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Gershom Flagg papers

Papers, 1823-1851

Box 4

Transcripts of Correspondence

1819-1845

1846-1847

1848-1849

1850-1851

1852-1854

Oversized

Paddocks' Grove post office accounts, 1855

Box 1 (cont.)

Willard C. Flagg papers

Correspondence and diary entries

Correspondence

1844-1847

1850-1852

1863-1870

1871-1880

Diary entries, 1856

Box 4 (cont.)

Transcripts of Correspondence

1856-1870

1872-1877

Box 1 (cont.)

Financial papers

Account of expenses, 1850-1852

Financial papers, 1858, 1864

Miscellaneous

Miscellaneous papers, undated

Oversized

War Department weather map, 1872

Box 1 (cont.)

Norman G. Flagg papers

Correspondence

1889

1920-1929

1931-1938

1940-1948

1910-1941

Box 4 (cont.)

Transcripts of correspondence, 1908

Box 2

Diaries

1886

1887

1888

1907

1908

1909

1912

1914

1915

1916

1917

1920

1921

1922

1923

1924

1927

1928

1929

Box 3

1931

1934

1937

1938

1939

1940

1941

1942
 1943
 1944
 1945
 1946
 1947
 1948

Box 1 (cont.)

Miscellaneous

Business and financial papers and receipts, 1905-1948
 Papers and notes from diaries, 1938-1945
 Scrapbook, undated
 Washington University alumni and school memorabilia, 1905-1928
 Essays, 1887-1888
 Copy of Willard C. Flagg diary pages, undated

Oversized

Broadsides, handbills, and plan

Box 1 (cont.)

Newspaper clippings, undated

Flagg family papers and photographs

Oversized

Flagg family newspaper clippings

Box 1 (cont.)

Flagg family photographs

Box 4 (cont.)

Duplicates of transcripts of correspondence,
 1819-1845
 1843-1854
 1856-1877, 1908
 Undated

Pamphlets and magazines

Willard C. Flagg pamphlets, 1860-1873
 Norman G. Flagg Washington University *Student Life* pamphlets,
 1884, 1886-1889, 1891
 Norman G. Flagg alumni pamphlets, 1903, 1913, 1938, 1947
 Willard C. Flagg business pamphlet, undated
Pioneer Letters of Gershom Flagg pamphlet, 1912

Box 5

Yale Literary Magazine

1850-1851
 1851-1852
 1852-1853
 1853-1854
 Class of 1854
 1854-1855

1855-1856

Appendix Inventory with item-level description

This inventory contains descriptions of items located in the Flagg family collection. Items in this list appear in order by the numbered box and folder where they may be found.

Box. No. 1. Original Papers

Folder No. 1. Gershom Flagg (and others) Papers. 8 items.

Description of Lands purchased for John A. Dix and Azariah Cutting Flagg; receipt for Gershom Flagg's subscription to the Edwardsville Spectator signed H. Warren, May 16, 1823;

letter from Anne Collet to Mr. Buckmaster, August 8, 1834;

"Memorial, Relative to the Boston and Mississippi Rail-Road" and note from Samuel Marks addressed to Gershom Flagg, December 8, 1840;

receipt for money paid by Postmaster at Paddocks' Grove, V.P. Richmond, to L. B. Stowe, October 27, 1842;

fragment of a speech or draft probably from the Constitutional Convention of 1847;

letter from A. W. Cummings to the Postmaster at Paddocks' Grove, June 4, 1850;

letter from John A. Dix to Gershom Flagg, February 20, 1851.

Folder No. 2. (Oversized). Paddocks' Grove Post Office Accounts, 1855. 5 items.

Accounts of Mails sent, April 1 - June 30, 1855.

Accounts of Circulars and other Printed Matter sent, April 1 - June 30, 1855.

Accounts of Mails Received, April 1 - June 30, 1855.

Accounts of Mails Received, October 1 - December 31, 1855.

Account for Paddocks' Grove Post Office, October 1 - December 31, 1855.

These items are signed: Gershom Flagg by W. C. Flagg.

Folder No. 3. Willard C. Flagg Letters, 1844-1847. 4 items.

Letter to Father (Gershom), December 1, 1844.

Letter to Father (Gershom) - includes daily entries and note from Aunt Persis Smith; November 24 - 30, 1845.

Letter to Father (Gershom) - includes letter from W. Bliss to Uncle and Aunt; February 11 & 12, 1846.

Letter to Father and Mother, February 28, 1847.

Folder No. 4. Willard C. Flagg Correspondence, 1850-1852. 7 items.

Letters to Father and Mother, September 10, 13, 17; and October 13, 20, 1850; June 29, 1851.

J. T. Welsh to W. C. Flagg, June 11, 1852.

Folder No. 5. Willard C. Flagg Correspondence, 1863-1870. 20 items.

Correspondents are John Baker, Newton Bateman, J. H. Beveridge, John T. Brown, John A. Dix, E. M. Haines, T. Seymour, and Benjamin Trumbull; and 1 letter written by W. C. Flagg. Several letters indirectly concern the University of Illinois.

Folder No. 6. Willard C. Flagg Correspondence, 1871-1880. 11 items.

Correspondents are Phila J. Beveridge, Thomas J. Durant, H. M. Hooton, G. Y. Kimball, J. R. Dodge, and George A. Fitch; Davis to Mrs. W. C. Flagg; and 1 letter and 2 post cards written by W. C. Flagg. Several relate to state politics.

Folder No. 7. Willard C. Flagg, Diary Entries, 1856.

These five pages are interim diary entries for the period November 10 - December 27, 1856.

Folder No. 8. Willard C. Flagg, Account of Expenses, 1850-1852. 5 items.

These accounts of expenses cover Willard C. Flagg's first two years at Yale; September 5, 1850 - April 10, 1852.

Folder No. 9. Willard C. Flagg, Financial Papers, 1858, 1864. 4 items.

Two receipts and an account statement; and there is an agreement by which Willard C. Flagg leased 30 Acres of land to Ferdinand Hess, February 4, 1864.

Folder No. 10. Willard C. Flagg, Miscellaneous. n.d.

Paper entitled the "Proveess of Cheese-Making"; and 4 empty envelopes.

Folder No. 11 (Oversized). Willard C. Flagg, Map, 1872.

War Department Weather Map, November 26, 1872.

Folder No. 12. Norman G. Flagg Letters Received, n.d., 1889. 3 items.

Three personal letters.

Folder No. 13. Norman G. Flagg Correspondence, 1920-1929. 9 items.

Several letters concern Washington University Alumni and two concern the sale of a Lincoln letter.

Folder No. 14. Norman G. Flagg Correspondence, 1931-1938. 9 items.

Several letters concern Washington University Alumni.

Folder No. 15. Norman G. Flagg Letters Received, 1940-1948. 8 items.

Several letters concern Washington University Alumni and one is a copy of a letter from Clark Harrison to George L. Newhoff.

Folder No. 16. Norman G. Flagg Miscellaneous Business and Financial Papers and Receipts, 1905-1948. 39 items.

Folder No. 17. Norman G. Flagg Miscellaneous Papers and Notes Found in Diaries.

Included are Norman G. Flagg's business card, Social Security Card, and assorted notes; these items are filed by the year of the diary in which they were found.

Folder No. 18. Norman G. Flagg Scrapbook.

These loose pages from Norman G. Flagg's scrapbook contain: pamphlets or programs from the Mary Institute (8 items), Washington University (8 items), Smith Academy (1 item), and the St. Louis Normal School (1 item); a pass and badge from the National Democratic Convention at St. Louis in 1888; a Washington University Scholarship Report; the Constitution and by-laws of the Washington University Alumni Association; various tickets and receipts; one photograph; and several pages of newspaper clippings.

Folder No. 19. Norman G. Flagg, Washington University Alumni and School Memorabilia. 8 items.

Folder No. 20. Norman G. Flagg Essays. 1887-1888.

These are examination essays on English Literature, written in 1887 and 1888 during Norman G. Flagg's senior year at Washington University.

Folder No. 21. Norman G. Flagg Diary (W.C.F.) Copy. 22 pages.

These pages contain copies of W. C. Flagg's diary entries 1844-1856. They were (possibly) copied by Norman G. Flagg.

Folder No. 22. (Oversized) Norman G. Flagg Broadsides, Handbills, Plan. 4 item.

Several of these items were taken from his Scrapbook.

Folder No. 23. Norman G. Flagg Newspaper Clippings.

Folder No. 24. (Oversized) Flagg Family Newspaper Clippings.

Folder No. 25. Flagg Family Photographs. 13 items.

Includes one moved from Scrapbook and one enlarged from group picture.

Box No. 2. Norman G. Flagg Diaries

Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1886.

Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1887.

Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1888.

Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1907.

Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1908.

Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1909.

Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1912.

Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1914.

Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1915.

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Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1927.
Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1928.
Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1929.

Box No. 3. Norman G. Flagg Diaries

Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1931.
Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1934.
Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1937.
Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1938.
Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1939.
Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1940.
Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1941.
Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1942.
Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1943.
Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1944.
Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1945.
Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1946.
Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1947.
Norman G. Flagg Diary, 1948.

Box No. 4. Pamphlets and Transcripts.

Folder No. 1. Willard C. Flagg Pamphlets, 4 items.

Three of these concern Rules of the Illinois General Assembly; the fourth item is a copy of the Congressional Directory for 1873.

Folder No. 2. Norman G. Flagg Pamphlets (Student). 10 items.

These are issues of the Washington University Student Life (1884, 1886-1889, 1891, and 1 fragment).

Folder No. 3. Norman G. Flagg Alumni (and others) Pamphlets. 5 items.

Four are Alumni Pamphlets, 1903, 1913, 1938, 1947; one is a November, 1907 issue of The Pacific Unitarian.

Folder No. 4. Willard G. Flagg Business Pamphlet.

This pamphlet describes the organization of the firm of Flagg, Scheibal, Sherbut and Associates, Inc.

Folder No. 5. Flagg Transcripts, Pamphlet.

Buck, Solon J. Pioneer Letters of Gershom Flagg.

Folders No. 6 - 10. Gershom Flagg Transcripts, 1819-1854.

These letters (and those following) were transcribed and collated under the supervision of Solon, J. Buck, 1910-1913, from the originals in the possession of Norman G. Flagg.

Folders No. 11 - 12. Willard C. Flagg Transcripts, 1856-1877.

Folder No. 13. Norman G. Flagg Transcripts, 1908.

Folders No. 14 - 17. Flagg Transcripts 1819-1908.

Duplicates of materials in Folders No. 6 - 13.

Box No. 5. Willard C. Flagg, Yale Literary Magazines, 1851-1856. 7 volumes.

The Volume for the period 1853-1854 contains a picture of and articles by Willard C. Flagg.