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Summary information

Repository: University of Miami Cuban Heritage Collection

Title: Villalta Family Collection

ID: CHC0473

Date: 1624-1918 (date of creation)

Physical description: Boxes

Language: Spanish

**Dates of creation,
revision and deletion:**

Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

José Fernández de Villalta y Alvarez de Sotomayor was born in Spain. He participated in the War of Independence of Cuba on the Spanish side as an engineer. Villalta served with General Arola during "la trocha" from Júcaro to Moron, where Villalta demonstrated his talents as a military engineer. Upon returning to Spain, he was accepted to the Instituto Geográfico y Estadístico and continued his service until retirement from the Spanish army.

Villalta later emigrated to Cuba, where he became a renowned Spanish engineer in charge of one of the largest house constructions. He died in Cuba in 1918.

Scope and content

The Villalta Family Collection contains documents, clippings, and genealogical information about the Gaona family name and the Villalta family. This collection dates from 1624 to 1918. It is arranged into two series, Series I: Documents, 1678-1918 and Series II: Genealogy & Heraldry, 1624, in 21 folders in one box.

Notes

Title notes

Immediate source of acquisition

Purchased from Edward Hartmann, 1995.

Restrictions on access

This collection is open for research.

Conditions governing use

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Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published
 - **Description identifier:** ArchonInternalCollectionID:289
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Access points

- Villalta y Alvarez de Sotomayor, José Fernández (subject)
 - Clippings (documentary form)
 - Manuscripts (documentary form)
 - Genealogy -- Spain (subject)
 - Heraldry -- Spain (subject)
 - Cabra (Spain) (place)
 - Cuba -- Genealogy (place)
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Series descriptions

Series id93626:

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File / item list				
Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
id93627	File - Documents, 1676-1918			1
id93628	File - Clippings: Fernández de Villalta y Álvarez de Sotomayor, José in Heraldo de Madrid, October 29, 1918	1918-October-29		1 1
id93629	File - Aguilar, Leonor Michaela de: "Entrego de la Señora Doña Leonor Michaela Aguilar..., "	1679		1 2
id93630	File - Benabides, José: "Documentos del cargo que se formo a Don José Benavides para que entrase a la Admon. de los bienes de Alcalá en el año 1854," Alcalá la Real, Spain	1854-January-27		1 3
id93631	File - Fernández Texeiro y Lastres, Francisca de Paula [also Francisca de Paula Texeiro y Lastres]: "...de la Sra. Da. Franca. de Paula Fernz. Tejeiro y Lastres la legítima mujer del Sr. Dn. Juan Ma. Fernz. de Villalta," Cabra, Spain	1823-March-8		1 4
id93632	File - "Liquidación de lo que debe percibir la Señora Da. Franca. de Paula Tegeiro por rentas delas fincas..., " Cabra, Spain	1842-June-23		1 5
id93633	File - "Doña Fancisca de Paula Texeiro mujer legitima de Don Juan Fernandez Villalta de esta vecindad, ... del procurador ante como mejor proceda de justicia digo: fue para ciertos fines que me son útiles necesito copia de escritura de dote que a mi favor otorgo el citado mi esposo ante el escribano que le de este número Don Juan Portero..., " Printed and embossed seals of Isabela II, Cabra, Spain February 15 and July 19, 1845	1845		1 6
id93634	File - Fernández Texeiro y Lastres, Joaquina de los Ángeles: "En la villa de Cabra a tres de Julio de mil ochocientos cuarenta y dos" ante i el Esno. Público del número de ella y testigos que se expresaron, estando en uno de los de los locutorios del convento de Religiosas Agustinas Descalzas se esta villa se constituyeron personalmente de la Madre Sor Joaquina de los Ángeles Fernández de Texeiros y Lastres,"Cabra, Spain	1842-July-3		1 7
id93635	File - Fernández Villalta, José: Legal contract between José Villalta and Rafael Pérez, partition of land. Water marked paper. Signed: José Villalta Rafael Pérez. Cabra, Spain	1865-October-25		1 8
id93636	File - Legal contract: land partition. José Fernandez Villalta, Ignacio de Corpas, Antonio Lauro y Morante, Antonio María del Pino, Antonio Alguacil, Cabra, Spain	1866-January-17		1 9

id93637	File - Fernández Villalta, José: Legal contract - land partition. José Fernández Villalta, Antonio María del Pino, Antonio Urbano y Laguna, Cabra, Spain	1866- January-18	1 10
id93638	File - Fernández de Villalta y Briones, Josef : "... dote otorgada por el Sr. Dn. Josef Fernz. de Villalta y Briones a favor de la Sra. Da. Maria del Rosario Ramos Izqdo. Lopez de Padilla, guerra y Lorenzo de Mendoza." Note: Florencio Josef Serrano, escribano. Josef Fernández de Villata y Briones to María del Rosario Ramos Izquierdo Lopez de Padilla Guerra y Lorenzo de Mendoza, Alcalá la Real, Spain	1780- September-24	1 11
id93639	File - Fernández de Villalta y Vargas, Josef : "Autos q' Dn. Josef Fernandez de Villalta y Vargas vecino de esta villa y Teniente de Milicias del Regimiento de Bujalanze." Juan Romero Savariego, escribano. Josef Fernández de Villalta y Vargas, Teniente de Milicias del Regimiento de Bujalanze Fernando Martín de Lisea Alvarez, abogado, Cabra, Spain	1781- November-11	1 12
id93640	File - Izquierdo de Quiróz, Antonio: Manuscript letter of patrimony issued to Captain Antonio Izquierdo de Quiróz as benefactor of the Collegiate Convent of Descalzos listing the names of friars and many donations, Rota, Spain	1855-May-5	1 13
id93641	File - Laraña, Manuel: Manuscript family tree of Pedro Riquelme and the Vargas family with cover letter addressed to Cayetano Herrera, Sevilla, Spain. July 10 and October 8, 1861	1861	1 14
id93642	File - Lopez de Padilla, Balthasar: Ramos de Fuentes Cantillana, notary certifying the selection of Balthasar López de Padilla for the brotherhood of hidalgos, Jerez de la Frontera, Spain	1775-July-1	1 15
id93643	File - López de Padilla y Espino, Juan: 18 testimonials asserting pure christian patrimony of Juan López de Padilla y Espino, Jerez de la Frontera, Spain, February 23, 1775-July 16, 1798	1775-1798	1 16
id93644	File - Mar, Leonardo Jaime de la: Petition for nobility, "Composición de la Carne," Puerto de Santa María, Spain	1676-April-8	1 17
id93645	File - Ramos Izquierdo López de Padilla, Juan: Manuscript notarized extracts from official archives, describing the proofs of christianity submitted to the inquisition by Juan Ramos Yzquierdo López de la Padilla, Jerez de la Frontera and Rota, Spain, November 9, 1771-June 6, 1772	1771-1772	1 18

id93646	File - Ramos Izquierdo López de Padilla, Juan: “Voveta,” Jeréz de la Frontera, Spain	1791-September-26	1 19	
id93647	File - Saenz de Tejada, Domingo Antonio: Pedro de Lastres’s death on June 26, 1813. Signed: Domingo Antonio Saenz de Tejada, escribano. Cayetano Ortega, escribano, Alcalá la Real, Spain	1828-October-1	1 20	
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id93649	File - Geneology & Heraldry, 1624			1
id93650	File - Gaona: “Apellido y nombre de Gaona y Descendencia de Sancho Martinez de Gaona de quien deciende en los Briones que son del La Casa y Solar de Gaona,” from 1472. Includes “Memorial del escudo de armas y relacion de los escudos de las armas de todos sus apellidos por los casamientos,” Juan de Briones Cabrera	1624-May-14		1 21