

South Carolina Historical Repository Directory

Pickens

Central Heritage Society

Mailing and Facility Address

PO Box 1162
Central, SC 29630

Facility Address: 416 Church St.
Central

Appointments: Required

Telephone: 864-639-2156

Fax: 864-639-5846

<http://www.centralheritage.org/index.htm>

Scope: 1870 to 1950

Estimated Overall Linear Feet: 18.0

Consists of two major collections. Max and Adele Perry Collection: correspondence, memoranda, financial statements, income taxes, estate of Ivy Mauldin Campbell, letters to World War II soldiers and their replies, all related to Mr. Perry as citizen, mayor, and member of the House of Representatives. Jephtha and Minnie Morgan Collection (leading area merchant and banker): personal papers, land records, bills, poems, photos, tours, school records, daybooks, calendars, Converse College scrapbooks, theatre programs, sheet music, Central school system records, Central Family records, Isaquena-Cannon-Central Textile financial books, Daughters of the Confederacy records.

Clemson University Special Collections

Alternative Name: University Archives
Senator Strom Thurmond Archives

Mailing and Facility Address

University Libraries
Box 343001
Clemson, SC 29634

Facility Address: Strom Thurmond Institute Building
Clemson

Appointments: Not Needed

Telephone: 864-656-5176

Fax: 864-656-0233

<http://www.lib.clemson.edu/SpCol/>

Scope: 1796 to present

Estimated Overall Linear Feet: 14,370

Includes the official records of the University including substantial material related to the Cooperative Extension Program, Clemson Forest, and Athletic Department that includes a large photograph and motion picture collection. Numerous political collections including papers of John C. Calhoun, Benjamin Tillman, James F. Byrnes, Carroll Campbell, and Strom Thurmond. Also a number of collections related to the National Park Service and records documenting South Carolina's industry including textile firms and the Liberty Corporation.

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Pickens County Mary Oates Gregorie Historical Room

Kimberly Hampton Memorial Library

Mailing and Facility Address

PO Box 8010
Easley, SC 29641

Facility Address: 304 Biltmore Rd.
Easley

Appointments: Not Needed

Telephone: 864-850-7077 ext. 187

Fax: 864-850-7091

www.pickens.lib.sc.us

Scope: ca. 1700 to present

Estimated Overall Linear Feet: 350

Our goal is to be exhaustive in coverage of Pickens County genealogy and history, comprehensive in coverage of Anderson and Oconee Counties, and with progressively less depth of coverage as distance from Pickens County increases. We have some genealogical materials covering areas as far away as Pennsylvania and Oklahoma. We have many family histories and compilations of local and regional government and military records of interest to genealogists, as well as a fairly complete collection of published cemetery surveys for Pickens, Anderson, Greenville and Oconee Counties. We have Pickens County newspapers in print or on microfilm back to 1870.

Collection Highlights:

Historic Photograph Collection; Sangamo Weston Superfund Site Documents; Easley Progress, Pickens Sentinel and Daily Messenger on microfilm; Confederate Pension Applications, 1902-1919, Pickens County, S. C. (Bound copies of records from Pickens County Court House.)

Southern Wesleyan University Archives

Rickman Library

Mailing and Facility Address

PO Box 1020
Central, SC 29630

Facility Address: 916 Wesleyan Dr.
Central

Appointments: Recommended

Telephone: 864-644-5071

Fax: 864-644-5904

<http://www.swu.edu/library>

Scope: 1840 to present

Estimated Overall Linear Feet: 60

Photographs, papers, and books relating to the history of the Wesleyan Church in general, and the history of Southern Wesleyan University in particular.

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Southern Wesleyan University Faith Clayton Room

Rickman Library

Alternative Name: Clayton Room

Mailing and Facility Address

PO Box 1020

Central, SC 29630

Facility Address: 907 Wesleyan Dr
Central

Appointments: Not Needed

Telephone: 864-644-5088

Fax:

<http://www.swu.edu/library/about/claytonroom.htm>

Scope: 1775 to present

The Clayton Room concentrates on collecting and preserving documents, books, family histories and photographs from the Old Pendleton District.

Collection Highlights:

Clayton, Samuel Crawford Civil War Letters, Pauline Young, Jay Young, Lynch, Mullinax collections
