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## Arrangement

The collection is arranged in two series: I. Civil War collections, 1836-1960. II. Civil War manuscripts, 1861-1902.

## Collection Contents

### Series I: Civil War collections, 1836-1960, bulk 1836–1865

Series I, Civil War collections, consists of materials centered around or collected by a specific person or family, primarily in the form of copious correspondence and diaries. *Battles and Leaders of the Civil War*, a six volume work of letters, documents, and photographs, is included in this series.

Material is arranged alphabetically by personal name, family name, or subject.

	Baldwin, Neilson Abeel (1839-1906) Contains correspondence (originals and typed copies), 1862-1865, printed materials, photographs, and memorabilia.	
b. 1, f. 1-2	Correspondence	1862 November 1-1865 October 14, undated
b. 1, f. 3	Printed material and memorabilia	
b. 1, f. 4	Correspondence (duplicates of typed copies)	
	Bartlett, Charles Griswold (1848-1912) Consists of seven typed manuscripts signed, autograph manuscript signed and articles on various Civil War battles.	
b. 2, f. 1	"Chancellorsville," "Battle of Antietam" English	Undated
b. 2, f. 2	"Fredericksburg," "Battle of Gettysburg" English	Undated
b. 2, f. 3	"Peninsular Campaign" English	Undated
b. 2, f. 4	"Pope's Campaign" English	Undated
b. 2, f. 5	"Valor" English	Undated
	<i>Battles and Leaders of the Civil War</i> , edited by Robert Underwood Johnson and Clarence Clough Buel of <i>Century Magazine</i> This work was extended from four to six volumes by the insertion of three hundred portraits and one hundred autograph letters and documents. Letters and documents include the correspondent's name, the type of document, the date of the document and the page number within the volume.	
	Volume 1	
b. 3	<a href="#">Lincoln, Abraham (1809-1865), letter signed, p. viii</a>	1860 October 19
b. 3	Scott, Winfield (1786-1866), autograph letter signed, p. 12	1854 March 14
b. 3	Buchanan, James (1791-1868), autograph letter signed, p. 18	1857 February 17
b. 3	Davis, Jefferson (1808-1889), autograph letter signed, p. 100	1855 July 11

## Battles and Leaders of the Civil War , edited by Robert Underwoo [...] &gt; Volume 1 (continued)

b. 3	Stephens, Alexander Hamilton (1812-1883), autograph letter signed, p. 102	1868 February 13
b. 3	Memminger, Christopher Gustavus (1803-1888), autograph letter signed, p. 108	1879 October 25
b. 3	Dix, John Adams (1798-1879), autograph letter signed, p. 148	1871 February 15
b. 3	Cameron, Simon (1799-1889), autograph letter signed, p. 168	1860 April 11
b. 3	McDowell, Irvin (1818-1885), letter signed, p. 170	1846 September 25
b. 3	Patterson, Robert (1792-1881), autograph letter signed, p. 172	1869 April 15
b. 3	Baldwin, John Brown (1820-1873), autograph letter signed, p. 260	1870 April 25
b. 3	Thomas, Lorenzo (1805-1875), letter signed, p. 384	1844 October 29
b. 3	Zollicoffer, Felix Kirk (1812-1862), autograph letter signed, p. 388	1846 August 21
b. 3	Buckner, Simon Bolivar (1823-1914), autograph letter signed, p. 418	1883 June 6
b. 3	Pillow, Gideon Johnson (1807-1878), autograph letter signed, p. 426	1874 December 18
b. 3	Larned, B. F., autograph letter signed, p. 428	1836 December 6
b. 3	Hamilton, Schuyler (1822-1903), autograph letter signed, p. 462	1886 January 13
Volume 2		
b. 3	Grant, Ulysses Simpson (1822-1885), autograph letter signed, p. 488	1864 December 10
b. 3	Force, Manning Ferguson (1824-1899), autograph letter signed, p. 516	1892 February 8
b. 3	Nelson, William (1824-1862), autograph letter signed, p. 524	Undated
b. 3	Sherman, Thomas West (1813-1879), autograph document signed, p. 672	1840 January 20
b. 3	Cullum, George Washington (1809-1892), autograph letter signed, p. 674	1872 June 19
b. 3	Porter, David Dixon (1813-1891), autograph letter signed, p. 22	1865 June 6
b. 3	Butler, Benjamin Franklin (1818-1893), autograph letter signed, p. 54	1858 October 20
b. 3	Bailey, Theodorus (1805-1877), autograph letter signed, p. 92	1868 January 25
b. 3	Seward, William Henry (1801-1872), autograph letter signed, p. 114	1841 December 22
b. 3	Sumner, Charles (1811-1874), autograph letter signed, p. 132	1853 October 12
b. 3	McClellan, George Brinton (1826-1885), autograph letter signed, p. 160	1882 [May ?] 22

## Battles and Leaders of the Civil War , edited by Robert Underwoo [...] &gt; Volume 2 (continued)

b. 3	Stanton, Edwin McMasters (1814-1869), document signed, p. 162	1864 January 23
b. 3	Slocum, Henry Warner (1827-1894), autograph letter signed, p. 182	1867 June 28
b. 3	Barry, William Farquhar (1819-1879), autograph letter signed, p. 200	1874 November 13
b. 3	Rains, Gabriel Jones (1803-1881), document signed, p. 230	1844 April 13
b. 3	Howard, Oliver Otis (1830-1909), autograph letter signed, p. 252	1881 October 21
Volume 3		
b. 4	Porter, Fitz-John (1822-1901), autograph letter signed, p. 330	1869 February 5
b. 4	Franklin, William Buel (1823-1903), autograph letter signed, p. 376	1880 March 4
b. 4	Hunt, Henry Jackson (1819-1889), autograph letter signed, p. 408	1885 July 30
b. 4	Pope, John (1822-1892), autograph letter signed, p. 450	1867 February 3
b. 4	Sigel, Franz (1824-1902), autograph letter signed, p. 470	1862 April 19
b. 4	Sykes, George (1822-1880), autograph letter signed, p. 482	1864 March 1
b. 4	Longstreet, James (1821-1904), autograph letter signed, p. 526	1871 January 11
b. 4	Banks, Nathaniel Prentiss (1816-1894), autograph letter signed, p. 540	1856 November 7
b. 4	Hayes, Rutherford Birchard (1822-1893), autograph note signed, p. 590	1880 March 15
b. 4	McLaws, Lafayette (1821-1897), autograph letter signed, p. 594	1869 February 24
b. 4	Cobb, Howell (1815-1868), autograph letter signed, p. 596	1848 March 6
b. 4	Johnson, Bradley Tyler (1829-1903), autograph letter signed, p. 614	1888 August 20
b. 4	Patrick, Marsena Rudolph (1811-1888), autograph letter signed, p. 638	1869 August 10
b. 4	Lee, Robert Edward (1807-1870), letter signed, p. 662	1869 May 5
b. 4	Hitchcock, Ethan Allan (1835-1909), autograph letter signed, p. 696	1865 November 28
b. 4	Buell, Don Carlos (1818-1898), autograph letter signed, p. 700	1844 August 17
b. 4	Ducat, Arthur Charles (1830 -1896), autograph letter signed, p. 746	1875 January 23
Volume 4		
b. 4	Kirby-Smith, Edmund (1824-1893), autograph letter signed, p. 12	1884 March 2
b. 4	Gilbert, Charles Champion (1822-1903), autograph letter signed, p. 52	1898 March 9
b. 4	Carter, Samuel Powhatan (1819-1891), autograph letter signed, p. 62	1891 April 23
b. 4	Burnside, Ambrose Everett (1824-1881), autograph letter signed, p. 108	1866 December 29

## Battles and Leaders of the Civil War , edited by Robert Underwoo [...] &gt; Volume 4 (continued)

b. 4	Meagher, Thomas Francis (1823-1867), autograph letter signed, p. 110	1885 October 26
b. 4	Hooker, Joseph (1814-1879), document signed, p. 160	1848 July 10
b. 4	Jackson, Thomas Jonathan "Stonewall" (1824-1863), document signed, p. 204	1848 July 10
b. 4	Cochrane, John (1813-1898), autograph letter signed, p. 216	1879 June 8
b. 4	Chase, Salmon Portland (1808-1873), autograph letter signed, p. 240	1868 August 24
b. 4	Butterfield, Daniel (1831-1901), autograph letter signed, p. 242	1889 May 12
b. 4	Meade, George Gordon (1815-1872), autograph letter signed, p. 256	1861 March 4
b. 4	Hampton, Wade (1818-1902), autograph letter signed, p. 270	1889 May 5
b. 4	Doubleday, Abner (1819-1893), autograph letter signed, p. 278	1888 September 3
b. 4	Hancock, Winfield Scott (1824-1886), autograph letter signed, p. 286	1883 January 30
b. 4	Sickles, Daniel Edgar (1825-1914), autograph letter signed, p. 296	Undated
b. 4	Chamberlain, Joshua Lawrence (1828-1914), autograph letter signed, p. 314	1883 February 17
b. 4	Garnett, Richard Brooke (1819-1863), autograph letter signed, p. 346	1847 January 18
b. 4	Bingham, John Armor (1815-1900), autograph letter signed, p. 372	1872 February 29
b. 4	Lee, Stephen Dill (1833-1908), autograph letter signed, p. 466	1866 July 24
Volume 5		
b. 5	Pemberton, John Clifford (1814-1881), autograph letter signed, p. 544	1870 September 25
b. 5	Taylor, Richard (1826-1879), autograph letter signed, p. 590	1866 December 26
b. 5	Augur, Christopher Columbus (1821-1898), autograph letter signed, p. 592	1877 May 14
b. 5	Bragg, Braxton (1817-1876), autograph letter signed, p. 600	1867 November 18
b. 5	Johnson, Richard W. (1827-1897), autograph letter signed, p. 618	1880 April 15
b. 5	Hardee, William Joseph (1815-1873), document signed, p. 622	1848 February 15
b. 5	Rosecrans, William Starke (1819-1898), autograph letter signed, p. 626	1885 February 4
b. 5	Walthall, Edward Cary (1831-1898), autograph letter signed, p. 654	1879 July 11
b. 5	Dana, Charles Anderson (1819-1897), autograph letter signed, p. 714	1888 May 24
b. 5	Beauregard, Pierre Gustave Toutant (1818-1893), letter signed, p. 2 (in volume 4 originally)	1866 April 4



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b. 5	Welles, Gideon (1802-1878), letter signed, p. 40	1865 April 18
b. 5	Meigs, Montgomery Cunningham (1816-1892), letter signed, p. 106	1864 January 14
b. 5	Barnard, John Gross (1815-1882), autograph letter signed, p. 114	1869 August 21
b. 5	Rodenbough, Theophilus Francis (1838-1912), autograph letter signed, p. 188	1870 September 18
b. 5	Hawley, Joseph Roswell (1826-1905), autograph letter signed, p. 208	1877 March 27
b. 5	Johnston, Joseph Eggleston (1807-1891), autograph letter signed, p. 260	1866 February 16
Volume 6		
b. 5	Harrison, Benjamin (1833-1901), autograph note signed, p. 300	1885 January 6
b. 5	Polk, Leonidas (1806-1864), autograph note signed, p. 308	1864 January 9
b. 5	Corse, John Murry (1835-1893), autograph letter signed, p. 322	1871 May 4
b. 5	Hood, John Bell (1831-1879), autograph letter signed, p. 326	1866 June 20
b. 5	Smith, Thomas Kilby (1820-1887), autograph letter signed, p. 350	1866 June 4
b. 5	Marmaduke, John Sappington (1833-1887), autograph letter signed, p. 374	1865 July 20
b. 5	Farragut, David Glasgow (1801-1870), document signed, p. 378	1864 March 26
b. 5	Smith, William Sooy (1830-1916), autograph letter signed, p. 416	1864 January 3
b. 5	Early, Jubal Anderson (1816-1894), autograph letter signed, p. 492	1883 March 21
b. 5	Sheridan, Philip Henry (1831-1888), autograph letter signed, p. 506	1869 July 14
b. 5	Preble, George Henry (1816-1885), autograph letter signed, p. 594	1871 November 2
b. 5	Barron, Samuel (1809-1888), autograph letter signed, p. 596	1880 March 8
b. 5	Sherman, William Tecumsah (1820-1891), autograph letter signed, p. 662	1879 August 26
b. 5	Wilson, James Harrison (1837-1925), autograph letter signed, p. 758	1888 October 15

## Blaisdell family

Consists of 109 items. 52 autograph letters signed from Hiram Blaisdell to his wife, Betsy, regarding his military life and services as a private in Battery A, 3rd New York Artillery; also 49 autograph letters signed from Betsy to Hiram concerning conditions at home [Martville, Cayuga County, New York]; also 8 autograph letters signed from various other members of the Blaisdell family, including William and Melino Blaisdell (Hiram's brothers), Celenda Hancock (Betsy's aunt), Lydia T. Beebe (Hiram's aunt), Roxanna Blaisdell (Hiram's sister), and Milo D. Eldridge (relation unknown).

Hiram Blaisdell entered the 3rd New York Artillery at Auburn, New York, in September 1864; a month later he was sent to New Bern, North Carolina, where he remained almost the whole of his one year term of enlistment. An unusually homesick soldier, Hiram filled his letters with poignant regrets that he could not

## Blaisdell family (continued)

be at his wife's side and with much sober advice on how she was to conduct their farm during his absence. Aside from complaining of the hardships and dullness of camp life, Hiram made few observations on the war, except to anticipate a rapid peace and his return home. He does, however, give some news as to the number of rebels deserting to the Union lines.

The dull routine of camp life is broken twice--in February (1865), Hiram went on a raid and the following month (March) he participated in the hotly contested battle at Kinston, North Carolina. [Note: he gives a very good description of the effectiveness of artillery against the Confederates.] Shortly after the Battle of Kinston, Hiram succumbs to diarrhea and spends the rest of his enlistment in the LeNoir General Hospital.

Betsy's letters give a very detailed picture of life for those back home in Martville, Cayuga County, New York. She describes the hardships and loneliness of a childless wife on an isolated farm; the terrible snowstorms of upstate New York; the lack of funds and difficulty of bringing in crops; lack of help from neighbors, etc.

b. 6, f. 1-6	Betsy Blaisdell to Hiram Blaisdell	1864 October-1865 May
b. 6, f. 7-14	Hiram Blaisdell to Betsy Blaisdell	1864 September-1865 Jun, undated
b. 6, f. 15	Blaisdell family (miscellaneous)	1864-1865
	Carpenter, Arthur B.	
	Arthur B. Carpenter served as a sergeant and later as an officer in the Union Army, 19th Infantry Regiment during the Civil War. The letters, mainly to his parents in Monson, Massachusetts, give war news, battle descriptions, comments on army life and politics, camp routine, civilians with whom he came in contact, military leaders, politics, religion, Negro emancipation, and details of the contemporary scene, as well as descriptions of the countryside through which he passed.	
b. 7, f. 1	Arrival at Indianapolis, starting in business and foreboding of war	1860
b. 7, f. 2	Engraving of North Western Christian University on letter; impressions of Hoosiers; local reactions toward Civil War	1861
b. 7, f. 3	<a href="#">Photo of Arthur B. Carpenter as a sergeant (signed); Battle of Pittsburgh Landing (Shiloh Church, Tennessee); problems with guerillas; skirmishes along picket lines; Confederate evacuation of Corinth, Mississippi; description of convalescent barracks; honorable discharge as sergeant; commission as second lieutenant</a>	1862
b. 7, f. 4	Account of five-day battle around Stone River near Murfreesboro, Tennessee	1863 January-April
b. 7, f. 5	Charge on Confederates at Hoover's Gap near Tullahoma, Tennessee; skirmishes on the march and "restless activity" around Murfreesboro, Tennessee	1863 May-August
b. 7, f. 6	Driving Confederates toward Chattanooga, Tennessee; Battle of Chickamauga, Georgia; retreat to Chattanooga	1863 September-December

## Carpenter, Arthur B. (continued)

b. 7, f. 7	Establishment of National Cemetery by General G. H. Thomas; problems of supply; skirmish on Tunnel Hill, Tennessee; Battle of Resaca, Georgia; account of action at Kennesaw Mountain, Georgia	1864 January-June
b. 7, f. 8	March on and occupation of Atlanta, Georgia; fighting along railroads and in trenches; descriptions of Confederate fortifications; notes on Sherman's drive through the South	1864 July-December
b. 7, f. 9	Routine and problems of recruiting officers; promotion to captain by Brevet; signature of Secretary of War Edwin M. Stanton; comments on Copperheads and War with Mexico	1865-1866
Connecticut Infantry. 9th Regiment Consists of 4 manuscript record books of Company E of the 9th Connecticut Infantry.		
b. 8, f. 1	Order book	1861-1863
b. 8, f. 2	Morning reports	1861 November-1863 October
b. 8, f. 3-4	Clothing books	1861-1864
b. 9	Dana, Charles A. (1819-1897): <i>Recollections of the Civil War; with the leaders at Washington and in the field in the sixties</i> ; by Charles Anderson Dana, New York: D. Appleton and Company, 1898, xiii, 296 p. front. (port) 21 1/2 cm. Bound in are 12 autograph letters and numerous engraved portraits of prominent Americans.	1898
b. 9	Boutwell, George Sewel (1818-1905). Letter signed to Isaac S. Stewart [Special Treasury Agent] approving his request for a thirty day leave of absence. 1 page, Washington, DC, facing p. 12.	1872 July 3
b. 9	Dana, Charles Anderson (1819-1897). Autograph letter signed to Edwin Denison Morgan supporting Merrill Foote's request for a commission as a second lieutenant "in one of the new [NY] regiments of volunteers." At time of writing Foote was a member of Company D, 51st NY Regiment. 2 pages, New York City, following title page.	1862 August 20
b. 9	Fremont, John Charles (1813-1890). Autograph letter signed to an unidentified correspondent requesting his Washington, DC address. 1 page, New York City, facing page 7.	1889 November 25
b. 9	Hammond, William Alexander (1828-1900). Autograph letter signed to Messrs. Bullock and Crenshaw (Philadelphia druggists) ordering "100 Crusts of Vaccine Virus." 1 page, Washington, DC, facing page 74.	1862 December 13
b. 9	Hazen, William Babcock (1830-1887). Signature cut from letter. No place, facing p. 122.	Undated
b. 9	Hovey, Alvin Peterson (1821-1891). Autograph letter signed to John Collett acknowledging receipt of Collett's "annual report of Indiana Statistics and Geology." 1 page, folio, Mt. Vernon, Indiana, facing p. 216.	1880 December 4
b. 9	Janes, Paul. Letter signed to "Mr. Hazeltine" enclosing a copy of George W. Ross's speech before the Canadian Club of New York. 1 page, folio, New York City, facing p. 262.	1900 May 25

## Dana, Charles A. (1819-1897): Recollections of the Civil War; wi [...] (continued)

b. 9	King, John Lyle. Autograph letter signed (incomplete) to John Alexander Logan recommending William H. Burkhart for a federal judgeship in the Eastern District of Texas. Note by Logan on verso. 1 page, folio, no place, facing p. 96.	Undated
b. 9	Mayer, Brantz (1809-1879). Autograph letter signed to unidentified general promising to send a private report relative to the transfer of army headquarters from Omaha to Council Bluffs, Iowa. 1 page, Lincoln, Nebraska, facing p. 67.	1873 September 8
b. 9	Stanton, Edwin McMasters (1814-1869). Signature cut from letter, no place, facing p. 22.	Undated
b. 9	Welles, Gideon (1802-1878). Autograph letter signed to Andrew Johnson requesting his signature for the naval commission of William L. Low. 1 page, Washington, DC, facing p. 171.	1867 March 13
b. 9	Wilson, James Harrison (1837-1925). Autograph letter signed to Messrs. Winslow and Wilson of New York City complaining about the fact that some of his personal mail was mistakenly sent to the wrong party. 1 page, St. Louis, Missouri, facing p. 62.	1874 August 29
<p>Forbes, Ira Emory Consists of original, typed and photostatic copies of diary from time in Andersonville Military Prison.</p>		
b. 10, f. 1	Diary, autograph manuscript signed	1864 January-December
b. 10, f. 2-5	Diary (typed copy)	1864 January-December
b. 10, f. 6	Diary (photostat)	
<p>Gay, John O. John O. Gay was a soldier from Weymouth, Massachusetts, who volunteered for service around June 1864. His letters to his family during the last year of the war were mostly written from Washington, DC, where he was stationed after November 1864. While not very informative about the war, they convey the character of a religious man with strong family feeling who misses his home and family intensely. There are a few comments on Lincoln's assassination in the letters of April 1865, and some details, in passing, on the day to day life of a soldier. Two letters from his wife, Susan, are also in the collection.</p>		
b. 11, f. 1	Letters written from Fort Ethan Allen	1864 October
b. 11, f. 2	Letters written from the "Potomac River," and from Forts Craig and Reynolds in Washington, DC	1864 November-December
b. 11, f. 3-5	Letters written from Fort Reynolds in Washington, DC	Circa 1865 January-June
b. 11, f. 6	Letters from Susan A. Gay	1865 April-May

## Gile, David Herrick (1836-1898)

David Herrick Gile was a captain in Grant's Army of Tennessee, and aide-de-camp to General James B. McPherson. He participated in the Battles of Vicksburg and Chattanooga, and Sherman's March through Georgia and the March to the Sea. His letters often contain vivid descriptions of army life and some excellent accounts of battles. In addition to the letters, there is a family genealogy, some photographs, and some war memorabilia.

b. 12, f. 1-2	Correspondence A copy of this material is available in digital form from Manuscripts and Archives. Contact Manuscripts and Archives at <a href="mailto:beinecke.library@yale.edu">beinecke.library@yale.edu</a> to request access to the digital copy.	1861-1864
b. 12, f. 3	Photographs, memorabilia, etc.	
b. 12, f. 4	Genealogy of Gile Family	
b. 12, f. 5	Flags, bullet (in case) Flag, Union Jack, silk <a href="#">See: Box 31A</a>	
	Flag, United States, 37 stars, silk <a href="#">See: Box 31A</a>	
Ingalls, William Henry Harrison (1841- )		
Consists of letters, 1861 Nov 29-1864 Mar 9, from Harrison Ingalls of South Westerlo, Albany County, New York, to members of his family while serving with the 91st New York Volunteers in Florida and Louisiana. There are also a series of letters, 1861 Apr 6-1865 Dec 2, from various family members in Michigan, Indiana, and New York to Truman Ingalls (1804-1867), Harrison's father, including letters from other family members serving in the war. These family letters contain many comments and details on war matters, local and family affairs, and domestic economy.		
b. 13, f. 1	<a href="#">Correspondence, Ingalls, William Henry Harrison</a>	1861-1864
b. 13, f. 2	Correspondence, Ingalls family	1861-1865
b. 13, f. 3	Correspondence, Ingalls family, miscellaneous	Undated

James, Edward Christopher (1841-1901)

The papers of Colonel Edward Christopher James consist chiefly of 107 letters written during the period August 22, 1861, to August 5, 1863, while he was with the 106th Volunteers of New York. The letters are addressed to his mother, Lucia Ripley James (1819-1901), and to his father, Amaziah Bailey James (1812-1883), in Ogdensburg, New York. The remainder of the collection includes memorabilia and photographs of family and prominent Civil War figures, many of which were taken by M. S. Brady.

Colonel James served as acting-assistant adjutant-general of the engineer brigade of the New York 50th Volunteers during the winter of 1861-1862 and during the Peninsular Campaign (1862) was aide-de-camp on the staff of General Daniel P. Woodbury, commanding the engineering brigade in the Army of the Potomac. James made an extremely rapid rise in rank from adjutant in 1861 at the age of 20 to the rank of colonel in 1862 at the age of 21. Many of the letters deal with the trials and tribulations of command for so young an officer. Along with reflections on home, honor, and duty, the letters provide a valuable insight into Union Army life as experienced by a most impressionable young man.

b. 14, f. 1	Correspondence, 90 pages	1861 August-December
b. 14, f. 2	Correspondence, 110 pages	1862 February-August
b. 14, f. 3	Correspondence, 76 pages	1862 September-December
b. 14, f. 4	Correspondence, 105 pages	1863 January-August
b. 14, f. 5	Volunteer enlistment and Army commissions, 5 large documents	
	Miscellaneous	
b. 14, f. 6	Printed biographical sketch of E. C. James, 5 pages	
b. 14, f. 6	Printed history of Ogdensburg, New York, during the Civil War, p. 112-167	
b. 14, f. 6	Clipping-Obituary of E. C. James, 1 page	
b. 14, f. 6	Clipping, 1 page	1861 August
b. 14, f. 6	Typescript: description of papers and identification of persons mentioned in the letters, by Mrs. Philip Gray. 4 pages	1960
b. 14, f. 7	<a href="#">Photographs</a> Loose photographs. Small carte-de-visite size. 53 items. Mostly of Civil War leaders.	
b. 14, f. 8	Photograph album Album of 50 small photographs, mostly Civil War leaders, including duplicates of those in folder 7.	

Jarvis, George Cyprian (1834-1901)

Consists of letters, diaries, documents, printed material, clippings, and photographs regarding Dr. Jarvis's service during the war and with the Connecticut Infantry, 7th Regiment.

b. 15, f. 1-2	Correspondence	1861-1865
b. 15, f. 3	Correspondence and fragments	1869-1901, undated
b. 15, f. 4	Diaries (2 volumes)	1864-1865
b. 15, f. 5	Miscellaneous	
b. 15, f. 6	Clippings	
b. 16, f. 1-4	Lusk, William Thompson (1838-1898), correspondence Consists of letters from Lusk to members of his family.	1861 June-1863 Sep, undated
<p>Norman, William F. Consists of letters from Norman to his wife and some miscellaneous items.</p>		
b. 17, f. 1-5	<a href="#">Correspondence</a> <a href="#">See also: Box 31A</a>	1862 April-1864 November
b. 17, f. 6	Correspondence, undated and miscellaneous	Undated
<p>Paddock, Elbridge E. Consists of correspondence, diaries, and other papers, 1862-1866, relating primarily to Paddock's duties as quartermaster with the 1st Regiment of the Connecticut Artillery.</p>		
b. 18, f. 1	Correspondence	1864-1865
b. 18, f. 2	Diaries (2 volumes)	1862 June 7-1863
<p>1st Connecticut Artillery</p>		
b. 18, f. 3	Quartermaster's book	1865-1866
b. 18, f. 4-5	Quartermaster's monthly returns	1865
b. 18, f. 6	Quartermaster's requisitions	1865
b. 18, f. 7	Ration returns	1865
b. 18, f. 8	Miscellaneous blank forms	Undated
b. 19, f. 1	Quartermaster's general orders	1865
b. 19, f. 2	Quartermaster's ration slips	1865

## Parmelee, Henry Spencer (1843-1902)

Henry Spencer Parmelee was the son of Spencer Thomas Parmelee, a New Haven merchant and president of the Fair Haven and Westville Horse Railroad, which was the first street railroad in New Haven. He entered the service as a member of Company B of the 1st Connecticut Cavalry on September 8, 1862, in Bridgeport, Connecticut, and was stationed at Fort Trumbull in New London, Connecticut, for several weeks before being sent to the Baltimore and Washington, DC, areas. He served as an orderly for General Henry S. Briggs of the Army of the Potomac for some time and lost his right hand at the Battle of Saylor's Creek, Virginia.

The correspondence consists of approximately 180 letters between Parmelee and members of his family in New Haven. Much of this correspondence is fairly routine, describing the details of camp and army life and family and social news from home. It would appear from the correspondence that Parmelee did not see much battle action himself, although there is some information on the death of his brother Lewis at Antietam. There is also some correspondence from others who were not members of the family, notably, a few letters from General Briggs.

b. 20, f. 1-12	Correspondence	1862 September-1867 Mar, 1871 Nov, undated
b. 20, f. 13	Military passes, etc.	1863-1866
b. 20, f. 14	Diary notes	1864, undated
b. 20, f. 15	Bills, receipts, etc.	1867, undated
b. 20, f. 16	Miscellaneous	Undated
Porter, Thomas W.		
b. 21, f. 1	Correspondence	1859-1864
b. 21, f. 2-3	Commission and discharge papers, orders, reports, printed material, and other papers	1861-1865, undated
Rhodes, William B.		
b. 22, f. 1	Journal	1861-1864
b. 22, f. 2	Photographs, miscellaneous	1865, undated
Seymour, Thomas Day (1848-1907), collector		1861-1865
Miscellaneous papers collected by Seymour while a member of the Christian Commission in Richmond, Virginia. Eleven reports by field commanders on an engagement in the defense of Richmond between June 28 and July 2, 1862, make up half of the papers. Also included are correspondence and other papers of General John H. Winder relating to his office as provost marshal and commander of the Northern prisons in Richmond. In addition, scattered items of correspondence and official documents from departments of the Confederate States in Richmond, 1862-1865, to and from Jefferson Davis.		
	Reports on the defense of Richmond	1862 June 28- July 2
b. 31, f. 1	Brown, General J. Thompson	1862 July 14



## Seymour, Thomas Day (1848-1907), collector &gt; Reports on the defense of Richmond (continued)

b. 31, f. 2	Cutts, Lieutenant Colonel A. S.	1862 July 12
b. 31, f. 3	Lane, Captain John	1862 July 12
b. 31, f. 4	Massie, Lieutenant John L.	1862 July 12
b. 31, f. 5	Nelson, Major William R. With two reports to Major Nelson	1862 July 12, undated
b. 31, f. 6	Poague, William T.	1862 July 7
b. 31, f. 7	Richardson, Major Charles. Three reports to Major Richardson	1862 July 11, 12
Papers of Major General John H. Winder		
b. 31, f. 8	Correspondence	1861 June 27-1863 June 20, undated
b. 31, f. 9	Criminal records; miscellaneous papers relating to trials and courts-martial	1862 August 28-1863 October 14, undated
Confederate States of America-government documents		
b. 31, f. 10	Army	1862 March 20-1863 June 10, undated
b. 31, f. 11	Department of Justice	1862 March 19
b. 31, f. 12	Navy Department	1863 May 21, 1864 October 6, 1865 January 27
b. 31, f. 13	Senate	1862 March 21
b. 31, f. 14	Treasury Department	1862 February 26, March 22; 1865 January 9
b. 31, f. 15	War Department	1862 March 22; 1864 November 9
b. 31, f. 16	Printed forms	Undated
Davis, Jefferson (1808-1889), President, Confederate States of America		
b. 31, f. 17	Letters of transmittal from the Secretary of War (enclosures missing)	1863 February 28, April 10
	Letters of transmittal of the report of the Post Master general re the Trans-Mississippi Department	1865 February 27
b. 31, f. 17	Trenholm, George A., Autograph letter signed to Jefferson Davis with an estimate for an appropriation	1865 January 28

Seymour, Thomas Day (1848-1907), collector > Confederate States of America-government documents > Davis, Jefferson (1808-1889), President, Confederate States of A [...] (continued)

b. 31, f. 17	Autograph letter signed to the Senate of the Confederate States on the appointment of E. G. Lee to Brigadier General	1865 February 13
Other		
b. 31, f. 18	Appointments and passes	1862 May 16-1863 February 21
b. 31, f. 19	Memorabilia	
Reports of the Battle of Perryville, Kentucky, 1862 Oct 8		
b. 31, f. 20	Field, Colonel H. R.	1862 October 12
b. 31, f. 20	Kelsoe, Major G. W.	1862 October 12
Sharpe, George Henry (1828-1900)		
b. 23, f. 1-2	Letter books (2)	1864 January-May
b. 23, f. 3	Photostat of clipping regarding General Sharpe from <i>Kingston Daily Freeman</i>	1937 June 5
Warren, William H., compiler		
William H. Warren was a soldier in the 17th Regiment, Connecticut Infantry Volunteers. The regiment was organized at Bridgeport, Fairfield County, Connecticut, and was mustered on August 28, 1862. The regiment was mustered out on July 19, 1865, at Hilton Head, Beaufort County, South Carolina.		
b. 24	"William H. Warren's Experience as a Prisoner of War. Captured at Gettysburg, July 1, 1863." typescript English	
b. 24	"The Great Rebellion, A History of the 17th Connecticut Volunteer Infantry from 1862-1866," five volumes English	1863-1865, 1873, 1880, 1882
b. 24	Diaries, one labelled "Gettysburg"	1863-1865
Photographs, loose, of soldiers Arranged alphabetically by last name.		
b. 25	A-D	
b. 25	F-L	
b. 25	M-P	
b. 25	R-T	
b. 25	V-W	
b. 25	Group photographs, memorials, buildings	
b. 25A	Photographs, bound, of soldiers Bound randomly, photographs have identifications on verso, and some may duplicate loose photographs.	

Warren, William H., compiler (continued)

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- b. 26 Scrapbook, clippings regarding the 17th Connecticut Volunteers
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- b. 26 Typed volume: "Letters sent and received from members of the Seventeenth Connecticut Volunteer Regiment, 1873-1890,"
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**Series II: Civil War manuscripts, 1861-1902**

Series II, Civil War manuscripts, consists of small collections of a few items, including not only correspondence, diaries, documents, photographs, and newspapers, but also ephemera, such as poems, patriotic song lyrics, ration slips, flags, and related items. Engravings of members of President Lincoln's Cabinet are included in this series.

Material is arranged alphabetically by personal name, family name, or subject.

b. 27, f. 1	Aley, Dennis	
b. 27, f. 2	Anonymous	
b. 27, f. 3	Antietam, Maryland National Cemetery	
b. 27, f. 4	Arthur, B. F.	
	Barnes, Paul <a href="#">See: Box 31A</a>	1902
b. 27, f. 5	Bowers, Theodore S. (1832-1866)	
b. 27, f. 6	Brewbaker, A.	
b. 27, f. 7	Bristol, Eugene Stuart (1843-1910)	
b. 32, f. 15	Brockway, C. B. correspondence from, to E. H. Little	1861 June 16- September 30
b. 27, f. 8	Butler, Benjamin Franklin (1818-1893)	
b. 27, f. 9	Burnham, Waterman Rufus (1831-) Consists of correspondence (22 items) received by Burnham, a cotton manufacturer and Sunday School teacher from Uncasville, Connecticut, from several of his former students regarding their activities as soldiers in the Federal Army during the Civil War in Virginia, South Carolina, and Florida. Correspondents include Henry T. Phillips (Lieutenant, 21st Regiment, Connecticut Volunteers), George R. Sanders (a negro hospital attendant, 3rd Regiment, Corps d'Afrique), Frederick E. Shalk (Sergeant, Co. E, 14th Regiment, Connecticut Volunteers), Edward Sharp (Private, Co. H, 7th Regiment, Connecticut Volunteers), John E. Sisson (Co. B, 3rd Brigade, 6th Regiment, Connecticut Volunteers), and David Sanders (Private, Co. H, 7th Regiment, Connecticut Volunteers).	
b. 27, f. 10	Cahill, Thomas W.	
b. 27, f. 11	"Cheer for the Banner" English Lyrics for a patriotic song in a program of graduation exercises for an unidentified school during the Civil War period. Includes lyrics for additional patriotic songs and poems, "Columbia, the Land of the Brave" and "Ellsworth's Avengers."	Circa 1865
b. 27, f. 12	Chickahominy River: map	
b. 27, f. 13	Clark, Jonah Francis (d.1863)	
b. 27, f. 14	Conely, William S.	
b. 27, f. 15	Confederate States of America	

b. 27, f. 16	Connecticut Infantry. 15th Regiment	
b. 27, f. 17	Cook, William, "The Bank" Poems about the war with crayon drawings bound in.	
b. 27, f. 18	Cooke, Giles B. (Major, Confederate States of America)	
b. 27, f. 19	Curtice, William	
b. 27, f. 20-23	Dawley, James B., correspondence	1862-1865
b. 27, f. 24	Delaware Infantry. 2nd Regiment, payroll and reports	
b. 27, f. 25	Flint, Henry M.	
b. 27, f. 26	Fox, George	
b. 27, f. 27	French, Samuel Gibbs (1818-1910)	
b. 28, f. 1	Gaffney, P.	
b. 28, f. 2	<a href="#">Geer, Charles Franklin, correspondence</a>	
	Gill family Of the 62 items in this collection, 52 are letters from three brothers, Henry B. Gill, George T. Gill, and William H. Gill, written while serving in the Union Army to their brother, John T. Gill, a dealer in flour and produce in New Haven. There are also a few letters to other members of the family, and some correspondence and documents from others relating to the war. The letters, sent from camps in Virginia, North Carolina, and Florida, discuss camp life, troop movements, the course of the war, provisions for the troops, and the private arrangements for trade made by the brothers who imported goods for resale from New Haven. There are also some fragments of poetry, possibly written by John T. Gill	
b. 28, f. 3	Gill, George T.	1862-1863, 1865, undated
b. 28, f. 4	Gill, Henry B.	1862-1865
b. 28, f. 5	<a href="#">Gill, William H.</a>	1863-1866
b. 28, f. 6	Miscellaneous	1865, 1867, undated
b. 28, f. 7	Gilman, Charles O., power of attorney to vote	
b. 28, f. 8	<a href="#">Glines, Henry C.</a> Correspondence and a three pocket diary, 7th Regiment Connecticut Volunteers.	1861-1863
b. 28, f. 9	Griffith, T. J. R., letter	1862 April 20
b. 28, f. 10	Grosvenor, Samuel E., photocopies of 1864 diary	1864
b. 29, f. 1	Hall, J. C.	
b. 29, f. 2	Harman, Michael G.	
b. 29, f. 3	Harvey, Delia A. P.	

b. 29, f. 4	Higgins, George W.	
b. 29, f. 5	Holden, Thomas M.	
	Hubbard, Robert (1826-1898)	
	Robert Hubbard was a physician and a commissioned surgeon of the 17th Regiment of the Connecticut Infantry (Volunteers) in 1862. The letters are almost all to his wife in Bridgeport, Connecticut, and describe his daily life, comments on the political situation, and on the progress of the war. Of particular interest are his full accounts of the battles of Gettysburg (1863 Jul 1-3), Lookout Mountain (1863 Nov 24), Missionary Ridge (1863 Nov 25), and Ringgold (1863 Nov 27) in which he was active as surgeon to the troops. With the letters are also obituaries and biographical information.	
b. 32, f. 1-7	Correspondence, original	1862 April-1864 January
b. 32, f. 8	Transcriber's notes	
b. 32, f. 9-12	Correspondence, typescript	1862 September-1864 January
b. 32, f. 13	Biographical material	
b. 32, f. 15	Jacoby, W. H. correspondence from, to E. H. Little	1862 November 22
b. 29, f. 6	Jones, Abijah (1813-1863)	
b. 29, f. 7	Keiser, Leonidas	
b. 29, f. 8	Knickerbocker, Ada	
b. 29, f. 9	Leonard, John	
b. 29, f. 10	Lewis, C. A.	
b. 29, f. 11	Lewis, S. N.	
b. 29, f. 12	[Lincoln, Abraham (1809-1865)] English	
b. 29, f. 13	Lowndes, R. H.	
b. 29, f. 14	McChesney, James M.	
b. 29, f. 15	McKay, Donald (1810-1880)	
b. 29, f. 16	Meade, George Gordon (1815-1872)	
b. 29, f. 17	Mee, Patrick	
b. 29, f. 18	Miner, James	
b. 29, f. 19	Mitchell, George, C. B.	
b. 29, f. 20	Mock, Martin Luther	

b. 29, f. 21	Mosby, John Singleton (1833-1916)	
b. 29, f. 22	Nelson, H. P.	
	<p>Nettleton-Baldwin family</p> <p>The 22 letters in this collection are either by or to members of a family from Milford, Connecticut. A. P. Baldwin and his wife, Annie, live in New York City where they have a store, and their nine letters are addressed to his mother, Mrs. D. L. Baldwin, and his sister, Lotte [i.e. Charlotte A.] in Milford. Their letters, beginning on April 22, 1861, describe the events in New York City following the news of the firing on Fort Sumter, with reports on the sermons they heard on the following Sunday. The correspondence between the women includes family news and domestic arrangements. There is also a group of ten letters written by Lewis Nettleton to Lotte [his fiancée?] reporting the life of the ordinary soldier and commenting on the events of the war.</p>	
b. 29, f. 23	Correspondence from A. P. and Annie Baldwin	1861 April 22-1862 November 13
b. 29, f. 24	Correspondence from Lewis Nettleton to Lotte Baldwin and to his sister; one letter from Lotte Baldwin to Lewis Nettleton; 2 miscellaneous letters to Lotte Baldwin; and 9 envelopes	
b. 29, f. 25	Nettleton, Gilbert and Camp	1863 October 1
b. 29, f. 26	New York Artillery. 13th Regiment	
b. 29, f. 27	Nicholson, Robert Livingston	
b. 30, f. 1	Otto, William Tod (1816-1905), invalid pension document	1866 April 9
b. 30, f. 2	Pennsylvania Artillery. 3rd Regiment, provision and ration slips	1864-1865
b. 30, f. 3	Pennsylvania Infantry. 28th Regiment, discharge document	1865 July 18
b. 30, f. 4	Phelps, Dallas S., letter to friend	1864 March 31
b. 30, f. 5	Photographs-miscellaneous-Confederate	Undated
b. 30, f. 6	Photographs-miscellaneous-Union	Undated
b. 30, f. 7	Pitkin, James, letter to his brother and sister	n.y. September 20
b. 30, f. 8	Press, A. A. Letters to his brother and sister.	1863 January 10- February 8
b. 30, f. 9	Sawyer, O. G., letter	1862 July 8
b. 32, f. 16	Shaler, Brigadier General Alexander, U.S. Volunteers, copy of journal writtten while he was a prisoner of war in a Confederate camp	1864 May 3- August 9
b. 30, f. 10	Shoemaker, Michael, letter declining invitation to 20th reunion of the Army of the Cumberland	Undated

b. 30, f. 11	Shriver, William M., 3 diaries	1862 February-1863 December
b. 30, f. 12	Sill, H., letter to father	1864 January 18
b. 30, f. 13	Smith, Rily, letters to cousin Emma	1863-1864
b. 30, f. 14	Sully, Alfred (1821-1879), letter of recommendation	1862 July 25
b. 30, f. 15	Taylor, James [Kentucky], letter re construction of a bridge	1863 April 19
b. 30, f. 16	Thayer, John Milton (1820-1906), letters to his wife, letter written by him while serving as senator from Nebraska	1861-1863, 1868
b. 30, f. 17	United States Army, District of Eastern Virginia, "Roll of Deserters from the Rebel Army," 1865 Feb-Mar; special orders	1864-1865
b. 30, f. 18	United States Army, 3rd Infantry, report of troop movements	1863 October
Lincoln's Cabinet-engravings		
b. 30, f. 19	Bates, Edward (1793-1869). Engraving by Max Rosenthal, signed "Edw. Bates" in the plate, inlaid.	1892
b. 30, f. 19	Blair, Montgomery (1813-1883). Engraving, signed in the plate, inlaid.	
b. 30, f. 19	Cameron, Simon (1799-1889). Engraving, signed in the plate, inlaid. Engraved for the <i>Rebellion Record</i> .	
b. 30, f. 19	Chase, Salmon Portland (1808-1873). Engraving, signed in the plate. Mounted.	
b. 30, f. 19	Dennison, William (1815-1882). Engraving, signed in the plate, inlaid. 2 copies.	
b. 30, f. 19	Fessenden, William Pitt (1806-1869). Engraving by J.C. Buttre from a daguerreotype. Signed "W.P. Fessendent." Inlaid.	
b. 30, f. 19	McCulloch, Hugh (1808-1895). Engraving, signed in the plate. For <i>Putnam's Magazine</i> . Inlaid.	
b. 30, f. 19	Seward, William Henry (1801-1872). Engraving, signed in the plate. Inlaid. Engraved by J.C. Buttre.	
b. 30, f. 19	Seward, William Henry (1801-1872). Engraving, signed in the plate. Inlaid. Engraved by A.H. Ritchie.	
b. 30, f. 19	Smith, Caleb Blood (1808-1864). Engraving, signed in the plate. Inlaid. Engraved from a mezzotint by P.M. Whelpley, for the <i>American Review</i> .	
b. 30, f. 19	Speed, James (1812-1887). Engraving by Max Rosenthal, 1892. Signed "James Speed" in the plate. 2 copies. 1 unmounted. 1 inlaid and signed in pencil by the artist.	1892
b. 30, f. 19	Stanton, Edwin McMasters (1814-1869). Engraving by A.H. Ritchie. Signed "Edwin M. Stanton" in the plate. Inlaid. 2 copies.	
b. 30, f. 19	Usher, John Palmer (1816-1889). Engraving signed in the plate. Inlaid.	
b. 30, f. 19	Welles, Gideon (1802-1878). Engraving showing Welles seated at a table.	



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b. 30, f. 19	Welles, Gideon (1802-1878). Engraving of Welles' head, signed in the plate. Engraved by J.M. Butler. Inlaid.	
b. 32, f. 17	Waters, 2nd Lieutenant Albertus Aretius, De Kalb Tigers, Company A., 100th Regiment, Indiana Volunteers, copy of diary	1862 August 20-1863 July 10
b. 30, f. 20	Weir, James E., letters to parents	1861- 1865
b. 32, f. 14	<a href="#">Willard, Lovell F., diary</a> <p>Lovell F. Willard was born October 6, 1832, at Wardsboro, Vermont. His father was Eli Willard, born at Wardsboro, Vermont, October 2, 1783, and died August 3, 1864. His mother was Lucy Frost who was born November 17, 1787, and died August 24, 1846. Eli and Lucy were married at Townshend, Vermont, January 31, 1810.</p> <p>Lovell Willard married Jane Deborah White Hobart on July 12, 1854. She was born March 30, 1834. Lovell died January 10, 1864, at Horican, Wisconsin, after contracting smallpox from a vaccination. They had five children. Lucy Augusta, born May 2, 1855, died March 13, 1935; Henrietta Lydia (or Lydiann), born November 7, 1856, died November 11, 1942; Jane Deborah, born March 28, 1859, died January 14, 1893; Sylvia Elizabeth, born July 12, 1861, died June 14, 1885; Lovella Flora, born May 9, 1863, died May 16, 1938.</p> <p>Lucy married James Clifton Hall (January 21, 1851-April 17, 1906) on April 30, 1874. They had five children. The youngest was Hattie Marie born October 5, 1887, in Cherokee, Iowa. She died September 24, 1950, at Salem, South Dakota. She married Alexander Boyd Knox II January 3, 1912. They had four children. Alexander Boyd born April 6, 1913; Cather(ine) Jean born November 15, 1916, died November 25, 1978; Harriet Marie, born July 28, 1919; and Mary Alice born October 30, 1920. She, Mary Alice Albertson, is the donor of the diary of 1st Lieutenant Lovell F. Willard who served with Company "C" of the 29th Regiment of Wisconsin volunteers.</p>	1863 April-December 20
b. 30, f. 21	Woodman, Horatio, discharge paper of John Hall	1866 December 31
b. 30, f. 22	Young, W. H., letter	1863 November 18
b. 30, f. 23	Miscellaneous printed matter and blank forms	1864-1865, undated
Oversize		
b. 31A	Barnes, Paul, printed sheet music, "Good-bye Dolly Gray," music by Paul Barnes, words by Will D. Cobb	1902
b. 31A	Gile, David Herrick, 2 flags, Union Jack, silk; United States flag, 37 stars, silk (1867?)	
b. 31A	Norman, William F., autograph letter signed to his wife Louise	1862
b. 31A	Broadside, "Conditions of Peace Required of the So-called Seceded States," New York	1861 April 24
b. 31A	Newspaper: <i>Boston Evening Transcript</i>	1862 June 3
b. 31A	Newspaper: <i>Evening Post</i>	1862 September 12
b. 31A	Newspaper: <i>New York Herald</i>	1864 August 19

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b. 31A	Newspaper: <i>New York Herald</i> (4 copies)	1865 April 15
b. 31A	Newspaper: <i>Boston Daily Journal</i>	1865 April 15
b. 31A	Newspaper: <i>New York Herald</i>	1865 April 16-18

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Beebe, Lydia T.  
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Seymour, Thomas D. (Thomas Day), 1848-1907  
Shaler, Alexander, 1827-1911  
Sharpe, George H. (George Henry), 1828-1900  
Warren, William Henry, 1852-1926  
Waters, Albertus Aretius  
Willard, Lovell F., 1832-1864  
Winder, John H. (John Henry), 1800-1865

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