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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	Rare Book and Manuscript Library
<b>Creator:</b>	Campbell, William, 1876-1936
<b>Title:</b>	William Campbell papers
<b>ID:</b>	4078579
<b>ID:</b>	MS#0186
<b>Date [inclusive]:</b>	1900-1925
<b>Physical Description:</b>	2 linear feet 4 manuscript boxes
<b>Language of the Material:</b>	English .
<b>Abstract:</b>	This collection contains personal papers, correspondence, financial records and memorabilia relating to geologist and metallurgist, William Campbell.

### Preferred Citation

Identification of specific item; Date (if known); William Campbell papers; Box and Folder; Rare Book and Manuscript Library, Columbia University Library.

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## Biographical / Historical

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Geologist and metallurgist from Great Britain, joined the Columbia School of Mines faculty in 1902.

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## Summary

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Most of Campbell's papers are of a personal nature, including approximately 100 items of personal correspondence (incoming), his World War I naval records, his financial records, and memorabilia. There are a few miscellaneous letters relating to his academic career, some miscellaneous notes, and daily calendar memoranda. Included is a holograph laboratory notebook of the British metallurgist, Saville Shaw, with typescript transcripts of contents along with notes by Campbell.

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## Arrangement

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This collection is arranged in one series.

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### **Immediate Source of Acquisition**

Source of acquisition--Columbiana. Method of acquisition--Transfer; Date of acquisition--1965. Accession number--M-65.

### **Processing Information**

Cataloged Christina Hilton Fenn 04/17/89.

### **Accruals**

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## **Controlled Access Headings**

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- World War, 1914-1918
- Metallurgical research
- Financial records
- Laboratory notebooks
- Photographic prints
- College teachers
- Geologists
- Shaw, Saville

- Columbia University. School of Mines -- Faculty

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## Collection Inventory

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### Series I: William Campbell Papers, circa 1900-1925

Title/Description	Instances	
Miscellaneous letters (incoming), circa 1902-1910	box 1	folder 1
Letters of introduction and recommendation	box 1	folder 2
World War I naval orders and papers	box 1	folder 3
Miscellaneous notes	box 1	folder 4
Shaw, Saville. Holograph (?) notebook (with typescript transcripts of contents and some notes of Campbell)	box 1	folder 5
Financial records. Investments, 1919-1924	box 1	folder 6
Daily calendar memoranda, 1911-1916	box 1	folder 7
Personal correspondence (incoming), circa, 1900-1920	box 2	folder 1
Memorabilia	box 2	folder 2
Columbia programs, notices, letters of appointment, reprints, photographs, chiefly of Columbia University scenes	box 3	
Financial records. Bank passbooks and cancelled checks	box 4	

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