

Guide to the Edwin Hale Abbot Family Papers

MS 27



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Collection Overview

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CREATOR: Abbot, Edwin Hale, 1834-1927

TITLE: Edwin Hale Abbot family papers

DATES: 1787-1933

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: 51.5 linear feet

LANGUAGE: English

SUMMARY: The papers contain correspondence, letterpress copybooks, legal and financial documents, diaries, maps, blueprints, and photographs, the bulk of which documents the personal life and law and business careers of Edwin Hale Abbot.

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Key to the container abbreviations used in the PDF finding aid:

b. box
f. folder

Administrative Information

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Purchased in 1957 from Edward Merrill & Son.

Conditions Governing Access

The materials are open for research.

Conditions Governing Use

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Preferred Citation

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Other Finding Aids

For a partial listing of the outgoing correspondence of Edwin Hale Abbot, please consult the [Correspondence Index](#).

Biographical / Historical

Edwin Hale Abbot was born in Beverly, Massachusetts, in 1834, the son of Joseph Hale and Frances Ellingwood Larcom Abbot, and brother of Henry Larcom, Francis Ellingwood and Edward Stanley Abbot. He was educated at the Boston Latin School (1846-1851) and Harvard, where he was secretary of his class and where he received the A.B. (1855), the A.M. (1858), and the LL.B. (1862). In 1859 Abbot married Mary Carter, who died the following year. His marriage to Martha T. Steele in 1866 produced two sons, Philip Stanley and Edwin Hale, Jr., and an adopted daughter, Constance.

Abbot practiced law in Boston from 1862 to 1876. After 1876 railroad and corporate litigation and affairs in the midwestern United States dominated his legal practice. From 1873, when he became general solicitor for the Wisconsin Central Railroad, until 1909 when he retired as President of the Wisconsin Central Company, Abbot was instrumental in the development of railroad lines, terminals, and mines in Wisconsin, Illinois, Michigan, and Minnesota. Much of this development centered in Milwaukee, Wisconsin, where the Wisconsin Central Company was based. He was responsible for construction of the Grand Central Station and terminal in Chicago, the establishment of the first car-ferry for entire trains across Lake Michigan, and the uniting of all Wisconsin Central railroads into one company. His Wisconsin Central Plan (1879), by which control of the corporation was vested in bondholders through reservation to them of voting power on stock, had a major impact on subsequent corporate organization theory and practice.

In addition, Abbot was president of the Central Car Company, the Milwaukee Property Company, and the Foreign McKenna Process Company, a division of the American McKenna Process Company.

Abbot's business associates included John Lathrop, Leonard A. Jones, Charles L. Colby, Gardner Colby, William Wallace Crapo, Henry F. Spencer, Frederick Abbot, Frederick Weil, and his sons Philip Stanley and Edwin Hale Abbot, Jr.

Law editor of the *Boston Daily Advertiser* from 1862 until 1870, Abbot was also a contributor to the *North American Review*, the *New Jerusalem Magazine*, and the *American Law Review*. He wrote two works, *A Review of the Report Upon the Physics and Hydraulics of the Mississippi* (1862) and *Phillips Brooks House* (1900). He lectured at Harvard College, the University of Chicago, the University of Wisconsin, and other educational institutions.

With the exception of a number of years as a resident of Milwaukee, Wisconsin (c. 1876), Abbot lived his adult life in Cambridge, Massachusetts. He died in 1927.

Scope and Contents

The Edwin Hale Abbot Family papers contain correspondence, letterpress copybooks, legal and financial documents, diaries, maps, blueprints, and photographs, the bulk of which documents the personal life, law and business careers of Edwin Hale Abbot.

Correspondence, diaries, legal and financial documents and photographs document the social and family business activities of members of Abbot and his immediate and extended family. Personal records of non-family members for whom Abbot acted as estate executor are contained in the papers. Of particular note are Edwin Hale Abbot's diaries and correspondence from his years at Harvard and correspondence between Edward Stanley Abbot and family and friends during his Civil War duty as a Union soldier before his death at Gettysburg.

Edwin Hale Abbot's professional career is documented in correspondence, letterpress copybooks, legal and financial documents, minutes of meetings, maps, architectural drawings, and photographs. The bulk of these materials are the records of the railroad, mining, real estate and other companies in which Abbot was actively involved. These include the Wisconsin Central Railroad, the Wisconsin Car Company, the Chicago and Great Western Railroad, the Chicago, Wisconsin and Minnesota Railroad, the Foreign McKenna Process Company, and others. The materials also document the development of the midwestern United States (particularly Chicago and Milwaukee) and the method of construction and operation of various railroads from 1870 to 1904. Maps, blueprints and photographs of rail lines, railroad stations, mines and steel mills provide visual documentation.

The material was purchased in 1957 from Edward Morril and Son. The 49.5 linear feet of papers are arranged by type and form of material in ten series.

Series I: The chronologically arranged GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE (1847-1933) relates to personal and business matters of Edwin Hale Abbot and his immediate and extended family. The bulk of the personal correspondence dates to 1870 and includes letters sent and received by Edwin Hale Abbot, Mary Carter Abbot, Edward Stanley Abbot, Martha Steele Abbot, Henry Larcom Abbot, Abby Steele and other family members and friends. After 1870 letters relating to Edwin Hale Abbot's law and business interests dominate the correspondence. Correspondence dated after 1927 relates to Edwin Hale Abbot Jr.'s business activities.

Series II: LETTERPRESS COPYBOOKS (1856-1917) is arranged alphabetically by individual or company name. The bulk of the copybooks relates to the Wisconsin Central Railroad and associated lines. Planning, construction and administration of the railroads is documented in the copybooks which were maintained by Abbot and other company administrators.

Series III: BUSINESS PAPERS (1787-1933) consists of legal and financial documents which are arranged chronologically. Documents dating from 1787-1870 relate to Abbot, Larcom and Steele family business and consist primarily of land deeds, insurance policies and wills. Financial and legal records document Edwin Hale Abbot's early law career. The bulk of the material dating from 1870-1933 relates to the railroad, mining, property and steel concerns of Edwin Hale Abbot, and consists of annual reports, legal proceedings, and financial reports.

Series IV: VOLUMES (1836-1915) contains a variety of types of bound documents, the bulk of which relates to the business and personal interests of Edwin Hale Abbot. This series is arranged in three subseries: Railroads, Mines and Businesses, Legal Cases, and Personal Records.

Railroads, Mines and Businesses is arranged by size (general and over-size) and contains cash books, day books, financial ledgers, minutes of meetings, stock certificates, stock ledgers, and other bound documents relating to Edwin Hale Abbot's business interests. Particularly well represented are the Wisconsin Central Railroad and its associated lines, the American McKenna Process Company, and the English McKenna

Process Company. A scrapbook containing clippings from New York, Boston, Milwaukee and other cities documents the activities of Abbot and his railroad business associates from 1885-1887.

Legal Cases contains transcripts of legal proceedings and materials relating to civil suits in which Abbot was involved personally (as an attorney) or corporately. The materials are arranged alphabetically by name of plaintiff.

Personal Records consists of diaries, account, bank, and cash books and other materials of Edwin Hale Abbot, members of his family and business associates which are arranged alphabetically by name.

Series V: MAPS, BLUEPRINTS, AND DRAWINGS (1828-1929) is arranged in three subseries: Railroads, Mines, and Businesses, Regions and Personal Property and Miscellaneous.

The bulk of material in the subseries Railroads, Mines, and Businesses consists of blueprints and drawings of railyards, railroad stations and mining sites which are arranged alphabetically by company name.

Regions contains maps of Wisconsin, Michigan, Washington, and other states, many of which denote rail lines. These are arranged alphabetically by state.

Personal Property and Miscellaneous contains maps and drawings of property owned by the Abbot and Steele families. Civil War maps of the South with a letter from General Samuel Cooper to the Confederate War Department are also contained within this subseries.

Series VI: FINANCIAL AND LEGAL PAPERS (1833-1928) is arranged in two subseries: Railroads, Mines, and Businesses and Personal Records.

Railroads, Mines, and Businesses includes company financial reports, articles of agreement, and stock and bond certificates which are arranged by company name.

Personal Records consists of insurance certificates and Harvard College bills of Edwin Hale Abbot, and correspondence, legal documents, and wills relating to Abbot, Steele and Carter family property in Massachusetts and Maine. This material is arranged by name and type of material.

Series VII: PHOTOGRAPHS (1845-1914) is arranged in two subseries: Railroads and Businesses and Family and Miscellanea.

Railroads and Businesses contains photo prints relating to the construction of the Grand Central Passenger railroad station in Chicago, the Manitowoc Wisconsin terminal yard and harbor, rail lines in Wisconsin, and to activities of other businesses.

Family and Miscellanea contains photograph albums and loose photo prints of members of the Abbot family and others. A guide to a series of numbered photographs and genealogical notes provides detailed descriptions of Abbot family members, homes, and properties. Both the guide and the majority of numbered photographs are undated, however. Five folders of undated miscellaneous and unidentified individuals and locations are contained within this subseries.

Series VIII: PHILLIPS BROOKS HOUSE (1890-1910). The bulk of this series consists of the chronologically arranged correspondence of Edwin Hale Abbot relating to the fund drive and dedication ceremony for the Phillips Brooks House at Harvard.

Series IX: MEMORABILIA AND PERSONAL PAPERS (1861-1894) contains railroad passes and tickets, greeting cards and two literary productions: a poem, "Ne-Con-Dis" (1894), and an undated typescript, "Joseph Hale Abbot, 1802-1873" by William F. Abbot which contains copies of correspondence and biographical notes of Joseph Hale Abbot.

Series X: OVERSIZE (1808-1931) is arranged in two subseries: Maps, Blueprints and Drawings and Financial and Legal Papers.

Maps, Blueprints, and Drawings contains materials relating to railroad and mining companies. One folder (767) contains photographs and financial and legal papers relating to the Colby and Abbot building in Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Financial and Legal Papers contains documents relating to railroads, mines and businesses, and personal records (insurance policies, passports, property records) of Abbot family members and Charles L. Colby and Gardner Colby. The materials are arranged by personal name and type of document.

Partial List of Correspondence

Partial List of Outgoing Correspondence of Edwin Hale Abbot, 1834-1928

1 typed letter signed to Abiel Abbot; 1890 February 5
83 autograph letters signed to Edward Stanley Abbot, 1841-1863; 1850-1863, Boston
1 autograph letter signed and 1 typed letter signed to Francis Ellingwood Abbot, 1836-1903; 1882 October 10, no place; 1900 March 2, Boston
1 autograph letter signed and 61 typed letters signed to Frederick Vaughan Abbot; 1877-1902, various places
4 autograph letters signed to Mrs. Henry Everette Abbot; 1862 May 3, 13, 17; 1869 September 8
4 autograph letters signed to Henry Larcom Abbot, 1831-1927; 1855 January 19, Boston; 1862 March 10, 27; 1863 July 7
9 autograph letters signed to Mrs. Henry L. Abbot; 1862 January 6, March 14, 17, 21, 25, April 20, 21, 26, May 1, various places
1 autograph letter signed to Joseph Hale Abbot, 1802-1873; 1853 August 10
200 autograph letters signed to Martha (Steele) Abbot; 1864-1883, various places
117 autograph letters signed to Mary (Carter) Abbot; 1857-1859, various places
3 autograph letters signed and 2 typed letters signed to Philip S. Abbot, 1867-1896; 1886 December 23; 1892 August 14, 17; 1895 April 2; 1896 January 24
7 autograph letters signed (4 copies) to Alexander Agassiz, 1835-1910; 1874 June 26; 1875 July 17; 1876 January 31, July 1; 1878 June 24; 1896 February 25, March 3
1 autograph letter signed and 2 typed letters signed to H.S. Boutelle; 1888 June 9, 13, 14, July 9
2 typed letters signed to Louis D. Brandeis, 1856-1941; 1898 December 24; 1904 February 4
1 autograph letter signed to Mathew Bridge; 1852 December 31, Wilton
1 autograph letter signed to Philips Brooks, 1835-1893; 1875 August 17
2 autograph letters signed to Viscount James Bryce, 1838-1922; 1887 March 5, 20
1 typed letter signed to Charles L. Burnham; 1890 December 3
3 autograph letters signed to Mrs. T.H. Carter; 1861 March 6; 1864 July 18; 1865 February 12
21 typed letters signed to Francis J. Child, 1825-1896; 1886-1896, various places
2 typed letters signed to Charles L. Colby; 1891 February 11; 1892 April 11
2 autograph letters signed to Gardiner Colby, 1810-1879; 1873 July 19; 1874 June 22
1 typed letter signed to Joseph L. Colby; 1891 December 2
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4 autograph letters signed to Col. John H. Knight; 1882 September 1, 4, October 19; 1883 August 30
1 autograph letter signed to Bessie Parsons; 1855 October 1
1 typed letter (copy) to Henry L. Peterson; 1918 October 9, Boston; 1 autograph letter signed (copy), 1919 January 24; 1 typed letter signed (copy), 1918 July 22, August 27
1 typed letter signed to R.H. Ralston; 1891 October 20
1 typed letter (copy) to P.R. Sanborn; 1918 October 4, Boston
1 autograph letter signed and 1 typed letter signed to Henry F. Spencer; 1883 February 14; 1891 October 20
63 autograph letters signed to Abby Steele; 1871-1877, various places
1 autograph letter signed and 6 typed letters signed to John A. Stewart, 1846-1933; 1886 October 18; 1893 September 19; 1896 March 5, July 11, December 3; 1898 May 21, 24
1 autograph letter signed to Arthur Reed; 1865 November 29, December 5
1 autograph letter signed to George Reed; 1880 July 16, Milwaukee
25 typed letters signed to Edgar J. Tapping; 1908-1913, various places
1 typed letter signed to Robert B. Tweedy; 1896 January 1, November 30
1 autograph letter signed to Abbot A. Vaughn; 1877 March 20
3 autograph letters signed to Mrs. A.A. (Emily Abbot) Vaughn; 1852 November 21, various places; 1853 January 20; 1880 November 4

1 autograph letter signed to D.S. Wegg; 1889 April 22; 1 typed letter signed; 1891 February 10
1 typed letter (copy) to Benjamin M. Weil; 1918 September 21, October 10, Boston, November 18
1 autograph letter signed to Ellen Wellman; 1858 March 10, Mary 13, various places; 1859 December
26; 1861 January 4, April 13
16 typed letters signed and 2 telegrams to Henry F. Whitcomb; 1894 March 19; 1895 March 20, April
22; 1896 January 16, 24, 25, March 28, November 2, 12, 16, December 18, 30; 1897 January 7, 13, April
26; May 5, 26, July 30
6 autograph letters signed to Harold Whiting; 1887 February 21, March 1, 3, 11, 12, April 9
1 autograph letter signed to David Wilder; 1861 February 17
2 autograph letters signed and 39 typed letters signed to Sarah L. Woodberry; 1889-1899, various
places
1 typed letter signed to Capt. G.A. Zinn; 1896 January 1

Partial List of Incoming Correspondence of Edwin Hale Abbot, 1834-1928

Child, Francis James, 1825-1896; 15 autograph letters signed to Edwin Hale Abbot: 1892 February
7, various places; 1893 June 20, July 4, August 4, October 4, 9; 1894 May 11, June 23, 24, July 10; 1895
January 4, April 28, May 2; 1896 May 9, 19

Outgoing Correspondence of Henry Larcom Abbot, 1831-1927

56 autograph letters signed to Edwin Hale Abbot, 1834-1928; 1856 April 13, June 8, August, October
18, Washington, November 9, 19, December 14, 31; 1857 January 6, 14, February 8, 17, March 1, 8, 13,
April 29, May 13, 24, 28, 20, June 29, July 12, 20, August 30, September 27, October 11, November 27;
1858 January 24, April 9, May 11, June 4, 10, July 7; 1859 January 3, April 10, May 1, July 18, December
18; 1863 January 20, July 8 (telegram), Various places; 1864 January 3, 4, 17, 31, February 13, May 22,
November 13; 1865 April 4, 13; 1866 December 18; 1867 April 4; 1871 July 16; 1896 January 25, 28

Arrangement

Arranged in ten series and one addition: I. General Correspondence, 1847-1933. II. Letterpress Copybooks, 1856-1917. III. Business Papers, 1787-1933. IV. Volumes, 1836-1915. V. Maps, Blueprints, and Drawings, 1828-1929. VI. Financial and Legal Papers, 1833-1928. VII. Photographs, 1845-1914. VIII. Phillips Brooks House, 1890-1910. IX. Memorabilia and Personal Papers, 1861-1894. X. Oversize, 1808-1931.

Collection Contents

Series I: CORRESPONDENCE, 1847-1933

5.5' (13 boxes)

This series contains material arranged chronologically.

b. 1, f. 1-9	1847 - 1859 July	1847 - 1859 July
b. 2, f. 10-16	1859 August - 1862	1859 August - 1862
b. 3, f. 17-23	1863 - 1868	1863 - 1868
b. 4, f. 24-31	1869 - 1872 August	1869 - 1872 August
b. 5, f. 32-42	1872 September - 1883	1872 September - 1883
b. 6, f. 43-49	1884 - 1891 January	1884 - 1891 January
b. 7, f. 50-59	1891 February - 1894	1891 February - 1894
b. 8, f. 60-75	1895 - 1897 May	1895 - 1897 May
b. 9, f. 76-94	1897 June - 1899 March	1897 June - 1899 March
b. 10, f. 95-112	1899 April - 1902 December	1899 April - 1902 December
b. 11, f. 113-127	1903 February - 1917 December	1903 February - 1917 December
b. 12, f. 128-137	1918 - 1933	1918 - 1933
b. 13, f. 138-141	Undated	Undated

Series II: LETTERPRESS COPYBOOKS, 1856-1917*6' (17 boxes)*

This series contains material arranged chronologically within alphabetized subject files.

Abbot, Edwin Hale		
b. 14, f. 142-144	1857-1875	1857-1875
b. 15, f. 145-146	1865-1874	1865-1874
b. 16, f. 147-149a	1866-1885	1866-1885
b. 17, f. 150	Abbot, Philip Stanley	1895-1896
Abbot and Jones		
b. 17, f. 151-152	1867-1872	1867-1872
b. 18, f. 153	1870-1871	1870-1871
b. 19, f. 154-155	1871-1874	1871-1874
b. 20, f. 156	American McKenna Process Company	1901-1917
Central Car Company		
b. 20, f. 157	1886-1892	1886-1892
b. 21, f. 158	1891-1900	1891-1900
b. 22, f. 159	1898-1899	1898-1899
Chicago and Great Western Railroad		
b. 23, f. 160-163	1886-1887	1886-1887
b. 24, f. 164-166	1887-1889	1887-1889
b. 25, f. 167-169	St. Paul and St. Croix Railroad and St. Croix and Chippewa Falls Railroad	1884-1885
b. 26, f. 170	Wisconsin and Minnesota Railroad	1880-1884
Wisconsin Central Companies		
b. 27, f. 171-173	1889-1895	1889-1895
b. 28, f. 174-175	1893-1898	1893-1898
b. 29, f. 176	Wisconsin Central Lines	1886-1887
Wisconsin Central Railroad		
b. 30, f. 177-178	1880-1881	1880-1881
b. 30, f. 179	No folder	

Series III: BUSINESS PAPERS, 1787-1933

9' (22 boxes)

This series contains material arranged chronologically.

b. 31, f. 180-188	1787 - 1859	1787 - 1859
b. 32, f. 189-196	1860 - 1871	1860 - 1871
b. 33, f. 197-203	1872 - 1875	1872 - 1875
b. 34, f. 204-211	1876 - 1879	1876 - 1879
b. 35, f. 212-219	1880-1882	1880-1882
b. 36, f. 220-227	1883-1886 August	1883-1886 August
b. 37, f. 228-235	1886 September-1887	1886 September-1887
b. 38, f. 236-242	1888-1889 September	1888-1889 September
b. 39, f. 243-248	1889 October-1891	1889 October-1891
b. 40, f. 249-257	1892-1894 May 21	1892-1894 May 21
b. 41, f. 258-264	1894 May 22 - 1895 June	1894 May 22 - 1895 June
b. 42, f. 265-270	1895 July - 1896 May	1895 July - 1896 May
b. 43, f. 271-277	1896 June - 1897 August	1896 June - 1897 August
b. 44, f. 278-283	1897 September - 1898 August	1897 September - 1898 August
b. 45, f. 284-294	1898 September - 1899	1898 September - 1899
b. 46, f. 295-305	1900-1903 July	1900-1903 July
b. 47, f. 306-318	1903 August - 1905	1903 August - 1905
b. 48, f. 319-328	1906 - 1910	1906 - 1910
b. 49, f. 329-336	1911 - 1925	1911 - 1925
b. 50, f. 337-345	1926 - 1931 June	1926 - 1931 June
b. 51, f. 346-355	1931 July-1933, undated	1931 July-1933, undated

b. 52, f. 356-365 undated

undated

Series IV: VOLUMES, 1836-1915*15' (55 boxes)*

This series contains general and oversize material arranged alphabetically by company or personal name within three subseries: Railroads, Mines, and Businesses, Legal Cases and Personal Records.

Railroads, Mines, and Businesses

General

Abbot & Hayes, Agents

b. 53, f. 366	Cash book: gold mine and ranch	1896
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Abbot & Jones

b. 53, f. 367	Cash book	1867-1871
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b. 53, f. 368	Day book	1867-1872
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b. 53, f. 369	Index, "Finished Papers"	1867, undated
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b. 53, f. 370	Journal	1873
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b. 54, f. 371-373	Records of Boston estates	Circa 1868-1873
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Ashland Iron Mining Company

b. 55, f. 374	Stock ledger	1884-1887
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Central Car Company

b. 55, f. 375-377	Minutes	1879-1899
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Chicago & Great Western Railroad Company

b. 55, f. 378	Minutes	1867-1885
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b. 55, f. 379	Minutes and maps	1889
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b. 56, f. 380	Minutes and maps	1889
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b. 56, f. 381	Stock certificates	1884-1885
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Chicago and Northern Pacific Railroad Company and Chicago and Calumet Terminal Railway Company

b. 56, f. 382	Charters, ordinances, and other documents	1892
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Chicago South Branch Dock Company

b. 56, f. 383	Stock certificates	1887
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b. 56, f. 384	Stock ledger	1871-1887
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Chicago, Wisconsin and Minnesota Railroad Company

b. 57, f. 385	Auditor's statements	1887-1888
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b. 57, f. 386	Cash book and journal	1890-1899
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Railroads, Mines, and Businesses > General > Chicago, Wisconsin and Minnesota Railroad Company
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b. 57, f. 387	Minutes	1892-1899
b. 57, f. 388	Stock ledger	1886-1892
b. 57, f. 389	Stock transfers	1886
Colby, Abbot & Hoyt, Trustees		
b. 58, f. 390	Cash book: "Chicago Account"	1885-1889
b. 58, f. 391	Cash book: Wisconsin Central Company	1887-1890
b. 58, f. 392	Journal	1885-1889
b. 58, f. 393	Journal: for Wisconsin Central Company	1888-1891
b. 58, f. 394	Ledger	1885-1889
b. 59, f. 395	Ledger: Wisconsin Central Company	1887-1891
b. 59, f. 396	Mortgage notes: Grand Central Passenger Station (Chicago), Chicago & Great Western Railroad Company	1888-1890
b. 59, f. 397	Stock ledger: Chicago & Great Western Railroad Company	1885-1886
b. 59, f. 398	Stock ledger: Chicago, Wisconsin and Minnesota Railroad Company	1886
Colby, Finney & Company		
b. 59, f. 399	Account book	1888-1890
English McKenna Process Company		
b. 60, f. 400	Articles of association	1903
b. 60, f. 401	Cash book	1904-1908
b. 60, f. 402	Journal	1904-1908
b. 60, f. 403	Ledger	1904-1908
b. 60, f. 404	Notes registers	1909-1911
b. 61, f. 405	Receipts: trustee-certificates	1903-1905
b. 61, f. 406	Report: mill sites	1902
b. 61, f. 407	Scrip-certificates	1905-1908
b. 61, f. 408-409	Stock registers	1905-1910
b. 62, f. 410-411	Vouchers	1903-1909
Hoosac Quarry Company		
b. 62, f. 412	Stock ledger	1872
Lake Washington Belt Line Company		

Railroads, Mines, and Businesses > General > Lake Washington Belt Line Company (continued)

b. 62, f. 413	Journal	1909-1912
	Lathrop, Abbot & Jones	
b. 63, f. 414	Cash book	1870-1874
b. 63, f. 415-416	Journals	1870-1874
b. 64, f. 417	Ledger	1870-1874
	Manitowoc and Minnesota Railroad Company	
b. 64, f. 418	Minutes	1868-1871
	Milwaukee & Lake Winnebagon Railroad Company	
b. 64, f. 419	Cash book and journal	1890-1899
	Construction accounts: Manitowoc Division	
b. 64, f. 420	Journal	1896-1897
b. 65, f. 421	Ledger	1896-1897
b. 65, f. 422	Journal	1882-1893
b. 65, f. 423	Minutes	1892-1898
b. 65, f. 424	Stock certificates	1896
	Minnesota, St. Croix and Wisconsin Railroad Company	
b. 65, f. 425	Auditor's statements	1885-1888
b. 66, f. 426	Contracts	1884
b. 66, f. 427	Journal	1884-1890
b. 66, f. 128	Ledger, with correspondence	1884-1890
b. 66, f. 429	List of bonds	1884-1885
	Penokee & Gogebic Development Company	
b. 66, f. 430	Stock transfers	1884-1887
	Penokee Railroad Company	
b. 66, f. 431	Auditor's statements	1887-1888
	Phillips & Colby Construction Company	
b. 66, f. 432	Stock ledger	1878
b. 67, f. 433	Portage, Winnebago and Superior Railroad Company	
b. 67, f. 433	Legal Records	
b. 67, f. 433a-435	Minutes	1869-1876

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Shea and George Dock Company		
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b. 87, f. 499	Stock certificates	1905-1910
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b. 87, f. 501	Stock certificates	1891
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b. 87, f. 502	Stock certificates	1885-1888
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b. 87, f. 503	Stock certificates	1890
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b. 87, f. 504	Stock certificates	1890-1894
b. 88, f. 505	Stock certificates	1890-1896
Penoque & Gogebic Development Company		
b. 88, f. 506-507	Stock certificates	1884-1891
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b. 93, f. 525-530	pp. 1084-3408, indexes, miscellanea	
b. 94, f. 531	Arguments before A. L. Cary	
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b. 102, f. 565	Notes receivable	1874-1881, 1886-1887
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b. 104, f. 569	Notebook on English history	undated
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b. 104, f. 573	Journal kept for her son, E. H. Abbot	1836
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b. 104, f. 574	Bank book kept as Charles L. Colby's trustee	1894-1896

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b. 105, f. 580	Memorandum book	1884
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b. 107, f. 588	Trustees' cash book journal and ledger	1899-1909
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b. 108, f. 595	American Steel Barge Company, Wisconsin: proposed steamer for carrying railroad cars	1894, undated
b. 108, f. 596-598	Ashland Iron Mining Company, Wisconsin	1888-1896, undated
b. 108, f. 599	Aurora Iron Mining Company, Michigan	1890-1891
b. 108, f. 600	Bessemer Mine, Michigan	1885
	Chicago & Great Western Railroad Company, and others: Grand Central Passenger Station and yard, Chicago	
b. 108, f. 601-602	1874, 1885-1888	1874, 1885-1888
b. 109, f. 603-605	1889, undated	1889, undated
b. 109, f. 606	Chicago and Western Indiana Railroad, and Belt Railway of Chicago	undated
b. 109, f. 607	Colby Mine and Tilden Mine, Michigan	undated
b. 109, f. 608	Comet Mining Company, Michigan	1891
b. 109, f. 609-610	English McKenna Process Company, Poulton cum Seacombe, Chester, England	1899-1903, undated
b. 109, f. 611	Even Wear Rail Joint	1929
b. 110, f. 612	Flint & Pere Marquette Railroad, Wisconsin and Michigan	undated
b. 110, f. 613	Lake Washington Belt Line Company, Washington	1890, undated
	Milwaukee & Lake Winnebago Railroad Company, and others: Manitowoc, Wisconsin, terminal yard and harbor	
b. 110, f. 614-618	1895-1898, undated	1895-1898, undated
b. 111, f. 619	undated	undated
b. 111, f. 620	Milwaukee Line [Milwaukee & Lake Winnebago Railroad Company?]	1890
b. 111, f. 621	Palms Iron Mining Company, Michigan	1891
b. 111, f. 622	Penokee & Gogebic Development Company, Wisconsin and Michigan	1890
b. 111, f. 623	Superior Mining Company, Wisconsin	1891
	Wisconsin Central Company and Wisconsin Central Railroad Company	

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b. 111, f. 624-627	General and miscellaneous	1875, 1882-1898, undated
b. 112, f. 628-631	Ashland-Wheeling	1882-1898, n.d
Miscellaneous and unidentified		
b. 112, f. 632	Railroad maps	undated
b. 112, f. 633	Railroad stations and office buildings	undated
b. 113, f. 634	Railroad stations and office buildings	undated
<u>Regions</u>		
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b. 113, f. 636	Minnesota: St. Paul	1886, 1891, undated
b. 113, f. 637	Washington	1888-1896, undated
b. 113, f. 638	West Virginia	1864
Wisconsin		
b. 113, f. 639	General and miscellaneous	1866, 1875, 1881-1888
b. 114, f. 640	General and miscellaneous	1889-1894, 1906, undated
b. 114, f. 641	Abbotsford	1900, 1902, undated
b. 114, f. 642	Milwaukee	1883-1892, undated
b. 114, f. 643	Wisconsin and Michigan	1883, 1886, undated
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b. 114, f. 646	Massachusetts	1864-1911, undated
b. 114, f. 647	Unidentified	1828, 1836, 1868, undated

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b. 115, f. 649	Ashland Iron Mining Company	1871-1887, undated
b. 115, f. 650	Aurora Iron Mining Company	1889
b. 115, f. 651	Central Car Company	1899
b. 115, f. 652-654	Chicago & Great Western Railroad Company	1873, 1885-1890, undated
b. 115, f. 655-656	Chicago and Northern Pacific Railroad Company	1892-1893
b. 116, f. 657	Chicago South Branch Dock Company	1876
b. 116, f. 658	Chicago, Wisconsin and Minnesota Railroad Company	1885-1886, undated
b. 116, f. 659	Consolidated Colby Mines	1887
b. 116, f. 660-661	Everett Land Company, Washington	1891-1900
b. 116, f. 662	Kanawha [Canal?] Coal Mining and Oil Manufacturing Company, West Virginia	1865
	Lake Washington Belt Line Company	
b. 116, f. 663-664	1890-1892	1890-1892
b. 117, f. 665-669	1893-1901, undated	1893-1901, undated
b. 120, f. 670	Manitowoc and Western Railroad Company	1895-1896
b. 118, f. 671	Manitowoc Land Improvement Company	1895-1900
b. 118, f. 672-673	Milwaukee & Lake Winnebago Railroad Company	1882, 1884, 1895-1896, undated
b. 118, f. 674	Minneapolis, Saint Paul and Saint Ste. Marie Railroad Company	1881
b. 118, f. 675	Minnesota, St. Croix and Wisconsin Railroad Company	1884, 1886, undated
b. 118, f. 676	Monte Cristo Mining Company	1892
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b. 119, f. 682	Wisconsin and Minnesota Railroad Company	1880, 1884, 1897, undated
b. 119, f. 683	Wisconsin Central Company and Wisconsin Central Railroad Company	1874-1876, 1885- 1896, undated
b. 119, f. 684	Various companies: stock and bond certificates	1869-1882, undated
b. 120, f. 685-686	Unidentified companies	1862-1875, 1884, 1894-1906, undated

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b. 120, f. 687	Harvard College bills	1860-1861
b. 120, f. 688	Insurance certificates and family agreement	1857, 1867-1870
b. 120, f. 689	Papers concerning Massachusetts property	1863, 1903-1906, undated

Steele family

b. 120, f. 690	Papers concerning Maine property, and miscellanea	1833-1868, 1883, undated
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Railroads and Businesses

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English McKenna Process Company		
b. 122, f. 693	Album	1903-1904
b. 123, f. 694	Album	1904-1907
b. 123, f. 695	Loose photographs	1898, undated
b. 124, f. 696-700	Milwaukee & Lake Winnebago Railroad Company: construction of Manitowoc, Wisconsin, terminal yard and harbor	1896-1897, undated
Wisconsin Central Railroad Company		
b. 125, f. 701	Iron ore yard at Ironwood, Michigan	1894
b. 125, f. 702-703	Views of Wisconsin along the line	undated
<u>Family and Miscellanea</u>		
b. 125, f. 704	Guide to numbered photographs, with genealogical notes	undated
Numbered photographs		
b. 125, f. 705-708	1 - 64	undated
b. 126, f. 709-711	65-112	undated
b. 126, f. 712-714	01-024	Circa 1854-1906
b. 126, f. 715	Abbot, Edward Stanley	undated
b. 126, f. 716	Abbot, Edwin Hale	1855, undated
b. 126, f. 717	Abbot, Mary (Carter)	undated
b. 126, f. 718	Abbot, Philip Stanley	1868-1877, undated
b. 126, f. 719	Abbot, Sarah Otis (Ernst): albums and loose photographs	1898-1899, undated
b. 127, f. 720	Other family members	Circa 1854-1906
b. 127, f. 721-722	Others (non-family)	Circa 1845-1914
Miscellaneous and unidentified		
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b. 131, f. 763-763d	"Jospeh Hale Abbot" by William F. Abbot English	undated
b. 131, f. 764	Printed memorabilia	1861-1878
b. 131, f. 765	Railroad pass and ticket catalogs	undated
b. 132, f. 765	Railroad passes and tickets	undated
b. 133, f. 765	Railroad passes and tickets	undated

Series X: OVERSIZE, 1808-1931*2' (3 boxes)*

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Maps, Blueprints, and Drawings

b. 134, f. 766	Chicago and Northwestern Railway: Oshkosh, Wisconsin, yard	1909
b. 134, f. 767	Colby and Abbot Building, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, with photograph and financial and legal papers	1909, 1920, undated
b. 134, f. 768	Wisconsin Central Depot, Chicago	undated
b. 134, f. 769	Wisconsin: Jones Island resurvey	1914
b. 134, f. 770	Wisconsin and Michigan: Penoque & Gogebic Iron Range	1893

Financial and Legal Papers

Railroads, Mines, and Businesses

b. 135, f. 771	English McKenna Process Company	1902-1903
b. 135, f. 772	Wisconsin Central Company	1887-1897
b. 135, f. 773	Wisconsin Central Railroad Company	1872-1889, undated
b. 135, f. 774	Various companies	1870-1896

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b. 136, f. 775	Colby, Charles L., and Gardner Colby, with engraving	1882, 1900, undated
b. 136, f. 776	Insurance policies	1852-1896
b. 136, f. 777	Passports	1869-1889

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b. 136, f. 781	Michigan	1877, 1887
b. 136, f. 781	Minnesota	1877
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b. 136, f. 782	Ohio	1872

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b. 136, f. 783	Wisconsin	1840-1905
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