



Middleton family papers, 1736-1929
SCHS Call # 1168.00

Creator: Middleton family

Description: 10.5 linear ft.

Biographical/Historical note: South Carolina family. Henry Augustus Middleton (1793-1887), a Charleston and St. George Parish, S.C. attorney and plantation owner, was the son of Thomas Middleton (1753-1797). He studied law but turned from that occupation to the management of his large land holdings in South Carolina and Newport (R.I.). In 1819 he married Harriott Kinloch (1801-1878), daughter of Cleland Kinloch (1759-1823). They were the parents of Cleland Kinloch Middleton (1824-1876); Henry A. Middleton, Jr. (1829-1861); Francis Kinloch Middleton; Arthur Middleton; Isabella Middleton (1826-1912), who married Charles Manly Cheves (1825-1855); Harriott Middleton (1828-1905); and other daughters. Elizabeth Middleton (1787-1822), sister of Henry Augustus Middleton, Sr., married Ralph Izard, Jr. (1785-1824), a naval officer and South Carolina plantation owner, in 1808. Charles Manly Cheves, son of Langdon Cheves (1776-1857), was the father of Langdon Cheves (1848-1939). Thomas Middleton, Jr. (1797-1863), a Charleston (S.C.) merchant and the brother of Henry Augustus Middleton, Sr., married Eweretta Barnewall (1800-1882).

Scope and Content: Papers consist of correspondence, business and financial records, estate records, plantation records, and other items.

Papers of Henry A. Middleton are divided into his land papers (1795-1887); business and plantation papers (1828-1887); and family correspondence (1839-1886).

Middleton family estate records (1839-1929) include accounts, correspondence, and other documents pertaining to the estates of Harriott Middleton, Henry A. Middleton, Jr., Isabella Middleton Cheves, Alicia Middleton, and others.

Middleton family papers include papers (1787-1849) of Thomas Middleton; papers (ca. 1830-1876) of Eweretta Barnewall Middleton; papers (1855-1863) of Thomas Middleton, Jr.; papers (1842-1913) of Edward Barnewall Middleton, including a Civil War diary; papers (1842-1861) of Henry A. Middleton, Jr.; family correspondence (1861-1865) of Harriott Kinloch Middleton; family papers (1861-1903) of Harriott Middleton; papers (1840-1876) of Cleland Kinloch Middleton; and family correspondence (1866-1912) of Isabella Middleton Cheves.

Kinloch family papers include papers (ca. 1784-1799) of Anne Isabella Cleland Kinloch; family correspondence (1770-1845) of Cleland Kinloch; papers (1831-1860) of Francis Kinloch; and papers (1736-1836) of Cleland Kinloch, chiefly correspondence and land and estate records.

There are also papers (1801-1861) of the Izard family, including correspondence of Ralph Izard, Jr.

Note: Formerly known as Cheves-Middleton papers. Some overlap with items in 1167.00 occurs.

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1168.01 FAMILY DOCUMENTS SERIES

1168.01.01 Middleton family estate records, 1839-1929 (1 linear ft.)

12/170/11-16 Isabella Middleton Cheves estate papers, 1898-1921 (ca. 90 items)

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1168.02 PAPERS OF INDIVIDUAL MIDDLETON FAMILY MEMBERS

1168.02.01 Middleton, Thomas, 1797-1863.

Papers, 1787-1849 (ca. 40 items)

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12/159/11 Letterbook, 1818 (1 v.)

1168.02.02 Middleton, Eweretta Barnewall, 1800-1882.

Papers, ca. 1830-1876 (0.25 linear ft.)

12/158/03-16 Family letters, ca. 1830-1859 (ca. 200 items)

12/158/17-21 Family letters and miscellany, 1860-ca. 1870s (ca. 80 items)

1168.02.03 Middleton, Thomas, 1832-1864. Papers, 1842-1863 (38 items)

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1168.02.04 Middleton, Edward Barnewall, 1842-1910. Papers, 1842-1913

12/158/23-24 Diary and journal, 1864-1865 (6 items)

12/159/01-02 Estate papers, 1842-1913 (ca. 50 items)

12/159/03-10 Family notes and genealogy, 1740-ca. 1890s (ca. 60 items)

1168.02.05 Middleton, Henry Augustus, 1795-1887. Henry A. Middleton papers, 1795-1887 (ca. 1.75 linear ft.)

1168.02.05.01 Middleton, Henry Augustus, 1795-1887.

Land papers, 1795-1887 (ca. 0.25 linear ft.)

12/[175/15] Weehaw Plantation account book (1882-1884), miscellany.

12/[176/01] Plantation accounts, 1874-1881 (3 v.)

12/[177/01-13] Newport property records, 1795-1887.

1168.02.05.02 Middleton, Henry Augustus, 1795-1887.

Business and plantation papers, 1828-1887 (1 linear ft.)

12/161/01-36 Business papers, 1828-1864 (ca. 350 items)

12/162/01-33 Plantation and business papers, 1864-1887 (ca. 300 items)

12/163/01-08 Business papers, 1841-1885 (22 items)

1168.02.05.03 Middleton, Henry Augustus, 1795-1887.

Family correspondence, 1839-1886 (ca. 400 items)

- 12/163/09 Incoming family letters, 1839-1886 (24 items)
- 12/163/10 Family letters, 1862-1864 (12 items)
- 12/164/01-09 Family letters, 1846-1859 (ca. 150 items)
- 12/165/01-11 Family correspondence, 1866-1879 (ca. 200 items)

1168.02.06 Middleton, Harriott Kinloch, 1801-1878.

Family correspondence, 1861-1865 (ca. 250 items)

- 12/164/10-20 Family letters, 1861-1865 (ca. 250 items)

1168.02.07 Middleton, Henry Augustus, 1829-1861.

Papers, 1842-1861 (0.25 linear ft.)

- 12/163/14-17 Family letters, 1842-1861 (55 items)
- 12/[176/06] Plantation journal, 1855-1861 (1 v.)

1168.02.08 Middleton, Harriott, 1828-1905.

Family papers, 1861-1903 (1.75 linear ft.)

- 12/165/12-21 Family letters, 1880-1903 (ca. 250 items)
- 12/166-167 Family correspondence, 1861-1865 (ca. 600 items)
- 12/167-168 Household accounts and miscellaneous papers, 1865-1898 (ca. 100 items)

1168.02.09 Middleton, Cleland Kinloch, 1824-1876.

Papers, 1840-1876 (ca. 70 items)

- 12/163/11-12 Academic papers, 1840-1853 (36 items)
- 12/163/13 Papers, 1860-1876 (28 items)

1168.03 MIDDLETON FAMILY ALLIED FAMILIES

1168.03.01 Kinloch family papers.

**1168.03.01.01 Kinloch, Ann Isabella Cleland, d. 1802.
Papers, 1784-1799 (3 v.)**

- 12/160/01-02 Diary, notebook, and journal

1168.03.01.02 Kinloch, Cleland, 1759-1823.

Family correspondence, 1770-1845

- 12/160/03-06 Family correspondence.

1168.03.01.03 Kinloch, Francis, 1798-1840.

Papers, 1831-1860 (ca. 80 items)

- 12/160/18-23 Plantation & estate papers, 1831-1860

1168.03.01.03 Kinloch, Cleland, 1759-1823.

Papers, 1736-1836 (0.25 linear ft.)

- 12/160/07-17 Land and estate papers, 1736-1836

1168.03.02 Izard family. Izard family papers, 1801-1861 (0.5 linear ft.)

**1168.03.02.01 Izard, Ralph, 1785-1824.
Family letters, 1801-1809 (ca. 100 items)**

- 12/157/01-07 Family letters, 1801-1809

1168.03.02.02 Izard, Alice DeLancey.

Family letters, 1810-1826 (ca. 200 items)

- 12/157/08-21 Family letters, 1810-1826

1168.03.02.03 Izard, Ralph Delancey, 1819-1849.

Estate papers, 1803-1826

12/157/22 Estate papers, 1803-1849 (21 items)

1168.03.03 Cheves, Isabella Middleton, 1826-1912.

Family correspondence, 1866-1912

12/169-170 Family letters, 1866-1912 (0.75 linear ft.)

Detailed Container listing:

12/157/1-7 Izard, Ralph Jr., 1785-1824

Family letters, 1801-1809. Approx 100 items.

Charleston naval officer. Holograph and typed copies of letters from RI Jr. in Charleston and various ports in the US and Europe, including Syracuse, Italy, and Gibraltar; to his mother, Alice deLancey Izard in Charleston and elsewhere; letters regarding family matters, naval life and actions, and politics in France, Spain and elsewhere. Also included is some correspondence (1801-1803) between Ralph Izard Sr. and Col. William Ward Burrows regarding RI Jr.'s progress in the Navy.

12/157/8-21 Izard, Alice d., 1785-1824

Family letters, 1810-1826. Approx 200 items

Mother of Charleston planter. Letters to her from RI Jr., his wife Elizabeth Middleton Izard, and their daughter Anne M. Izard in Charleston and Philadelphia PA; as well as Saratoga Springs and New York, NY. Letters are regarding family matters, health, plantation crops, and overland travel from Philadelphia PA to Charleston. Mostly holograph copies, although 35 letters (1816-1825) are originals.

12/157/22 Izard, R. Delancey. 1819-1849

Estate papers, 1803-1861. 21 items

Charleston planter. Letter to RDI's grandfather, Ralph Izard Sr. with current listing of agricultural products at Liverpool (1803). Mortgage of RDI's father, Ralph Izard Jr. Letters regarding estate of RDI from Ralph Izard Middleton, Ann Izard McEwen, Adele Izard Newton to Thomas Middleton and Thomas Middleton Jr., executors of the estate.

12/158/1-2 Middleton, Thomas, 1797-1863

Business papers, 1787-1849. Approx 50 items

Charleston merchant and factor. Bonds, mortgages, a share of the Charleston Library Society Building, letters regarding gifts of slaves and various business ventures from James Hamilton Jr, Savannah GA (1845-1849) regarding cotton and sugar crop, from Charles Manigault in Paris (regarding TM's action as factor and agent, 1846-1848) and other letters regarding business. Statement of funds and opinion regarding estate of Daniel Blake. Letter to TM's father, Hon. Thomas Middleton, from Mary Middleton, London England (1787).

12/158/3-16 Middleton, Eweretta B, 1800-1882

Incoming family letters, ca. 1830-1859. Approx 200 items

Wife of Thomas Middleton. Letters to EBM, Charleston, mostly from her nieces and sisters in New York, NY but also from Miss Harriott Pinckney (1830-1850) and Mrs. Sarah Dehon (1847-1850) regarding family matters, domestic affairs, health, etc.

12/158/17-21 Middleton, Eweretta B., 1800-1882

Incoming family letters & misc. 1860-ca. 1870s. Approx 80 items

Wife of Thomas Middleton. Letters to EBM from acquaintances, her nieces and children at Flat Rock, NC, Charleston, Aiken, and elsewhere regarding family matters and the Civil War. Some letters from her sons, Thomas Middleton (at Battery Ramsey 1861-1864) and Edward B. Middleton (at Fort Sumter, Fort Johnson, and Lincolnton, NC where he was prisoner). Misc. verse, lists, and recipes.

12/158/22 Middleton, Thomas Jr., 1832-1864

Letters, 1855-1863. 31 items.

Charleston businessman and lieutenant in SC Artillery. Letters from William Barnwell of New York regarding investments in Erie Railroad Shares and the National Park Bank (1855-1860); from Henry Magrath, New York Cabinetmaker regarding orders of furniture. Other letters regarding family business or loans. Commission as second lieutenant, CSA transfer recommendation for health reasons signed by HW DeSaussure, M.D. and other letters regarding service. Roster of officers of the 1st regiment of SC Artillery (1863).

12/158/23-24 Middleton, Edward B. 1842-1910

Diary and journal, 1864-1865. 6 items.

Charleston member of first SC artillery during the Civil War. Original diary (8/1864-7/1865) of EBM during siege of Charleston at Fort Sumter; marching to Averysboro, NC and internment as a POW. Holograph copies of the diary transcribed by Eweretta E. Middleton and Langdon Cheves III. EBM's journal on Castle Pinckney (1/1864) mostly regarding military rules, marches, and expenses for servant.

12/159/1-2 Middleton, Edward B. 1842-1910

Estate papers, 1842-1913. Approx 50 items

Charleston inventor and son of Thomas Middleton. Estate papers of EBM regarding property at 10 Meeting St, Charleston and stock shares of National Park Bank of NY. Correspondence between executor Langdon Cheves III and other lawyers regarding estate. 1877 patent for improvements on car couplings. Letters of administration, letters, receipts, warrant of appraisal regarding estate of Eweretta E. Middleton, EBM's mother.

12/159/3-10 Middleton, Edward Barnewall, 1842-1910

Family notes and genealogy, 1740-ca. 1890s. Approx 60 items

Son of Thomas Middleton. Family notes, genealogical charts, extracts from will books (1740-1756) and from 18th century newspapers regarding Middletons. Printed blocks for family chart gathered by EBM and his sister, Eweretta E. Middleton. 2 books of copied verse. 1866 cookbook of Mrs. Thomas Middleton.

12/159/11 Middleton, Thomas, 1793-1863

Letter book, 1818. 1 vol.

Charleston artist, later factor. Outgoing letters regarding painting, family life and Charleston. Misc. notes regarding Charleston, mythology and other matters. With mention of being in quarantine on Sullivan's Island and mention of Charles Frasier.

12/160/1-2 Kinloch, Ann I.C., 1735-1802

Diary, notebook, 1784-1799. 3 items.

Wife of Francis Kinloch. Diary (April 1799) of AICK, recording household tasks, visits, religious readings, daughter Ann's lessons, and prayers. Notebook (n.d) regarding history of French Royalty. Commonplace book (ca. 1784-ca.1794) with copies of poetry, historical anecdotes, moral observations, and love thoughts.

12/160/3-6 Kinloch, Cleland, 1759-1825

Family correspondence, 1770-1845. 30 items

Stateburg planter. Correspondence (1770-1810) mostly regarding family matters between CK and his mother, Ann Kinloch; Bristol and Liverpool, England and Lisbon Portugal; also between CK and John Cleland and others. Correspondence (1826-1840) between Francis Kinloch, Pendleton and Rome, Italy and Harriott Kinloch Middleton, Charleston, Philadelphia PA and Newport, RI. Letters of the Keating L. Simons family of Charleston (ca.1805-1845) regarding family matters. Also includes misc. letters, fragments with a list of books (1845) and an indenture regarding sale of church pew.

12/160/7-17 Kinloch, Cleland, 1759-1832

Land and estate papers, 1736-1836. 128 items

Stateburg planter. Papers regarding negotiation of land dispute concerning river embankments; included are deeds, articles of agreement, bills, receipts, plats, land grants (1736) to Peter Porcher and other land papers (1819-1823). Correspondents include Henry A. Middleton, Charleston and Thomas Eveleigh. Estate papers regarding land dispute, appraisal of goods of estates of CK and his will.

12/160/18-23 Kinloch, Francis, 1798-1840

Plantation and estate papers, 1831-1860. 52 items

Georgetown planter and ex-patriot in Rome. Correspondents mostly between Charleston and Rome, receipts, statements of bonds, factors in accounts with Wells & Co. (1838-1840), Thomas Middleton (1839-1842), Lewis & Robinson (1831-1840), and Middleton & Wilkes (1840-1842) regarding rice crop and other business; powers of attorney, inventory of effects, certificates regarding transference of property from Florence and Rome, Italy, documents in Italian regarding estates, balance sheets for sale of rice, bills for Henry A. Middleton's trip to Rome (1840) to settle FK's estate. Correspondents include Henry A. Middleton (1831-1860), Petigru & Lesesne (1837-1842) regarding property and George W. Greene (1840-1860).

12/161/1-36 Middleton, Henry A., 1793-1887

Business papers, 1828-1864. Approx 350 items.

Lowcountry planter. Business correspondence, plantation expense statements, overseer's reports, balance sheets, bills for household goods, receipts, bonds, plats, mortgages regarding property and plantations in Charleston, Berkeley, Nieuport, and Weehaw among others; bonds of James Hamilton Jr. (1838-1842), William Gregg (1842-1855) and Joseph Manigault (1838-1842); railroad right-of-way (1844-1847). Other major correspondents include N.R. Middleton (1842-1850) regarding plantations and bonds; Thomas Middleton (1838-1843) regarding bonds property; Cameron, McDermid Mustard (1848-1857) regarding threshing machine and steam engine; Petigru & Lesesne (1838-1850) regarding legal matters and property acquisition; Langdon Cheves jr. regarding Charles Cheves' estate (1855-1858). Charles Manigault regarding Charleston property and Manigault burial vault (1848-1852). Correspondence also from New York, NY and Philadelphia PA. Correspondence also from tenants and overseers regarding rentals, purchase of timber, theft of brick & timber.

12/162/1-33 Middleton, Henry A., 1793-1887

Plantation and business papers, 1864-1887. Approx 300 items

Lowcountry planter. Plantation and business correspondence, receipts for household goods and repairs, taxes and expenses; balance sheets, freedmen contracts; rental contracts; misc. bills mostly regarding plantations in Georgetown, Charleston and Sumter counties (Weehaw, Crowfield, Nieuport and others). Correspondents include John Izard Middleton (1865-1876) regarding HAM's property; Ralph Izard Middleton regarding management and labor problems at Weehaw plantation, near Georgetown; FC Shultz (1866-1887) regarding Ham's property and phosphate; Louis DeSaussure (1870-1887) regarding railroad right-of-way; John and Anne Middleton Hunter regarding Newport, RI and other property (1865-1876). Also includes application for and grant of federal pardon of HAM (1865). And misc. plantation memoranda.

12/163/1-8 Middleton, Henry A., 1793-1887

Business papers, 1841-1885. 22 items

Charleston planter. Charleston bank account books (1865-1886) and Newport RI bank book (1865-1866). Account of HAM with James R. Pringle (1866-1873) and Middleton & Company (1852-1860) of Charleston. Business journals with misc. accounts and notes on plantation conditions and daily business (1856-1879). 1841 passport. Misc. account book (1874-1885).

12/163/9 Middleton, Henry Augustus, 1793-1887

Incoming family letters, 1839-1886. 24 items

Charleston planter. Letters from Harriott K. Middleton, Flat Rock, NC (1839); Harvard University Alumni (1842); John Izard Middleton, Waccamaw (1861); John Hunter, Westchester NY (1865); HAM's daughters (1868-1886); HAM's grandson, JJ Pringle Smith Jr.; Linkville, OR (1874-1876) regarding ranching; and Edward Middleton regarding allegiance to the North during the Civil War (1879).

12/163/10 Middleton, Henry A., 1793-1887

Family letters, 1862-1864. 12 items.

Georgetown planter. Letters from HAM in Georgetown to Harriott K. Middleton and other family members in Columbia and elsewhere during the Civil War regarding family matters and HAM's opinions on gardening, preparations for evacuation, chances for a southern victory and several military leaders.

12/163/11-12 Middleton, Cleland K., 1824-1876

Academic Papers, 1840-1853. 36 items.

Son of Henry A. Middleton. Bills, accounts of expenses and correspondence while in Cambridge, MA to attend Harvard University (1840-1847). Correspondents include H.A. Middleton, Harriott K. Middleton; tutors C. Folsom, Rufus P. Stebbins, and Josiah Quincy (1841-1843) regarding academic progress and difficulties; Harvard President Edward Everett (1846-1847); also A.M. Rutledge (1853) regarding behavior.

12/163/13 Middleton, Cleland K., 1824-1876

Papers, 1860-1876. 28 items

Son of Henry A. Middleton. Bills, receipts, letters from CKM, his doctors, and John Hunter mostly to HA Middleton regarding expenses and CKM's impressions of his institutionalization at Massachusetts General Hospital, McLean Asylum for the Insane (1860-1876). Also bills from Maryland Hospital for the Insane (1875-1876).

12/163/14-17 Middleton, Henry A., Jr. 1829-1861

Family letters, 1842-1861. 55 items

Georgetown planter. Letters from Ham Jr. mostly to his sister, Harriott Middleton from Cambridge, MA; Huntsville, AL; London, England; Georgetown and Richmond, VA; regarding academic life at Harvard University (1845-1848); railroad construction (1853-1854); travel in Europe (1855); plantation life (1857-1861), Hampton's Legion, CSA, and the battle of Manassas where HAM jr. was mortally wounded. Clippings and some letters regarding HAM Jr's death. Also includes 1855 passport for European travel.

12/164/1-9 Middleton, Henry A. 1793-1887

Family letters, 1846-1859. Approx 150 items

Charleston planter. Letters (1846-1859) regarding family matters mostly to Harriott K. Middleton and her daughter, Harriott Middleton, in Charleston from Arthur Middleton, Charleston (1846-1854); Mary M. and Harriott Lowndes, Greenville; Elizabeth M. Smith and Isabella M. Cheves, Westchester, NY; Francis K. Middleton, Willington, SC; Eliza Pinckney Huger, Charleston; Alice Prioleau, Liverpool, England; and Alicia Hunter Middleton, Charleston.

12/164/10-20 Middleton, Harriott K., 1801-1878

Family letters, 1861-1865l Approx 250 items

Wife of Henry A. Middleton. Family letters mostly to HKM and her daughters, Harriott Middleton and Isabella M. Cheves at Flat Rock, NC from Frances K. Middleton, Pocatigo and McPhersonville, regarding Charleston Light Dragoon service during Civil War; Anne M. Hunter, Westchester NY; Mary M. Lowndes, Greenville; Elizabeth M. Smith, Columbia; Alice Middleton and Mrs. Daniel Lesesne, Charleston; Charlotte

Georgina Middleton, Flat Rock, NC; Langdon Cheves III, Georgetown; and others regarding war, family matters and condolences at deaths of HA Middleton, Jr. and FK Middleton. Also some letters from Isabella Cheves to Susan Matilda Middleton (1865).

12/165/1-11 Middleton, Henry A., 1793-1887

Family correspondence, 1866-1879. Approx 200 items

Charleston planter. Family correspondence between Harriott Middleton, Isabella M. Cheves, and Susan Matilda Middleton from Westchester NY, Columbia, Flat rock NC and Asheville, NC regarding family matters and Northern views during reconstruction. Other letters, mostly to Harriott Middleton from Mrs. Daniel Lesesne, Elizabeth M. Smith, Langdon Cheves III, Charleston; Anne M. Hunter, New Rochelle, NY and Ralph Izard Middleton (1874-1878) regarding family matters.

12/165/12-21 Middleton, Harriott, 1828-1905

Family letters, 1880-1903. Approx 250 items

Daughter of Henry A. Middleton. Letters to HM in Charleston and Flat Rock, NC from Emma Middleton, Charleston and Arden, NC regarding family matters and European trip (1895). Also letters from Mrs. Daniel Lesesne, Charleston; Anne M. Hunter, Westchester NY and her children; Langdon and Isabella Cheves; Eweretta Middleton, Charleston and others regarding family matters and 1886 earthquake in Charleston.

12/166-167 Middleton, Harriott, 1828-1905

Family correspondence, 1861-1865. Approx 600 items.

Daughter of Henry A. Middleton. Correspondence between HM in Charleston and Flat Rock, NC and her cousin, Susan Matilda Middleton in Columbia during the Civil War Years. Letters concern family matters, the war, books, sermons, newspapers, the defense of Charleston, etc. Originals (288) and typescript transcripts (303 pp). Some unpublished in SCHM, vols. 63-65.

12/167-168 Middleton, Harriott, 1828-1905

Household and misc. papers, 1865-1898. Approx. 100 items

Daughter of Henry A. Middleton. Daily household account books of HM (1865-1878, 1894) and commonplace book (1898) with enclosures, including verse, clippings, prescriptions, remedies, names and addresses, family notes and family bills (1872-1874).

12/169-170 Cheves, Isabella Middleton, 1826-1912

Outgoing family letters, 1866-1920. Approx 400 items

Mother of Langdon Cheves III. Letters from IMC in Charleston and Flat Rock, NC to her son regarding family matters, including health and daily life.

12/170/11-16 Cheves, Isabella M., 1826-1912

Estate papers, 1898, 1912-1921. Approx 90 items

Daughter of Henry A. Middleton. Estate papers of IMC including letters, will, appraisal statement, tax and other receipts, account statement, listings of securities, cancelled checks and indentures regarding Charleston and Newport, RI property (1916). Many

notes of Langdon Cheves III, executor of estate. Sale of property in Summerville (1919-1921). Notes, will, letters testamentary of IMC's daughter, Isabella S. Williams

12/171/1-3 Middleton, Harriott, 1828-1905

Estate papers, 1905-1915. Approx 100 items.

Daughter of Henry A. Middleton. Will, letters, estate account book (1905), letters testamentary, statement of receipts, notes of Langdon Cheves III, bills, receipts and cancelled checks regarding estate of HM, principally in Charleston, Beaufort, and Georgetown Counties.

12/171/4-13 Middleton, Harriott, 1828-1905

Estate Papers, 1905-1917. Approx 150 items

Daughter of Henry A. Middleton. Notes, memoranda, affidavits, letters to Langdon Cheves from Harriott Lesesne, Louise Logan and their lawyers, complaints, court decrees, opinions of the State Circuit and Supreme Court regarding estate litigation. Lesesne vs. Cheves (1915).

12/172/1-5 Middleton, Henry A., 1793-1887

Estate papers, 1887-1918. Approx 150 items.

Lowcountry planter. Letters and notes of Langdon Cheves III, memoranda, accounts of payments on estate lands, general estate accounts, bills, and receipts regarding lands and estate of HAM. HAM estate account book (1888-1903). Properties include plantations, town holdings, as well as unimproved land in Charleston and neighboring counties, Georgetown, Berkeley, Dorchester and Colleton among them.

12/172/6-8 Middleton, Alice, 1840-1915

Estate papers, 1894-1929. Approx 100 items

Daughter of Henry A. Middleton. Notes of Langdon Cheves III, correspondence, statement of estate legacies, certificate of judgment, notice of legal action, bill of complaint, stock certificates, real estate warranty deed, letters testamentary, cancelled checks, bills, receipts of legal fees and others regarding estate of AM and execution on the estate by Langdon Cheves III. Some material regarding 4 Wentworth St., Charleston (1894-1897).

12/173-174 Cheves, Langdon III, 1848-1939

Plantation papers, 1879-1932. Approx 1000 items

Lowcountry lawyer and planter. Accounts of sales of rice, rice production charts, listings of rice barrel weights (1879-1915), expense and labor accounts, receipts, notes of LC III, correspondence with overseers, WF Colcock, WE Jaycocks and P. Larsen, among others. Also correspondence (1925-1928) regarding Middleton-Cheves Nieuport plantation, Beaufort Co., production, sales of timber, and the plantation. Plantation account book (1879-1881). Notes, plats, letters regarding plantation canals (1899).

12/175/1-5 Cheves, Langdon III, 1848-1939

Plantation papers, 1888-1899. Approx 100 items

Lowcountry lawyer and planter. Mostly letters from caretaker Thomas Mitchell regarding Middleton-Cheves plantation, Weehaw, near Georgetown, its maintenance, and laborer's housing. Also includes letters, bills, notes, plats, and account statements regarding rice milling and rice processing equipment (1899).

12/175/6-11 Cheves, Langdon III, 1848-1939

Plantation papers, 1900-1922. Approx 125 items

Lowcountry lawyer and planter. Correspondence (1902-1907) of LC with HJ McDonald, caretaker of the Cheves-Middleton plantation. Plats, copies of land documents, indentures, and correspondence regarding dispute over parcel of land first with William Hazzard (1903-1910) and then in John Hunter Jr. vs. Black River Land Co (1910-1920). Correspondence, plats, indentures, regarding tax assessment (1914-1922) and Georgetown Drainage District (1917-1919). Accounts and bills of plantation (1910-1913) and timber cuttings (1920-1921).

12/175/12-14 Cheves, Langdon III, 1848-1939

Plantation papers, 1923-1931. Approx 50 items

Lowcountry lawyer and planter. Correspondence, plats, and notes between Henry C. Cheves, F.W. Ford and LCIII regarding Middleton- Cheves Plantation, Weehaw, near Georgetown. Subjects include maintenance and tenancy, also hunting rights and timber sales. Correspondence and notes (1925) between LC III and Guion Griffis Johnson regarding research on plantation life.

12/175-176 Cheves-Langdon III, 1848-1939

Plantation papers, 1706-ca. 1914. Approx 75 items

Lowcountry Planter and lawyer. Plats, surveys, copies of deeds and titles, extracts of conveyances, notes of LC III, correspondence regarding Cleland-Kinloch-Middleton-Cheves lands at Weehaw and Kensington in Georgetown and Richland counties. Plantation account books: one of Henry A. Middleton Sr. (1860), four of Henry A. Middleton, Sr. 1866-1884

12/176/6 Middleton, Henry A., Jr. 1829-1861

Plantation journal, 1855-1861. 1 vol.

Georgetown planter. Journal (1855-1861) of Weehaw Plantation, near Georgetown regarding birth, death, duties, vaccinations, tasks and allowances of slaves, recipes, plantation expenses, names of overseers. Listings of rice crops, clothing for slaves, cattle, yearly accounts, tools, usage of fields, vegetable garden production, medicines, house groceries, contracts; Partial diary (1861) regarding plantation with some comments on secession, lists of children's winter and summer clothing and mentions of recruiting for Hampton's Legion, CSA.

12/177/1-13 Middleton, Henry A., 1793-1887

Land papers, 1794-1886. Approx 150 items

Lowcountry planter. Correspondence of HAM, land agents and caretakers; receipts, memoranda of agreement; account statements; grants of land and tax payments during the

Civil War; maintenance; expense and rentals of Middleton lands in Newport, RI. Newport household account book (1794).

12/177/14-18 Cheves, Langdon III, 1848-1939

Land papers, 1894-1901, 1915-16. Approx 70 items

Charleston lawyer. Plats, receipts, correspondence, mostly with real estate agents regarding sale or rental of Middleton Land in Newport RI (1894-1901). Correspondence, news clippings, notes of LC, regarding sale of Newport RI land for settlement of Harriott Middleton Estate (1915-1916)

12/178/1-7 Cheves, Langdon III, 1848-1939

Plantation papers, 1852-1921. Approx 200 items

Lowcountry planter. Rice sales (1890-1909), misc. expense accounts, correspondence with Louis W. Haskell, and others regarding title to and sale of Delta Plantation, Beaufort Co. Reminiscences of Delta by LCIII. Also title, correspondence, indentures (1852-1921) regarding Upper Delta or Inverary Plantation.

12/178/8-18 Cheves, Langdon III, 1848-1939

Plantation litigation papers, 1914-1935. Approx 250 items

Lawyer, planter. Litigation (1930-1935) regarding disputed title with US Biological Survey over Red Knoll plantation, Argyle Island, Chatham Co, GA. Case concerned government's attempts to make plantation part of the Savannah River Wildlife Refuge. Correspondence with Anton P. Wright, Savannah GA and others regarding the case. Notes, indentures, judicial decisions and other material regarding the case. Correspondence and indentures (1914-1929) mostly regarding tenancy and rent of Red Knoll.

12/179/1-7 Cheves, Langdon III, 1848-1939

Land papers, 1909-1928. Approx 200 items.

Charleston lawyer and landowner. Correspondence of LC III, Henry AM Smith, Charleston mayor, Robert Rhett, and others; notes of LC III, drafts of legislative proposals, indentures, plats regarding a wharf extending onto the Henry Middleton estates' waterfront lots and development and sale of lots along Murray Boulevard, Charleston.

12/179/8-72 Cheves, Langdon III, 1848-1939

Land papers, 1846-1920. Approx 75 items

Charleston landowner. Plats, abstracts of titles, correspondence of HAM, law firm of Petigru & Lesesne (1848-1862) and others; history of South Bay waterfront tract and notes of Langdon Cheves, III regarding Cheves-Middleton property on South Bay Street, Charleston. Also list of earthquake repairs needed at 68 S. Bay (1886) and sale of South Bay Property (1920).

12/180/1-3 Cheves, Langdon III, 1848-1939

Charleston land papers, ca. 1891-1901. Approx 35 items

Charleston landowner. Abstracts to 18th and 19th century titles, mortgages, plats, conveyances, titles, receipts, letters, notes and rental accounts of LCIII regarding various tracts of Cheves-Middleton land in Charleston. Properties include: 33-34 New Street, 23 King St, 90 Coming Street, and lots on Water Street; Council St.; the corner of Pitt and Beaufain St.; corner of Legare and Gibbes St.; Corner of Legare and South Bay and other properties.

12/180-181 Cheves, Langdon III, 1848-1939

Charleston property papers, 1844-1935. Approx 150 items

Charleston land owner. Abstracts of titles, mortgages, plats, conveyances, receipts, letters, notes, and rental accounts kept by LC regarding various tracts of Cheves-Middleton owned or managed land in Charleston included are 18 Lamboll Street (1897); 501 Huger St. (1928-1930); 4 Wentworth St. (1914-1916); 23 Calhoun St (1930-1935); 92 King St. (1933-1936); 55 George St (1890-1906); Church St. lot next to St. Philip's Church (1869, 1885); lot on corner of East Bay and Society St. (1897-1902); 252 King-83 Hassell (property of Harbeson family rented by clothes merchants Bentschner & Visanska, 1844-1909); Magnolia Cemetery lot (1901-1916); deed to pew in St. Philip's Church (1855, 1887). Rental receipts of misc. Cheves-Middleton properties managed by R.M. Marshall Bros. (1889-1906)

12/181/4-13 Cheves, Langdon III, 1848-1939

Land papers, 1890-1925. Approx 100 items

Lowcountry land owner. Correspondence, plats, stock certificates, indentures, copies of titles, and notes (1890-1918), of LC III regarding various lands in Summerville, near Fort Johnson (James Island), on the Edisto River in Colleton Co. and in Flat Rock, NC; Material regarding McClellanville lot of WTW Baker (1918), a lot in Charleston Co., State Road 18 Milehouse (1869-1871), Trimbleston (1880-1882) and Blandford Plantations in Beaufort Co. (1892-1934), rental properties in Summerville (1917-1919), Pacific County, Washington State (1891-1919).

12/182/1-15 Cheves, Langdon III

Land papers, 1709-1932. Approx 200 items

Lowcountry landowner. Notes of LC III, correspondence, copies of plats, indentures, and titles regarding tracts of Middleton-Cheves land in Berkeley Co. along Goose Creek. Included are materials regarding Howe Hall (1755), Boochawee (1709), Button Hall (1778), Broom Hall, The Oaks and other lands. Also notes, plats, indentures, and correspondence with HAM Smith and W. Turner Logan regarding co-ownership of land and deed for a right-of-way for construction of State Highway 31, near Goose Creek.

12/172/9 Middleton, Henry, 1717-1784

Copy of will, 1839. 1 item

Goose Creek planter. 1839 copy of 1784 will of Henry Middleton.