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Summary

Title: Crisp Collection

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Creator: Nancy Dawn (Williams) Crisp (1937-2016)

Extent: 31 files (1586 pages)

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Abstract: The Crisp Collection is a compilation of family history research focused on the Williams, Hickey, Larkins, Powell, and Leeson families. It contains correspondence, ancestor reports, and copies of documents going back to colonial America. There are copies of applications to lineage and early settler societies with supporting documentation. Of special interest is a large collection of photographs of family members. Some of these have been added to the [Manuscripts Photo Collection](#) on the GFO website.

Administrative Information

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Biographical Note

Nancy Dawn Williams was born on 17 May 1937 in Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon. Her parents were Hazen Merry Williams and Cleo Izora Hickey, both native Oregonians. She married George T. Crisp on 23 August 1963 and together they raised two children. In addition to her interest in genealogy, Nancy had a lifelong passion for music and teaching. Nancy died on 8 May 2016 in Bend, Deschutes County, Oregon.

Finding Aid

File	Description	Prominent Surnames	Locations	Dates	Pages
1	Family group sheets; Census notes; Copies of photos and Marriage Certificate	Kindle, Lockhart, Maddox, Powell, Smith	Illinois, Indiana, Ohio, Tennessee, Virginia	1793-1933	9
2	Research Notes (Census Search doc, Family Group Record); Homestead Certificate; Marriage Certificate; Return of Marriage; Medical Certificate for Marriage License; Adoption Documentation; Obituary Excerpt; Standard Certificate of Death; Cemetery Info	Kitselman, Rooke, Shook, Williams	Oregon	1810-1982	36
3	Research Notes (Census Search, Family Group Record, General Notes); Scan from "Douglas County Marriage Book; V2-369;" Death Certificate	McLenahan, Shook	Indiana, Oregon, Washington	1848-1986	16
4	Research Notes (General, Pedigree Chart, Census Search); Douglas County Court Notes; Petition for Appointment of Guardian; Order of Commitment (Complaint, Certificate of Examining Physician, Personal & Medical History, Insane Asylum Admissions/Discharges List); Scanned Obituary Excerpts; Land Purchase Docs; Marriage Certificate; Newspaper Excerpt; Death Certificates; County Death Register; Estate Docs (Final Admission; Inventory & Appraisement, Inventory of Property Belonging to Estate, Petition)	Higginbotham, Powell, Shook	Indiana, Iowa, Montana, Ohio, Oregon, Washington	1822-1964	50
5	Research Notes (General, "Census Search"); Estate Documents; Death Certificate; Census Docs; Land Map & "History of Darke County (OH)"	Arnett, McCallaster, Powell, Shook, Williams	Indiana, Ohio, Oregon	1778-1924	33

6	Research Notes; Family Group Records; Marriage Documents; Land Ownership Documentation; BLM Land Records; Will/Estate Documents; Photos; Map	Beeman, Bevis, Birt, Shook, Williams	Indiana, Ohio, Oregon, Washington	1718-1950	49
7	Research Notes (General); Pedigree Chart; Town Records; Church Records; DAR Application; Written Correspondence with DAR	Brooks, Brown, Bunnell, Crisp, Curtis, Fletcher, Hickey, Hubbard, Matthews, Montague, Plumb, Williams	Connecticut, Massachusetts, New York	1577-2001	26
8	Research Notes; Family Group Sheets; Descendants Chart (Thomas Warbington Powell & John Taylor Powell); Photographs; Obituaries; Marriage Documentation; Biography Excerpts; Written Correspondence	Ayres, Fansher, Farlow, Glase, Miller, Powell	Indiana, Kansas, Nebraska, Ohio, Virginia	1748-1997	38
9	Obituaries & Death Notices; Pension Documents; Family Group Sheets	Etnire, Jamison, Kessel, Miller, Perkins, Powell	Arkansas, Indiana, Kansas	1796-1967	32
10	Research Notes; Biographies; Maps; Decorative Descendent Chart; Pedigree Chart; Written Correspondence; Marriage Records; Will Documents	Griffith, Hickey, Kizer, Larkins, Petty, Steinbarger, Steenbarger, Steinberger, Williams	Indiana, Virginia	1422-1990	41
11	Research Notes; DAR Application; Pedigree Chart; Image of House of Rev. Anthony Stoddard	Crisp, Downing, Haynes, Hickey, Reed, Stoddard, Warham, Williams	Connecticut, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Vermont	1538-1990	12
12	Research Notes; DAR Application; Pedigree Chart; Biographies; Estate Documents	Beach, Curtis, Howe, Merriman, Parker, Ring, Williams	Connecticut, Massachusetts, New York	1510-1990	24
13	Research Notes (General; Family Group Sheet); Map of Somerset County, PA; Pedigree Chart; Biographies; Will Information; Predecessor Lists; Written Correspondence	Cooper, Honeywell, Larkins, Leeson, Letts, Purcell, Read, Reed, Strawn, Van Woggelum	Ohio, Oregon, Pennsylvania	1648-2001	31

14	Research Notes; Family Group Sheets; Pedigree Chart; Marriage License & Certificate; Biographies; Death Certificate; Will Documents; DAR Application; Funeral Documents; Written Correspondence; Maps; Manuscript "Our Family" by Joyce Lynch (1987)	Brown, Haynes, Hickey, Lynch, McIntire, Parker, Thompson, Williams	Connecticut, New York, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Virginia, Washington	1608-1990	62
15	Research Notes (General); Pedigree Chart; DAR Application; Biographies	Clark, Fletcher, Haynes, Hickey, Williams	England; Connecticut, Massachusetts, Michigan, New York, Oregon, Pennsylvania, Texas	1622-1989	19
16	Research Notes (General); Family Group Sheets; Pedigree Charts; DAR Application; Biographical Sketches	Acye, Ayer, Burgess, Cutler, Doundy, Dustin, Emerson, Fletcher, Grant, Haburne, Harriman, Haynes, Ingersoll, Kingsbury, Marche, Marsh, Moulton, Page, Stoddard, Swan, Watts, Wheeler, Yoeman	England, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Pennsylvania, Vermont	1500-1988	150
17	Research Notes from Bibles; Photos; Written & Electronic Correspondence; Descendants Lists; Family Narratives	Clifton, DeKoker, Ellington, Gibson, Hunter, Mallatt, McDonald, Morgan, Powell, Price, ShepardWarren, Yeoman	Ireland; California, Indiana, Kansas, Maryland, Pennsylvania	1723-2000	180
18	Research Notes (Family Group Sheet); DAR Application; Pedigree Charts	Alexander, Brooks, Brown, Browne, Fellows, Gabb, Williams	England, Connecticut, Massachusetts, New York	1312-1988	16

19	Research Notes (General, Census Search); Newspaper Clippings; Pedigree Charts; Maps; News Articles; Death Certificates; Various Marriage Documents	Churchill, Germond, Higgenbotham, Powell, Shook, Williams, Zachary,	Netherlands, Idaho, Minnesota, Oregon, Washington	1800-1997	64
20	Research Notes (General, Family Group Record, Census Search); Application for "Society of Indiana Pioneers"; Death Certificate; Obituary; Indiana Pioneer Certificate; Will Documents; Marriage Records; Written Correspondence; Pedigree Chart	Bevis, Cooper, Hickey, Kizer, Powell, Shook, Smith, Williams	Idaho, Indiana, Ohio, Virginia, Washington	1776-1948	33
21	Research Notes (General, Census Bible); Marriage Documents; Funeral Notices; Obituaries; Military Census; Death Certificate; Pension Document	Arnett, Clelland, Powell, Thomason, Waring, West	California, Idaho, Indiana, Oregon, Washington	1826-1984	42
22	Research Notes (General, Census Search); Pension Documents; Obituaries; Photograph; Memorabilia; Biographies; Marriage Documents	Joh, Larison, Powell	Indiana, Ohio	1805-1990	43
23	Research Notes (General, Census Search, Family Group Record); Marriage Documents; Military Appointment Document; Obituaries; Pictures; Biographies; Written Correspondence	Bonwell, Powell, Smith	California, Indiana, Ohio	1750-2000	49
24	Research Notes (General, Census Search); Obituary; Pictures; Written Correspondence; Will Documents; Genealogical Certificate; Cemetery Inscriptions; Marriage Documents; Maps; Excerpt from "History of Fayette County, OH"	Ayers, Ellington, Kiser, McKillip, Mendes, Powell, Williams	England, Florida, Kentucky, Ohio	1749-2001	34
25	Photographs	Carty, Church, Cooper, Gallagher, Germond, Gorrell, Lamb, Pilkington, Powell, Shook, Williams, Zachary	Oregon	1856-1958	40

26	Photographs, Correspondence, Memorabilia, Obituaries	Arnett, Brown, Cable, Gorrell, Harper, Lamb, Larkins, Larrison, Leeson, Marshall, McIntyre, Pilkington, Powell, Shook, Smith, Way, West, Williams, Workman	Indiana, Oregon	1810-2012	47
27	Photographs, Toll Authorization Doc, Newspaper Excerpts	Adams, Burnside, Foster, Jones, Larkins, Leeson, Minter, Pyritz, Williams	Oregon, Washington	1900-1976	34
28	Photographs	Adams, Jones, Larkins, Leeson, Pyritz, Williams	Missouri, Oregon	1856-1929	14
29	Research Notes (General, Family Group Record, Family Chart); Written Correspondence from the 1880s; Bible Records; Obituaries; Forwarding Receipt; Death Certificates; Maps; High School Report Cards; High School Diploma; Schoolwork; Birth Certificate; Newspaper Excerpts; Ancestral Chart; Marriage Documents; Pedigree Charts; DAR Documents; Excerpts from "Histories of Howard & Tipton Counties" (IN)	Brown, Crisp, Gentis, Harper, Hayes, Hickey, Larkins, Leeson, Marshall, Minter, Williams	Indiana, Ohio, Oregon	1620-1990	133
30	Research Notes (General); Photographs; Written Correspondence; Death Certificates; Maps; Newspaper Excerpts; Family Histories (Narrative); Estate Documents; Bounty Land Claim Documents	Austin, Corbell, Larkins, Leeson, McLoughlin, Minter, Reed, Shook, Strawn, Van Woggelum, Williams	Illinois, New Jersey, Oregon, Pennsylvania	1664-1989	72
31	Descendant Report for William Reed (b. 1689) compiled by Arliene Adams (1994)	Adams, Austin, Avery, Carter, Clark, Harrington, Honowell, Honeywell, Jones, Knapp, Larkins, Ramage, Sinclair, Strawn	England, Kentucky, New Jersey, Ohio, Oregon	1689-1995	157