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BOWEN-MOORE FAMILY PAPERS

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The Bowen-Moore Family Genealogy Collection was donated to the Winthrop University Archives and Special Collections in 2017 by John B. Bowen III, compiler.

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Approximate number of pieces: 1500

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Scope and Content Note: **The Bowen-Moore Family Papers consists of a detailed family genealogy with dated photographs, personal letters, military history, legal documents, genealogy trees, cemetery records, and descriptions of certain key members. Family names include Bowen, Moore, Erwin, Pearson, Cureton, Neely, Shurley, Matthew, and Youngblood. There is also information pertaining to Beth Shiloh Presbyterian Church and Bethesda Presbyterian Church in York County, S.C.**

Transfer of Items: *SUMMER MIGRATIONS AND RESORTS OF SOUTH CAROLINA LOW-COUNTRY PLANTERS* Book Transferred to Special Collections.

II

DESCRIPTION OF SERIES

| <u>Box(es)</u> | <u>Folder(s)</u> | <u>Series</u> | <u>Year(s)</u> |
|----------------|------------------|--|----------------|
| 1 | 1 | BOWEN FAMILY PAPERS Includes general genealogy lines and information, medical records, military history, the "Reminiscences of Col. William James Bowen," and cemetery and church locations. Covers 1787-ca2015. | ca1923-2015 |
| 1 | 2 | REMEMBERING JOHN BISHOP BOWEN JR. Booklet compiled by John B. Bowen III in 2011, includes timeline, highlights, photographs, stories, accomplishments, and military information of John B. Bowen Jr., 1908-1996. | 2011 |
| 1 | 3 | BOWEN-MOORE MILITARY HISTORY PAPERS Includes genealogical connection between Bowen and Moore families, and military history from the Revolutionary War, Civil War, and World War II. Includes information on deaths, ranks, and prisoner of war records from ca1775-1941. | ca1999-ca2007 |
| 1 | 4 | A HISTORY OF BETH SHILOH PRESBYTERIAN A booklet compiled by Rebecca T. Chambers containing the records of the Beth Shiloh Presbyterian Church in York, South Carolina. Mentions or photographs of a Bowen family member (N.J.J Bowen, Col. W. J. Bowen, B.R. T. Bowen,) [as marked by the possessor] covers 1828-2000. | 2000 |
| 1 | 5 | MOORE AND OTHER FAMILY CONNECTIONS Includes detailed genealogy, health records, and connections to Erwin, Pearson, Cureton, and Neely families. Another genealogy chronicling the Bowen family's English roots covering 1258-1971. Also includes connection and bio-sketches of Neely family, cemetery lot information, and biographical sketches and reminiscences of certain family members of York, SC. | ca1992-2015 |
| 2 | 6 | ERWIN FAMILY PAPERS Includes multiple genealogies, some dating back to Irish roots and with connections to the Moore family covering ca1597-1946. | ca1991-ca2015 |
| 2 | 7 | CEMETERY DIRECTORY OF BETHESDA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Includes on page 23 of the index [as marked] the cemetery information of the Erwin-Matthew family with deaths ranging from 1794-1934. | 1994 |

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| 2 | 8 | SHURLEY FAMILY PAPERS Includes family tree and detailed genealogy, information from various sources, a two-part diary of John Rooker Shurley, and the will of a Elizabeth Shurley from 1846. Covers ca1757-1945. | ca1998-2005 |
| 3 | 9 | YOUNGBLOOD BOWEN AND RELATED FAMILIES Compiled by Roy Wessinger, includes photographs, newspaper clippings, legal documents, letters, and genealogies pertaining to the Bowen, Youngblood, and related families covering ca1654-ca2000. | 2003 |
| 3 | 10 | PHOTOGRAPHS Includes portraits and photographs of members of each branch of family, photographs from articles with family members, photographs of various family members, a printed drawing of the Bowen family crest, residential homes in the York Country area that were owned by family members, cemetery and tombstone information, and a recent photograph of a church used in the Civil War, organized chronologically covering ca. early 1800s-2008. | ca1884-ca2008 |
| 3 | 11 | NEWSPAPER CLIPPINGS AND MISCELLANEOUS Contains newspapers articles and clippings pertaining to family members such as marriage announcements, obituaries, recognitions, and resident houses. Miscellaneous items including a partial treasury department booklet, partial 1910 coupon booklet, 1910 train ticket stub, 1925 school lunch pass, 1926 drug store banquet pamphlet, and handwritten poetry by Addie Erwin Moore. Arranged chronologically, covering ca1903-2005. | 1910-2003 |
| 3 | 12 | LETTERS Includes personal letters from family members pertaining to military, Catholic school, and various work. Also includes a Christmas card, telegram, and a marriage invitation. Some with original envelopes, all organized chronologically covering 1863-2015, with the undated at the end. | 1898-ca2015 |

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| 3 | 13 | ERWIN-MOORE FAMILY LETTERS: BURKE COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA Compiled by John B. Bowen III, includes letters arranged by correspondents of James Erwin (1775-1848), Adelaide Simiana Erwin (1858-1940), and Claudia Josephine Erwin (1865-1943), with locations and a short genealogy at the end. | 2009 |
| 3 | 14 | LEGAL DOCUMENTS Includes certificates of baptism, business stock shares, and deaths certificates, tax documents and other business-related papers, organized in chronological order covering 1883-1957. | 1883-ca2015 |
| 3 | 15 | T.P. MOORE'S FAMILY TREE POSTER This series consist of a poster with fan-shaped family tree, beginning with Thomas Peyton Moore, born 1881, and going outward to his sixth-great grandparents in the mid-1600s. <i>*Item is Manuscript Oversize: Drawer 30, Folder 109, Item 728</i> | 1986 |