

# Guide to the James McLaren Breed Dwight Papers

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**CALL NUMBER:** MS 836

**CREATOR:** Dwight, James M. B., 1825-1897

**TITLE:** James McLaren Breed Dwight papers

**DATES:** 1842-1855

**PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:** 0.5 linear feet (1 box)

**LANGUAGE:** English

**SUMMARY:** Five manuscript volumes in the handwriting of various persons, one of whom was James McLaren Breed Dwight. Included are 3 volumes of Edwards Amasa Park's lectures on theology, 1 volume of William G. T. Shedd's lectures on church history and 1 volume on Woolsey and Hillhouse family genealogy.

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## Biographical / Historical

James McLaren Breed Dwight: graduated from Yale College in 1846; studied theology in Andover, Mass., 1854-1855 and in New Haven, 1856-1859; studied law at Columbia College Law School, and graduated and was admitted to the New York Bar in 1861.

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## Collection Contents

b. 1	"[Edwards Amasa?] Park's Lectures on Theology," 3 ms. volumes English	undated
b. 1	"[William Greenough Thayer?] Shedd's Lectures on Church History," 1 ms. volume English	1854-1855
b. 1	Ms. notebook on Woolsey genealogy, the Hillhouse family, and list of the 1842-1844 classes of Union College	undated

## **Selected Search Terms**

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

### **Subjects**

Clergy

### **Names**

Dwight, James M. B., 1825-1897

Park, Edwards Amasa, 1808-1900

Shedd, William G. T. (William Greenough  
Thayer), 1820-1894

### **Families**

Hillis family

Woolsey family

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