Williams-Mitchell Farm Collection
Finding Aid

Scope and Content
The Williams-Mitchell Farm collection is composed of research documenting a once prosperous dairy and cotton farm, representative of Carroll County’s rich rural history. Situated on the edge of Villa Rica, in northern Carroll County, the farm includes a well-preserved circa 1890 home, a collection of farm buildings and tells important stories about the emergence of progressive agricultural practices in Georgia during the early twentieth century. The property also contains a CCC camp established in 1937. The farm was documented in 2002 and 2003 by graduate students Mark Barron, Rebecca Glasgow and Terri Lotti, under the direction of Center Director Ann McCleary. The documentation includes oral interviews, research and architectural analysis of the home and buildings, a GIS map and accompanying documentation of the CCC camp, as well as an interpretive plan synopsis for this historic site. The collection also includes a number of family papers and artifacts obtained from the Williams family, and are on loan to the Center but remain the property of Mr. William Mitchell.

Box and Folder Listing
Box 1
Folder 1: Finding Aid and Release Forms
Folder 2: Masterlist
Folder 3: Resource Photography
Folder 4: Correspondence
Folder 5: Newspaper articles
Folder 6: Teresa Lotti Paper
Folder 7: Eric Ryall Paper
Folder 8: Architectural Resource Report
Folder 9: Maps
Folder 10: Aerial Photos
Folder 11: National Register Nomination
Folder 12: Family History
Folder 13: Williams Family Tree
Folder 14: Census Records
Folder 15: William Mitchell—First Interview (24 May 2002)
Folder 16: William Mitchell—Second Interview (20 June 2002)
Folder 17: William Mitchell—Third Interview (28 June 2002)
Folder 18: William Mitchell—Fourth Interview (11 July 2002)
Folder 19: William Mitchell—Fifth Interview (18 July 2002)
Folder 20: William Mitchell—Sixth Interview (25 July 2002)
Folder 21: William Mitchell—Seventh Interview (9 August 2002)
Folder 22: Court Documents
Folder 23: Land Lot 97
Folder 24: Land Lot 99 (1)
Folder 25: Land Lot 99 (2)
Folder 26: Land Lots 25 and 100
Folder 27: Quit Claim Deed
Folder 28: Survey Notice

**Box 2**
Folder 1: New Hope Cemetery
Folder 2: Lucretia CCC Camp (1)
Folder 3: Lucretia CCC Camp (2)
Folder 4: “Analysis of Camp Lucretia Furniture” (Teresa Lotti)
Folder 5: Furniture Sketches

**Box 3**
Folder 1: Amy Williams (1)
Folder 2: Amy Williams (2)
Folder 3: Amy Williams—Gene Autry Autograph
Folder 4: Death of Amy Williams (1)
Folder 5: Death of Amy Williams (2)
Folder 6: Ellen Williams
Folder 7: Letters to Ellen Williams
Folder 8: Death of Ellen Williams (1)
Folder 9: Death of Ellen Williams (2)
Folder 10: Felix Williams

**Box 4**
Folder 1: Felix Williams—Finances
Folder 2: Ira Williams
Folder 3: Letters to Ira Williams
Folder 4: Letters upon Ira Williams’ Death
Folder 5: J.W. Williams
Folder 6: Letters upon Martha Williams’ Death
Folder 7: Williams Family Obituaries
Folder 8: May Williams
Folder 9: Letter to Grant and Inez Mitchell
Folder 10: William Worth Williams
Folder 11: Grant Mitchell’s Death
Folder 12: Grant Mitchell—Ration Book
Folder 13: Grant Mitchell—Union Books
Folder 14: Inez Mitchell—Letters
Folder 15: Inez Mitchell—Health Issues
Folder 16: Inez Mitchell—Legal Papers
Folder 17: Inez Mitchell—Finances
Box 5
Folder 1: Purchases
Folder 2: Farm Purchase Correspondence
Folder 3: Finances (1)
Folder 4: Finances (2)
Folder 5: Photographs (1)
Folder 6: Photographs (2)
Folder 7: Photographs (3)
Folder 8: Photographs--Farm Scenes
Folder 9: Photographs—Animals
Folder 10: Photographs—Cabin
Folder 11: Photographs—Misc. Places
Folder 12: Photographs—Europe
Folder 13: Photographs—Misc. Williams, Mitchells and Lassetters
Folder 14: Photographs—Inez
Folder 15: Photographs—Family

Box 6
Folder 1: Photographs—Pat Mitchell
Folder 2: Pat Mitchell
Folder 3: William Mitchell
Folder 4: William Mitchell—Childhood (1)
Folder 5: William Mitchell—Childhood (2)
Folder 6: William Mitchell—Childhood (3)
Folder 7: William Mitchell—Education (1)
Folder 8: William Mitchell—Education (2)
Folder 9: William Mitchell—War Years
Folder 10: Miscellaneous Letters (1)
Folder 11: Miscellaneous Letters (2)
Folder 12: Christmas Cards

Box 7
Folder 1: Funeral Cards
Folder 2: Notes, etc.
Folder 3: Newspaper Clippings
Folder 4: Photographs—WG Mitchell: Infancy and Youth
Folder 5: Photographs—John Mitchell
Folder 6: Photographs—World War II
Folder 7: Photographs—William and Sue Mitchell Wedding
Folder 8: Photographs—WG Mitchell and Sue: Later Years
Folder 9: Photographs—Non-Relatives/Distant
Folder 10: Photographs—Vacation
Folder 11: Photographs—Felix Williams
Folder 12: Photographs—Ira and Amanda Williams
Folder 13: Photographs—Nancy and Worth Williams
Folder 14: Photographs—Will Mitchell
Folder 15: Photographs (1)
Folder 16: Photographs (2)
Folder 17: Photographs—Negatives/Contact Sheets

**Box 8 (Oversize)**
- Folder 1: William Mitchell
- Folder 2: Inez Mitchell
- Folder 3: Purchases
- Folder 4: Pat’s High School Paper
- Folder 5: *Signs of the Times* Newspaper
- Folder 6: Land Lot 99
- Folder 7: Ira Williams
- Folder 8: Newspaper Clippings
- Folder 9: William Mitchell
- Folder 10: Newspaper Articles
- Folder 11: Lucretia CCC Camp
- Folder 12: Map of Formal Gardens

**Box 9 (Media Box)**

**Box 10 (Artifact Box)**
- Item 1: Land Lot Deed—District 6, Lot 99—Carroll County, 1827 (original)
- Item 2: Land Lot Deed—District 6, Lot 66—Carroll County, 1827 (original)

**Box 11 (Artifact Box)**
- Item: Record Disc—Easter Parade

**Box 12 (Artifact Box)**
- Item 1: Wool cap—CCC emblem—Depression Era
- Item 2: Canvas cap—World War II era

**Box 13 (Artifact Box)**
- Item: Hand Carved Wooden Box

**Box 14 (Artifact Box)**
- Assortment of Books, Notebooks, Programs, Diplomas

**Box 15 (Artifact Box)**
- Farm Book

**Box 16 (Artifact Box)**
- Funeral Books
Box 17 (Artifact Box)
Item 1: William Mitchell’s Diploma
Item 2: Scrapbook

Box 18 (Artifact Box)
Item 1: Scrapbook
Item 2: Photograph Album

Box 19 (Artifact Box)
Collection of matted photographs

Box 20 (Artifact Box)
Collection of tintype photographs—11 (1 in case)

Box 21 (Artifact Box)
Collection of framed photographs

Box 22 (Artifact Box)
Collection of framed photographs

Separate materials
The Williams-Mitchell Farm Collection interview tapes are housed alphabetically with the interview tapes in the Center for Public History catalog drawers.

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