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COLLECTIONS OF CORRESPONDENCE AND MANUSCRIPT DOCUMENTS

NAME OF COLLECTION: PAGE, Curtis Hidden

SOURCE: Purchase - Bancroft 36573F (Oct. 1957); 54316G; Gift of Jacob Blanck

SUBJECT: Correspondence and literary manuscripts of Curtis Hidden Page

DATES COVERED: ca. 1870 - 1948 NUMBER OF ITEMS: ca. 3000

STATUS: (check appropriate description)  
Cataloged: X Listed: \_\_\_\_\_ Arranged: X Not Organized: \_\_\_\_\_  
Correspondence Mss. & Docs.

COMPOSITION: (give number of vols., boxes, or shelves)  
Bound: \_\_\_\_\_ Boxed: 12 Stored: \_\_\_\_\_

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RESTRICTIONS ON USE Royal Contingent letters on microfilm

DESCRIPTION:

Curtis Hidden Page (1870-1948) American educator and writer, was professor of French and English at Harvard, Dartmouth and Columbia Universities, author of several volumes of poetry including translations from Ronsard, and the Japanese, and President of the Poetry Society of America.

The collection contains a correspondence of 51 letters between Curtis Hidden Page and his grandmother, Mrs. Mary E. Hidden, as well as other family correspondence. Much of his incoming correspondence relates to social and academic pursuits, and his publishing activities, including letters from William Stome Booth of Houghton Mifflin concerning Page's anthology entitled "Chief American Poets". There are many holograph and typescripts of his poetry and poetical translations. Most of the poems are in several stages of progress. Present also are notebooks containing lecture notes from his student days.