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Unit Date

1867-1925

Unit Date

1886-1892

Language

English

Creator

Coleman, Charles Washington, 1862-1932

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0.75 Linear Feet

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Related Materials:

Tucker-Coleman Papers (Special Collections Research Center, Swem Library)

Cynthia Beverley Tucker Washington Coleman Papers (Special Collections Research Center, Swem Library)

Charles Washington Coleman, Sr. Papers (Special Collections Research Center, Swem Library)

Scope and Contents

The collection is arranged into three series. The first series contains correspondence, the majority of which is related to Coleman's writings & publications and includes correspondence his mother, Cynthia Beverley Tucker Coleman, and with illustrator Harry Fenn. The second series contains writings, the majority of which were done by Coleman, largely as a young man. The writings include his poetry as well as serials he wrote and illustrated himself. The third series contains miscellaneous items that do not fit within the first two series.

Keywords

United States--Poetry

Writing--1870-1920

Coleman, Cynthia Beverley Tucker Washington (1832-1908)

Fenn, Harry (1838-1911)

Description of Subordinate Components

Correspondence

Unit ID id284640

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59826

Scope and Contents

Arranged alphabetically by sender's surname or company name.

The Century Magazine, Editorial Dept.

Unit ID id284650

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59833

Unit Date 1886-1887

Mixed materials 1 (Box)

Container 1 (folder)

Cynthia Beverley Tucker Coleman (mother)

Unit ID id284655

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59834

Unit Date 1873, 1877 Sept. 7, 1902 Jul.-Aug.

Mixed materials 1 (Box)

Container 2 (folder)

Scope and Contents

The 1902 letters were written to Charles while he was spending time abroad in England and refer to his friendship with British stage actress, Ellen Terry.

Harry and Alice Fenn

Unit ID id284660

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59835

Unit Date 1888, 1890-1893, 1896, undated

Mixed materials 1 (Box)

Container 3 (folder)

Harry and Alice Fenn

Unit ID id284665

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59836

Unit Date 1888, 1890-1893, 1896, undated

Mixed materials 1 (Box)

Container 4 (folder)

Joel Chandler Harris

Unit ID id284670

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59837

Unit Date 1886 Oct. 26, Nov. 17

Mixed materials 1 (Box)

Container 5 (folder)

R. M. Johnston

Unit ID id284675

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59838

Unit Date 1886-1888

Mixed materials 1 (Box)

Container 6 (folder)

Magazine of American History

Unit ID id284680

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59839

Unit Date 1880 Dec.-1881 Dec.

Mixed materials 1 (Box)

Container 7 (folder)

Julia Magruder

Unit ID id284690

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59840

Unit Date 1886 Nov. 28, Dec. 20, 1887 Apr. 5

Mixed materials 1 (Box)

Container 8 (folder)

M. G. McClelland

Unit ID id284695

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59841

Unit Date 1888 Sept. 19, 1892 Mar. 27, Jun. 26, Aug. 7, undated

Mixed materials 1 (Box)

Container 9 (folder)

Thomas Nelson Page

Unit ID id284700

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59842

Unit Date 1886 Nov. 1887 Jan. 7, Jun. 21, 1888 Sept. 26

Mixed materials 1 (Box)

Container 10 (folder)

Two Tales Publishing Co.

Unit ID id284705

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59843

Unit Date 1892 Sept. 1, Sept. 12

Mixed materials 1 (Box)

Container 11 (folder)

Charles Dudley Warner

Unit ID id284715

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59844

Unit Date 1885 Aug. 30, 1886 Oct. 26, Dec. 20, Dec. 25, 1887 Jan. 10

Mixed materials 1 (Box)

Container 12 (folder)

Various Individuals: B-K

Unit ID id284725

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59845

Unit Date 1877-1902 (incomplete)

Mixed materials 1 (Box)

Container 13 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Arranged alphabetically by sender's surname

Various Individuals: L-W

Unit ID id284730

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59846

Unit Date 1879-1896 (incomplete)

Mixed materials 1 (Box)

Container 14 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Arranged alphabetically by sender's surname

Writings

Unit ID id284735

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59827

Issues of "The Hornet," handwritten

Unit ID id284750

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59847

Unit Date 1887

Mixed materials 1 (Box)

Container 15 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Issue dates: Mar. 12, Apr. 2, 30, May 21, Jun. 4, 18

Issues of "Fun at Home," handwritten

Unit ID id284755

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59848

Unit Date undated

Mixed materials 1 (Box)

Container 16 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Issues: vol. 1 nos. 1, 3-11

Issues of "The New St. Leon Dailey Budget," handwritten

Unit ID id284760

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59849

Unit Date 1877 Sept.

Mixed materials 1 (Box)

Container 17 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Issues: vol. 1 nos. 3-4, vol. 2 nos. 1-4

"Rose Buds: An Illustrated Magazine" (vol. 1 no. 1), "The Angel: A Vision," "The Future," "Mt. Rhigi, Mont Blanc, and Vesuvius," "The Child's Companion" (vol. 1 no. 2)

Unit ID id284775

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59850

Unit Date 1876 Sept. 18, 1879, undated

Mixed materials 1 (Box)

Container 18 (folder)

Poems, Plays, and Stories

Unit ID id284780

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59851

Unit Date circa 1870s

Mixed materials 2 (Box)

Container 1 (folder)

Poems, Plays, and Stories

Unit ID id284785

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59852

Unit Date circa 1870s

Mixed materials 2 (Box)

Container 2 (folder)

Fragments of Poems, Plays, and Stories

Unit ID id284790

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59853

Unit Date circa 1870s

Mixed materials 2 (Box)

Container 3 (folder)

Latin and French Exercises

Unit ID id297662

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59854

Unit Date 1877, undated

Mixed materials 2 (Box)

Container 4 (folder)

Miscellaneous

Unit ID id284795

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59828

"The Little Cleaner: A Monthly Journal for Southern Boys & Girls," vol. 1 no. 1 (Fredricksburg, Va.)

Unit ID id284810

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59855

Unit Date 1867 Aug.

Mixed materials 2 (Box)

Container 5 (folder)

Biographical Sketches of Edlow, Bowler, Cocke, Adams

Unit ID id284815

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59856

Unit Date undated

Mixed materials 2 (Box)

Container 6 (folder)

Genealogy of the Smith Family of Essex County, Va.

Unit ID id284820

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59857

Mixed materials 2 (Box)

Container 7 (folder)

Prints

Unit ID id284825

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59858

Mixed materials 2 (Box)

Container 8 (folder)

Scope and Contents

Small copies of the following: Millington print, Hon. George William Smith portrait (Gov. of Va.), Col. Meriwether Smith portrait (member of Old Congress), Thomas Adams Smith portrait (Brigadier-General, US Army), rendering of unidentified building, renderings of flooring, a floorplan, and interior details (German).

Law Class Certificates from the University of Virginia, Notice of Standing at the University of Virginia

Unit ID id284830

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59859

Unit Date 1885 June, 1885 July, 1885 June 30

Mixed materials 2 (Box)

Container 9 (folder)

Drawings and Doodles

Unit ID id284835

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59860

Mixed materials 2 (Box)

Container 10 (folder)

Account Sheets

Unit ID id284840

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/59861

Unit Date 1924-1925 May

Mixed materials 2 (Box)

Container 11 (folder)

Biographical Information