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**SUMMARY:** The papers consist of letters written to Packer from fellow teachers, family, and business associates, plus financial, legal, and miscellaneous papers. The correspondence covers the years 1851-1858, when Packer was teaching school in West Mystic, Connecticut; Brandon, Mississippi; and Mystic Bridge, Connecticut. The letters contain news about teaching, discussions of spiritual and intellectual concerns, and remarks about places visited.

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## Scope and Contents

The Thomas E. Packer Papers, 1833-1864, consist of letters that Packer received and drafts or copies of a few letters that he wrote. In this period he taught school in Portersville (now West Mystic), Connecticut (1851-1852), Brandon, Mississippi (1852-1853), and Mystic Bridge, Connecticut (1853-), and he may have sold books and pens or merely supplied them to his pupils. His most frequent correspondents were fellow teachers: William Henry Potter (Y. 1840), who was principal of a college or academy in Brandon, Mississippi; Dudley A. Avery, who taught in Mystic Bridge, Connecticut, and Lyme, Ohio; Joseph H. Rindge, who taught in Mystic River, Connecticut; Andrew J. Welles, who taught in East Hartford and Glastonbury, Connecticut; and J. W. Eddy, who taught in Brandon, Mississippi, and West Haven and Fair Haven, Connecticut. Their letters contain news about teaching, discussions of spiritual and intellectual concerns, and occasional remarks about the places in which they lived. Packer's other principal correspondents were his friend Orlando Brown (1827-1904; Y. 1851m), his brother Freemasons, his Packer and Burrows relations, the companies that supplied him with pens and publications, and various people who advised him on settling his father's estate.

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b. 1, f. 6	Thomas Avery to Thomas Packer	1856 November 2
b. 1, f. 6	R. J. Wilson to Thomas Packer	1856 November 10
b. 1, f. 6	A. E. Harmon to Thomas Packer	1856 November 19
b. 1, f. 6	Warren Beebe to Thomas Packer	1856 November 28
b. 1, f. 6	Dawson, Warren & Hyde to Thomas Packer	1856 December 14
b. 1, f. 6	A.E. Harmon to Thomas Packer	1856 December 26
b. 1, f. 7	Nelson Burrows to Thomas Packer	1857 January 10
b. 1, f. 7	T.D. Avery to Thomas Packer	1857 February 22
b. 1, f. 7	Dudley A. Avery to Thomas Packer	1857 March 28
b. 1, f. 7	W. Fish to Thomas Packer	1857 April 10
b. 1, f. 7	Dudley A. Avery to Thomas Packer	1857 June 19
	Dawson, Warren & Hyde to Thomas Packer	1857 June 19
b. 1, f. 7	Brother Parsons to Thomas Packer	1857 June 23
b. 1, f. 7	A.E. Harmon to Thomas Packer	1857 June 25
b. 1, f. 7	Dawson, Warren & Hyde to Thomas Packer	1857 July 11
b. 1, f. 7	Warren, Ludden & Sollace to Thomas Packer	1857 July 13
b. 1, f. 7	A.E. Harmon to Thomas Packer	1857 June 20
b. 1, f. 7	Dawson, Warren & Hyde to Thomas Packer	1857 August 14
b. 1, f. 7	Warren, Ludden & Sollace to Thomas Packer	1857 August 14, 17
b. 1, f. 7	A.E. Harmon to Thomas Packer	1857 August 18
b. 1, f. 7	Dawson, Warren & Hyde to Thomas Packer	1857 August 20



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b. 1, f. 7	Dawson, Warren & Hyde to Thomas Packer	1857 August 31, September 7
b. 1, f. 7	J.W. Eddy to Thomas Packer	1857 September 12
b. 1, f. 7	R. Goodale to Thomas Packer	1857 September 21
b. 1, f. 7	Dawson, Warren & Hyde to Thomas Packer	1857 October 2
b. 1, f. 7	A.E. Harmon to Thomas Packer	1857 October 6
b. 1, f. 7	Dawson, Warren & Hyde to Thomas Packer	1857 October 15
b. 1, f. 7	William Cathcart to Thomas Packer	1857 October 23
b. 1, f. 7	Warren, Ludden & Sollace to Thomas Packer	1857 October 30
b. 1, f. 7	R. Goodale to Thomas Packer	1857 November 11
b. 1, f. 7	A.E. Harmon to Thomas Packer	1857 November 13
b. 1, f. 7	R. Goodale to Thomas Packer	1857 November 27, December 26
b. 1, f. 8	R. Goodale to Thomas Packer	1858 January 5
b. 1, f. 8	A.E. Harmon to Thomas Packer	1858 January 8
b. 1, f. 8	R. Goodale to Thomas Packer	1858 February 3
b. 1, f. 8	A.E. Harmon to Thomas Packer	1858 February 11
b. 1, f. 8	J.A. Cotton to Thomas Packer	1858 April 9, 27, May 18
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