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Title Carles Henry Browning. Papers.

Approximate inclusive dates 1867 - 1921

Date of receipt Sept. 1961; Oct. 1961.

Received from Mr. C. H. Browning via
Genealogy Division.

Volume on arrival 12 cartons.

Number of boxes (after reboxing) 29 AB, 12 LF

Condition Poor. Brittle.

Restrictions None.

Description

See attached sheet.

Special Formats Photographs Maps Audio Tapes Films Graphics
 Artifacts Machine-readable records
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Temporary catalog card added entries
Royal Descent, Families of; Genealogy-
Research; "The American Historical
Register"; "Order of the Crown in America."

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DESCRIPTION - CHARLES HENRY BROWNING, PAPERS.

Charles Henry Browning (1846-1926) was a professional genealogist specializing in finding out if people were of royal descent. He wrote a book entitled Americans of Royal Descent, was the editor of "The American Historical Register" and thought of forming a society called "The Order of the Crown in America."

Browning's papers consist mainly of his research notes and correspondence, which he called "Pedigree Letters." The correspondence was pasted in scrapbooks from 1867 until 1894. In 1894 Browning began filing the letters in inconsistent alphabetical order- sometimes being under the name of the correspondent and others under the name being researched. Much of the correspondence is in no order at all, having been inserted within the pages of bound and unbound volumes of genealogy notes. There are also copies of "The American Historical Register." These volumes are interspersed with typescripts and manuscripts of authors, their letters and information about the magazine.

CHARLES HENRY BROWNING. PAPERS.

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"PEDIGREE LETTERS" AND RESEARCH NOTES, 1894-1921

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