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Abstract: Bret Harte (1836-1902) settled in San Francisco in 1860 where he worked as a printer, clerk, and secretary in a
government office. He wrote short stories and became the first editor of the Overland Monthly (1868-71) in San Francisco.
The collection consists of correspondence, one literary manuscript, and some holograph fragments by Harte.

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**Biography**

Bret Harte was born Francis Brett Hart on August 25, 1836 in Albany, New York; at 11 he had a poem published in the *New York Sunday Morning Atlas*; he left school and went to work at 13; traveled to California in 1854, settling in San Francisco in 1860; worked as a printer, clerk, and secretary in a government office; published the short story, The Work On Red Mountain (later titled *M'liss*) in 1860; became first editor of the *Overland Monthly* (1868-71) in San Francisco; published the story, *The Luck of Roaring Camp* (1868) and the satiric verse parody, *Plain Language from Truthful James (Better Known as the Heathen Chinee)* in 1870 in that journal; also became known for his stories, The Outcasts of Poker Flat (1869) and Tennessee's Partner (1869); gained a U.S. government position in Germany in 1878, served as U.S. Consul at Glasgow, 1880-85, and then moved to London; died on May 5, 1902 in Camberley, England.

**Scope and Content**

Collection consists of correspondence, one literary manuscript, and some holograph fragments of writer Bret Harte. Of some 300 letters from Harte to various persons, there are 108 to his wife Anna Griswold Harte and to his son Francis King Harte, 107 to Alexander Boyd, a British artist who illustrated some of Harte's stories, and his wife, a writer. There are also eleven letters to Thomas Edgar Pemberton. Also includes Bret Harte's manuscript for Colonel Starbottle's client.

**Indexing Terms**

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library's online public access catalog. Harte, Bret, 1836-1902--Correspondence. Authors, American 19th century--Archival resources. Manuscripts for publication.

**Related Material**

Willard Samuel Morse Collection of Ephemera Relating to Bret Harte (Collection 1019). Available at Department of Special Collections, UCLA.

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**Papers, ca. 1860-1902**

Physical Description: (2 boxes, ca. 300 items)

Scope and Content Note

Includes letters to Mrs. Harte and to his son, Francis King Harte (108 items); to Mr. or Mrs. Alexander Stuart Boyd (107 items); and to Thomas Edgar Pemberton (11 items).

A card index for most of the letters is filed in the Numbered Collections shelf-list. Transcripts have been made for many of the letters.

**American Publishing Company, Hartford, Connecticut**
F. Bret Harte, New York, agreement with American Publishing Company to deliver manuscript of book, *Gabriel Conroy*, for publication by January 1873, in return for which Harte would receive an advance of $1,000. September 8, 1872.

Physical Description: Letter signed. 2pp. 12.5 × 8.

Scope and Content Note
Agreement signed by F. Bret Harte, and by E. Bliss, Jr., President of the American Publishing Company. Attached are receipts of September 8 and September 19, each signed by Bret Harte and for advances of $500.

B.H., receipt of September 8, 1872 to American Publishing Company on a/c of copyright of *Gabriel Conroy*, in amount of $500.

Physical Description: Document signed. 1 leaf. 4 × 8.

Scope and Content Note
Attached to Harte, Bret. . . Agreement of September 8, 1872, with American Publishing Company.

B.H., receipt of September 8, 1872, to American Publishing Company on a/c of copyright of *Gabriel Conroy*, in amount of $500.

Physical Description: Document signed. 1 leaf. 4 × 5.

Scope and Content Note
Attached to Harte, Bret. . . Agreement of September 8, 1872, with American Publishing Company.


Physical Description: Document signed. 1 leaf. 12.5 × 8.


Physical Description: Document signed. 2 leaves. 8 × 5.

Scope and Content Note
Signed for Scribner & Company, New York, by E. Bliss, Jr., President.


Physical Description: Typed document signed. 2 leaves. 11 × 8.

Note
No typescript.


Physical Description: Typed document signed. 2 leaves. 11 × 8.

Scope and Content Note
Signed for American Publishing Company by F.E. Bliss, and for Houghton Mifflin & Company by unidentified party.

Note
No typescript.

Bliss, Arnold
Box 1


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 8 × 5.

Scope and Content Note

Photostatic copy in Morse Catalogue, vol.2 with entry for Gabriel Conroy, Hartford, 1876 (later issue).

Box 1

**Harte, New York, to My dear [Arnold] Bliss. June 12, 1876.**

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 2.5 × 4.5.

Scope and Content Note

Photostatic copy in Morse Catalogue, vol.2, with entry for Gabriel Conroy, Hartford, 1876.

**Boughton, W.H.**

Box 1

**W.H. Boughton, New York, to Dear Mr. Harte [Francis King Harte]. 1894 July 21.**

Physical Description: Typed note signed. 1 leaf. 5.5 × 7.5.

Scope and Content Note

Originally enclosed in: Harte, Bret, to F.K. Harte, autograph note signed, August 2, 1894.

Photostatic copy in Morse Catalogue, vol.1 with entry for The luck of Roaring Camp, 1870 (2nd issue).

Shelved immediately after Bret Harte letter of August 2, 1894.

**Boyd, Alexander Stuart, 1854-1919**

Box 2

**B.H., Glasgow, to Mr. Boyd [Glasgow]. 1885(&).**

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 4 × 5.

Scope and Content Note

(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.1, no.1).

With addressed envelope.

Stationery of Consulate of the United States of America, at Glasgow.

Box 2

**B.H. [London] to Mr. Boyd [London]. October 12, 1885.**

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 7 × 4.5.

Scope and Content Note

(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.1, no.2).


Box 2

**B.H. [London] to Mr. Boyd, Glasgow. May 18, 1889.**

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 3.5 × 4.5.

Scope and Content Note

(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.1, no.4).

With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 6 × 4.

Scope and Content Note

(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.1, no.5).

With addressed and cancelled envelope.
Box 2  

**B.H. [London] to Mr. Boyd, Glasgow. December 26, 1889.**

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 7 × 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.1, no.6).  
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2  


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 6 × 4.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.1, no.7).

Box 2  

**B.H. [London] to Mr. Boyd, Glasgow. December 23, 1890.**

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 4pp. 6 × 4.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.1, no.23).  
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2  

**B.H. [London] to Mr. Boyd [Glasgow]. December 29, 1890.**

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 4pp. 6 × 4.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.1, no.24).  
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2  


Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2 leaves. 6 × 4.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.1, no.31).  
Enclosure: *Pall Mall magazine* to A.P. Watt, typed note signed, August 23, 1893.  
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2  

**B.H. [London] to Mr. Boyd [London]. November 27, 1893.**

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 7 × 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.1, no.34).  
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2  


Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 3.5 × 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.1, no.36).  
With addressed envelope.  

Box 2  


Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 7 × 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.2, no.6).  
Enclosure: Harte, Bret, to Mrs. Boyd, autograph note signed, August 12, 1894.  
With addressed and cancelled envelope.
Box 2  
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 6 x 4.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.2, no.12).  
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2  
Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 3.5 x 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.2, no.22).  
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

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Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 3.5 x 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.2, no.23).  
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2  
Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 3.5 x 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.2, no.28).  
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2  
Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 3.5 x 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.2, no.29).  
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2  
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 7 x 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.2, no.30).  
With envelope addressed to Mrs. Boyd and cancelled October 16, 1895.

Box 2  
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2pp. 7 x 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.3, no.7).  
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2  
Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 3.5 x 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.3, no.13).  
With addressed and cancelled envelope.
Box 2

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2pp. 7 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.3, no.14).
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 6 × 4.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.3, no.28).
With addressed and cancelled envelope. Stationery of the Van de Veldes.

Box 2

Boyd, Mrs. Mary Stuart
B.H. to Mrs. Boyd [Mrs. Mary Stuart Boyd]. 18?? December.
Physical Description: Calling card. 1 leaf. 2 × 3.
Scope and Content Note
In Harte's hand, with Christmas greetings and, precedes the printed inscription, compliments of Bret Harte.
Card on this wood stock.
In Harte's hand, envelope addressed, Mrs. Boyd.

Box 2

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 7 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.1, no.3).
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 3.5 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.1, no.8).
With addressed envelope.

Box 2

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 3.5 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.1, no.9).

Box 2

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 3.5 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.1, no.10).

Box 2

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 3.5 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.1, no.11).
With addressed envelope.
Box 2

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 3.5 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.1, no.12).

Box 2

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 6 × 4.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.1, no.13).

Box 2

B.H. [London] to Mrs. Boyd. 1890s(?) g.
Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 3.5 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.1, no.14).

Box 2

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 3.5 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.1, no.15).
With addressed envelope, torn across the face.

Box 2

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 1 leaf. 7 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.1, no.16).

Box 2

1890s(?) j.
Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 3.5 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.1, no.17).

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Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 3.5 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.1, no.18).
With addressed envelope.

Box 2

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 3.5 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.1, no.19).

Box 2

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 3.5 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.1, no.20).
With partially addressed envelope.
Box 2

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 3.5 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.1, no.21).
With addressed envelope.

Box 2

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 7 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.1, no.22).
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 3.5 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.1, no.25).
With addressed envelope.

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Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 3.5 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.1, no.26).
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

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Scope and Content Note
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.1, no.27).
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

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Scope and Content Note
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.1, no.28).
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

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Scope and Content Note
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.1, no.29).
With addressed envelope.

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Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 7 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.1, no.30).
Enclosure: Baylis, C., to Bret Harte, Autograph letter signed, August 18, 1893.
With addressed and cancelled envelope.
Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 3.5 x 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.1, no.32).
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2 leaves. 6 x 4.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.1, no.33).
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 3.5 x 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.1, no.35).
With addressed envelope.

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 7 x 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.1, no.37).
With addressed envelope.

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 3.5 x 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.1, no.38).
Enclosure: Pen sketch by Bret Harte on leaf 7 x 4.5 in.
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 7 x 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.1, no.39).
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2  **B.H. [London] to Mrs. Boyd [Brighton]. 1894 February 1.**
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 7 x 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.2, no.1).
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 4pp. 7 x 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.2, no.2).
With addressed and cancelled envelope.
Box 2  
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 7 x 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.2, no.3).  
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2  
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 4pp. 6.5 x 4.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.2, no.4).  
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2  
Physical Description: [Autograph note signed.] p.3. 5 x 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.2, no.5).  
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2  
**B.H., Weybridge, Surrey, to Mrs. Boyd [London]. 1894 August 12.**  
Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 7 x 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.2, no.7).  
With: Harte, Bret, to A.S. Boyd, autograph note signed, August 12, 1894.

Box 2  
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 7 x 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.2, no.8).  
With addressed envelope cancelled at Malvern August 31, 1894.

Box 2  
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 6 x 4.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.2, no.9).  
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2  
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 6 x 4.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.2, no.10).  
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2  
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 6 x 4.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901*, vol.2, no.11).  
With addressed and cancelled envelope.
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 7 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.2, no.13).
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 3.5 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.2, no.14).
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 7 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.2, no.15).
With addressed envelope.

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 3.5 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
With addressed and cancelled envelope.
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.2, no.16).

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 7 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.2, no.17).
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 3.5 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.2, no.18).
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 3.5 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.2, no.19).
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

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Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.2, no.20).
With addressed and cancelled envelope.
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Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 3.5 × 4.5.

Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1902, vol.2, no.21).

With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2


Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 7 × 4.5.

Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.2, no.24).

With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Written on Boyds' Stationery.

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Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 7 × 4.5.

Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.2, no.25).

With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2


Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 3.5 × 4.5.

Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.2, no.26).

Enclosure: Newspaper clipping from the Town Crier, June 8, 1895.

With addressed envelope cancelled June 8, 1895.

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Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 8 × 5 in

Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.2, no.27).


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Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 7 × 4.5.

Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.2, no.31).

With addressed and cancelled envelope.

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Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 3.5 × 4.5.

Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.2, no.32).

With addressed and cancelled envelope.

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**B.H., Ferrybridge, Yorkshire, to Mrs. Boyd [London]. 1895 December 17.**

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 7 × 4.5.

Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.2, no.33).

With addressed and cancelled envelope. Stationer of the Earl of Crew.
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With addressed and cancelled envelope.
Stationery of the Royal Thames Yacht Club.

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(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.3, no.29).
With addressed envelope, cancelled December 16, 1899.

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Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 5.5 × 4.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.3, no.30).
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 2


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 6 × 4.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.3, no.31).
With addressed and cancelled envelope.
Stationery of the Froudes.

Box 2


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2pp. 7 × 3.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.3, no.32).
With addressed and cancelled envelope.
Stationery of the Van de Veldes.

Box 2


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Scope and Content Note
(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.3, no.33).
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

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(In his Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.3, no.34).
With addressed and cancelled envelope.

Baylis, C.


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 1 leaf. 9 × 7.
Scope and Content Note
(In Harte, Bret, Letters to the Boyds, 1885-1901, vol.1, no.30a).
With: Harte, Bret, to Mrs. Boyd, Autograph letter signed, August 21, 1893.
Stationery of Great Western Railway.

Burgin, George B.
Papers, ca. 1860-1902

Finding Aid for the Collection of Bret Harte Letters, 1860-1902

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Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 7 × 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
Photograph mentioned in letter in file of Bret Harte photographs.  
Photostatic copy in Morse Catalogue, vol.1 with entry for A Client of Colonel Starbottle's, 1890.

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Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 8 × 5.

Dodge, Mrs. Mary (Mapes), 1838-1905  
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Scope and Content Note  
Photostatic copy in Morse Catalogue, vol.2 with entry for Idyls of the Foot-hills, Leipzig, 1874.

Fields, Osgood & Company, firm, publishers, Boston  
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Photostatic copy in Morse Catalogue, vol.1 with entry for The luck of Roaring Camp, 1870 (1st issue).

Harte, Mrs. Anna (Griswold), 1830s(?)-19(??)  
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Scope and Content Note  
( In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.1, no.1).  
With face of addressed and cancelled envelope.  

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Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 7 × 5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.1, no.2) With face of addressed and stamped envelope.  

Box 1  
Frank, to My dear Nan [Mrs. Bret Harte]. 1876(?).  
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 1 leaf. 7 × 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.1, no.3).
Box 1


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 1 leaf. 8 × 5.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Original letters [1871-1902]* vol.1, no.4).
With face of addressed and stamped envelope.

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Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 1 leaf. 8 × 5.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Original letters [1871-1902]* vol.1, no.5).
With face of addressed and stamped envelope.

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Scope and Content Note
(In his *Original letters [1871-1902]* vol.1, no.6).

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Scope and Content Note
(In his *Original letters [1871-1902]* vol.1, no.7).

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Scope and Content Note
(In his *Original letters [1871-1902]* vol.1, no.8).
With face of addressed and stamped envelope.

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Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2pp. 8 × 5.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Original letters [1871-1902]* vol.1, no.9).
With face of addressed and stamped envelope.

Box 1

Limick, Washington [D.C.], to Dear Nan [Mrs. Bret Harte, Morristown, New Jersey]. 1878(?).

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 1 leaf. 7 × 4.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Original letters [1871-1902]* vol.1, no.10).
With face of addressed and stamped envelope.
Box 1


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 1 leaf. 8 × 5.

Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.1, no.11).
Letter in pencil.
With face of addressed and stamped envelope.

Box 2


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 4pp. 20 × 12.5cm.

Scope and Content Note
With addressed and cancelled envelope.
In a green cloth case.

Box 1

Limick, Crefeld [Germany], to My dear Nan [Mrs. Bret Harte, Morristown, New Jersey]. 1879 July 5.

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 4pp. 8 × 5.

Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.1, no.12).
With face of addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 1


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 4pp. 8 × 5.

Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.1, no.13).
With face of addressed and stamped envelope.

Box 1


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2pp. 6 × 4.

Scope and Content Note
With face of addressed and stamped envelope.

Box 1

Limick, Glasgow, to My dear Anna [Mrs. Bret Harte], New York City. 1880 November 12.

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 8 × 5.

Scope and Content Note
With addressed and cancelled envelope of the Consulate of the United States of America at Glasgow.
Box 1  Limick, Glasgow, to My dear Nan [Mrs. Bret Harte]. 1883 September 15.
Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 8 × 5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Original letters [1871-1902]* vol.1, no.15).

Box 1  Limick, Glasgow, to My dear Anna [Mrs. Bret Harte]. 1884 June 15 a.
Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 4 × 5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Original letters [1871-1902]* vol.1, no.16).

Box 1  Limick, Glasgow, to My dear Nan [Mrs. Bret Harte]. 1884 June 15 b.
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 8pp. 8 × 5.
Scope and Content Note
With addressed and cancelled envelope.
Photostatic copy in Morse Catalogue, vol.3 with entry for *On the frontier*, Boston, 1884.

Box 1  Limick, Glasgow, to My dear Anna [Mrs. Bret Harte, Plainfield, New Jersey]. 1884 December 12.
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 1 leaf. 8 × 5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Original letters [1871-1902]* vol.1, no.17).
With face of addressed and cancelled envelope.

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 8pp. 7 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
Photostatic copy in Morse Catalogue, vol.2 with entry for *Gabriel Conroy*, Hartford, 1876.

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 6 × 4.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Original letters [1871-1902]* vol.1, no.18).

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Scope and Content Note
(In his *Original letters [1871-1902]* vol.1, no.20).
With face of addressed and stamped envelope.

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Scope and Content Note
(In his *Original letters [1871-1902]* vol.1, no.21).

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Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.1, no.22).
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Scope and Content Note
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Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.1, no.24).
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Scope and Content Note
Photostatic copy in Morse Catalogue, vol.3 with entry for Cressy, Boston, 1889.


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 6 × 4.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.1, no.25).
With face of addressed and stamped envelope.


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 1 leaf. 7 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
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With face of addressed and stamped envelope.

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Scope and Content Note
(In his *Original letters [1871-1902]* vol.1, no.54).
With face of addressed and stamped envelope.

Box 1


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 7 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Original letters [1871-1902]* vol.2, no.55).
With face of addressed and stamped envelope.

Box 1


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 7 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note

Box 1


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 1 leaf. 7 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
With addressed and stamped envelope. Photostatic copy in Morse Catalogue, vol.4 with entry for *Sue*, London, 1902.

Box 1


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 7 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
Photostatic copy in Morse Catalogue, vol.3 with entry for *Snow Bound at Eagle's*, Boston, 1886.

Box 1


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 1 leaf. 7 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Original letters [1871-1902]* vol.2, no.57) With face of addressed and cancelled envelope.
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  Scope and Content Note
  (In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.58) With face of addressed and cancelled envelope.

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  Scope and Content Note
  (In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.65) With face of addressed envelope.

Box 1
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  Scope and Content Note

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  Scope and Content Note
  (In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.68) With face of addressed and stamped envelope.

Box 1
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  Scope and Content Note
  (In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.70) With face of addressed and stamped envelope.

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  Scope and Content Note
  (In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.71) With face of addressed and stamped envelope.

Box 1
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  Scope and Content Note

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  Scope and Content Note
  (In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.84) With fragment of addressed envelope.
Box 1


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 1 leaf. 7 x 4.5.

Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.87) With face of addressed and stamped envelope.

Box 1


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 7 x 4.5.

Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.88)
With face of addressed and stamped envelope.

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Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 7 x 4.5.

Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.92)
With face of addressed and stamped envelope.

Box 1

Limick, Camberley [England], to My dear Anna [Mrs. Bret Harte]. 1900 October 4 a.

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 1 leaf. 7 x 4.5.

Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.95)
With face of addressed envelope.

Box 1


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 7 x 4.5.

Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.100)
With addressed and stamped envelope marked: Registered Letter.

Box 1


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 6 x 4.

Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.102)

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Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 7 x 4.5.

Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.105)
With face of addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 1


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 7 × 4.5.

Scope and Content Note
With face of addressed and stamped envelope.

Box 1


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 7 × 4.5.

Scope and Content Note

Harte, Francis King, 1865-

Biography/Organization History

Biographical note: Bret Harte's younger son.

Box 1


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 4pp. 8 × 5.

Scope and Content Note
With addressed and cancelled envelope.
Photostatic copy in Morse Catalogue, vol.1 with entry for The luck of Roaring Camp, 1870 (2d issue).

Box 1

B.H., Cherwell Edge, Oxford [England], to My dear Frank [Francis King Harte].
1893(?).

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 6 × 4.

Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.1, no.26).

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Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 4.5 × 3.5.

Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.1, no.28).

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Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.1, no.29).

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Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.1, no.31).
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Scope and Content Note
(In his *Original letters [1871-1902]* vol.1, no.33).
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Box 1

**B.H. [London] to My dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1894 June 12.**

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 7 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Original letters [1871-1902]* vol.1, no.34).
With face of addressed and stamped envelope.

Box 1

**B.H. [London] to My dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1894 August 2.**

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 3.5 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
With addressed and stamped envelope.
Photostatic copy in Morse Catalogue, vol.1 with entry for *The luck of Roaring Camp*, 1870 (2nd issue).

Box 1

**B.H. [London] to My dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1894 August 5.**

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 6 × 4.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Original letters [1871-1902]* vol.1, no.36).
Letter trimmed.

Box 1


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 1 leaf. 8 × 5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Original letters [1871-1902]* vol.1, no.37).
With fragment of addressed envelope.

Box 1

**B.H. [London] to My dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1894(?) October(?).**

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 6 × 4.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Original letters [1871-1902]* vol.1, no.38).
*Cf.*- Harte, Bret, to [Francis King Harte] Autograph letter signed, October 10, 1894.

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Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 7 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his *Original letters [1871-1902]* vol.1, no.39).
With face of addressed and stamped envelope.
Box 1  
**B.H. [London] to Dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1895(?) a.**

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 3.5 × 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Original letters* [1871-1902] vol.1, no.41).

Box 1  
**B.H. [London] to My dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1895(?) b.**

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 6 × 4.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Original letters* [1871-1902] vol.1, no.42).

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Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 7 × 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Original letters* [1871-1902] vol.1, no.43).  
With face of addressed and cancelled envelope.

Box 1  
**B.H. [London] to My dear Son [Francis King Harte]. 1895(?) d.**

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 6 × 4.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Original letters* [1871-1902] vol.1, no.44).

Box 1  
**B.H., Birmingham [England], to My dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1895(? January(?).**

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 8 × 5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Original letters* [1871-1902] vol.1, no.45).

Box 1  
**B.H. [London] to My dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1895(?) December(?) a.**

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 7 × 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Original letters* [1871-1902] vol.1, no.50).

Box 1  
**B.H. [London] to Dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1895(?) December(?) b.**

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 7 × 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Original letters* [1871-1902] vol.1, no.51).

Box 1  
**B.H. [London] to Dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1896(?) May(?).**

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 7 × 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
(In his *Original letters* [1871-1902] vol.1, no.52).

Box 1  
**B.H., Headley, Hants [England], to My dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1896 October 12.**

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 7 × 4.5.  
Scope and Content Note  
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Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.67).

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B.H. [London] to Dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1899(?) August(?).

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 5.5 x 4.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.69).

Box 1

B.H., Camberley, Surrey [England], to My dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1900(?) a.

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 6 x 4.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.73).

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Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 6 x 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.74).

Box 1

B.H. to My dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1900(?) c.

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 7 x 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.75).

Box 1

B.H. to My dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1900(?) d.

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 7 x 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.76).

Box 1

Papa [London] to My dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1900(?) e.

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 2pp. 4 x 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.77).

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Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 1 leaf. 7 x 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.78).

Box 1

B.H. [London] to My dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1900(?) g.

Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 7 x 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
Cf.- Harte, Bret, to [Francis King Harte], Autograph letter signed [1900?].
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Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 1 leaf. 7 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.80).

Box 1
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Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.81).

Box 1
Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 5.5 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.82).

Box 1
B.H. [London] to Dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1900(?) k.
Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 7 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.83).

Box 1
B.H., Camberley, to My dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1900 March 1.
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 7 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
Photostatic copy in Morse Catalogue, vol.4 with entry for Sue, London, 1902.

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Scope and Content Note

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B.H. [London] to Dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1900(? April(?).
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Scope and Content Note

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Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.90).

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Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 7 x 4.5.
Scope and Content Note

Box 1
B.H., Camberley [England], to My dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1900 August 23 a.
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 7 x 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.93).

Box 1
B.H., Camberley [England], to My dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1900 September 1.
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Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.94).

Box 1
B.H., Camberley [England], to My dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1900 October 4 b.
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 7 x 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.96).

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Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.97).

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Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.98).

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Scope and Content Note
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Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 7 x 4.5.
Scope and Content Note

Box 1  B.H. Camberley [England], to My dear Frank [Francis King Harte]. 1901 November 1.
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Scope and Content Note
(In his Original letters [1871-1902] vol.2, no.103).

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 7 x 4.5.
Scope and Content Note

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 7 x 4.5.
Scope and Content Note

Herschel, Herman
Box 1  B.H., Crefeld, to Herman Herschel, Hamburg. 1879 May 13.
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 1 leaf. 8 x 5.
Scope and Content Note
Photostatic copy in Morse Catalogue, vol.2 with entry for Two men of Sandy Bar, Boston, 1876.

Lindsay, Lady
Box 1  B.H. [London] to Dear Lady Lindsay. 18--(?).
Physical Description: Autograph note signed. 1 leaf. 3.5 x 4.5.

Osgood, James Ripley, 1836-1892
Box 1  B.H., Newport, Rhode Island, to J.R. Osgood [Boston]. 1871(?).
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 5 x 4.

Box 1  B.H., Morristown, New Jersey, to Jason R. Osgood, Boston. 1873 December 12.
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 4pp. 8 x 5.
Scope and Content Note
Photostatic copy in Morse Catalogue, vol.2 with entry for Mrs. Skagg's husbands, 1873.
Box 1

**B.H., New York, to My dear Osgood. 1875 May 26.**
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 4pp. 6.5 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
Photostatic copy in Morse Catalogue, vol.2 with entry for *Gabriel Conroy*, Hartford, 1876.

**Box 1**

**B.H., Crefeld [Germany] to Jas R. Osgood. 1880 February 14.**
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 8 × 5.
Scope and Content Note

**Page, Mrs. E.A.S.**

**Box 1**

**Fr. Bret Harte, San Francisco, to Mrs. E.A.S. Page. 1865 March 10.**
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 7 × 4.5.
Scope and Content Note
With addressed envelope.
Photostatic copy in Morse Catalogue, vol.1 with entry for *The Lost Galleon*, 1867.

**Pemberton, Thomas Edgar, 1849-1905**

**Box 1**

**B.H., to My dear Mr. Pemberton [Thomas Edgar Pemberton. no.2 Norfolk Road, Edgehasten, N. Birmingham, England]. 1879 May 25.**
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 8 × 5.
Scope and Content Note
Stationery headed: United States Consulate, Crefeld.
With this: Original envelope, addressed, stamped and canceled.

**Box 1**

**B.H., Crefeld, to My dear Mr. Pemberton [Thomas Edgar Pemberton. 2 Norfolk Road, Edgehasten, Near Birmingham, England]. 1880 February 27.**
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 3pp. 7.75 × 4.75.
Scope and Content Note
Stationery monogrammed: B.H.
With this: Original envelope, addressed, stamped and canceled.

**Box 1**

**B.H., Innellan, to My dear Pemberton [Thomas Edgar Pemberton], [2 Norfolk Road, Birmingham, England]. 1880 September 16.**
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 4pp. 8 × 5.
Scope and Content Note
Stationery monogrammed: B.H.
With this: Original envelope, addressed, stamped and canceled.

**Box 1**

**B.H., London, 15 Upper Hamilton Terrace, N.W., to My dear Pemberton [Thomas Edgar Pemberton]. 1881 December 1.**
Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 4pp. 8 × 5.
Scope and Content Note
Stationery monogrammed: B.H.
Box 1

**B.H., to [Thomas Edgar Pemberton]. 1881 [December 2-]**

Physical Description: Autograph card signed. 4.75 × 3.25.

Scope and Content Note
Christmas card with wishes and signature by Bret Harte.

Box 1

**B.H., to My dear Pemberton [Thomas Edgar Pemberton. 2 Norfolk Road, Edgehasten, Birmingham]. 1883 February 7.**

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 7pp. 8.25 × 5.

Scope and Content Note
With this: Original envelope, addressed, stamped and canceled.

Box 1


Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2pp. 18 × 11cm.

Box 1

**B.H., to My dear Pemberton [Thomas Edgar Pemberton. 2 Norfolk Road, Edgehasten, Birmingham]. 1883 February 7.**

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 7pp. 8.25 × 5.

Scope and Content Note
With this: Original envelope, addressed, stamped and canceled.

Box 1

**B.H., Camberley, Surrey [England] to My dear Pemberton [Thomas Edgar Pemberton]. 1900 August 23 b.**

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2pp. 17.5 × 11cm.

Box 1

**Scribner & Company, New York**

*Scribner & Company, New York. 1875 May 15 b.*

Physical Description: Document signed. 2 leaves. 8 × 5.

Scope and Content Note
Signed for Scribner & Company, New York, by E. Bliss, Jr., President.

Box 1

**Walsworth, E.B.**

*F.B. Harte, San Franc[is]co, to Reverend E.B. Walsworth. 1864 March 2.*

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 2 leaves. 8 × 5.

Box 1

**Whipple, Edwin Percy, 1819-1886**

*Fr. Bret Harte, San Francisco, to E.P. Whipple, Boston. 1865 October 29.*

Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 11pp. 7 × 4.5.

Scope and Content Note
Photostatic copy in Morse Catalogue, vol.1 with entry for *In Memoriam...* 1864.
[Miscellaneous Correspondence]

Box 1

- **[Bret Harte] to [?]. 1865-1882.**
  - Physical Description: Autograph letter (fragment?) 1 leaf. 5 × 4.
  - Scope and Content Note
    - Letter trimmed.

Box 2

- **Letter to James Anthony Froude. London, May 22, 1889.**
  - Physical Description: 6pp. 17.5 × 11cm. Holograph.
  - Scope and Content Note
    - In a red silk case.

- **Letters to Various Persons. v.p., v.d.**
  - Physical Description: 15 items. Holograph.
  - Scope and Content Note
    - 1 letter to Frank Bliss of the American Publishing Company, June 26, 1875.
    - 3 letters tp Chatto and Whindus, 1878-1890.
    - 1 letter to W.A. Searer, May 26, 1880.
    - 1 letter to Dear Sir, October 27, 1880.
    - 1 letter to Miss Evelyn Coleman, August 28, 1882.
    - 1 letter to Mr. Austin, May 27, 1887.
    - 1 letter to Mackenzie Bell, June 27, 1887.
    - 1 letter to Dear Sir, April 29, 1890.
    - 1 letter, with enclosure, to the Editor, Windsor Magazine, December 14, 1898.
    - 1 letter to Dear Sir, n.d.
    - 1 letter to Mrs. Van Wait, n.d.
    - 1 letter to Miss Higgins, October 13 [no year]

Box 1

- **Fr. Bret Harte, San Francisco, to E.P. Whipple Boston. 1865 October 29.**
  - Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 11pp. 7 × 4.5.
  - Scope and Content Note
    - Photostatic copy in Morse Catalogue, vol.1 with entry for In Memoriam... 1864.

- **Bettit, United States Consulate, Glasgow, to My dear Cousin Jessie. 1882 February 18.**
  - Physical Description: Autograph letter signed. 8pp. 7 × 4.5.
  - Scope and Content Note
    - Reference is made to completion of dramatized version of his Thankful blossom.

[Miscellaneous Manuscripts]

Box 2

- **Letters to the Boyds [Alexander Stuart Boyd and Mary Stuart Boyd] 1885-1901.**
  - Physical Description: 106 letters in 3 vol. 24.5cm.
  - Scope and Content Note
    - Binder's title.
    - Arrangement
      - Letters are mounted on stiff blue paper of uniform size and arranged and numbered chronologically; most of the letters accompanied by envelopes.
      - In cloth folders in brown cloth slip cases.
      - Calling card and four enclosures not included in the numbering.
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