

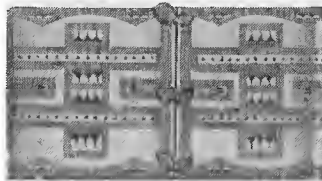
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Poll list of the State election held in Buffalo and Black Rock, Nov. 5, 6, 7, 1838. 1 vol.

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(Prior to 1891.) 2 vols. bound.

BUFFALO, RECORDER'S COURT.

Register, 1839-49. 1 vol.

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Lease, S. Levyn to, of premises on Main St., Buffalo, Dec. 1, 1885.

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Records, meetings of the Executive Committee, Jan. 26, 1892-Oct. 5, 1896.

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Letters to C. K. Remington, discussing Niagara Frontier
battlefields, etc. See "Remington, C. K., Papers."
- BULL, WM. H.
Early history of Steuben Co., N. Y. Written 1865.
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Co., 1796; his commission as postmaster at Painted Post,
1800; as lieut., 1806; as capt., 1807; as sheriff, Steuben
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- BULWER, (*Sir*) HENRY L. (*British Minister to the U. S.*)
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A. L. S., May 3, 1823.
- BURRITT, ELIHU.
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- BURROWS, (*Maj.*) JOHN.
Journal kept during Sullivan's campaign against the Indians,
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Barnes, Maria C.	Dunbar, Charles French
Beals, Edward Preble	Dunstan, George Hind
Beauchamp, William Martin	Durfee, Philo
Beecher, James Curtis	Eldee, Adeline C.
Becker, Alfred Le Roy	Emerson, George Douglas
Bennett, Seymour	Emerson, Susan Corwin (Mrs. G. D.)
Berry, Clinton R.	Emerson, Henry Pendexter
Bird, Grace Eunice	Farnham, Charles Cyrus
Birge, Martin H.	Fernow, Berthold
Bottsford, Adolphus	Fitch, Franklin Solomon
Bragdon, Charles Arthur	Ford, James Elijah
Briggs, Albert Henry	French, Mrs. Pamela Feeter
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Briggs, Horace	Frothingham, Worthington
Brown, Willard Whiting	Fulton, Linda de Kowaleuska
Buck, Roswell R.	Force, Manning Furguson
Benedict, A. L.	Frost [family]
Cadwallader, Charles Sumner	Gay, Julius
Carrell, Theodora M.	Goodyear, Charles Waterhouse
Cary, Thomas	Goodyear, Frank Henry
Chandler, Henry	Green, Samuel Ahott
Chester, Albert Huntington	Gregg, Edward Rollin, M. D.
Coats, Adelbert Sumter	Griffin, Martin Ignatius Jos.
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Colyer, Lois Heath	Haight, Louise Colton (Mrs. R. L.)
Cornell, Samuel Douglas	Hamlin, Cicero Jahez
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 Mann, Matthew Derbyshire
 Marvin, Selden Erastus
 Moore, Mrs. Mary Louise
 Morse, David Reynolds
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 Mott, Henry Elliot
 Mills, James H.
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HOLLAND LAND COMPANY.

[The several thousand documents comprised in this collection, relating to the Holland Land Company and its operations in Western New York, are here roughly listed to correspond with their method of preservation—whether in bound volumes, portfolios or boxes. The letters received, and copies of letters sent, are mostly bound and each volume indexed.]

JOSEPH ELICOTT'S MEMORANDUM BOOKS:

1. Miscellaneous entries, 1792-1794.
 2. Meteorological observations taken by Fahrenheit's Thermometer near the mouth of Buffalo Creek, Lake Erie, commencing July 4, 1798, by Joseph Ellicott. Miscellaneous entries.
 3. Accounts of goods sold at Fort Schloser [Schlosser], 1798. Account of goods sold at Buffalo Crick[!], July 2, 1798, to Dec. 3, 1798. Memorandum of stores delivered from Fort Schloser up to 14th June (1798) by Mr. Aaron Oakford.
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 5. Meteorological observations at Batavia—"50 miles to the east of Niagara Falls," May 23, 1803-Nov., 1803.
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ORIGINAL ARTICLES OF AGREEMENT or contracts between the Holland Land Co. and the settlers, from Oct. 1, 1799, to Sept. 11, 1806, embracing the said Inner and Outer lots. Also the duplicates of the above "articles" which were surrendered by the settlers on receiving their deeds. In all, 209 contracts bound in two thick vols. Indexed.

HOLLAND LAND CO., *continued.*

JOSEPH ELLICOTT'S LETTER BOOKS. Copies of letters written by Mr. Ellicott relating to business of the Holland Land Company. Bound in four vols., pp. 370, 670, 825, 812. One of the volumes consists almost wholly of letters to Paul Busti, 1800-1805. The others cover 1795-1800, 1805-1813, 1814-1821.

TITLE PAPERS OF HOLLAND LAND COMPANY. One volume so marked, containing copies of Acts appointing commissioners, authorizing purchase by aliens, grants of Massachusetts to Robert Morris, subsequent transfers, treaties with Indians, Articles of Agreement with Thos. L. Ogden and others, etc., etc. Numerous maps, pen-sketches of tracts, etc., inserted. Pp. 278. Indexed.

AUTOGRAPH LETTERS FROM PAUL BUSTI and others, to Joseph Ellicott, agent of the Holland Land Company, relating to the business of the said Company, from May 18, 1799, to March 15, 1822. The letters for 1807, 8 and 9, are missing. In two bound volumes, pp. 650 and 1164. Indexed.

Presented by Professor Ellicott Evans of Hamilton College, 1873.

AUTOGRAPH LETTERS, Memoranda and Statements, written and sent to Joseph Ellicott, relating to the business of the Holland Land Company, from July 22, 1795, to December 3, 1810. In two bound volumes, pp. 826 and 1248.

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AUTOGRAPH LETTERS written to Joseph Ellicott by the settlers on the Holland Land Purchase and others, relating to the business of the Holland Land Company, from January 3, 1802, to December 9, 1819. In sixteen volumes.

AUTOGRAPH POLITICAL AND MISCELLANEOUS LETTERS, written by various parties to Joseph Ellicott, from December 13, 1814, to September 15, 1821. In one bound volume, pp. 812.

Presented by Professor Ellicott Evans.

JOURNAL OF JOSEPH ELLICOTT and memoranda of transactions relating to the business of the Holland Land Company, from January 2, 1801, to January 1, 1813. In two vols.

Presented by David E. E. Mix.

TITLE PAPERS, FARMERS' LOAN & TRUST Co., embracing the contracts of Messrs. Le Roy and Redfield with them and with the Holland Land Co.; statements of accounts, agreements, letters, etc., on settlement with the Holland Land Co.; many original conveyances and exemplifications, with numerous maps and charts. Large portfolio.

ORIGINAL CONVEYANCES AND CONTRACTS, letters of attorney, etc., pertaining to title of the Holland Land Company. Bulky portfolio.

"J. FELLOWS." Bound vol. so lettered, containing exemplified copies of deeds, contracts, Indian treaties, etc., recorded in Genesee Co. and minutes of proceedings of the Massachusetts Legislature relative thereto.

HOLLAND LAND Co., *continued.*

"HOLLAND LAND COMPANY'S TITLES." Bound vol. of MSS. so lettered, containing exemplified copies of papers showing the company's chain of title. Indexed.

PROOFS OF DEATH of members of the Holland Land Co.; letters, briefs, awards and other legal papers.

DEPOSITIONS, certification of interests, power of attorney, etc.; certified copies of records relating to ownership or tenantry of Holland Land Company's lands, etc. Bound in one volume marked "J. Fellows." H. L. Co. map.

FARMERS' LOAN & TRUST COMPANY, MS. vol. formerly owned by, at 50 Wall St., New York, being an authenticated copy of the evidence on file in the office of the Secretary of State at Albany in reference to the deaths of Nicholas Van Stophorst and others, trustees of the Holland Land Company.

The depositions were filed at Albany, Oct. 3, 1846. The certification (with seal) of this transcript was made by Christopher Morgan, Secretary of State, April 16, 1849.

ORIGINAL TREATY of Ogden & Fellows with the Senecas, 1842.

RATIFICATION of the treaty of Ogden & Fellows with the Senecas, by the State of Massachusetts.

EXEMPLIFICATIONS of treaties of 1802, 1815, 1830, 1838 and 1842, with the Senecas.

ABSTRACT OF TITLE to the Tonawanda Reservation.

EXEMPLIFICATIONS of deeds, letters of attorney, briefs and arbitration papers.

VOUCHERS OF PAYMENTS to the United States.

HOLLAND LAND COMPANY TITLE, deduction of, in chart form.

BRIEFS BY D. B. BROWN, counsellor at law, exhibiting a view of the titles to lands west of the Genesee river in the State of New York, particularly of all the lands owned by the Dutch, or Holland Company, proprietors. . . . To which is added, a short sketch of four different ejectment suits, in which the validity of the Holland Company's titles was recognized and established. Transcribed by A. Pember, August, 1821."

One MS. vol. with one of Lay's maps of the Holland Purchase inserted.

PROCEEDINGS of the Board of Supervisors, Genesee County, 1803 to 1807 inclusive.

MS. copy from original records. The Genesee County of above dates included present counties of Allegany, Chautauqua, Cattaraugus, Erie, Niagara, Orleans and Wyoming.

EXTRACTS FROM THE MINUTES of the Courts of General Sessions of the Peace for Genesee County, 1803 to 1807, inclusive. (MS. copy from original records.)

TRANSCRIPT OF THE ORIGINAL RECORDS of the Town of Batavia from its organization in 1803 until April, 1804, and of the laws of the State of New York erecting the County of

HOLLAND LAND Co., *continued.*

Genesee and Town of Batavia; and subdividing the Town of Batavia into four towns.

INCIDENTS relating to the Holland Land Purchase. Paper prepared for the Buffalo Historical Society by David E. E. Mix of Batavia, and read at a meeting of the Society, April 11, 1871.

PEASE PAPERS. MS. copy of the journal of Seth Pease, from Oct. 1, 1798, to Jan. 6, 1799. With copies of letters to and from Joseph Ellicott, Adam Hoops, John Thompson, Thomas Morris, Robert Morris, James Rees, James Brisbane[e], and others.

These papers were copied for the Buffalo Historical Society from the originals in the possession of the Western Reserve Historical Society, Cleveland, Ohio. Pease was a surveyor in Joseph Ellicott's employ.

MISCELLANEOUS PAPERS, some originals, some copies, touching many phases of Holland Land Company's business. Some of them may be roughly indicated as follows: Le Roy & Redfield in account of errors with the H. L. Co., 1835-38; many papers relating to the preëmption rights of Ogden and Fellows; abstracts of titles; deeds; reports, etc., relating to trespass on Indian lands; Farmers' Loan & Trust Co. papers; schedule of awards, and reports of Horace Gay and Ira Cook, arbitrators under the treaty between Thos. L. Ogden and Joseph Fellows and the Seneca Nation of Indians of the 20th May, 1842, made the 31st day of March, 1849. (Copy of original in the U. S. War Dept.)

"LAW CASES AND BRIEFS." Two vols. so marked, containing some 70 briefs, bills of exceptions, abstracts of Holland Land Company cases, etc., mostly in the '50's.

Many of the cases were famous in their day, and form interesting chapters in Western N. Y. history, *e. g.*: relative to the Farmers' Loan & Trust Co., the Bank of Genesee, the Genesee Mutual Insurance Co., the Buffalo & Rochester R. R. Co., intrusions on Indian lands, etc., etc.

"INDIAN CASES." One vol. so marked, containing seventeen briefs, abstracts, etc., of cases in the Supreme Court of the State of New York, the Court of Appeals, or the United States Supreme Court, relating to issues between the Holland Land Co., the Seneca Indians, especially those of the Tonawanda reservation, Ogden & Fellows, etc., 1850-1857.

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- HOUGH, FRANKLIN B. (*Historian.*)
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- LAURENCE, ABBOTT. (*U. S. Minister to Great Britain.*)
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- LEASE.
 Humphrey Prideaux to John Dearing, lands in Devon, England, Nov. 2, 1759. *Parchment.*
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- To John Allison, conveying land in Lancaster Co., Pa., July 31, 1738. Sig. of Thomas Penn, with seal.
- To John Carpenter for 430 acres in Tioga Co., on the Delaware river "below the Cook house," Nov. 21, 1796. With the great seal of New York.
- To Silas A. Fobes, conveying 120 acres in Michigan, Apr. 1, 1837. Martin Van Buren, President. *Parchment.*
- To Charles Ketchin, for 80 acres in Michigan Territory, July 10, 1832. Sig. of Andrew Jackson, President. *Parchment.*
- Assignment, Wm. R. Lake to Franklin Ransom, *et al.*, invention for "condensing apparatus for steam engines," Apr. 6, 1869. (British.) *Parchment.*
- To Thos. Oliver, conveying 175 acres in Surray Co., Vir., May 20, 1742. Sig. of William Gooch, Lieut. Gov.
- To W. G. Oliver of Buffalo on "improvement in safety stop for gun locks," June 12, 1866.
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- To Wm. Edward Newton on his inventions, 1857. *Parchment, great seal of Great Britain.*
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- To Franklin Ransom of Buffalo, on his device for "manufacturing chandeliers from the chrystallization of salts," 1829. Sig. of Andrew Jackson, President. *Parchment.*
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- To William Salmon, conveying 600 acres in Manlius, Montgomery Co., Dec. 7, 1791. Sig. of George Clinton, Governor. With great seal.
- To Frederick Sebastian, conveying lands in Missouri, June 10, 1857. James Buchanan, President.
- Royal Grant to Elizabeth Skinner, 200 acres, King tp., York Co., Upper Canada, Dec. 1, 1802. Sigs. of P. Hunter, Lt. Gov., Peter Russell. Province of Upper Canada. *Parchment, great seal.*
- To Geo. L. Squier of Buffalo, on his inventions, 1871. Assignment of same; French letters patent, 1873, and other docs.

LETTERS PATENT, *continued.*

To Jos. Watson, conveying 600 acres in Brutus, Montgomery Co., N. Y., July 7, 1790. Sig. of George Clinton, Govr., *with great seal.*

LEWIS, MORGAN. (*Governor N. Y. State.*)

D. S., Albany, Mch. 31, 1806. See "Bull Papers."

LICENSE.

Brig Eliza Davidson, sailing permit, May 30, 1832. Sig. of Andrew Jackson, President.

LINCOLN, ABRAHAM.

A. N. S., "Buffalo, Feb. 18, 1861," in autograph album formerly owned by Mrs. R. J. Sherman.

A. N. S., on document relating to military service of "Capt. d'Bourry."

This is a claim for pay by an officer who had served on the staff of Gen. L. Blenker. Many endorsements on the document record that pay was refused because d'Bourry had never been mustered into service. Aug. 7, 1862, Mr. Lincoln wrote:

"I remember nothing of this case; but I desire that it shall be investigated and that Capt. Bourry be paid for the services he actually performed, if any. The Government cannot afford to accept services and refuse payment for them.

A. LINCOLN."

Ass't Adj. Gen. E. D. Townsend, having certified that the claimant was never mustered into service, the paper again reached the President, who, on August 20, wrote across its back as follows: "I did not ask for information as to whether this man has been mustered into service. Have we accepted his actual services? If we have, let him be paid for them unless there is positive law against it.

A. LINCOLN."

Still another endorsement makes the significant statement: "Maj. Rochester will pay this officer," etc.

A. N. S. Endorsed on letter of Salmon P. Chase.

LINCOLN BIRTHDAY ASSOCIATION OF BUFFALO.

Papers relating to.

LIND, JENNY.

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A. L. S., "Executive Dept., Providence, June 30, 1882." See "Buffalo, Semi-centennial."

LORD, JOHN C., LIBRARY. (*In B. H. S. building.*)

MS. catalogue of. 1 vol. 4to. Prepared by Rev. John C. Lord, D. D.

LOSSING, BENSON J. (*Historian.*)

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LOTHROP, J. R. (*M. D.*)

On Ozone. B. H. S. paper, Aug. 25, 1869.

LOVEJOY, HENRY.

Reminiscences of Buffalo. B. H. S. paper, Dec. 14, 1863. Address, Old Settlers' Festival, Buffalo, 1864.

LOW, (*Hon.*) SETH.

L. S., "Mayor's Office, Brooklyn, June 30, 1882," on the occasion of Buffalo's semi-centennial, *q. v.*

MARGRY, PIERRE. (*Author, editor of LaSalle MSS.*)

A. L. S., "Paris, 22 Dec., 1880," to O. H. Marshall.

MARRIAGE CONTRACT.

Notarial agreement between Thomas Blairfair of Balthayock and Dame Jean Pringle, Lady Buchanan, Edinburgh, 8 Aug., 1683.

MCGEE, THOS. DARCY.

A. L. S., "Quebec, Apr. 18, 1861," to R. Hadfield, Buffalo.

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A. L. S., "Canandaigua, Mch. 23, 1835," to Rev. Wm. Shelton.

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- THOMAS, C. F. S. (*Early Buffalo printer.*)
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 A. L. S., Report on Black Rock harbor, etc., 1822[?]. See "Black Rock Harbor papers."
- THOMAS, PHILIP E. (*Quaker philanthropist, founder of Thomas Orphan Asylum, Cattaraugus Reservation, etc.*)
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 Reminiscences of, accompanying gift of his portrait to the Buffalo Hist. Soc., by Martha H. Ferris, 1888.
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 In French, introducing Wellington A. Pierce.

TIPPECANOE CLUB, BATAVIA, N. Y.

Letter of thanks from, to Mrs. Catherine C. Stevens, for making a banner for the club, "Batavia, July 4, 1840," and Mrs. Stevens' reply, Aug. 15, 1840.

TOMPKINS, DANIEL D. (*Governor N. Y. State.*)

D. S., Albany, Mch. 22, 1810. See "Bull Papers"; "Shepard, Jno. D., Papers."

TOWNSEND, CHAS.

A. L. S., "Jan. 10, 1820," to L. P. Crary, *q. v.*

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TRUMBULL, JONATHAN. (*Governor of Connecticut.*)

D. S., appointing Nathaniel Ackley 2d Lieut., 1st Troop, 7th Cavalry Regt. of Conn., Oct. 13, 1800.

TURNER, ORSAMUS. (*Author "History of the Holland Purchase," etc.*)

A. L. S., Feb. 21, 1849, to G. H. Salisbury.

UJHAZY, LADISLAUS. (*Governor of Hungary, compatriot of Kosuth.*)

A. L. S., Sept. 14, 1851.

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Records of, 1836. 1 vol.

The act incorporating the University of Western New York at Buffalo was passed Apr. 8, 1836. These minutes record the proceedings of the trustees until Aug. 10, 1836. The futile undertaking received the support of many prominent citizens of Buffalo.

UPPER CANADA.

Grant of land in Niagara District, township of Pelham, Oct. 25, 1798. Sig. of Peter Russell, Auditor General. Great seal of Canada attached.

UPPER CANADA REBELLION.

Letters relating to, 1837-38, by officers of the Patriot "army." Twenty-nine documents, including letters and reports by Adj. Gen. D. McLeod, John S. Vreeland, Major T. J. Lawton, Capt. John Henderson, Wm. Field, R. W. Ashley, Jr., David Burt, etc.

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- U. S. GENERAL HOSPITAL, FORT MONROE, VA.
History of cases, 1861. 1 vol.
- U. S. REVENUE SERVICE.
Articles of Agreement between Salmon P. Chase, Sec'y of
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to be ready by June 1, 1864.
- VAN BUREN, MARTIN.
MS. pardon granted and signed by President Van Buren,
Apr. 16, 1838.
- VAN CAMPEN, MOSES. (*Revolutionary soldier, Indian captive, pio-
neer of Western N. Y.*)
Papers relating to.
- VAN CLEVE, (*Capt.*) JAMES.
Reminiscences of the early period of sailing vessels and
steamboats on Lake Ontario, with a history of the intro-
duction of the propeller on the Lakes . . . With water-
color views & sketches by the author. (Folio MS. volume,
bound. Presented B. H. S., 1877.)
- VAN DER KEMP, FRANCIS ADRIEN. (*Dutch scholar, early settler
N. Y. State.*)
Papers. 10 vols. V. 1, Autobiography; v. 2, Address and
funeral sermon; v. 3, Tour, Hudson river to Lake On-
tario; v. 4, Dutch Symposium; v. 5, Memoir on use of
copper by the Greeks; v. 6, Researches on Buffon's &
Jefferson's theories in Natural History; v. 7, Autograph
letters; v. 8, Letters from DeWitt Clinton; v. 9, Letters
from Th. Jefferson; v. 10, Diplomas & commissions.
- VAN RENSSELAER, STEPHEN.
See "Deeds."
- VERNE, JULES.
A. L. S., to M. de Beaujeu, Beaujolais, Canada, Aug. 19, 1891.
- VOUGHT, JOHN G.
A. L. S., to D. S. Bates, Erie canal engineer (n. d., but prior
to 1828.)
- WADE, BENJ. F.
A. L. S., "Jefferson, Apr. 26, 1846," to "Dear Rufus," other-
wise unnamed.
- WADSWORTH, JAMES.
A. L. S., "Geneseo, 17 Sept., 1827," to H. B. Potter, *Buffalo.*
See also "Forward, Oliver."
Memorial of, adopted by the Buffalo Historical Society, Nov.
14, 1864, written by Lewis F. Allen, signed by him, John
B. Skinner and Geo. R. Babcock.
- WAITH, (*Rev.*) WM. (*D. D.*)
Historical sketch of Lancaster, Erie Co., N. Y., read before
the B. H. S. club, Feb. 26, 1877.

WALES, ERIE CO., N. Y.

Docs. giving date of formation of town of, with list of supervisors and town clerks, elected from 1819 to 1864.

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A. L. S. See "Palmer, (Mrs.) Mary W."

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WAR OF 1812.

Committee of Safety & Relief at Canandaigua: Appropriations for relief of sufferers on the Niagara Frontier. Proceedings, June 16, 1814. Minutes and proceedings, Jan. 3, 1814, Apr. 16, 1814. 1 vol.

Culbertson, Laila F. Buffalo's share in the War of 1812. Read before the Graduates' Assn., Nov. 10, 1899.

Enlistment record, 1809-1813. (Place not given.) 1 v.

Inventories of losses on the Niagara Frontier during the war of 1812.

A valuable collection of original schedules, lists, affidavits, etc., many of them relating to property destroyed at the burning of Buffalo. 1 vol. 4to. (Gathered for the Historical Society by Chas. S. Parke.)

List of sufferers on the Niagara Frontier from Fort Niagara to the Tonnewonta Creek, and from Lewiston on Ridge Road to Widow Forsythe's. Statement of buildings burnt at Buffalo . . . etc. 1 vol.

Losses on the Niagara Frontier. Inventories of.

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WARREN, (*Gen.*) ASA.

Eden, Erie Co., N. Y. Facts relating to settlement, War of 1812, etc. MS. Eden, Apr. 23, 1864.

WASHINGTON, GEORGE.

A. L. S., "Mount Vernon, 10th Aug., 1796, to James McHenry. 2 pp.

Private

MOUNT VERNON, 10th Aug.-96.

DEAR SIR: Col. Hawkins is now here, on his way to Philadelphia, & proposes to proceed in the stage of to-morrow.—

He has related many matters and read many papers relative to the Treaty with the Creek Indians;—the conduct of the State Commissioners of Georgia, &c., &c. But as this is not the regular way of bringing business of this sort before me; I have requested that he and Mr. Clymer (who he supposes will be in Philadelphia before him) will report to you not only what appertains to the Commission but their observations and remarks generally as may be interesting for the Government to be informed of, for the regulation of its conduct in that quarter. I wish you, therefore, to be minute in your enquiries and entries.

My present intention, is to leave this about the middle of next week for Philadelphia, but as I shall spend a day in the Federal city, and on account of the weather, propose to travel slow, it will, probably, be the middle of the week after before I shall arrive there.

With very great esteem and regard

I am, Dear Sir

Your Affecte Servt

GEO WASHINGTON.

JAMES MCHENRY Esqr.

WASHINGTON, GEORGE, *continued.*

A. L. S., "Headqrs Middlebrook, December the 18th, 1778."
"To Honble Benj. Harrison, Esq., Speaker of the House
of Delegates, Virginia." I p. 4to.

HEAD QRS MIDDLEBROOK
Decembr The 18th 1778.

SIR: I had the honor to receive your letter inclosing a copy of
the resolution of the House of Delegates on the 23 ulto for pre-
sented me with four geldings. I assure you, Sir, I am sensibly
affected by this pleasant mark of public esteem and the flattering
consideration on which the Assembly are pleased to found it, gives
it a value to which my feelings only can do justice. My warmest
acknowledgments are due for the favor, and these I take the liberty
to request you will offer to the House, on the first proper occasion.

I have the honor to be
with the greatest respt
Yr most obedt Ser.

G. WASHINGTON

The Honble
BENJ HARRISON Esq.
Speaker of the
House of Delegates,
Virginia.

Copy of letter to Col. — Erwin, "Headquarters, Falls Town-
ship, 9th Dec., 1776." (The original owned by the family
of Dr. — Cooper, Cooper's Plains, Steuben Co., N. Y.)

D. S., Discharge of Robert Ryan from military service, dated
"Headquarters, 8th June, 1783."

WASHINGTON, S. A. (*Son of Bushrod W., Jr., grandson of Col.*
Wm. Augustine W.)

A. L. S., "Middleport, Ill., Apr. 13, 1863."

WATSON, E[LKANAH].

A. L. S., "Cherry Valley, 21 June, 1821," "to Hon. Judge
White, President of the College of Phisicians, Herkimer
County."

WELLS, HENRY.

The American Express in its relation to Buffalo. B. H. S.
paper, 1863.

WESTERN INLAND LOCK NAVIGATION CO.

See "Porteous, John, Papers."

WHITE, H. G.

Reminiscences. See "Fillmore, Millard, Papers relating to."

WHITTLESEY, E. (*M. C., Comptroller of the Currency under Presi-*
dents Pierce and Lincoln.)

A. L. S., "Canfield, O., July 27, 1837," to Hon. Samuel Wilke-
son, Buffalo.

Urging him to write of his pioneer experiences west of the Al-
legheny, on the Western Reserve, etc. In 1842-3 Judge Wilkeson
wrote for the *American Pioneer*, Cincinnati, a series of historical
papers, relating to Western Pennsylvania, New York, Ohio, the
Whiskey Insurrection, etc. These papers, edited with biographical
sketch, etc., are contained in Vol. 4, Buf. Hist. Soc. Puhs.

WIEDRICH, (*Capt.*) MICHAEL.

See "Civil War, Wiedrich's Battery"; "Remington, Cyrus K."

WILCOX, ANSLEY.

Sketch of Theodore Roosevelt, President, 1902. See "Roosevelt, Theodore."

WILCOX, BIRDSEY.

Commission as ensign of riflemen, 208 Regt. N. Y. Inf., Feb. 14, 1825. Sig. DeWitt Clinton, Governor.

Commission as lieutenant of riflemen, 208 Regt. N. Y. Inf., Oct. 9, 1827. Sig. of DeWitt Clinton, Gov.

WILGUS, WILLIAM.

Life and character of. See "Sellstedt, Laurentius G."

WILKESON, JOHN.

The manufacture of iron in Buffalo. B. H. S. paper, Jan. 25, 1864.

WILKESON, SAMUEL.

Doc. appointment as Mayor of Buffalo, 1836. Signed by Hiram Pratt, Mayor.

A. L. S., "Lockport, July 23, 1822," to DeWitt Clinton.

A. L. S., "Buffalo, Oct. 14, 1825." With other sigs. relating to opening of Erie canal.

WILL.

Twinder, Richard, Langford, Eng., last will and testament. Dec. 11, 1720. *Parchment*.

WILLIAMS, ELEAZER. (*Missionary, reputed Dauphin.*)

A grammar of the Iroquois language, or of the Five ancient Confederated [*sic*] Nations, viz., Mohawks, Oneidas, Onondagas, Cayugas and Senecas. Containing rules and exercises, intended to exemplify the Indian syntax. According to the best authorities, preceded by succinct rules relative to the pronunciation [*sic*], *Ne quis igitur tanquam parva fastidiat grammatices elementa.*—QUINTILIAN.

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WILLIAMS, RICHARD.

Black Rock harbor pier, water-power and flouring mills. B. H. S. paper, Jan. 16, 1865.

Personal observations on the Great Basin (Utah). B. H. S. paper, Jan. 7, 1867.

WILLIAMS, WILLIAM.

Account books (2), n. p., 1798-1815. (Tradesmen's accts., apparently at some point near Canandaigua, N. Y.)

WILLIAMSVILLE, (ERIE Co.), N. Y.

Postoffice of: Quarterly returns to the General Post Office, 1816-1822. (Papers of Isaac F. Bowman, postmaster, 1818-1821.)

Soldiers' burial-ground, War of 1812, owned by Buffalo Historical Society; papers relating to.

WILLINK, ERIE Co., N. Y.

Misc. data of early history of town of, compiled by L. J. Roberts.

- WILLSON, JARED.
 A. L. S., Canandaigua, 9th Nov., 1812. To Alvan Stewart, Cherry Valley, N. Y. See "War of 1812."
 Relates the writer's experiences as prisoner of war; he was taken by the British at the battle of Queenstown. 3 pp. folio.
- WILSON, (*Gen.*) JAMES GRANT.
 A. L. S.
- WOOL, (*Maj. Gen.*) JOHN.
 A. L. S., New York, June 12, 1863, to Guy H. Salisbury, Sec'y B. H. S.
- WOOLF, (*Capt.*) JOSEPH.
 His life-saving exploits, written by Wm. C. Munroe, with certifications before notaries.
 The MS. records 14 rescues from drowning by Capt. Woolf, of Buffalo, who commanded various craft, 1875-'81.
- WORTH, (*Col.*) WM. J.
 A. L. S., to Gov. Wm. L. Marcy, dated "Hdqrs., Niagara Frontier, Buffalo, Feb. 28, 1838."
- WRIGHT, AMZI. (*Pioneer Western New York.*)
 Account of 1st town meeting on the Holland Purchase, Mch. 1803. (Written for Mr. W., by A. S. Stevens.)
- WRIGHT, (*Rev.*) ASHER. (*Missionary to the Senecas.*)
 Letters, various: to O. H. Marshall, regarding origin of the name of "Buffalo," etc.
 See also "Pierce, Daniel W[ebster]"; "Indians, Missions, Cattaraugus reservation"; "Pierce, Maris Bryant, Papers."
- YATES, JOSEPH C. (*Governor N. Y. State.*)
 Doc. S., appointing Heman B. Potter colonel of the 208th Regt., N. Y. Inf., June 8, 1824.
- YOUNG, WILLIAM C.
 Reminiscences of Surveys for the Erie canal in 1816 and 1817.
 B. H. S. paper, Jan. 15, 1866.
- YOUNGLOVE, T. M.
 History of grape culture and wine-making of Pleasant Valley, N. Y. B. H. S. paper, Feb. 1865.
- ZELLER, JOHN.
 Journal, 1798-1813. (Incomplete.)
 Record of travel and military service on the Ohio, and in Kentucky and Indiana; at Fort Wayne; in campaign under Gen. Harrison, etc.

