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Undetermined.

Scope and Content of Collection
The collection contains an 1834 book of common prayer (given to James B. Storer by his father in 1844), photographs of Storer and his family, an 1853-1866 diary (Storer was in California during the Civil War), an 1866 commission in the California national guard, and later bills and receipts (Riverhead, Long Island, New York), ca. 1872-1890.
Box 1: 1  Bills and Receipts, ca. 1872 - 1890
    Abstract: [Some addressed to Mrs. Ann M. Storer, Riverhead, Long Island, New York]

Box 1: 2  Book of Common Prayer, 1834
    Abstract: [Given to Storer by his father in 1844]

Box 1: 3  Diary, 1853 - 1866
    Abstract: [First entry, April 5, 1853, enroute to California; in California during the Civil War; 1866 to New York - most entries very brief, indicating where he was or where he was heading]

Box 1: 4  Cabinet card (in horse-drawn carriage), Stockton, CA, 1880
Box 1: 4  Carte de visite (in uniform), 1864
Box 1: 4  Lithograph - from a photograph taken in 1874, 1874
Box 1: 4  Oval portrait (in uniform), San Francisco, 1864
Box 1: 4 - 5  Photographs
Box 1: 4  Storer
Box 1: 5  Family - 9 images, unidentified, some from Brooklyn and Riverhead studios, n.d.
    Abstract: [Signed by the Governor, Secretary of State, and Adjutant General of California]

Box 1: 6  [Map drawer 1/6] Photograph of officers of Washington Guard, C.M. (incl. Capt. J. B. Storer), ca. 1860s
Box 1: 6  Oversize (in map cabinet)