Reference code(s): GB 0214 DST

Title: Stockwood of Bridgend, solicitors, collection

Creation date(s): 1614-1918

Level of description: Fonds

Extent: Information to be supplied.

Name of creator(s): Stockwood of Bridgend

CONTEXT

Administrative/Biographical history: The solicitors firm of Stockwood of Bridgend, Glamorgan, was founded by Thomas Stockwood (1814-1895). He was joined in the business by his clerk, J. H. Williams, and the firms name was changed to Stockwood and Wiliams. The firm's clients included the Rev. Thomas Davies of Coity, the Lewis family, and the Phillip Price Trust and Price Davis family.

CONTENT

Scope and content/abstract: Records of Stockwood of Bridgend, 1614-1918, including: papers of the Rev. Thomas Davies of Coity, and Coity parish lease of property, 1767-[c. 1914]; correspondence, reports etc, relating to 'The Rest', Newton Nottage, 1863-1884; mineral estate papers and lease of Crythan Park Estate, Melincrythan Estate, Llynvi Colliery and Duffryn Pit, and letters relating to the 1873 strike, 1870-1881; poems of local interest, 1806-1861; political poems about taxes, 1808; papers relating to the Lewis Family, 1815-1888; Glamorganshire Rifle Volunteers papers, 1861-1887; correspondence, [c. 1819]-1918; miscellaneous papers, 1808-1871; deeds, contracts and sale catalogues, 1844-1927; Manor of Coity Anglia papers, 1728-1914; papers relating to the Phillip Price Trust, 1733-1943; papers connected with the administration of the Phillip Price Trust, 1842-1948; estates fo families for whom Phillip Price (and others) acted as trustees, 1825-1875; estates of members of the Price Family; 1847-1913; and estates of members of Price Davis Family (descendants of Phillip Price), 1876-1938.

ACCESS AND USE

Language/scripts of material: English, Welsh, Latin and French; handwritten and printed.

System of arrangement: Arranged according to date and type.

Conditions governing access: No restrictions. These records are stored in an outside repository. They should be ordered at least a week in advance of an intended visit so that they can be brought into the Record Office for consultation in the search room.

Conditions governing reproduction: Usual copyright regulations apply.

Physical characteristics: Some documents may be too fragile to produce.

Finding aids: A hard copy of the catalogue is available at the Glamorgan Record Office.

ARCHIVAL INFORMATION

Appraisal, destruction and scheduling information: All records have been retained.

Accruals: Accruals are not expected.

Archival history:

Immediate source of acquisition: Deposited by Stockwood and Williams at various dates.

ALLIED MATERIALS

Related material: Related units of description held at the Glamorgan Record Office: Coity Parish Documents, (P/80/4-6; DXEL

DESCRIPTION NOTES

Note: Title supplied from contents of fonds.

Archivist's note: Compiled by Hayden Burns for the ANW project. The following source was used in the compilation of this description: Glamorgan Record Office, Catalogue of records for Stockwood of Bridgend, solicitors.

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