porter family of Virginia.

Correspondence (1931-1977) of Porter Williams chiefly pertains to his research on the Williams family and related families.

Other items include photocopied biographical material on George W. Williams (1820-1903); family charts; photostats of various documents; photographs of heraldic devices and family portraits; and biographical and genealogical material on Porter Williams (1895-1977), including information on his military service during World War I.

Preferred Citation: Williams, Porter, 1895-1977. Porter Williams genealogical papers, 1924-1977. (1115.00) South Carolina Historical Society.

Search terms:
Williams, George Walton, 1820-1903.
Calhoun family.
Cromwell family.
Good family.
Goode family.
Porter family.
Simmons family.
Simonds family.
Simons family.
Williams family.
England -- Genealogy.
Georgia -- Genealogy.
Massachusetts -- Genealogy.
South Carolina -- Genealogy.
Virginia -- Genealogy.
Escutcheons (coats of arms)
Genealogical tables.
Genealogies.
Letters (correspondence)
Photographs.
Research (document genres)
Williams, Charles C. (Charles Crosby), 1855-1925.

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**11/458/1-11  Williams, Porter, d. 1978**
**Genealogical papers, 1930-1977. Approx 100 items.**