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**SUMMARY:** The papers consist of correspondence correspondence, legal and financial documents, printed matter, and other papers of Edwards Pierrepont, attorney, judge, Attorney General of the United States, and minister to Great Britain. Some of the correspondence relates to such questions as Reconstruction, bimetallism, the "whiskey ring" controversy, the Hayes-Tilden election, and the Republican Party. Important correspondents include William Maxwell Evarts, Adelbert Ames, Hamilton Fish, Ulysses S. Grant, William H. Seward, Edwin M. Stanton, and Roscoe Conkling.

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b. box  
f. folder

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## Administrative Information

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### Immediate Source of Acquisition

Purchased in 1964 and 2003.

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### Conditions Governing Access

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## Biographical / Historical

Edwards Pierpont, attorney, judge, Attorney General of the United States, and minister to Great Britain, was born in North Haven, Connecticut, the son of Giles and Eunice (Munson) Pierpont (Edwards later adopted an early family spelling of his surname), March 4, 1817. He attended Yale College, graduating in 1837. Pierpont studied law at the New Haven Law School and was admitted to the bar in 1840. From 1840 to 1841, he was a tutor at Yale. In the latter year he went to Columbus, Ohio, where he became a law partner of Phineas B. Wilcox. In 1846 he moved to New York City and established a successful legal practice. He also became an active worker for the Democratic party and was elected judge of the superior court of New York City in 1857. He was a supporter of the Union cause and helped to organize the War Democrats in support of the reelection of Lincoln in 1864. He returned to the regular Democratic party in the election of 1866, but with the nomination of Seymour and Blair in 1868, he switched his support to Ulysses S. Grant who later appointed him to several offices.

In 1867 Pierpont assisted the United States Attorney General in the prosecution of John H. Surratt for complicity in the assassination of Lincoln. He was a member of the New York state constitutional convention, 1867-1868, and a member of the Committee of Seventy which exposed and attacked the "Tweed ring." Pierpont was appointed Attorney General of the United States in 1875. From 1876 to 1877 he served as minister to Great Britain. In the latter part of his life, Pierpont published many pamphlets on financial questions, most of which advocated the adoption of a bimetallic standard of currency.

Pierpont was married in 1846 to Margaretta Willoughby of Brooklyn, New York. He died on March 6, 1892. (See also the chronology which follows).

### CHRONOLOGY - Pierpont, Edwards, 1817-1892

- 1817                      ○ Born in North Haven, Connecticut, son of Giles and Eunice (Munson) Pierpont; great-great-grandson of the Reverend James Pierpont, a founder of Yale College; christened Edwards Munson Pierpont

**CHRONOLOGY - Pierrepont, Edwards, 1817-1892**

- 1833                   ○ Entered Yale College in the Class of 1837; classmate of William Maxwell Evarts, Benjamin Silliman, Jr., Samuel Jones Tilden, and Morrison Remick Waite.
- 1837                   ○ Graduated from Yale College.
- 1837-1841           ○ Studied law in Columbus, Ohio and at New Haven Law School; served as a tutor in Yale College, 1840-1841.
- 1841-1845           ○ Practiced law in Columbus, Ohio.
- 1846                   ○ Removed to New York City and entered the practice of law; married Margaretta Willoughby.
- 1848                   ○ Daughter, Margaretta Willoughby Pierrepont, born.
- 1857                   ○ Elected Judge of the Superior Court of the City of New York (served 1857-1860).
- 1860                   ○ Son, Edward Pierrepont, born.
- 1862                   ○ Appointed to Special Commission on Prisoners of State, together with John Adams Dix.
- 1864                   ○ Instrumental in organizing War-Democrats in favor of Lincoln's re-election.
- 1867                   ○ Elected a member of the New York State Constitutional Convention; appointed by the United States Attorney General to conduct the prosecution against John H. Surratt, accomplice in the assassination of Abraham Lincoln.
- 1868                   ○ Supported Ulysses S. Grant for president.
- 1869                   ○ Appointed United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York (served 1869-1870).
- 1870                   ○ Member of "Committee of Seventy" against "Tweed ring" in New York.
- 1871                   ○ Named director, counsel, and treasurer of the Texas and Pacific Railroad.
- 1872                   ○ Campaigned for Ulysses S. Grant in the Grant-Greeley presidential contest.
- 1873                   ○ Declined nomination as United States Minister to Russia; awarded an honorary Doctor of Laws degree from Yale College.
- 1875                   ○ Appointed United States Attorney General in the Grant Cabinet (served 1875-1876). Involved in prosecution of the "whiskey ring."
- 1876                   ○ Appointed Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Great Britain (served 1876-1877).
- 1878                   ○ Awarded an honorary D.C.L. from Oxford University; re-entered private practice.
- 1883                   ○ Elected director of the Chicago Central Elevated Railroad Company.
- 1885?                 ○ Death of son, Edward Pierrepont.
- 1892                   ○ Died March 7 in New York City.

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## Scope and Contents

The Edwards Pierrepoint Collection, though quite small, does provide important materials pertaining to various aspects of his professional and personal life. There are also materials relating to the important political issues of the day. The collection is divided into two series: CORRESPONDENCE and SPECIAL FILES. CORRESPONDENCE is divided into two subsections: "General Correspondence" and "Correspondence of Others."

"General Correspondence," which forms the major part of the series, includes letters about legal cases from clients and other lawyers, letters of congratulation on Pierrepoint's appointments to various positions and on speeches he gave or pamphlets he wrote, letters from friends and officials in Great Britain, and letters concerning a published letter of advice written by Pierrepoint to his son, Edward Pierrepoint. In addition, there are letters from Samuel Augustus Willoughby Duffey (1843-1887), Pierrepoint's nephew and a presbyterian minister and hymnologist, and from Samuel Augustus Willoughby, Pierrepoint's father-in-law, for whom Pierrepoint acted as attorney.

Many of the letters Pierrepoint received relate to some of the important political issues of the day. There are, for example, a number of letters from William Maxwell Evarts, a classmate and life-long friend of Pierrepoint's, who became Secretary of State and Attorney General. These include letters concerning Evarts' Civil War mission to England, the impeachment of President Johnson, the Hayes-Tilden election, and political affairs in general. There are also letters from Roscoe Conkling, mainly of a personal nature, but also touching upon the Republican party.

Pierrepoint received a number of letters and telegrams pertaining to the Mississippi crisis, a series of armed uprisings by white vigilantes against the Negro "scalawag" coalition which formed the backbone of Radical Reconstruction in the south. Letters from the following persons are pertinent: Adelbert Ames, governor of Mississippi; Blanche Kelso Bruce; W. W. Dedrick; Hamilton Fish, Secretary of State; President Ulysses S. Grant, and his son, Ulysses S. Grant, Jr. (1852-1929); J. B. Guthrie; Levi P. Luckey, Grant's secretary; W. Noonan, and A. Warner.

Letters pertaining to the "whiskey ring" include those written to Pierrepoint by Benjamin Helm Bristow, Secretary of the Treasury; David Patterson Dyer, United States representative, and President Grant. There are also letters written by Pierrepoint to David Patterson Dyer, Scott Lord, and President Grant.

Letters on the question of bimetallic currency were written to Pierrepoint by J. B. Bick, U. S. Senator; Richard P. Bland; Frederick Augustus Conkling, U. S. Representative; the National Bi-metallic Coinage Association; the National Executive Silver Committee (of which Pierrepoint was a member); Henry E. Pierrepoint; William E. Rogers; William Sawkerner; and William M. Stewart.

Other correspondents of note include Simeon E. Baldwin, jurist and governor of Connecticut; Henry Barnard, first U. S. commissioner of education; James Birney, lawyer and diplomat; George Bliss, U. S. district attorney for the southern district of New York; Simon Cameron, Secretary of War; Edward C. Cannington, U. S. district attorney for Washington; John Adams Dix, governor of New York and United States minister to France; Timothy Dwight, president of Yale College; Marshall O. Roberts, a leading capitalist; William H. Seward, secretary of state; Benjamin Silliman, Jr., chemist; and Edwin M. Stanton, Secretary of War. There is also a letter and printed circular signed by William Marcy Tweed and others.

"Correspondence of Others" consists of letters received by Pierrepoint's wife and a number of business letters received by Alfred H. P. Edwards, whose estate Pierrepoint administered. Correspondents of note, not previously mentioned, includes Noah Davis, U. S. district attorney for the southern district of New York; Frederick William Seward, Undersecretary of State; John Palmer Usher, Secretary of the Interior; and Henry Ward Beecher.

SPECIAL FILES consists primarily of legal and financial documents, newspaper clippings, and copies of printed articles. Most of the legal material pertains to cases in which Pierrepoint acted as attorney. In addition, there are affidavits, contracts, some of which relate to Pierrepoint's private transactions as a property-holder, and papers relating to the estates which Pierrepoint administered. The financial material consists mostly of receipts received by Pierrepoint and his wife, purchases made in Europe. There are

also insurance certificates, promissory notes, and miscellaneous receipts. Of particular interest are two proclamations (1874 and 1875) by President Grant concerning the Mississippi crisis.

A calendar of the important correspondence in the Collection is contained in the Appendix to this Register. Additional important correspondence has been added to the Collection since this calendar was completed.

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## **Arrangement**

Arranged in two series and one addition: I. Correspondence, 1845-1902. II. Special Files, 1813-1902.

## Collection Contents

### Series I: Correspondence, 1845-1902

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CORRESPONDENCE is divided into two subsections: "General Correspondence" and "Correspondence of Others." "General Correspondence" contains letters received by Pierrepont arranged alphabetically by the name of the writer, followed by the letters written by Pierrepont. These are arranged alphabetically by the name of the addressee. Letters within each folder are arranged chronologically.

"Correspondence of Others" is arranged alphabetically by the name of the person to whom the letter is addressed.

A calendar providing more detailed information about selected correspondence from boxes 1-3 in this series is available elsewhere in this finding aid.

<u>General</u>		
b. 1, f. 1	A	1864, 1875– 1876, 1883, 1886, undated
b. 1, f. 2	Ames, Adelbert	1875
b. 1, f. 3	Ba-Bir	1850, 1869, 1874– 1877, 1881, 1885, 1888–1889, undated
b. 1, f. 4	Bis-Bos	1855–1870, 1875–1877, 1885– 1886, n.y.
b. 1, f. 5	Bou-But	1864-1890, n.y.
b. 1, f. 6	Baldwin, Simeon Eben	1874
b. 1, f. 7	Barnard, Henry	1885
b. 1, f. 8	Bick, J. B.	1888
b. 1, f. 9	Birney, James	1850
b. 1, f. 10	Bland, R. P. (Committee on Coinage, Weights and Measures)	1886
b. 1, f. 11	Bliss, George	1875
b. 1, f. 12	Bristow, Benjamin Helm	1873, 1875
b. 1, f. 13	Bruce, Blanche Kelso (and others)	1875
b. 1, f. 14	Ca-Ci	1862–1863, 1869, 1875–1877, 1887, undated
b. 1, f. 15	Co-Cr	1854, 1862-1877, 1886-1889



## General (continued)

b. 1, f. 16	Cameron, Simon	1874
b. 1, f. 17	Cannington, Edward C.	186-
b. 1, f. 18	Chicago Central Elevated Railroad Company	1883
b. 1, f. 19	Conkling, Frederick Augustus	1887
b. 1, f. 20	Conkling, Roscoe	1869-1881, undated
b. 1, f. 21	D	1852-1856, 1864-1878, 1886-1889
b. 1, f. 22	Dedrick, W. W.	1875
b. 1, f. 23	Dix, John A.	1867, 1876
b. 1, f. 24	Duffield, Samuel Augustus Willoughby (nephew)	1860-1886
b. 1, f. 25	Dwight, Timothy	1887
b. 1, f. 26	Dyer, David P.	1875
b. 1, f. 27	E	1854-1857, 1864-1869, 1875-1877, 1881- 1887, n.y.
b. 1, f. 28	Evarts, William Maxwell A copy of this material is available in digital form from Manuscripts and Archives. Contact Manuscripts and Archives at <a href="mailto:beinecke.library@yale.edu">beinecke.library@yale.edu</a> to request access to the digital copy.	1852, 1857, 1860-1862, 1864, 1867-1868
b. 1, f. 29	Evarts, William Maxwell	1869-1870, 1872, 1874-1876
b. 1, f. 30	Evarts, William Maxwell	1877-1879, 1882, 1886, 1889-1890, undated
b. 2, f. 31	F	1852-1853, 1862, 1864, 1869-1887, n.y.
b. 2, f. 32	Fish, Hamilton	1875, n.y.
b. 2, f. 33	G	1856-1869, 1874-1886, 1890
b. 2, f. 34	Grant, Ulysses Simpson	1875, 1876
b. 2, f. 35	Grant, Ulysses Simpson, Jr.	1876
b. 2, f. 36	Guthrie, J. B.	1875

## General (continued)

b. 2, f. 37	H	1854-1856, 1863-1869, 1875-1880, 1885-1887, n.y
b. 2, f. 38	[Henry, James M?] English	1875-1876, 1878
b. 2, f. 39	I, J, K	1854-1856, 1862-1864, 1870-1877, 1880-1882, 1885, 1889, n.y.
b. 2, f. 40	L	1854-1856, 1859, 1863-1864, 1868, 1874-1877, 1883, 1887
b. 2, f. 41	Luckey, Levi P.	1875
b. 2, f. 42	M	1861-1877, 1885-1886
b. 2, f. 43	N	1864, 1868, 1875, 1886, 1889
b. 2, f. 44	National Bi-metallic Coinage Association, National Executive Silver Committee	188-, 1888, 1890-1891
b. 2, f. 45	Noonan, W.	1875
b. 2, f. 46	O	1875-1877
b. 2, f. 47	P	1857, 1862-1875, 1881-1890
b. 2, f. 48	Pierrepont, Henry E.	1885, 1887
b. 2, f. 49	R	1853, 1856, 1864- 1870, 1875-1877, 1883, 1888, 1890, undated
b. 2, f. 50	Roberts, Marshall O.	1851, 1864, 1876
b. 2, f. 51	Rogers, William E.	1890
b. 2, f. 52	Sa-Sed	1857?, 1864- 1876, 1881-1884, undated
b. 2, f. 53	Ses-Si	1852, 1855, 1864, 1866?, 1874- 1877, 1882-1887
b. 3, f. 54	Sm-Sta	1845, 1848, 1856, 1864, 1866, 1874, 1877, 1885-1886

## General (continued)

b. 3, f. 55	Ste-Sw	1856, 1862-1877, 1882-1886, 1891, undated
b. 3, f. 56	Sawkner, William (First Comptroller's Office)	1885
b. 3, f. 57	Seward, William H.	1862
b. 3, f. 57a	Sherman, William Tecumseh	1883
b. 3, f. 58	Silliman, Benjamin (Jr.)	1877, 1879
b. 3, f. 59	Stanton, Edwin McMasters A copy of this material is available in digital form from Manuscripts and Archives. Contact Manuscripts and Archives at <a href="mailto:beinecke.library@yale.edu">beinecke.library@yale.edu</a> to request access to the digital copy.	1862-1864
b. 3, f. 60	Stewart, William M.	1890
b. 3, f. 61	Ta-Thom	1862-1869, 1874- 1875, 1890-1891, undated
b. 3, f. 62	Thor-Tu	1856-1859, 1863-1864, 1872-1876, 1885, 1889
b. 3, f. 63	Tweed, William Marcy and others	1864, 1868
b. 3, f. 64	U, V	1848, 1853-1856, 1865-1866, 1873-1875, 1880-1885
b. 3, f. 65	Wa-We	1848, 1864-1870, 1876-1879, 1889
b. 3, f. 66	Wh-Wo	1848, 1854-1856, 1864-1869, 1873-1877, 1889
b. 3, f. 67	Warner, A.	1875
b. 3, f. 68	Willoughby, S. A. (father-in-law)	1854-1856, 1865-1869, 1869
b. 3, f. 69	Y, Z	1869, [1876?]
b. 3, f. 70	Unidentified	1845?, 1849, 1856-1868, 1874-1878, 1885-1890, undated

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## From Edwards Pierrepont To (continued)

b. 3, f. 71	A-Z	1850, 1866, 1876-1877, 1880, 1883
b. 3, f. 72	Conkling, Roscoe	1869
b. 3, f. 73	Dyer, D. P.	1875
b. 3, f. 74	Grant, Ulysses Simpson	1869, 1874-1876
b. 3, f. 75	Lord, Scott (incomplete draft?)	1876
<u>Of Others</u>		
b. 4, f. 76	A-C	1845, 1848, 1862-1865, 1873-1879
b. 4, f. 77	Carmick, E. H. from Evarts, William Maxwell	1880
b. 4, f. 78	D	1862, 1876, 1888
b. 4, f. 79	Davis, Noah (copy)	1871
b. 4, f. 80	Dix, John A.	1864
b. 4, f. 81	E	1855
b. 4, f. 82	Edwards, Alfred H. P.	1852-1853, 1856
b. 4, f. 83	Evarts, William Maxwell from Seward, Frederick William (enclosing copy of letter from Seward, W. H. to Dimick, Justin)	1862
b. 4, f. 84	Fish, Hamilton from Beecher, Henry Ward; from Schultz, J. S. together with a letter to Grant, U. S. from Beecher, Henry Ward (copies)	1877
b. 4, f. 85	G-N	1847-1848, 1862, 1877, undated
b. 4, f. 86	O-P	1847, 1873, 1875, 1881, 1888
b. 4, f. 87	Pierrepont, Mrs. Edwards	1870, 1876- 1877, 1885-1886, 1890-1895, 1902, undated
b. 4, f. 88	Roberts, Marshall O.	1855-1866, 1870-1875, 1888, undated
b. 4, f. 89	S	1864, 1865
b. 4, f. 90	Seward, Frederick William from Evarts, William Maxwell	1862
b. 4, f. 91	Stanton, Edwin McMasters from Evarts, William Maxwell	1862
b. 4, f. 92	Stephenson, Maggie from Willoughby, S.A.	1865

## Of Others (continued)

b. 4, f. 93	T	1848
b. 4, f. 94	Usher, John Palmer (Secretary of the Interior) from Union Pacific Railroad Company (copy)	1863
b. 4, f. 95	V-W	1856, 1865, 1883
b. 4, f. 96	Willoughby, S. A.	1850, 1856, 1879
b. 4, f. 97	Unidentified from Seitz, Charles	1866

**Series II: Special Files, 1813-1902***1'(3 boxes)*

SPECIAL FILES is arranged alphabetically by category and alphabetically by the name or title within each category. Items within each folder are arranged chronologically.

<u>Affidavits</u>		
b. 5, f. 1	Miscellaneous	1850, 1863-1865, 1868-1869, 1873
b. 5, f. 2	Pierrepont, Edwards	[1890?]
<u>Agreements</u>		
b. 5, f. 3	Land purchases and sales - Pierrepont, Edwards	1844, 1857, 1860, 1865, 1867
f. 8	Oversize material	
b. 5, f. 4	Leases - Pierrepont, Edwards to others	1846, 1854, 1860, 1866
b. 5, f. 5	Miscellaneous, of others	1828, 1832, 1846- 1851, 1867-1872, 1889, undated
b. 5, f. 6	Miscellaneous - Pierrepont, Edwards with others	1850, 1857-1860, 1871-1872
b. 5, f. 7	Mortgages - Pierrepont, Edwards	1857
f. 8	Oversize material	
b. 5, f. 8	Railroad companies (printed)	1875, 1886, 1887
<u>Articles</u>		
b. 5, f. 9	"Commerce - the law of our National Growth"; on Gold Reserves	undated
f. 8	Oversize material	
<u>Autobiographical note</u>		
b. 5, f. 10	Pierrepont, Edwards - typed copy from "Yale College, a sketch of its history" edited by Kingsley, William L., Vol 1 p. 482	undated
<u>Cases</u>		
b. 5, f. 11	Allerton, George W. v. Barmore, William Baker, Lucy v. Roberts, Marshall O.	1848, undated
b. 5, f. 12	Bean, Cotton W. v. Edge, George W.	1862-1863
b. 5, f. 13	Belmont, August et al v. Erie Railroad Company et al.	1868
b. 5, f. 14	Bigger, William v. Allair Works, The	1854
b. 5, f. 15	[Binfse?] John and Giberton, Adrien v. Alcock, James English	1859

## Cases (continued)

b. 5, f. 16	Boyd, John W. v. Morgan, Francis T. and Oliver, Joseph	undated
b. 5, f. 16	Burdell, Margaret by her next friend v. Burdell, John	1847-1848
b. 5, f. 17	Case, Albert S. and Phillips, Pierpont	1848
b. 5, f. 17	v. (i) O'Keefe, John; Doherty, Patrick and McClosky, Arthur	
b. 5, f. 17	v. (ii) Smith, James M. Jr. and [Tilym?] Joseph P.	
b. 5, f. 18	Charlton, Thomas v. Ellis, Robert; Ellis, T. P. and Hogg, John T.	1853-1855
b. 5, f. 19	Denison, Minnie I. et al. v. Dove, John et al	undated
b. 5, f. 19	Downing, George R. V. Kelly, John	1866
b. 5, f. 20	Dows, John, survivor of [Carry, Ira. B?] v. Perrin, James and Caleb, Madison M.	undated
b. 5, f. 20	Eastman, Smith J. v. O'Connor, Francis B.	undated
b. 5, f. 21	Edwards, Alfred H. P. in the matter of the estate of	1857
b. 5, f. 21	Edge et Al. v. Robertson, Collector	1884
b. 5, f. 22	Ellis, Robert; Hunt, Noah S. and Ellis Thomas P. v. Hunt, John D. and Kingsbury, Joseph	1855
b. 5, f. 23	Florence Sewing Machine Company v. Warford, William R. and Vanderveir	1869
b. 5, f. 24	Fraschieris, Jose v. Heuriques, David M. and Ferris, Thomas T.	1862
b. 5, f. 25	Goodenough, Rollin A. v. Rarey, John S. Gray, John A. C. v. Bowen, Henry C.	1863
b. 5, f. 26	Griffith, Walter S. and Dunning, Czar - administrators v. Brown, William O.	1848
b. 5, f. 26	Hallgarten, Lazarus v. Lane, Frederick A.	1867
b. 6, f. 27	Hatch, Sarah C. v. Penanet Clara M. and Eugene; and Ensenwein, Frederick, executor	[1867?]
b. 6, f. 28	Hewlett, John S. v. Browne, Robert W.	1857
b. 6, f. 29	Hogg, John T. v. Ellis, Robert and Ellis, Thomas P.	1854
b. 6, f. 29	Hogg, John T. v. Hunt, Noah L. & others	1859
b. 6, f. 29	Hurd, Elane v. Coughlin, William	1848
b. 6, f. 30	Kemble, Peter and Warner, Abram B. v. McHenry, James	1869
b. 6, f. 30	Kendall, Josiah F. v. Hodgins, John	[1858?]
b. 6, f. 31	Lake, Joseph T. and Klemm, Otho v. Bank of Toledo	1848, 1851
b. 6, f. 31	Lewis, Joseph L., concerning the will of	undated
b. 6, f. 32	Long, Nathaniel R. and Davenport, John v. Ellis, Robert and Ellis, Thomas P.	1856
b. 6, f. 32	Lowry, Joseph L. et al. v. Lester, John H. et al.	undated

## Cases (continued)

b. 6, f. 33	McClusky, John and Seymour, John, v. Adams, William H.	1848
b. 6, f. 34	Mackey, William, executor of estate of Fayerweather, Ransom v. Brooks, Orville, executor; Trotter, William; Fayerweather, Josiah S.; Falconer, John and Catherine; Blarney, Susannah, and Pierrepont, Margaretta	1864
b. 6, f. 35	Matthews, Edward v. Chicopee Manufacturing Company	1866
b. 6, f. 36	Mercantile Library Association, Board of Directors of, and Vulte, Theodore H., in re arbitration between	1864
b. 6, f. 37	Merchant, William H., in re proving the last will and testament of	1862-1863
b. 6, f. 38	Michigan, State of v. Phenix Bank of New York	[1857?]
b. 6, f. 39	New York Belting and Packing Company v. Metropolitan Insurance Company	1857
b. 6, f. 40	New York, State of v. Jeremiah, George A.	1865
b. 6, f. 40	Pennsylvania, State of v. Wheeling Bridge Company	1850
b. 6, f. 41	The People v. Titus, Charles R.	1880
b. 6, f. 42	Pierrepont, Edwards, accounting as executor, estate of Edwards, Alfred H.P.	1860
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b. 6, f. 44	Rhineland, William C.; Boanman, James; Rogers, George P.; Stewart, [Lisperraro?]; State, Oliver Jr.; Clarke, Albert; Pierrepont, Edwards and Roberts, Marshall O. v. the Mayor etc. of the City of New York	1862
b. 6, f. 45	Roberts, Susan L. and Patterson, John F., executors of the will of Roberts, Marshall O. v. Dickerson, Edward N.	1888
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b. 6, f. 54	Edwards, Alfred H. P. (Pierrepont, Edwards as executor): papers, miscellaneous	1856-60, 1869, 1878
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b. 7, f. 69 To the proprietors of the Erie and Atlantic and Great Western Railways (printed) 1876

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b. 7, f. 71 To "University" by Yale graduates, including Pierrepont, Edwards and Evarts, William M. (copy) undated

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| b. 1  | ALS to Ulysses Simpson Grant, 1875 Sep 25, Jackson, Mississippi; concerning the Mississippi crisis of 1875; on verso is note to Attorney General signed by Grant, 1875 Sep 27  |
| b. 1  | ALS to Edwards Pierrepont, 1875 Oct 16, Jackson, Mississippi; concerning the Mississippi crisis of 1875  |
| b. 1  | Bruce, Blandte Kelso, 1841-1898. ALS to Edwards Pierrepont, 1875 Sep no day, Washington D.C.; concerning the Mississippi crisis of 1875; also signed by G. N. Buchanan, James Hill, Albert Richards Hose, Jonathan B. Raymond, and. A. Warner. |
| b. 1  | Chase, G. K. ALS to Edwards Pierrepont, 1877 May 4, Washington D.C.; thanking Pierrepont for place in the Justice Department   |
| b. 1  | Conkling, Frederick Augustus, 1816-1891. ALS to Edwards Pierrepont, 1887 Nov 19, New York; concerning the coinage of free silver   |
| Conkling, Roscoe, 1829-1888. 37 ALS to Edwards Pierrepont |  |
| b. 1  | 1869 Jan 30, Washington D.C.; expressing regret at having missed Pierrepont during a call paid to him  |
| b. 1  | 1869 Dec 18, Washington D.C.; concerning an appointment to the circuit court in Utica  |
| b. 1  | 1870 Feb 1, Washington D.C.; concerning a meeting of the Bar   |
| b. 1  | 1870 Feb 27, Washington D.C.; concerning the residence of an appointee   |
| b. 1  | 1870 Jul 9, Washington D.C.; acknowledgment of letters received  |
| b. 1  | 1870 Nov 19, Utica, N.Y.; concerning patronage and the "health" of the Republican Party  |
| b. 1  | 1871 Feb 11, Washington D.C.; concerning Horace Greeley and the upcoming struggle in New York elections  |
| b. 1  | 1871 Feb 19, Washington D.C.; concerning the overemphasis given to patronage by Republican party opponents   |
| b. 1  | 1871 Apr 13, Washington D.C.; acknowledgment of letter received  |
| b. 1  | 1871 Dec 12, Washington D.C.; concerning an article re: Conkling in the Tribune  |
| b. 1  | 1872 May 28, Washington D.C.; acknowledgment of letters received   |
| b. 1  | 1872 Nov 14, Utica, N.Y.; acknowledgment of a letter   |
| b. 1  | 1872 Nov 20, Utica, N.Y.; regrets to a dinner invitation   |
| b. 1  | 1872 Dec 16, Washington D.C.; concerning Judge Hunt  |

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b. 1	[1873], New York; regrets to an invitation English
b. 1	1873 Jan 16, Washington D.C.; thank-you note
b. 1	1873 May 21, Utica, N.Y.; concerning Pierrepont's declension of the Russian mission
b. 1	1873 May 31, Utica, N.Y.; invitation to visit
b. 1	1873 Sep 21, Utica, N.Y.; invitation to visit
b. 1	1873 Dec 12, Washington D.C.; concerning a meeting with Pierrepont
b. 1	1875 Feb 5, Washington D.C.; acknowledgment of letters
b. 1	1875 Apr 29, Utica, N.Y.; congratulations on Pierrepont's appointment to the cabinet
b. 1	1875 Nov 8, Utica, N.Y.; expressing satisfaction at election results
b. 1	1876 Jan 18, Washington D.C.; acceptance of an invitation
b. 1	1876 Oct 20, Utica, N.Y.; concerning the forthcoming election
b. 1	1877 Feb 8, Washington D.C.; concerning the results of the contested election
b. 1	1877 Mar 27, Utica, N.Y.; concerning recent cabinet appointments and the possibility of Pierrepont's remaining in London
b. 1	1877 May 12, Utica, N.Y.; concerning a projected visit to England and Grant's popularity in the United States
b. 1	1877 Jul 11, London; acknowledgment of favors received during visit to England
b. 1	1877 Jul no day, London; acknowledgment of favors received during visit to England
b. 1	1878 Mar 14, Washington D.C.; acknowledgment of letter
b. 1	1878 Oct 4, Utica, N.Y.; acknowledgment of letter
b. 1	1879 May 3, Washington D.C.; acknowledgment of letter
b. 1	1881 no month no day, Washington D.C.; arranging a meeting
b. 1	1881 Jan 7, Washington D.C.; acknowledgment of a letter
b. 1	1881 Jan 25, Washington D.C.; acknowledgment of a telegram
b. 1	No date, Washington D.C.; regrets to a dinner invitation
b. 1	Dedrick, W. W. Telegram to Edwards Pierrepont, 1875 Sep 8, Jackson, Mississippi; concerning the Mississippi crisis of 1875
	Dix, John Adams, 1798-1879. 2 ALS to Edwards Pierrepont
b. 1	1867 Feb 2, Paris; concerning his ministry in France, the movement against President Johnson, and the New York State Constitutional Convention
b. 1	1876 Nov 5, New York; concerning the Hayes-Tilden election

- b. 1 Dyer, David Patterson, 1838-1924. Telegram to Edwards Pierrepont, 1875 Dec 11, St. Louis, Missouri; concerning an appointment
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- b. 1 Evarts, Allen Wardner, 1848-1939. ALS to Edwards Pierrepont, 1877 Aug 2, Liverpool; expressing appreciation of Pierrepont's kindness during his visit to England
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- Evarts, William Maxwell, 1818-1901.
- b. 1 ALS to E. H. Carmick, 1880 Jan 23, Washington D.C.; concerning the claim of Albert Speyers against the Mexican government
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- 69 ALS: & telegrams to Edwards Pierrepont
- b. 1 1857 Aug 14, Windsor, Vermont; concerning a visit to Windsor
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- b. 1 1860 Feb 25, New York; concerning the nominations of Stephen A. Douglas and William. H. Seward for president
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- b. 1 1860 Jul 18, New York; concerning projected visits to Windsor
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- b. 1 1860 Aug 10, Windsor, Vermont; concerning a visit to Windsor
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- b. 1 1860 Aug 21, Windsor, Vermont; urging Pierrepont to come to Windsor
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- b. 1 1861 Aug 5, Windsor, Vermont; urging Pierrepont to come to Windsor
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- b. 1 1862 Jun 23, New York; concerning the passage of a bankrupt bill
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- b. 1 1862 Jul 10, Windsor, Vermont; concerning the courts and Pierrepont's visit to Windsor
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- b. 1 1862 Jul 15, Windsor, Vermont; concerning the war and the necessity of change in the administration
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- b. 1 1862 Aug 2, Windsor, Vermont; concerning the danger of the administration's course
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- b. 1 1862 Sep 1, Windsor, Vermont; concerning politics and a visit to Windsor
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- b. 1 1864 Mar 8, Paris; concerning his semi-official mission to England
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- b. 1 1864 Apr 27, London; concerning his semi-official mission to England
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- b. 1 1867 Jun 22, New York; concerning the Surratt case and Pierrepont's letters
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- b. 1 1867 Aug 28, New York; concerning the cabinet
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- b. 1 1867 Sep 2, New York; concerning the New York State Constitutional Convention
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- b. 1 1868 Apr 16, Washington D.C.; concerning the impeachment of Andrew Johnson
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- b. 1 1868 Apr 21, Washington D.C.; concerning the impeachment of Andrew Johnson
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- b. 1 1868 May 6, Washington D.C.; concerning the impeachment of Andrew Johnson
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- b. 1 1868 Oct 24, Washington D.C.; concerning Grant's election
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- b. 1 1868 Nov 20, Washington D.C.; concerning the forwarding of letters to him
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- b. 1 1868 Nov 24, Washington D.C.; concerning Yale College
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- b. 1 1868 Nov 24, Washington D.C.; concerning his work as Attorney General

Evarts, William Maxwell, 1818-1901. > 69 ALS: & telegrams to Edwards Pierrepont (continued)

b. 1	1868 Dec 25, Washington D.C.; Christmas greetings
b. 1	1869 Jan 9, Washington D.C.; concerning Evarts's position with the new administration
b. 1	1869 Feb 7, Washington D.C.; concerning Grant's cabinet
b. 1	1869 Feb 24, Washington D.C.; concerning his retirement from the cabinet
b. 1	1869 Mar 22, Washington D.C.; concerning a missed meeting
b. 1	1869 Mar 22, Washington D.C.; concerning a meeting
b. 1	1869 Mar 24, Washington D.C.; concerning Pierrepont's coming to Washington
b. 1	1869 Mar 29, Washington D.C.; discouraging Pierrepont's coming to Washington
b. 1	1869 Apr 12, Washington D.C.; concerning the appointment of James C. Jackson as District Attorney
b. 1	1869 Jul 13, New York; concerning Susie Owen's loss of position in the Treasury Department
b. 1	1869 Jul 29, Windsor, Vermont; proposing to see Pierrepont in New York
b. 1	1869 Aug 4, New York; letter of introduction for Charles Blackis
b. 1	1869 Aug 16, Windsor, Vermont; concerning the Pratt case and the political situation
b. 1	1869 Oct 29, New York; concerning the appointment of Charles Blackis
b. 1	1870 Sep 13, Windsor, Vermont; urging Pierrepont to accept the English mission if offered
b. 1	1870 Sep 29, New York; concerning an unanswered letter
b. 1	1872 Feb 3, London; concerning American politics and the British situation
b. 1	1872 Jun 21, Paris; concerning the presidential nominations
b. 1	1872 Jul 17, Geneva; concerning the Arbitration Tribunal
b. 1	1872 Aug 23, Geneva; concerning the American political scene
b. 1	1874 Feb 2, New York; proposing a meeting
b. 1	1874 Jul 1, New York; concerning an address of Pierrepont's
b. 1	1874 Aug 18, New York; concerning his daughter's wedding
b. 1	1875 Jul 28, Windsor, Vermont; concerning a proposed visit to Windsor
b. 1	1875 Aug 5, Windsor, Vermont; concerning a law case
b. 1	1875 Sep 11, Windsor, Vermont; concerning applications for patents
b. 1	1875 Oct 21, New York; concerning a Circuit Court Judgeship
b. 1	1875 Oct 23, New York; telegram concerning Johnson's appointment to the Judgeship
b. 1	1876 May 23, New York; congratulating Pierrepont on his appointment as Minister to Great Britain

Evarts, William Maxwell, 1818-1901. > 69 ALS: & telegrams to Edwards Pierrepont (continued)

b. 1	1876 Sep 11, Windsor, Vermont; concerning the political situation and Evarts's escape from nomination
b. 1	1877 May 1, Washington D.C.; concerning the Hayes-Tilden election
b. 1	1878 Sep 29, Washington D.C.; concerning the coming Congressional elections
b. 1	1878 Mar 21, Washington D.C.; concerning Major Bundy and his paper
b. 1	1878 Oct 31, Washington D.C.; concerning a meeting about Bundy's paper
b. 1	1878 Nov 6, Washington D.C.; concerning Maj. Bundy and his paper
b. 1	1878 Nov 9, Washington D.C.; concerning Maj. Bundy and his paper
b. 1	1878 Nov 12, Washington D.C.; concerning politics
b. 1	1878 Nov 17, Washington D.C.; concerning Maj. Bundy and his paper
b. 1	1878 Dec 29; Washington D.C.; concerning Maj. Bundy and his paper
b. 1	1879 Mar 8, Washington D.C.; concerning a meeting with Pierrepont
b. 1	1879 Dec 15, Washington D.C.; concerning a meeting with Grant
b. 1	1882 Aug 22, Windsor, Vermont; concerning Chief Justice Waite
b. 1	1886 Sep 13, Windsor, Vermont; concerning an illness
b. 1	1889 Feb 18, Washington D.C.; concerning the coming Harrison administration
b. 1	1890 Feb 16, no place; concerning the state of Pierrepont's health
b. 1	No date, Windsor, Vermont; concerning a letter of Evarts's
b. 1	ALS to Frederick William Seward, 1862 Mar 15, New York; concerning a prisoner of war, Andrew Low
b. 1	ALS to Edwin McMasters Stanton, 1862 Mar 15, New York; concerning a prisoner of war, Andrew Low
b. 2	Fish, Hamilton, 1808-1893. ALS to Edwards Pierrepont, 1875 Sep 10, Garrison-on-Hudson, New York; concerning the Mississippi crisis of 1875
b. 2	French, Ezra Bartlett, 1810-1880. ALS to Edwards Pierrepont, 1876 Apr 12, Washington D.C.; concerning a sum deposited for the use of the Special Commission on Prisoners of State [enclosed is a copy of ALS John Adams Dix and Edwards Pierrepont to Edwin McMasters Stanton, 1862 Mar 27, Washington D.C.]
	Grant, Ulysses Simpson, Pres. U.S., 1822-1885
	2 ALS to Edwards Pierrepont
b. 2	1875 Sep 13, Long Branch, New Jersey; concerning the Mississippi crisis of 1875
b. 2	1876 Jul 29, Washington D.C.; concerning the Chicago "Whiskey Ring"
	2 Proclamations commanding the cessation of disorder in Mississippi
b. 2	1874 Dec 21, Washington D.C.

Grant, Ulysses Simpson, Pres. U.S., 1822-1885 > 2 Proclamations commanding the cessation of disorder in Mississi [...] (continued)

- b. 2 1875 Sep no day, Washington D.C. [Also signed by Secretary of State Hamilton Fish]
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- b. 2 Grant, Ulysses Simpson, Jr. 1852-1929. ALS to Edwards Pierrepont, 1876 Feb 21, Washington D.C.; concerning the Mississippi crisis of 1875
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- b. 2 Guthrie, J. B. Telegram to Edwards Pierrepont, 1875 Sep 14, Vicksburg, Mississippi; concerning the Mississippi crisis of 1875
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- b. 2 Luckey, Levi P. [Secretary to Grant]. ALS to Edwards Pierrepont, 1875 Sep 9, Washington D.C.; concerning the Mississippi crisis of 1875
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- b. 2 Noonan, W. Telegram to Edwards Pierrepont, 1875 Sep 24, Jackson, Mississippi; concerning Mississippi crisis of 1875
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- Pierrepont, Edwards, 1817-1892
- b. 2 ALS to David Patterson Dyer, 1875 Dec 7, Washington D.C.; Justice Department business
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- b. 2 ALS to Ezra Bartlett French, 1876 Apr 13, no place; concerning a sum deposited for the use of the Special Commission on Prisoners of State
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- 3 AL & ALS to Ulysses Simpson Grant
- b. 2 1875 Dec 13, Washington D.C.; concerning Chicago "Whiskey Ring"
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- b. 2 1875 Dec 14, Washington D.C.; concerning Chicago "Whiskey Ring"
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- b. 2 1876 Aug 22, London; concerning Chicago "Whiskey Ring"
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- b. 2 Reynolds, Thomas C. Telegram to Edwards Pierrepont, 1875 Dec 14, St. Louis, Missouri; concerning an appointment
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- b. 2 Seward, Frederick William, 1830-1915. ALS to William Maxwell Evarts, 1862 Feb 8, Washington D.C.; concerning Andrew Low, a prisoner of war [enclosed is copy of letter from William Henry Seward to Justin Dimick, 1862 Feb 8, Washington D.C.]
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- Stanton, Edwin McMasters, 1814-1869. 9 ALS & telegrams to Edwards Pierrepont
- b. 3 1862 Jan 7, Washington D.C.; concerning the situation in the country
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- b. 3 1862 Feb 23, Washington D.C.; concerning the appointment of Pierrepont to the Special Commission on Prisoners of State
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- b. 3 1862 Apr 5, Washington D.C.; concerning prisoners of war
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- b. 3 1862 Apr 11, Washington D.C.; Commission business
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- b. 3 1862 Apr 18, Washington D.C.; Commission business
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- b. 3 1862 Sep 8, Washington D.C.; concerning the arrests of prisoners
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- b. 3 1863 Oct 2, Washington D.C.; concerning Major General Banks
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- b. 3 1864 Jul 5, Washington D.C.; concerning acts of General Dix under direct orders from the President
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- b. 3 1864 Jul 15, Washington D.C.; concerning thr proceedings against General Dix



- b. 3            Warner, A. Telegram to Edwards Pierrepont, 1875 Sep 13, Jackson, Mississippi; concerning the  
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**Accession 2004-M-003: Additional Material**

This accession consists of correspondence written and received by Edwards Pierrepont; financial records; legal documents; and printed material, which document his career as a New York lawyer and judge, United States attorney for the southern district of New York, United States attorney general in Grant's cabinet, and ambassador to the Court of St. James.

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b. 1, f. 9	Agreement between Monsieur Pierrepont and Hiram Malott [sale of farm]	
b. 1, f. 10	Finances [checks, receipts, etc.]	1856-1857, 1863-1864, 1871, 1875-1876, 1882, 1888
b. 1, f. 11	Goodenough vs. Rarey [minutes]	1863 April 29
b. 1, f. 12	Invitation to meet Alfred C. Coxe [U.S. district judge for the northern district of New York]	1882 December 4
b. 1, f. 13	"Organization and by-laws of the New York...Steam Company" English	undated
b. 1, f. 14	Power of attorney for Samuel A. Willoughby	1851
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