

# Guide to the Salisbury Family Papers

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**SUMMARY:** The papers consist of correspondence, writings, genealogical notes, and other papers, principally of Edward Elbridge Salisbury, philologist, orientalist, and genealogist. Included are materials on various branches of Salisbury's family gathered in his genealogical research. Also included are papers and correspondence of Josiah Salisbury (1781-1826), Abigail Breese Salisbury (1780-1866), and business papers of Samuel Salisbury (1739-1818) and Stephen Salisbury (1746-1829). In addition there are also letters and papers of other family members.

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f.      folder

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## Administrative Information

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## Existence and Location of Copies

Journals of travels in Europe by Edward Elbridge Salisbury, 1836-1839 are available on microfilm (1 reel, 35mm.) from Manuscripts and Archives, Yale University Library, at cost. Order no. HM 234.

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## Scope and Contents

The Salisbury Family Papers consist primarily of the papers of Edward Elbridge Salisbury and of the papers of various of his family members collected as part of his genealogical researches.

Edward Elbridge Salisbury, orientalist, philologist, teacher, and later, genealogical researcher, was born in Boston, Massachusetts on April 6, 1814, son of Josiah and Abigail (Abby) Breese Salisbury. He attended the Boston Latin School and Yale University. After graduating from Yale in 1832, he spent several years in advanced studies in New Haven paying special attention to Hebrew and the cognate languages. In 1836 he married his cousin, Abigail Salisbury Phillips, daughter of Edward Phillips of Boston, and proceeded with her to Europe, where for nearly four years he studied Oriental languages, especially Arabic with DeSacy and Garcin de Tassy in Paris, and Sanskrit with Bopp in Berlin. On his return to America in 1841 he was appointed professor of Arabic and Sanskrit at Yale, but before assuming the duties of the office he spent another year (1842-1843) in Europe studying chiefly Sanskrit in Bonn and Paris.

When he began his work at Yale in 1843 he was the only scholar of his kind in America and he led the way in opening up the field of Oriental studies and languages in this country. He was one of the early and principal supporters of the American Oriental Society (founded in 1842), contributing much time and money to its work and various publications, as well as publishing in its Journal many papers of his own on Arabic, Sanskrit, Persian cuneiform, Assyrian, and Phoenician.

In 1854 he relinquished the professorship of Sanskrit to his former pupil, William Dwight Whitney. He also donated a considerable sum of money to Yale to endow a chair and ensure its continued existence, since it had until that time been a non-remunerative position. He retained, however, the chair of Arabic until 1856.

Upon retirement, he devoted much of his time to genealogical research and writing, as well as other historical and artistic studies. With the assistance of his second wife, Evelyn McCurdy Salisbury, daughter of Judge Charles McCurdy of Lyme, Connecticut, he published in 1885 the two-volume *Family Memorials* on the Salisbury, Aldworth-Elbridge, Sewall, Pyldren-Dummer, Walley, Quincy, Gookin, Wendell, Breese, Chevalier-Anderson, and Phillips families; followed by *Family Histories and Genealogies* (5 vols., 1892) dealing with his wife's family. In addition, he also published a number of other genealogical essays and pamphlets.

Professor Salisbury was elected a member of the Société Asiatique in 1838, a corresponding member of the Imperial Academy of Sciences and Belles Lettres, Constantinople in 1855, and a corresponding member of the Deutsche Morgenlandische Gesellschaft in 1839.

Edward Elbridge Salisbury died on February 5, 1901.

Other family members whose papers figure prominently in this collection are Josiah Salisbury (1781-1826), father of Edward Elbridge Salisbury, who was a graduate of Harvard College (Class of 1798) and a merchant in the Firm of Salisbury and Cleveland in Boston; Abigail Breese Salisbury (1780-1866), mother of Edward Elbridge Salisbury and daughter of Samuel and Elizabeth Anderson Breese of Shrewsbury, New Jersey; and Samuel (1739-1818) and Stephen (1746-1829) Salisbury, merchants of Boston and father and uncle respectively of Josiah Salisbury. For other family members represented in this collection and their relationships, the user is referred to the above-mentioned *Family Memorials* (Privately Printed, 1885).

The Salisbury Family Papers are divided into three series: EDWARD ELBRIDGE SALISBURY PAPERS; GENEALOGIES; and FAMILY PAPERS.

The first series, EDWARD ELBRIDGE SALISBURY PAPERS, contains correspondence to and from Edward Elbridge Salisbury, 1836-1904, filed alphabetically by correspondent and chronologically within the separate files; a scrapbook of correspondence and other papers regarding the Salisbury Collection in the Yale University Library; a number of essays, sermons, and notes filed under "Writings" which is arranged chronologically with undated items filed at the end. This section also includes travel journals and notebooks from the period in which Salisbury was studying under Professor Bopp in Berlin. Also included in this series is a "Special File" consisting of legal and financial papers, clippings, and miscellaneous papers and fragments.

Of particular interest in the first series are the rather extensive journals kept by Salisbury from 1836-1839 when he was travelling and studying in Europe, and the notes, mentioned above, made under Professor Bopp during this same period. These last items are especially interesting since they represent some of the earliest thinking and approaches to what was then a new academic discipline, i.e., the study of Oriental languages and literature. The correspondence includes a large group of letters between Salisbury and William Dwight Whitney, Salisbury's successor at Yale and a nationally known scholar of the period (though it must parenthetically be noted that here, as elsewhere in the collection, there are very few of Salisbury's own letters preserved; the majority of the letters are incoming). Other correspondents of note represented in this series are: James Rowland Angell, Leonard Bacon, Simeon Baldwin, Samuel Giles Buckingham, Frances Bicknell Carpenter, James Dwight Dana, Timothy Dwight, Daniel Cady Eaton, Charles W. Eliot, Daniel Coit Gilman, Oliver Wendell Holmes, James Mason Hoppin, Donald Grant Mitchell, Samuel Finley Breese Morse, Charles Eliot Norton, Wendell Phillips, Noah Porter, Stephen Salisbury, Thomas Day Seymour, Benjamin Silliman, Thomas Anthony Thacher, James Hammond Trumbull, Booker T. Washington, Justin Winsor, and Theodore Dwight Woolsey. For a complete and detailed list of correspondents, see the container list for this collection.

Series II, GENEALOGIES, consists almost entirely of scrapbooks kept by Edward Elbridge Salisbury. These scrapbooks contain correspondence, clippings, documents and copies of documents, photos, and other papers all relating to his genealogical research and publications. Many of the letters in these books are simply acknowledgements from friends and relatives regarding copies of various of his publications received; others are letters answering research inquiries. For a detailed breakdown of the contents and arrangement of this section, see the Index to the Arrangement and the container list.

Series III, FAMILY PAPERS, consists of personal and business correspondence, diaries, commonplace books, notes, drawings, and other papers of various family members, collateral relatives, and ancestors of Edward Elbridge Salisbury. The series is arranged alphabetically by family member; and, in the case of larger groups of material, is further arranged alphabetically by correspondent under the general heading of the family member's name. Within the individual folder items are arranged chronologically. An exception to this arrangement is the business papers of Samuel and Stephen Salisbury, which are simply arranged in chronological order with no particular attention given to the correspondent.

Of particular interest in this series are a large group of letters between Josiah Salisbury and Stephen Salisbury, Edward's father and great-uncle respectively, many of them written while Josiah was a student

at Harvard in the late 18th Century. There is also a travel journal kept by Josiah when he was touring Europe between 1800 and 1802. There is also an extensive group of business letters received by the firm of Samuel and Stephen Salisbury in Boston, 1771-1806, which throw some light on business and economic conditions in this country during and after the Revolutionary War. For a detailed listing of the contents of this series, see the Index to the Arrangement and the container list.

The Salisbury Family Papers were, in part, donated by Nora Livingston Heermance in January, 1954. They were previously in the possession of Laura Woolsey Heermance.

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## INDEX TO THE ARRANGEMENT OF THE SALISBURY FAMILY PAPERS

### SERIES I: EDWARD ELBRIDGE SALISBURY PAPERS

#### A. Correspondence: 1836-1904 (Bulk: 1870-1898)

##### General, A-Z

Scrapbook of correspondence and other papers re: Salisbury Collection in Yale University Library.

B. Writings: includes essays, sermons, notes and a separate file of journals and notebooks. Arranged chronologically.

C. Special Files: includes legal and financial papers, clippings, and miscellaneous other papers.

### SERIES II: GENEALOGIES

A. Scrapbooks of correspondence, acknowledgements, extracts and copies of documents re: various of the genealogies that Edward E. Salisbury prepared and distributed (this includes correspondence from a number of people for which correspondence files exist in Series I.).

Correspondence and documents re: the Diodati genealogy and ancestry, which includes many letters from Joseph Lemuel Chester, ca. 1874-1878. Arranged chronologically.

Correspondence and acknowledgements re: "The Griswold Family of Connecticut," ca. 1883-1885. Arranged chronologically.

Correspondence and acknowledgements re: Salisbury's "Family Memorials," mainly 1885. Arranged chronologically.

Correspondence and acknowledgements re: "Family Histories and Genealogies," (McCurdy) ca. 1892-1893. Arranged alphabetically.

Correspondence and acknowledgements re: the death of Judge McCurdy ("Memorial Volume") ca. 1891-1893.

Extracts copied from genealogies, clippings, etc.

Correspondence and documents re: Salisbury Family genealogy (Added 1972 Feb)

B. Two large bound scrapbooks marked "Genealogical Collections Edward E. Salisbury, Volume 1 & 2" contain documents, copies of documents correspondence, clippings, photos, and other papers relative to the Salisbury, Sewall, Quincy, Elbridge, Breese, Anderson, Phillips, and Bromfield families. The arrangement is imprecise, though it appears to be roughly divided by families. (Includes correspondence for which files exist in Series I.).

C. Bound scrapbook marked "Genealogical Collections, Chester Correspondence." Contains correspondence between Edward E. Salisbury and Joseph Lemuel Chester (1776-1881) on genealogical matters. Also included are documents and copies of documents obtained by Chester, who appears to have been one of Salisbury's chief researchers, ca. 1877-1882.

D. Manuscript volume "Somerville Collection of Salisbury Pedigrees"

E. Series of loose leaves containing correspondence, documents, and other papers relating to the Dummer and Quincy families (probably intended for inclusion in the above scrapbooks).

### SERIES III: FAMILY PAPERS, 1753-1865

A. This series is arranged alphabetically by correspondent under the name of each of the following family members:

Elizabeth Breese  
Peter Chevalier  
Thomas Gerry  
Edmund Quincy  
Abigail Breese Salisbury<sup>o</sup>  
Josiah Salisbury (1734-1761)  
Josiah Salisbury (1781-1826)<sup>o</sup>  
Martha Salisbury  
Samuel Salisbury  
business firm of Samuel & Stephen Salisbury<sup>o</sup>  
Joseph Sewall  
John Tappan  
Sarah Waldo

(<sup>o</sup> indicates bulk of material)

B. Six scrapbooks kept by Rebecca Salisbury on a variety of topics, but mainly on coin collecting and numismatics.

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## **Arrangement**

Arranged in three series: I. Edward Elbridge Salisbury Papers. II. Genealogies. III. Family Papers.

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b. 4, f. 203	Walker, George Leon	1889-1891
b. 4, f. 204	Wally, Henshaw B.	1883
b. 4, f. 205	Ward, William Hayes	1898
b. 4, f. 206	Ware, William Robert	1889
b. 4, f. 207	Washington, Booker Taliaferro	1901, 1904
b. 4, f. 208	Weber, Prof.	1843
b. 4, f. 209	Weir, John Ferguson	1871-1895
b. 4, f. 210	Wetmore, George Peabody	1893
b. 4, f. 211	Wheeler, Arthur Martin	1877-1888
b. 4, f. 212	White, Henry	1873
b. 4, f. 213	White, James T. and Co.	1896
b. 4, f. 214	Whitney, Elizabeth B.	[1895?]
b. 4, f. 215	Whitney, William Dwight	1851-1893
b. 4, f. 216	Willcox, David	1893
b. 4, f. 217	Winslow, William Copley	1886
b. 4, f. 218	Winsor, Justin	1886

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b. 4, f. 219	Winthrop, Charles Archibald	1880
b. 4, f. 220	Winthrop, Robert Charles (1809-1894)	1890
b. 4, f. 221	Winthrop, Robert Charles (1834-1905)	1890
b. 4, f. 222	Woodbridge, William Channing	1844
b. 4, f. 223	Woodbury, Charles	1896
b. 4, f. 224	Woolsey, Elizabeth Martha (Salisbury)	1845-1846
b. 4, f. 225	Woolsey, Theodore Dwight	1845-1886, undated
b. 4, f. 226	Young, Mason	1877
b. 4, f. 227	Unidentified	
b. 4, f. 228	Correspondence scrapbook re: Salisbury Collection in Yale University Library	
<u>Writings</u>		
b. 4, f. 229	notes on a Journey to the South from New Haven, Conn.	1831 May 4
b. 4, f. 230	"On Classical and Modern Literature" English	1831 June 22
b. 4, f. 231	"The Perversion of Feelings" English	1834 June
b. 4, f. 232	Address on religion and society	1834 December
b. 4, f. 233	Address regarding rebuilding of Yale campus	[ca. 1884-1886?]
b. 4, f. 234	A Genealogical Study on the Descent of John Salisbury of Boston, 1689-1702	1900
b. 4, f. 235	Essay on formation of intellectual character	undated
b. 4, f. 236	On the usage of the leading temporal forms in the Semitish conjugation	undated
b. 4, f. 237	Essay on polygamy	undated
b. 4, f. 238	Essay on the ten commandments	undated
b. 4, f. 239	Essay on Arabian history	undated
b. 4, f. 240	"The Knowledge of a future state among the Hebrews between the time of Moses and the Captivity" English	undated
b. 4, f. 241	"The expectation of the apostles relative to the time of the day of judgement" English	undated
b. 4, f. 242	"The influence of the spirit of Christianity on the discovery of truth" English	undated
b. 4, f. 243	Sermon: Matthew 26:36-44	undated



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b. 4, f. 244	Sermon: II Timothy 3:6	
b. 4, f. 245	Sermon: I John 4:18	
b. 4, f. 246	Miscellaneous notes and fragments	
b. 5, f. 247-251reel 1U	Journal of Travels in Europe This material has been microfilmed. Patrons must use HM 234 instead of the originals.	1836 June 10 - 1839 August 6
b. 6, f. 252	Ms notes of Bopp's published <i>Interpretation of the Fragments</i> by Lassen in <i>Anthologia Sanscritta</i> 76pp.	1839
b. 6, f. 253	notes of lectures by Professor Bopp on Greek and Latin Etymology with Reference to the Sanscrit	1839
b. 6, f. 254	noten zu Vorträgen des Herrn Prof. Bopp über Sansc. - Gram. u einige Gesänge des Nalus	1838-1839
b. 6, f. 255	noten zu Vorträgen des Herrn Prof. Bopp über das Diluvium etc. und den Hitopadesa	1838-1839
b. 6, f. 256	notes on Arabic and Semitic Culture and History	
<u>Special Files</u>		
b. 6, f. 257-259	Legal Documents and Financial Papers	
b. 6, f. 260	Documents and Copies of Documents relative to the Salisbury Professorship	
b. 6, f. 261	William Dwight Whitney Memorial Material (Printed)	
	Diploma from Harvard University See: <a href="#">Folio 24</a>	1886

**Series II: Genealogies**

Series II, Genealogies, also includes some oversize materials in boxes 16-23 which are shelved at the end of the collection. A separate listing for oversize materials is on page 25.

## Scrapbooks

b. 7, f. 1	Diodati genealogy
b. 7, f. 2	Griswold genealogy
b. 8, f. 3	Salisbury "Family Memorials"
b. 8a, f. 4	McCurdy "Family Histories and Genealogies"
b. 9, f. 5	McCurdy "Family Histories and Genealogies"
b. 9, f. 6	Extracts copied from genealogies, clippings, etc.
b. 10, f. 7-9	Miscellaneous genealogical material

**Series III: Family Papers, 1753-1865***(4 boxes)*

b. 11, f. 1	Breese, Elizabeth -- Diary fragments	1806-1824
b. 11, f. 2	Chevalier, Peter -- ALS to Mrs. Shippen	1772
b. 11, f. 3	Gerry, Thomas -- ALS to Martha Salisbury	1759 October 1
b. 11, f. 4	Quincy, Edmund -- Two letters from	1756, 1757
Salisbury, Abigail Breese (Correspondence of)		
b. 11, f. 5	Alcott, A. May	[1825]
b. 11, f. 6	Austin, Sarah	1848, 1861
b. 11, f. 7	Bayard, A.M.	undated
b. 11, f. 8	Breese, Catherine Hallett	1844
b. 11, f. 9	Breese, F.H.	1851
b. 11, f. 10	Breese, Fanny [Francis Helen?]	1843
b. 11, f. 11	Breese, Helen	1842
b. 11, f. 12	Breese, Samuel	1855
b. 11, f. 13	Breese, Samuel Sidney	1844-1848
b. 11, f. 14	Breisel, J. Salisbury	1847
b. 11, f. 15	Browne, Mary Andrews	undated
b. 11, f. 16	Cleveland, Abby (Salisbury)	[ca. 1804 1808]
b. 11, f. 17	Cutler, Francis Gallagher	1858-1859, undated
b. 11, f. 18	Davenport, Elizabeth Sewall Leverett	1848
b. 11, f. 19	Davis, Mary D.	1864
b. 11, f. 20	Emerson, G.B.	1828
b. 11, f. 21	Gallagher, Joseph Steele	1858
b. 11, f. 22	Graves, Catherine Hallett Breese	1859, 1863
b. 11, f. 23	Hazard, Samuel	1799, 1854-1855
b. 11, f. 24	Higginson, E.	1826, 1829
b. 11, f. 25	Higginson, Louise	1834, undated
b. 11, f. 26	Higginson, M.L.	1826
b. 11, f. 27	Hodge, Dr. [ <u>underline</u> ]	1861

## Salisbury, Abigail Breese (Correspondence of) (continued)

b. 11, f. 28	Johnson, Sarah W.	undated
b. 11, f. 29	Joy, B.	1826-1836, undated
b. 11, f. 30	Keith, E.S.	[1840]
b. 11, f. 31	Lind, Susan W.	1843-1852
b. 11, f. 32	McClellan, R.L.	1864
b. 11, f. 33	Morse, Richard Cary	1857, 1861
b. 11, f. 34	Morse, Samuel Finley Breese	1838-1855
b. 11, f. 35	Morse, Sidney Edwards	1858-1861
b. 11, f. 36	Norton, E.C.	1860
b. 11, f. 37	Norton, John T.	1860
b. 11, f. 38	Packard, Susan Breese Gallagher	1861-1865
b. 11, f. 39	Platt, Sarah	1855
b. 11, f. 40	Pond, Enoch	1850
b. 11, f. 41	Phillips, Martha S.	1829
b. 11, f. 42	Proal, Susan B.	1861
b. 11, f. 43	Phillips, Rebecca Waldo (Salisbury)	[pre-1805?]- 1827
b. 11, f. 43	Salisbury, Abigail Breese (Correspondence of)	
b. 11, f. 43a	Quincy, Anna	1849
b. 11, f. 44	Redfield, George Snowden	1863
b. 11, f. 45	Rockwood, A.A.	1861
b. 11, f. 45a	Salisbury, Abigail Salisbury Phillips	1838-1842
b. 11, f. 45b	Salisbury, Edward Elbridge	1833-1843
b. 11, f. 46	Salisbury, Elizabeth Tuckerman	1829-1833
b. 11, f. 47	Salisbury, Nancy	1849
b. 11, f. 48	Salisbury, Rebecca	1848, 1855
b. 11, f. 49	Salisbury, Stephen, Jr.	1826, 1829
b. 11, f. 50	Sands, Catherine Livingston	1848
b. 11, f. 51	Sands, Elizabeth	1848, 1861
b. 11, f. 52	Smith, Edward	1861

## Salisbury, Abigail Breese (Correspondence of) (continued)

b. 11, f. 53	Snow, S.M.	[1826?]
b. 11, f. 54	Snow, R.W.	1826-1844
b. 11, f. 55	Snowden, Arthur Henry	1860
b. 11, f. 56	Snowden, Ebenezer Hazard	1848
b. 11, f. 57	Snowden, Robert Bayard	1864
b. 11, f. 58	Snowden, Samuel Breese	1824, 1851
b. 11, f. 59	Snowden, Samuel Finley	1842
b. 11, f. 60	Snowden, Susan Bayard	1842, 1848
b. 11, f. 60a	Sohier, William Davies	1842
b. 11, f. 61	Stevens, Breese	1861
b. 11, f. 62	Stevens, Elizabeth	1848-1863
b. 11, f. 63	Stoddard, D.J.	1850
b. 11, f. 64	Tappen, Frances	1861
b. 11, f. 65	Tappan, John	1835-1855
b. 11, f. 66	Vermilye, Elizabeth Breese	1848, 1859
b. 11, f. 67	Walker, Sarah Ann	1849
b. 11, f. 68	Walker, Thomas Read	1857
b. 11, f. 69	Walley, S.H.	1826
b. 11, f. 70	Wayland, H.L.	1861
b. 11, f. 71	Wisner, B.B.	1826
b. 11, f. 71a	Woolsey, Elizabeth Martha Salisbury	1833-1846
b. 11, f. 71b	Woolsey, Theodore Dwight	1846
b. 11, f. 72	Miscellaneous and Unidentified correspondence	1857, undated
b. 11, f. 73	Commonplace Book (notes from Mosheim's Church History)	1792
b. 11, f. 74	Drawings	
b. 11, f. 75	Salisbury, Josiah (1734-1761) Business letters received	1756-1760
Salisbury, Josiah (1781-1826) (Correspondence of)		
b. 11, f. 76	[note from E.E. Salisbury] English	1880 March 15
b. 11, f. 77	Anderson, R.	1825
b. 11, f. 78	Blanchard, Elizabeth	1819

## Salisbury, Josiah (1781-1826) (Correspondence of) (continued)

b. 11, f. 79	Breese, Arthur	1821-1825
b. 12, f. 80	Breese, Elizabeth	1810, 1825
b. 12, f. 81	Breese, Samuel Livingston	1821
b. 12, f. 82	Breese, Samuel Sidney	1817-1823, undated
b. 12, f. 83	Breese, Sidney	1821
Salisbury, Josiah (Correspondence of)		
b. 12, f. 84	Brooks, C.	1819
b. 12, f. 85	Codman, John	1824
b. 12, f. 86	Dwight, Louis	1825
b. 12, f. 87Fa	Farlan, Patrick M.	1825
b. 12, f. 88	Frothingham, N.L.	1823
b. 12, f. 89	Gallison, J.	1819
b. 12, f. 90	Green, Benjamin	1801, 1803
b. 12, f. 91	Hazard, Ebenezer	1815
b. 12, f. 92	Hazard, Erskine	1820
b. 12, f. 93	Henry, Symmes C.	1820
b. 12, f. 94	Higginson, Stephen	1801-1802, 1822
b. 12, f. 95	Gomes, H.	1824
b. 12, f. 96	Jenks, William	1822
b. 12, f. 97	Leverett, John	1814-1815
b. 12, f. 98	Miller, Samuel	1809, 1820
b. 12, f. 99	Morse, J.	1815, 1819
b. 12, f. 100	Rockwood, Daniel	1819
b. 12, f. 101	Rockwood, E.B.	1819-1820
b. 12, f. 102	Rockwood, Ebenezer	1825
b. 12, f. 103	Ropes, William	1824
b. 12, f. 104	Salisbury, Abigail Breese	1812-1817
b. 12, f. 105	Salisbury, Rebecca	1796-1802
b. 12, f. 106	Salisbury, Samuel	1800-1816
b. 12, f. 107	Salisbury, Samuel, Jr.	1799, 1812

## Salisbury, Josiah (Correspondence of) (continued)

b. 12, f. 108-117	Salisbury, Stephen	1794-1826
b. 13, f. 118	Salisbury, Stephen, Jr.	1819-1826
b. 13, f. 119	Sewall, S.	1823
b. 13, f. 120	Snowden, S.F.	1824
b. 13, f. 121	Storrs, R.L.	1823
b. 13, f. 122	Stuart, Moses	1815, undated
b. 13, f. 123	Thacher, P.D.	1823
b. 13, f. 124	Waldo, Daniel	1819, 1821
b. 13, f. 125	Waldo, Sarah (and Rebecca)	1819
b. 13, f. 126	Walley, S.H.	[1820?]
b. 13, f. 127	Wisner, B.B.	1822-1825, undated
b. 13, f. 128	Woods, Leonard	1819-1821
b. 13, f. 129	Miscellaneous and unidentified	1819-1825
b. 13, f. 130	notes of foreign travel	1800-1802
b. 13, f. 131	Sermon fragments	
b. 13, f. 132	Salisbury, Martha -- Drawing	
b. 13, f. 133	Salisbury, Samuel -- Correspondence	1818
b. 13, f. 133-145	Salisbury, Samuel and Stephen	1771-1787, 1789-1806
b. 13, f. 146	Sewall, Joseph -- Letter from	1753
b. 13, f. 147	Tappen, John -- Letter from	1818
b. 13, f. 148	Waldo, Sarah -- Letter from	1826
b. 13, f. 149	Salisbury Family -- Miscellaneous	
b. 14, f. 150	Salisbury, Rebecca -- 6 scrapbooks containing miscellaneous writings and clippings - mainly on the subject of numismatics	
b. 15, f. 150	Salisbury, Edward Elbridge -- Family-memorials. A series of genealogical and biographical monographs on the families of Salisbury, Aldworth-Elbridge, Sewall, Pyldren-Dummer, Walley, Quincy, Gookin, Wendell, Breese, Chevalier-Anderson, and Phillips. With fifteen pedigrees and an appendix. New Haven, Privately Printed, 1885. 696 p. Flyleaf inscription: Mary S. Gillette in memory of the author 1903 Mar; from Evelyn McCurdy Salisbury. Half-title: In one volume-second half.	

Three volumes of engravings (portraits, architectural and landscape scenes).  
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b. 16	Memorial volume on Judge McCurdy [scrapbook]	
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b. 19	"Somerset Collection of Salisbury Pedigrees" English	
b. 20	"Genealogical Collections" [volumes 1 and 2] English	

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b. 21	Engravings [three volumes of portraits, architectural and landscape scenes]	
b. 22	Engravings [three volumes of portraits, architectural and landscape scenes]	
b. 23	Engravings [three volumes of portraits, architectural and landscape scenes]	

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b. 24	Diploma from Harvard University	1886
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Buckingham, Samuel G. (Samuel Giles),  
1812-1898  
Carpenter, F. B. (Francis Bicknell), 1830-1900  
Dana, James Dwight, 1813-1895  
Dwight, Timothy, 1828-1916  
Eaton, D. Cady (Daniel Cady), 1837-1912  
Eliot, Charles William, 1834-1926  
Gilman, Daniel C. (Daniel Coit), 1831-1908  
Holmes, Oliver Wendell, 1809-1894  
Hoppin, J. M. (James Mason), 1820-1906  
Mitchell, Donald Grant, 1822-1908  
Morse, Samuel Finley Breese, 1791-1872  
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Salisbury, Samuel, 1739-1818  
Salisbury, Stephen, 1746-1829  
Seymour, Thomas D. (Thomas Day), 1848-1907  
Silliman, Benjamin, 1816-1885  
Thacher, Thomas Anthony, 1815-1886  
Trumbull, J. Hammond (James Hammond),  
1821-1897  
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Winson, Justin, 1831-1897  
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