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Scope and Contents Note
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Series M0018a New York Manuscripts, 1739-1910
Scope and Contents note
This series contains correspondence and financial documents concerning purchase and/or transfer of property by members of the Roseboom family and a Benoni Rose near Cherry Valley (near Albany), New York.
Custodial History note
Gift of Mary E. Stewart, 1961

Box 1, Folder 1
Correspondence, 1760-1859
Joseph Scott, Jr., to Myndert Roseboom, 1771 Aug. 31
Barent Roseboom to "Brothers," 1804 July 14
Abraham Van Vechten to Barent Roseboom, [1805] June 16
Daniel Hale to Barent Roseboom, 1805 Aug. 24
Abraham Van Vechten to A. Roseboom, 1806 Aug. 25
Abraham Van Vechten to Coenradt Gansvoort, 1807 Aug. 21
Abraham Van Vechten to C. Gansvoort, 1807 Dec. 23
Abraham Roseboom to A. Van Vechten, 1808 July 30
Abraham Van Vechten to A. Roseboom, 1808 Sept. 20
Abraham Van Vechten to A. Roseboom, 1809 Apr. 3
Abraham Van Vechten to A. Roseboom, 1809 May 16
Abraham Van Vechten to A. Roseboom, 1810 Oct. 31
[N. C. Waddell?] to Benoni Rose, 1845 July 25
Chauncey Beadle to Mrs. Maria Rose, 1847 July 26
H. Lathrop to [Mrs. Maria Rose], [1847] Oct. 9
Thomas H. Betts to [Mrs. Maria Rose], 1850 Sept. 2
[S. D. Jacobs] to Henry Roseboom, 1851 Dec. 17
W. Lochead to [Maria] Rose, 1859 May 12
D. H. Little to Benoni Rose, n.d.

Box 1, Folder 2
Financial (bonds, accounts, price lists, I.O.U.'s, promissory notes, bank drafts, checks, bills, receipts, mortgages and abstracts of), 1768-1799

Box 1, Folder 3
Financial (bonds, accounts, price lists, I.O.U.'s, promissory notes, bank drafts, checks, bills, receipts, mortgages and abstracts of), 1801-1874 and n.d.

Box 1, Folder 4
Legal (indentures, deeds, agreements, leases), 1760-1799

Box 1, Folder 5
Legal (indentures, deeds, agreements, leases), 1800-1891 and n.d.

Box 1, Folder 6
Miscellaneous (plats, land descriptions, diploma, law license, photo reprint, coat of arms)

Box 1, Folder 7
Ancestry and Descendants of John Roseboom and Jesse Johnson

Box 1, Folder 8
Ancestral Tablets. Bound volume of handwritten genealogical tables

Map-case
Oversize documents
Deed from George II of Great Britain to John Lindesay, with heavy wax seal of colony of New York, 1739 May 12
Appointment of Myndert Roseboom as Lt. Colonel. Signed by Cadwallader Colden, 1762 Mar. 20
Indenture between "John Cruger, Philip Livingston, Leonard Lispenard, Henry Holland and William Bayard of the City of New York, trustees of the estate of Abraham De Peyster, late treasurer of the Colony of New York. . .", 1771 May 15
Nursing diploma from St. Luke's Hospital, Catherine Augusta Roseboom, 1909 May 20
Minnesota State Board of Examiners of Nurses, "Registered Nurse," Catherine Augusta Roseboom, 1910 Oct. 28

Series M0018b Massachusetts Documents, 1741-1761
Deed for land on Nantucket Island; and four appointments of Stephen Greenleaf as justice and sheriff of Suffolk Co., Mass.

Series M0018c Roger Wolcott Journal
Scope and Contents note
This series contains a copy, made in 1820 from the original in the Connecticut Historical Society, of Wolcott's journal of the 1745 military expedition against Louisburg, Cape Breton Island, Canada, which also includes other writings. The series also includes two original letters, 1759 and 1820.

Custodial History note
Purchased from Holmes Book Co., 1930

Box 2, Folder 10
Wolcott journal and letters, 1745-1820

Series M018d State of Franklin Documents
Custodial History note
Gift of Mrs. S. N. Partridge, 1961
| Box 2, Folder 11 | **Warrants, indictments, and other items from the State of Franklin, Greene County, 1780-1794**  
**Series M018e Israel Shreve Diary, 1775-1776**  
Custodial History note  
On deposit from John L. Strangman, 1964 |
| Box 2, Folder 12 | **Diary fragment describing journey from New Jersey to Chamble and Quebec, Canada (campaign of Generals Arnold, Thomas, and Schuyler), 1775 Nov. 8 -1776 Nov. 22**  
**Series M018f George Washington Documents, 1775-1799**  
Scope and Contents note  
This series consists of one draft (money), a possible forgery, two facsimile letters, and a facsimile of accounts with U. S., 1775-1783, made by Treasury Dept. in 1833. |
| Box 2, Folder 13 | **George Washington documents, 1775-1799**  
**Series M018g Benjamin Franklin Letter, 1775**  
**Facsimile of letter, 1775 July 5**  
**Series M018h Robert Pringle Papers, 1767**  
Scope and Contents note  
This series consists of two documents signed by Robert Pringle, notary of Berkley County, South Carolina -list of stolen goods and sworn statement of Robert Man, eye witness, 1767 Feb. 25, and sworn statement of Thomas Govin of suit brought against William Browning, 1767 Apr. 10 - and a clipping.  
Custodial History note  
Gift of Miss. Clair MacDonald |
| Box 2, Folder 14 | **Pringle, Robert, documents, 1767**  
**Series M018i Dr. Benjamin Rush Papers, 1775-1803**  
Custodial History note  
Gift of Ray Lyman Wilbur, 1943. |
| Box 2, Folder 15 | **Bills and receipts for medical service and order on bank by Samuel Coates to pay Rush, 1775-1803**  
**Series M018j Roger Bull Diary, 1776**  
Custodial History note  
On loan from Acton M. Cleveland. |
| Box 2, Folder 16 | **Diary of American Forces in New England (area of New Haven and North River).**  
**Series M018k Rev. Williams Papers, 1772-1820**  
Custodial History note  
Gift of Watson Nicholson, 1947 |
| Box 2, Folder 17 | **Manuscript sermon first preached in 1772 and used until 1820; with accompanying letter from Watson Nicholson, 1947.**  
**Series M018l Samuel Kirkland Document, 1789**  
**Land grant by State of New York to Kirkland for 2, 840 acres in Montgomery Cunty, 1879 Feb. 25.**  
**Series M018m Aaron Burr Papers, 1802-1803**  
Custodial History note  
Gift of John H. Blackburn from the estate of Helen V. Wheeler, 1953. |
| Box 2, Folder 20 | **Letter to Burr from P. A. Grotjan re aid to an unfortunate, and letter from Burr to Grotjan, 1802 Dec. 27, 1803 July 22.** |
Series M018n Thomas Thornton Papers, 1813 and n.d.
Custodial History note
Gift of J. P. McNeil, 1944.

Box 2, Folder 21
ALS to Patrick [Kain] from U.S. Constellation off Norfolk, VA, during the War of 1812, and a poem [by Mrs. Bewning (?)] on the death of [Mrs. Eleanor de Krafft], n.d. 1813 Mar. 25;

Series M018o John Guerin Marquand Papers, ca. 1822
School copy book on "division of vulgar fractions"; the book was written in Baltimore and the name of Elias Marquand also appears.

Series M018p Henry Clay Letter, 1851
Custodial History note
Gift of Dr. and Mrs. Conrad Weil.

Box 2, Folder 24
ALS, regret to invitation of Burns Club, 1851 Jan. 14

Series M018q Daniel Webster Letter, 1851
Custodial History note
Gift of Dr. and Mrs. Conrad Weil.

Box 2, Folder 25
ALS regret to invitation of Burns Club, 1851 Jan. 14

Series M018r George Sewall Boutwell Document, 1852
"Passport" to Samuel S. Thorndike, also signed by Amasa Walker, secretary of Commonwealth of Mass., 1852 Jan. 1

Series M018s Lancashire Fusiliers
Custodial History note

Box 2, Folder 27
Letter from [W.] Hill of the Lancashire Fusiliers (in Tientsin, China) to David D. Barrett, with excerpt from the Regimental History of the Fusiliers regarding the American Revolutionary War. 1938 Oct. 2,

Series M018t Miscellaneous Documents, 1777-1833

Box 2, Folder 28a
Reprint of letter from Brig. Gen. Lachlan McIntosh to Col. John Lawrence, regarding the duel between McIntosh and Button Gwinnett in which Gwinnett died. Reprint by the Amican Autograph Shop, 1777 May 30, 1937.

Series M018u Mexican War Collection, 1846-1848
Custodial History note

Box 2, Folder 29
"Uncle Noah's Mexican War Diary; being an account of the personal experiences and comments of Captain Noah Newton, U.S.A., Regiment of Mounted Rifles." Prepared for publication by George C. Newton, also includes hand-drawn copies of some of the original illustrations in the diary. [1846 June 6 -1848 Aug.] [ca. 1932];

Box 2, Folder 29a
ALS from Samuel [Doggett] to his father [John Doggett] re the war with Mexico, 1847 Mar. 28

Series M018v Colonial and Revolutionary Facsimiles, 1775-1791
Six manuscripts and a map regarding the battles of Lexington and Concord, Declaration of Independence, Constitution of the United States, Bill of Rights, and a letter from Benjamin Franklin to Samuel Cooper, 1775; 1776; 1787; 1791; 1778 Feb. 27.

Series M018w Noah Welles Sermon, 1764
Custodial History note
Gift of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Sumner, 1964.
Box 2, Folder 31  Sermon by Rev. Noah Welles dated and given by him until 1772. 1764 Dec. 22, Series M018x The True Story of the Romance of Nathan Hale and Alice Adams, 1926-1929  
Custodial History note  
Gift of Mary E. Hastings.

Box 2, Folder 32  Letters from Mary E. Hastings to Ray Lyman Wilbur, booklet, and clipping concerning the romance of Nathan Hale with Alice Adams, Hasting’s great-grandmother.  
Series M018y Land Indenture, 1811  
Box 2, Folder 33  Land indenture signed by Lawrence and Maria Vrooman in Neskayuna, Schenectady County, New York, 1811 Sept. 23.  
Series M018z Early Slavery Documents, 1807-1858  
Box 2, Folder 34  Thomas Wright to Capt. Rich, about selling a slave, 1807 June 29.  
Jn. Taylor Somac to Major George Lewis, about slavery and Dangerfield, 1812 Feb. 16.  
Inventory and appraisement of the estate of James Stephens, dec’d, ten slaves listed as part of the property. 1831 Feb. 21;  
Martin Z. Tupper to Dear Sir, about slavery, 1858 Oct. 7.  
Series M018aa David Crockett Documents, n.d.  
Custodial History note  

Box 2, Folder 35  Contemporary holograph copy of David Crocket poem "Farewell to the Mountains;" verifax copy of a Crockett letter; page from Story of the Wild West by William Cody containing the poem and an illustration; and biographical information on Crockett.