

Finding Aid for the William Greenleaf Eliot Personal Papers

Descriptive Summary

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Creator: William Greenleaf Eliot.

Title: William Greenleaf Eliot Personal Papers.

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Language: English.

Biographical Note

William Greenleaf Eliot (1811-1887) was born August 5, 1811 in New Bedford, Massachusetts. His father, a merchant and ship-owner, suffered financial reverses as a result of the embargo that accompanied the War of 1812, and soon moved his family to Baltimore and then Washington, D.C. where he received an appointment as chief examiner in the auditing office of the Postal Department. William, however, returned to New Bedford as a young boy in order to attend the Friends Academy, and later continued his education at Colombian College in Washington, D.C. from which he graduated in 1830. For one year after graduation he was employed in the Postal Department, but in 1831 he entered the Cambridge Divinity School, and on August 17, 1834 he was ordained a Unitarian minister in Boston. In 1834 he went to St. Louis as a missionary, and became the first Unitarian minister west of the Mississippi. Eliot spent the remainder of his life in St. Louis, becoming one of the city's most influential and respected citizens. Eliot was influential in the succeeding years in helping establish a good many Unitarian Churches throughout the Mississippi Valley. Eliot quickly became interested in education.

Throughout the 1840's he led in the efforts to establish and strengthen the St. Louis Public School System, and in 1848 was elected president of the school board. In 1853 Wayman Crow, a friend of Eliot's, secured a charter for a proposed college to be named Eliot Seminary. In 1854 Eliot became president of the board of directors, and the name of the fledgling University was changed to Washington Institute. From that time Eliot was to become the most important figure in the development of the University. In 1870 Eliot assumed the Chancellorship on an interim basis and in 1872 was officially installed in that post, which he held until his death. When Eliot took over the post of Chancellor he resigned his pastorate in order to devote full-time to the University. Prior to the Civil War Eliot had been a moderate abolitionist and when the war broke out he came out strongly in favor of union and emancipation. During the war he was instrumental in the creation, together with his

friend, James B. Yeatman, of the Western Sanitary Commission that mitigated to both the medical and spiritual needs of union and confederate soldiers throughout the Mississippi Valley. After the war Eliot became increasingly active in reform and benevolent movements such as temperance and women's rights, and mounted a strong campaign against efforts to license prostitution in Missouri. Eliot died in 1887, a figure of influence in the cultural and education development of St. Louis, and of national prominence in social reform and a man respected by his fellow Unitarians.

Scope and Content Notes

The papers of William G. Eliot include diaries, letters, published works, published and unpublished sermons and talks, newspaper clippings of articles written by or about Eliot, photographs; and biographical and other material about Eliot.

Papers and smaller items are housed in numbered boxes and larger materials are housed in the oversized drawers.

Organization and arrangement

The papers have been organized into eight series. Of these series, only the first represents an order imposed by Eliot himself.

Series 01: Notebooks (1847-1878 [?]) (arranged chronologically)

Series 02: Correspondence (1829-1937 and n.d.) (arranged chronologically)

Series 03: Unpublished Works (1862-1885) (arranged chronologically)

Series 04: Published Works by or about W.G.E. (1854-1885) (arranged alphabetically by last name of author or by title)

Series 05: Newspaper Clippings of Articles Written by W.G.E. (1853-1885) (arranged chronologically)

Series 06: Newspaper Clippings and Biographies about W.G.E. and other material written by others than William G. Eliot (1887-1935) (arranged alphabetically by last name of author then subject; writings by unknown authors are at the end of the series and are first arranged chronologically, then the articles with unknown dates are arranged alphabetically by title)

Series 07: Photographs (arranged alphabetically by subject)

Series 08: W.G.E. Professional Activities and Ephemeral Items (The first part of this series is arranged in the original order of the items. Following this are added acquisitions which are arranged alphabetically by subject.)

Published and unpublished material relating to Eliot may also be found in the Marshall Snow Scrapbooks (Archives), the records of the Board of Trustees (Archives), and in bound pamphlet volumes (Special Collections Department, Olin Library).

The collection has been reproduced on microfilm (5 reels), however the order of the finding aid does not represent the order of the microfilm

Administrative Information

Source of Collection

The material donated to University Archives by various family members of William Greenleaf Eliot.

Accruals

Accruals are interfiled within the collection.

Processing Information

Compiled by Jay Kempen and Sarah Pabarcus in September 2005.
Revised by Sarah Pabarcus in May 2006.

Restrictions

Access Restrictions

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Collection Contents

Series 01 – Notebooks

This series is in the chronological order originally imposed by William Greenleaf Eliot.

Box No.	Item
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01

Notebook 1. November 1847-October 1848

Include Eliot's reasons for coming to St. Louis; his thoughts on religion and the role of the minister in controversy and reform; the Mexican War; sermons on various topics including war and "Masters and Servants"; Temperance; Colonization Society Address, (16 January 1848); and charity drive figures.

Pages 31-34 have been deleted. Pages 45-50 have been deleted, but recopied, supposedly by R.E.S.[?]. Some of the letters written to newspapers by Eliot were written under the pseudonyms R.T.D., E., Ergon, and Free Labor.

Notebook 2. October 1848-August 1849

Includes sermons on gambling and social reform; school board business, including Eliot's election to the Presidency of the School Board and controversy over taxes to support public schools; charity lists and figures; Eliot's views on slavery and gradual abolition (pages 47, 50, 57-58, 61-65, 66); thoughts on woman's place in society; and material on the St. Louis cholera epidemic.

Slavery issue:

- (1) Newspaper clipping "Census of St. Louis County," includes numbers for free whites, free negroes, and slaves ca. 1848 (p. 38);
- (2) Newspaper clipping "A New Englander's View of Slavery" (p. 47);
- (3) Note about writing a series of letters concerning emancipation (p. 50);
- (4) Copy of letter to Hon. Campbell, Senator from Eliot, January 8, 1849 with questions about slavery and gradual emancipation (pp. 57-58);
- (5) Copy of letter to Thomas H. Benton from Eliot, January 13, 1849 with questions about slavery (p. 61-63);
- (6) Eliot's views on slavery (pp. 63-64)
- (7) Note about a sermon on slavery (p. 66)

Pages 21-22 and 51-52 have been deleted. Some of the letters written to newspapers by Eliot were written under the pseudonyms Fair Play and A Tax Payer.

Notebook 3. September 1849-December 1852

Includes material on Eliot's missionary work for the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel; notes on a conference at Cincinnati forming the Annual Conference of Western Unitarian Churches; public school business; charity lists; plans for poor relief; and sermons. Sermons of special interest are those delivered in Chicago at the establishment of a Unitarian Church Society, Sermons to Young Men, and a sermon delivered at the death of Nicholas Berthoud.

Notebook 4. November 1852-March 1860

Includes Eliot's personal philosophy and thoughts on Unitarianism; Eliot's reactions to "An Act Concerning Slaves, Free Negroes, and Mulattoes" (p. 143); Eliot's work at Washington University and with the Church of the Messiah.

Washington University materials of special interest are:

- (1) The founding of a Boys' Industrial School

- (2) Establishment of Washington Institute (name changed to O'Fallon Institute)
- (3) Mary Institute
- (4) Washington University--report on present condition and status, and general endowment
- (5) Meeting of Board of Directors of Washington University (21 February 1860)
- (6) Informal Report of President on Endowment Fund

Church of the Messiah materials of special interest are:

- (1) Eliot's personal history and history of the founding of the Church of the Messiah (pp.101-131);
- (2) Report presented to Charitable Association of the Church of the Messiah, 13 May 1855 (p.78);
- (3) Establishment of Young Men's Benevolent Association of the Church of the Messiah;
- (4) "Report [by Eliot] to the Trustees of the Church of the Messiah', and the condition and program of the Mission House of the Church.

Slavery issue:

- (1) Newspaper clipping of correspondence to the editor of *The Christian Register* by Eliot regarding his views on slavery (p. 39);
- (2) Newspaper clipping "From the Paris Mercury, Free Negroes and Mulattoes" (p. 41);
- (3) Newspaper clipping "An Act Concerning Slaves, Free Negroes, and Mulattoes" and Eliot's reactions (p. 143)
- (4) Newspaper clipping regarding slaves and the Union (p. 148).

Pages 15-18, 21, 25-26,31-32, and 167-168 have been deleted.

Notebook 5. March 1860-March 1861

Includes Eliot's thoughts on political affairs in the South, and the outbreak of the Civil War; formation of the St. Louis Provident Association; correspondence with Wayman Crow; sermons on various subjects; and material on Washington University.

Sermons of special interest are:

- (1) Eliot's Annual Charity Sermon delivered 11 November 1860;
- (2) A sermon entitled "My Creed";
- (3) A sermon entitled "The Higher Law Doctrine, North and South," delivered 27 January 1861 (pages 150 – 158).

Slavery issue:

- (1) Note about getting Sarah Green out of Lynch's Slaves Yard (p. 34);
- (2) Newspaper clipping of interest: "The Higher Law Doctrine. North and South," by William Greenleaf Eliot from *The Republican*, 1861 (pp. 150-158) (clipping also in Series 04, folder 1861).

Washington University materials of special interest are:

- (1) Endowment and building fund
- (2) Organization of the Law Department
- (3) Board of Directors' meeting
- (4) Mary Institute--organization resolution
- (5) Meetings of the Managers of Mary Institute.

One page of insert between pp.18 and 19 has been deleted and part of pp. 23-24 is missing.

Notebook 6. April 1861-June 1863

Includes material on the St. Louis Board of Education, Washington University, the Civil War, and the Western Sanitary Commission. He describes his activities for one day as "My present course of life" (p.72)

Other topics discussed:

- (1) Washington University (pp. 5, 9, 19, 21-23, 24, 25, 27, 28, 52, 64 ...)
- (2) Mary Institute (p.14, 19, 26, 27, 52 ...)
- (3) Union (United States) (pp.8, 12, 31-42 sermon, 48-49, 51, 53, 61-64, 69, 70, 73, 81, 96-97 ...)
- (4) Western Sanitary Commission (pp.55-58, 59-60, 60-61, 65-67, 68, 70, 76, 77-80, 82, 83, 84, 85-95, 98-99 ... 102 ... 117 ...)
- (5) Sermon Material (pp.29, 30, 31-42, 43-46, 47, 51, 71 ...)
- (6) On behalf of Church of the Messiah (p.13 ...)
- (7) Negroes (p.6 ...)

Notebook 7. July 1870-June 1871

Includes material on Washington University; thoughts on Unitarianism; "A Practical Sermon: What Christ Said to the Rich Man"; letters and articles published in newspapers; Eliot's attendance at a Unitarian Conference in New York, October 1870; addresses and articles on women's rights; and material on a meeting of the Western Sanitary Commission, 11 January 1871 (p.131).

Washington University materials of special interest are:

- (1) Letter to James Lucas asking for endowment to the Law School;
- (2) Plans for Polytechnic School (p.67);
- (3) O'Fallon Polytechnic Institute--agreement between Washington University and the St. Louis Public Schools (p.141)
- (4) Cost of a scientific building for Washington University
- (5) Endowment of the University by railroad men
- (6) Bureau of Geology at Washington University
- (7) Law School Commencement
- (8) Faculty discussions in favor of admitting women to classes.

Women's rights materials of special interest are:

- (1) Two addresses delivered before the Teachers' Association at Sedalia, entitled "Woman's Work in America and the Education Needed to Prepare Her for It" (p.104), and "Woman's Future: Tendency of the Female Suffrage Agitation in America" (p.126)
- (2) Eliot's thoughts on women's suffrage;
- (3) Letter to Governor Brown on the Law of Marriage and Divorce.

Newspaper clippings of interest are:

- (1) Letter to newspaper on "The Social Evil"
- (2) Article by Eliot entitled "Industrial Education"
- (3) Article by Eliot entitled "Religion in Public Schools"
- (4) Article by Eliot entitled "The Contagious Diseases Law" (pp.145 and 149)
- (5) Article by Eliot entitled "In Memoriam; William Chauvenet" (p.153).

Notebook 8. November 1871-July 1875

Includes Eliot's work at Washington University; his thoughts on education (pp.22-25); and women's rights and reform activities.

Washington University materials of special interest are:

- (1) Development of the Polytechnic Department (pp.19-21)
- (2) Eliot's inaugural address as Chancellor (pp.30-35)
- (3) Law School Commencement
- (4) Meeting of the Directors of Washington University (p.50)
- (5) Eliot's report to the Directors, 2-2-73 (pp.59-60)
- (6) A speech delivered by Eliot at banquet of the Alumni Association, 2-26-73
- (7) Law School Commencement, address by Eliot (p.77)
- (8) Letter written by Eliot to the newspaper of endowment for the Law School (p.90)

- (9) The need to build a new Mary Institute (p.98)
- (10) Directors' Meeting (Washington University) (p.103)
- (11) Mary Institute expansion (p.141)
- (12) Eliot's speech at banquet of the Medical Alumni Association, April 1875 (p.143)
- (13) A letter to George Leighton on the general state of Washington University (pp.158-159);
- (14) Eliot deplores his hard task at Washington University (p.163).

Reform and women's suffrage materials of special interest are:

- (1) Notes on college education for women (p.8)
- (2) Letters entitled "The Social Evil" (pp.61 and 69)
- (3) Article by Eliot on Christian Women's House (p.71)
- (4) Address written for a meeting of the Women's Suffrage Association (p.93)
- (5) Efforts to establish a Reformatory Institution for prostitutes (p.105)
- (6) Letter written [but not sent] to Mayor Brown on social vices (p.126)
- (7) Letter to Women's Suffrage Association, 2-16-75
- (8) "The Leasing System" by Eliot (p.130)
- (9) A paper entitled the "Treatment of the Guilty" (p.131)
- (10) Essay entitled "The Education of Girls" (p.149)
- (11) Essay entitled "Christian Discipleship" (p.172)
- (12) Letter to newspaper on the St. Louis County Insane Asylum (p.176)

Other materials of general interest are:

- (1) Material on the erecting of the Freedmen's Monument (p.94)
- (2) Obituaries on Hudson E. Bridge (pp.136-139)
- (3) American Unitarian Society resolutions (p.153)
- (4) "Scrap of History" written by Eliot for newspaper, 5-6-75 (p.154)
- (5) Letter to Rev. J.C. Learned on the inadvisability of a series of Sunday Scientific lectures in St. Louis (p.161).

Pages 63-68 have been deleted.

Notebook 9. September 1875-December 1876

Includes material on Washington University; the Western Sanitary Commission; reform and charitable activities.

Washington University materials of special interest are:

- (1) Scholarships at Washington University made competitive (p.15)

- (2) Purchase of lot and erection of building for Mary Institute (p.49)
- (3) The needs of the University (p.59)
- (4) Transfer of land from Fair Grounds to the University (pp.79-81)
- (5) Outline of work necessary at Washington University (p.99)
- (6) Lists of those who gave public lectures at Washington University (p.100)
- (7) Letter to C.S. Pennell (head of Mary Institute) about Mary Institute (pp.101-103).

Western Sanitary Commission materials of special interest are:

- (1) A meeting of the Western Sanitary Commission to attend the Freedmen's Memorial (pp.11-12);
- (2) Letter to Eliot from James Yeatmen urging him to represent the Western Sanitary Commission in Washington
- (3) Letter sent by Eliot and other members of the Western Sanitary Commission to Boston (to Alex H. Rice, Edward E. Hale, George Bentecost)--gives some details of New England's aid to the Commission
- (4) Role of the Western Sanitary Commission in the founding of the Women's Christian Home (p.176).

Reform and charitable materials of special interest are:

- (1) A letter on the women's hospital (p.9);
- (2) An editorial written by Eliot on the Christian Women's Home (p.47);
- (3) Articles by Eliot on "Household Taste" and "The Ladies' Fair of the Christian Women's Home" (p.43)
- (4) Collection of money for the Women's Hospital
- (5) Eliot's visit to the Women's Hospital
- (6) Letter to Mayor James Britton on the condition of the poor and poor relief (p.21);
- (7) Thoughts on female education (p.26)
- (8) Newspaper article entitles "The Flower Mission"
- (9) Newspaper article entitled "The Guardian Home" probably written by Eliot (p.30)
- (10) A day home for children of poor women (p.31);
- (11) An editorial written by Eliot entitled "Our Minor Charities" (p.33)
- (12) An editorial by Eliot entitled "Our Private Charities" (p.37);
- (13) A visit to the workhouse (p.39)
- (14) Letter on women's suffrage question written to the *Christian Register*, Boston (p.70)

- (15) Letter by Eliot to *Woman's Journal* in Massachusetts on women's suffrage (p.81)
- (16) Letter written by Eliot to New York *Evening Express* stating his opposition to the licensing of prostitutes in New York (p.93)
- (17) Letter written by Eliot to the newspaper in opposition to the licensing of "houses of ill-fame" (p.108)
- (18) Thoughts on the St. Louis Public School System;
- (19) More on the licensing of prostitution (pp.113-115)
- (20) Eliot becomes a member of the National Prison Association (p.114)
- (21) Letter to newspaper imploring ladies not to turn their parlors into barrooms on New Year's Day (p.181).

Other material of general interest includes:

- (1) Eliot's views on Jesus Christ (p.2)
- (2) Eliot's anti-Catholicism (p.36)
- (3) Eliot's objections to Missouri's new constitution (p.17)
- (4) Letter on conditions in St. Louis published in *The Christian Register* (pp.106-108)
- (5) Article by Eliot on the Church of the Messiah (pp.174 and 187)
- (6) Lists of those participating in Washington University Lecture Series.

Pages 119-120, 139-140, and 155-156 have been deleted.

Notebook 10. January 1877-1878[?]

Contains mostly material dealing with Eliot's benevolent and reform activities.

Some of the materials of special interest are:

- (1) Letter to the St. Louis Globe-Democrat entitled "Social Evil Legislation" (p.3)
- (2) Article in newspaper entitled "How and Why to Give" (p.10)
- (3) Material on the Christian Women's Home (p.27)
- (4) Letter to newspaper entitled "The Grand Jury and the Social Evil Law" (p.37);
- (5) Organizational meeting of the St. Louis Social Science Association (p.19);
- (6) Second meeting of the Association and the Constitution of the Association;
- (7) Letter written to newspaper by Eliot on behalf of Social Science Association entitled "Tramps and Industrial Education?" (p.43)
- (8) Letter written by Eliot to newspaper entitled "The Tramps and the Honest Workman" (p.53);

(9) Letter written by Eliot to newspaper entitled "Habitual Abstinence versus Moderate Drinking" (p.56).

Washington University materials of special interest are:

(1) Remarks of Eliot at Law School Commencement, 14 May 1877 (p.24)

(2) Estate of William Palm willed to Washington University (p.26)

(3) Estate of James Smith willed to Washington University (p.42) and eulogies on the death of James Smith (p.40).

Materials of general interest are:

(1) Letter sent to newspaper entitled "Non-Christian Scruples"

(2) Articles by Eliot entitled "Mission House and Free School" and "Why Should a New Church be Built?"

(3) Letter to newspaper entitled "Artistic Financeering" (p.1)

(4) Letter written to newspaper by Eliot from New Orleans describing affairs there.

Series 02 – Correspondence

This series is arranged chronologically. Letters for which the date is unknown are placed at the end of the series.

Box No.	Folder
01	1833. 30 April. Abby Adams Cranch to Mrs. Nancy Cranch
	1833. 5 August. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
	1833. 29 August. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
	1833. 30 August. W.G.E. to James F. Clarke
	1833. 12 October. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
	[1834 or 35]. W.G.E. to Reverend Hosmer
	[1834-37]. [W.G.E.] to James Clarke
	1834. 7 February. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
	1834. 22 February. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
	1834. 10 March. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
	1834. 13 August. W.G.E. Sr. to W.G.E. Jr.

1834. 17 September. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1834. 16 October. W.G.E. to James F. Clarke
1834. 3 December. Abram Clarke to James Freeman Clarke
1834. 19 December. Abraham F. Clarke to Miss Sarah Clarke
1835. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1835. 4 February. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1835. 27 March. [E.S. Gannett] to W.G.E.
1835. 25 May. W.G.E. to Mrs. E. Peabody
1835. 16 May. Christopher Rhodes to W.G.E.
1835. 3 June. W.G.E. to Mrs. E. Peabody
1835. 8 June. W.G.E. to Mrs. E. Peabody
1835. 11 June. W.G.E. to Mrs. E. Peabody
1835. 20 July. W.G.E. to Rev. E. Peabody
1835. 23 July. [Geo. H. Callender] to W.G.E. Jr.
1835. 21 September. W.G.E. to Rev. E. Peabody
1835. 2 November. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1835. 1 December. W.G.E. to Rev. E. Peabody
[1836 or 37]. [W.G.E.] to James Clarke
[1836 or 37]. [William] to James Clarke
1836. 4 January. W.G.E. to Rev. E. Peabody
1836. 4 March. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1836. 6 March. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1836. 15 March. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke

1836. 17 May. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1836. 6 June. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1836. 5 August. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1836. 8 August. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1836. 12 November. W.G.E. to Rev. E. Peabody
1836. 3 December. W.G.E. to Rev. E. Peabody
1836. 13 December. W.G.E. to Rev. E. Peabody
[1837 or 38]. [William] to James
[1837-40]. W.G.E. to Brother
1837. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1837. 9 January. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1837. 28 January. W.G.E. to Mrs. E. Peabody
1837. March. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1837. 11 April. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1837. 18 April. W.G.E. to Rev. E. Peabody
1837. 20 April. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1837. 17 July. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1837. 31 July. W.G.E. to Rev. E. Peabody
1837. 8 November. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1837. 22 December. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1838. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1838. 9 February. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1838. 20 February. W.G.E. to Abby Adams Eliot

1838. 3 April. Abby Adams Eliot to Mrs. Cranch
1838. 10 October. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1838. 27 October. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
[1839-43]. W.G.E. to James Clarke
1839. 3 April. Church Congregation to W.G.E.
1839. 15 April. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1839. 4 November. W.G.E. to Rev. E. Peabody
1840. 4 March. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1840. 15 November. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1841. 17 February. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1842. Letter acknowledging the receipt of a slave girl
1842. 29 November. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1842. 20 December. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1843. 5 June. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1843. 10 September. William Cranch to W.G.E. and Abby A. Eliot
1843. 15 September. William Cranch to W.G.E.
1844. 15 January. Abby's brother to Abby A. Eliot
1846. 28 January. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1846. 1 August. W.G.E. to Frank
1847. 1 June. W.G.E. Sr. to W.G.E. Jr.
1847. 3 July. [Chenevière Prof] to Orville Dervey
1847. 23 November. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
1848. 22 February. W.G.E. to Abby A. Eliot

1848. 12 April. Church Congregation to W.G.E.

1849. W.G.E. to Rev. Peabody

1849. 4 January. W.G.E. to Ephraim [Peabody]

1849. 12 July. W.G.E. to [Rev. Peabody]

1850. 1 May. W.G.E. to Abby A. Eliot

1850. 1 October. W.G.E. to James [Clarke]

1850. 28 November. [S.A. Ranlett] to W.G.E.

[1851-53]. W.G.E. to Peabody

1851. 26 February. W.G.E. to James [Clarke]

1851. 9 June. Abby A. Eliot to W.G.E.

1851. 11 June. Mary E. [Rhodes] to W.G.E.

1851. 13 June. Abby A. Eliot to W.G.E.

1852. 9 February. James F. Clarke to W.G.E.

1852. 1 March. W.G.E. to Jacobe

1852. 2 March. [W.G.E.] to James F. Clarke

1852. 24 March. James F. Clarke to W.G.E.

1853. 8 January. W.G.E. to S.A. Ranlett

1853. 26 April. Green and Scott Auctioneers to W.G.E. (Account Sales)

1853. 13 May. W.G.E. to Abby A. Eliot

1853. 2 July. W.G.E. to Abby A. Eliot

1853. 9 November. James Freeman Clarke to W.G.E.

1854. W.G.E. to "dear boys"

1854. 11 July. W.G.E. to "my dear boys"
1854. 24 July. [Mary] to Mother [Abby A. Eliot]
1854. 15 August. Mary [Rhodes Eliot] to W.G.E.
1855. 4 January. W.G.E. to "my dear sir"
1855. 14 February. Unknown to Margie Dawes Eliot
1855. 10 June. W.G.E. to Abby A Eliot
1855. 26 June. W.G.E. to Unknown
1856. W.G.E. to "My dear Sir"
1856. 29 April. W.G.E. to Prof. Heidekoper
1856. 28 October. W.G.E. to Rev. Peabody
1856. 24 December. Margie [Dawes Eliot] to Aunt Lizzie
1857. 7 July. W.G.E. to Prof. [Heidekoper]
1858. W.G.E. to Henry Ware Eliot
1858. W.G.E. to "Dear Boys"
1858. W.G.E. to Tom [Lamb Eliot] and Hal [Henry Ware Eliot]
1858. 12 May. Mary C. Rhodes to W.G.E.
1858. 1 July. W.G.E. to "My dear Boys"
1858. 8 July. W.G.E. to "My dear Boys"
1858. 9 July. W.G.E. to Edward Everett
1858. 3 August. Sister Ada to "Dear Brothers"
1858. 2 September. Mrs. Rhodes to W.G.E.
[1859]. W.G.E. to Unknown
1859. W.G.E. to "Dear Boys"

1859. 20 January. M.E. Rhodes to W.G.E.
1859. 23 February. [Dawes] to [Dear Colleagues]
1859. 2 August. Unknown
1859. 9 August. W.G.E. to Unknown
1859. 30 August. W.G.E. to Abby A. Eliot
1860. W.G.E. to "Dear boys"
1860. W.G.E. to Tom [Lamb Eliot]
1860. W.G.E. to Tom [Lamb Eliot]
1860. W.G.E. to [one of his children]
1860. 24 February. W.G.E. to Tom [Lamb Eliot]
1860. 6 April. W.G.E. to Tom
1860. 9 April. W.G.E. to James [F. Clarke]
1860. 29 April. W.G.E. to Tom
1860. May. W.G.E. to Tom
1860. 9 May. W.G.E. to James F. Clarke
1860. 22 August. Papa [W.G.E.] to Ada
1860. 24 September. W.G.E. to "Mama" [Abby A. Eliot]
1860. 17 December. W.G.E. to Prof. [Heidekoper]
1861. 11 January. [Dawes] to Williams
1861. 11 July. Hoyt to Dear Doctor
1861. 1 November. W.G.E. to Mr. Peabody
1861. 11 November. W.G.E. to Hoidekoper
1862. 9 January. Provost Marshal of St. Louis to W.G.E.

1862. 23 January. [Mrs. Hall] to W.G.E.

1862. 26 January. Mother to Abby

1862. 3 March. W.G.E. to Hoidekoper

1862. 11 March. W.G.E. to Madam

1862. 6 April. to Dear Count

1862. 10 May. W.G.E. to Mrs. Hall

1862. 28 May. W.G.E. to Mrs. Hall

1862. 13 July. Ada to Mother

1862. 9 [August]. Tom to Mother

1862. 18 August. Ada to Mother

1862. 22 August. Father to Thom (mentions war meeting)

1862. 16 September. W.G.E. to Mrs. Hall

1862. 15 December. William to Mama

1862. 20 December. Williams to Mama (mentions soldiers and abolition)

[1862/63]. 10 September. Mother to Abby

[1863]. to Mama

1863. W. to Mother

1863. January. [Williams to Mama]

1863. 24 March. Samuel J. May to W.G.E. (printed from microfilm, original not located)

1863. 25 March. MA Historical Society to J. Villard

1863. 8 May. Channing to T. D. Eliot

1863. 17 May. W.G.E. to U.S. Postmaster of St. Louis

1863. 1 July. Tom to Mother (printed from microfilm, original not located)

1863. 24 July. Father to Boys

1863. 25 July. W.G.E. to Thom.

1863. 31 July. Senior to Junior

1863. 5 August. W.G.E. to Tom and Hal

1863. 9 August. Ada to Mama

1863. 10 August. Father to Thom and Hal

1863. 11 August. Ada to Mother

1863. 13 August. Senior to Junior

1863. 10 September. Mother to Abby (printed from microfilm, original not located)

1863. 24 November. Samuel J. May to [W.G.E.] (mentions negroes and Western Sanitary Commission)

1864. W.G.E. to Tom

1864 [sic]. 1 January. W.G.E. to Thom

1864. 28 February. Tho. Gantt to W.G.E.

1864. 23 May. W.G.E. to Professor [Heidenkopes]

1864. 27 August. Regis Chavvenet to [T.L. Eliot]

1864. 29 August. W.G.E. to Thom

1864. 1 September. W.G.E. to Thom

1864. 11 September. W.G.E. to Thom

1864. 22 September. W.G.E. to Thom

1864. 6 October. W.G.E. to Thom

1864. 7 October. W.G.E. to Thom

1864. 8 October. W.G.E. to Thom

1864. 24 November. W.G.E. to Thom

1864. 18 December. Wayman Crow to W.G.E.

1864. 30 December. W.G.E. to Thom

[1865]. W.G.E. to Thom

[1865]. Friday. W.G.E. to Thom

[1865]. Sunday. W.G.E. to Tom

[1865]. 3 July. W.G.E. to Thom

1865. 21 March. Brother Tom to Christy

1865. 13 April. W.G.E. to Tom

1865. 24 May. W.G.E. to [Mrs. Thomas Lamb]

1865. July. [C.B. Greeley to W.G.E.; and W.G.E. to one of his children

1865. 3 July. W.G.E. to Thom (printed from microfilm, original not located)

1865. 27 July. W.G.E. to "Dear Children"

1865. 11 August. W.G.E. to Thom

1865. 12 August. W.G.E. to Thom

1865. 26 August. A.A. [Livirmore] to W.G.E.

1865. 29 August. W.G.E. to Tom

1865. 18 September. [Orville Dawes] to W.G.E.

1866. 5 January. W.G.E. to Rev. Thomas L. Eliot

1866. 8 January. W.G.E. to Thom

1866. 10 January. Brother Tom to "My dear little Brother"

1866. 11 & 12 June. Normal School graduation program (printed from microfilm, original not located)

1866. 20 August. [D.V. Dean] to W.G.E.

1866. 17 November. Wayman Crow to members of the Congregation of the Church of the Messiah

1867. 2 February. W.G.E. to Thom

1867. 3 February. W.G.E. to Tom

1867. 24 February. W.G.E. to Tom

1867. 28 February. W.G.E. to Thom

1867. 7 March. W.G.E. to Tom

1867. 12 March. [J.Q.A. Fellows] to Thomas D. Eliot; and W.G.E. to Tom

1867. 16 March. W.G.E. to Thom

1867. 23 March. W.G.E. to Thom

1867. 5 April. W.G.E. to Tom

1867. 16 April. W.G.E. to Tom

1867. 23 April. W.G.E. to Thom L. Eliot

1867. 1 May. W.G.E. to Thomas L. Eliot

1867. 9 May. John Green to W.G.E.

1867. 11 May. W.G.E. to Thomas L. Eliot

1867. 17 May. W.G.E. to Thom L. Eliot

1867. 27 May. W.G.E. to "Dear Children"

1867. 27 May. W.G.E. to Thom L. Eliot

[1867]. May. Copy of letter from W.G.E. to Kennedy

1867. 8 June. [W.T. Sherman] to W.G.E.

[1867]. 29 July. W.G.E. to "Dear Mama"

1867. 25 September. [Revd. Laindleallis] to W.G.E.; and W.G.E. to Tom L. Eliot

1867. October. W.G.E. to Tom

1867. 11 October. W.G.E. to Tom L. Eliot

1867. 16 November. W.G.E. to Tom, Etta, and Willie [Eliot]

1867. 5 December. W.G.E. to Teddie [E.C. Eliot]

1867. 6 December. W.G.E. to Tom L. Eliot

1867. 6 December. W.G.E. to "Dear Mama"

1868. 6 January. Father to Thom and [Etta]

1868. 6 March. Father to Son and Daughter

1868. 4 April. Father to Thom

1868. 17 April. J. Garland to T. L. Eliot

1868. 19 April. W.G.E. to Mama

1868. 5 May. Father to Tom

1868. 23 May. Father and Mother to Etta

1868. 29 July. W.G.E. Sr. to Children

1868. 13 October. Father and Mother to Children

1868. 14 December. W.G.E. to Tom

1868. 21 December. T.L. Eliot to Eddie

1869. W.G.E. to Thomas Lamb Eliot

1869. W.G.E. to Abby A. Eliot

1869. W.G.E. to Abby A. Eliot

1869. W.G.E. to Abby A. Eliot

1869. 1 January. W.G.E. to the Trustees of the Church of the Messiah

1869. 20 January. T.L. Eliot to Christopher R. Eliot

1869. 21 January. W.G.E. to Tom L. Eliot

1869. 1 February. W.G.E. to Tom L. Eliot

1869. 8 February. W.G.E. to James [F. Clarke]

1869. 26 March. W.G.E. to Tom L. Eliot

1869. 7 April. Tom L. Eliot to Christopher R. Eliot

1869. 15 April. W.G.E. to Tom and Etta Eliot

1869. 17 May. W.G.E. and Abby A. Eliot to Tom and Etta L. Eliot

1869. 18 May. W.G.E. to Thomas L. Eliot

1869. 24 June. W.G.E. to Thomas L. Eliot

1869. 2 October. W.G.E. to Tom L. Eliot

1869. November. W.G.E. to "Dear Children"

1869. 8 November. W.G.E. to Mr. Yeatman

02 1869. 10 November. W.G.E. and Rose Eliot to Tom L. Eliot

1869. 25 December. W.G.E. and A.A.E. to Thomas L. Eliot

1870. W.G.E. to [Rev. John Cordner]

1870. George to Tom

1870. 17 March. W.G.E. to "Dear Children"

1870. 6 April. W.G.E. to Tom L. Eliot

1870. 4 May. W.G.E. to Tom L. Eliot

1870. 13 May. W.G.E. to Tom L. Eliot
1870. 26 May. W.G.E. to Tom and Etta
1870. 1 July. W.G.E. to the Trustees of the Church of the Messiah
1870. 10 September. W.G.E. to James [F. Clarke]
1870. 9 October. Wm. Palm to W.G.E.
1870. 15 November. W.G.E. to James [F. Clarke]
1871. 14 March. W.G.E. to Tom
1871. 28 May. Father to "Dear Children"
1871. 9 July. Father to Thom
1871. 12 July. W.G.E. to James
1871. 13 August. Father to "Bro. Tom"
1871. 14 November. Father to Tom
1871. 24 December. Father to Thom
1872. 18 February. W.G.E. to Rev. H.C. Badger
1872. 6 March. W.G.E. to Etta [Eliot]
1872. 21 March. [Margaret F. Foley] to W.G.E.
1872. 24 March. Father to Thom
1872. 14 April. Father to Tom and Etta
1872. 2 May. Father to Tom.
1872. 14 May. Father to Tom
1872. 11 June. James to W.G.E.
1872. 31 July. [Charles Summer] to W.G.E.
1872. 9 August. Father to Tom

1872. 12 August. Father to Thom
1872. 18 August. W.G.E. to Thom
1872. 17 September. W.G.E. to Abby
1872. 13 October. W.G.E. to Thom and Etta
1872. 4 November. [Robert Callyer] to "Dear Brother Mine"
1872. 13 November. W.G.E. to Thom
1872. 21 December. Father to Tom
1872. [1 Mo. 21]. [John G. Whittier] to "My Dear [Friend]"
[1872]. W.G.E. to "Dear Mama"
1873. W.G.E. to Thom
1873. 13 January. Father to Tom and Etta
1873. 9 February. Father to Thom
1873. 3 March. Father to Dear Children
1873. 21 March. Wm. Lloyd Garrison to Rev. Dr. Eliot
1873. 27 April. W.G.E. to Thom
1873. 1 May. Father to Tom
1873. 18 May. Father to Tom
1873. 23 July. W.G.E. to Tom
1873. 3 August. W.G.E. to Rev. Thomas Eliot
1873. 3 August. W.G.E. to Tom and Etta
1873. 7 August. W.G.E. to Thom
1873. 18 August. W.G.E. to Rev. Thos. L. Eliot
1873. 20 August. Father to Thom

1873. 27 August. Father to Thom and Etta
1873. 1 September. Father to Thom
1873. 24 September. Father to Thom
1873. 4 November. Father to Thom
1873. 7 November. W.G.E. to Thom
1873. 16 December. Father to Thom
1873. 29 December. Father to Etta
1874. 4 January. Father to Tom
1874. 11 January. Father to Thom
1874. 10 February. W.G.E. to [Geo. H. Morgan Esq.]
1874. 27 March. [J.B. Sanborn] to "My dear sir"
1874. 28 March. Father to Thom
1874. 27 April. Father to Thom and Etta
1874. 21 May. W.G.E. to Dear Children
1874. 3 June. W.G.E. to Rev. Thomas L. Eliot
1874. 18 June. Papa to Mama
1874. 25 June. Father to Tom
1874. 4 August. [R.R. Shiffen] to W.G.E.; and Father to Thom
1874. September. Father to Thom
1874. 23 October. W.G.E. to Unknown
1875. "Grandpa" to Tom and Etta
[1875]. W.G.E. to Thomas
[1875]. Father to Brother Thomas

[1875]. Father to Thomas
[1875]. W.G.E. to Thom
1875. 6 January. Father to Thomas
1875. 20 January. [Tom] to My Dear Chris
1875. 16 February. Father to Brother Thomas
1875. 23 February. Father to Dear Children
1875. 23 February. W.G.E. to Unknown
1875. 12 March. Tom to [Christy]
1875. 13 March. Father William to Thomas
1875. 23 March. Father to Thom
1875. 9 April. W.G.E. to F.B. Chamberlain Esq.
1875. 3 May. Father to Thom and Etta
1875. 17 May. Father to Thom
1875. June. W.G.E. to Unknown
1875. 3 June. Father Tom
1875. 18 June. [E. Yeatman] to W.G.E.
1875. 18 June. W.G.E. to Mr. Yeatman
1875. 3 July. Father to Dear Children
1875. 17 July. Father to Tom and Etta
1875. 22 July. W.G.E. to Mr. Yeatman
1875. 22 July. Father to Tom
1875. 1 August. Father to Thomas
1875. 17 August. Father to Thom

1875. 29 August. Father to Thom
1875. 13 September. W.G.E. to Thom
1875. 5 October. Mama to My darling child
1875. 6 October. Unknown
1875. 16 October. Father to Thom and Etta
1875. 7 November. W.G.E. to Rev. Thomas L. Eliot
1875. 29 November. W.G.E. to Tom
1875. 23 December. W.G.E. to James
[1876]. W.G.E. to Mr. Healey
[1876]. W.G.E. to Etta
[1876]. to [Chr.]
1876. 16 January. Tom to Chris
1876. 2 February. Father to Thomas
1876. 10 February. W.G.E. to James
1876. 15 February. Father to Thomas
1876. 13 March. Father to Thomas
1876. 19 March. Father to Dear Children
1876. 24 May. W.G.E. to Thomas Ball Esq.
1876. 26 May. W.G.E. to Newton Crane Esq.
1876. 9 July. [Chr.] to Father
1876. August. Father to Hal
1876. [6 August]. W.G.E. to Dear Boys
1876. 13 August. Father to Brother Tom

1876. 21 August. Father to Dear Boys
1876. 26 August. Father to Dear Boys
1876. 23 September. C.R.E. to Mother
1876. 4 October. W.G.E. to Thom
1876. 11 October. Christy to Father
1876. 13 October. Father to Thom
1876. 26 October. E.C. Eliot to Chris
1876. 26 October. Father to Christy
1876. 11 November. Father and Etta to Thomas
1876. 12 November. [W.C. Glasgow] to T.D. Eliot; and Father to
Thomas
1876. 20 November. Etta to Rev. Thomas L. Eliot
1876. 28 November. W.G.E. to Etta
1876. 3 December. W.G.E. to Prof. [Heidekoper]
1876. 7 December. Rose to Chris and Brother Tom; and Father to
[Chris and Tom]
1876. 14 December. W.G.E. to Dear Boys
1876. 23 December. W.G.E. to Prof. [Huidekoper]
1876. [25 December]. Father to Dear Boys
1877. 15 January. Father to Dear Boys
1877. 19 January. Christy to Father
1877. 20 January. Etta to Chris
1877. 30 January. Father to Dear Boys
1877. February. W.G.E. to the Right Rev. Bishop Wood

1877. 21 February. Father to Dear Boys
1877. 27 February. Father to Tom
1877. 28 March. Father to Christopher
1877. 16 July. Father to Dear Children
1877. 20 July. Father to Dear Children
1877. 12 August. Father to Thomas
1877. 22 August. Father to Brother Tom
1877. 22 August. Grandpa to Mary
1877. 26 November. W.G.E. to Etta
1877. 29 December. Father to Etta
1878. Father to Brother Tom
[1878]. W. to Mama
1878. 6 January. Father to Dear Children
1878. 16 February. Father to Brother Tom
1878. 28 March. Father to Bro. Tom
1878. 31 March. W.G.E. to Sarah
1878. 20 April. Father to Etta
1878. 22 April. W.G. Elliott [sic] to Revd. Thos. T. Elliott [sic]
1878. 23 April. Father to Dear Children
1878. 25 April. Father to Dear Children
1878. 30 April. W.G.E. to Tom and Etta
1878. May. Father to Brother Thomas
1878. 5 June. [W.G.E.] to Mama

1878. 29 June. [W.G.E.] to Dear Children
1878. 5 July. Father to Brother Tom
1878. 8 July. Tom to Father
1878. 15 July. Father to Dear Children
1878. 27 July. Rose to Chris
1878. 3 August. W.G.E. to Brother Tom
1878. 26 August. [W.G.E.] to Rev. Thos. L. Eliot
1878. 11 September. W.G.E. to Bro. Tom
1878. 18 October. Father to Thomas
1878. 6 November. Invitation to the Wisconsin Conference of
Unitarian and Independent Societies
1878. 8 November. Father to Dear Children
1878. 8 December. [W.G.E.] to Unknown
1878. 14 December. W.G.E. to Dear Children
[1879]. Father to Unknown
[1879]. Father to Dear Children
[1879]. Father to Etta
[1879]. 6. Father to Thom
1879. 2 January. Father to Dear Children
1879. 18 January. [W.G.E.] to Unknown
1879. 27 January. Christy to Father
1879. 27 January. Father to Thom
1879. 16 February. W.G.E. to Peter J. Kenrick
1879. 26 February. Father to Brother Thomas

1879. 23 March. [Stone] to W.G.E.
1879. 28 March. W.G.E. to Etta
1879. 10 April. Father to Dear Children
1879. 20 April. Chris to Mother
1879. 21 April. W.G.E. to James
1879. 24 April. Father to Brother Tom
1879. 2 May. Father to Dear Children
1879. 11 May. Father to Unknown
1879. 19 May. W.G.E. to Rev. Thomas L. Eliot
1879. 3 June. Father to Tom
1879. 17 June. W.G.E. to Rev. Thomas L. Eliot
1879. 27 June. Father to Thomas
1879. 5 August. W.G.E.'s will
1879. 11 August. Father to Dear Children
1879. 26 August. [W.T. Sherman] to W.G.E.
1879. 2 September. W.G.E. to Mr. Charles Miller
1879. 10 September. Father to Dear Children
1879. [10] September. Father to Dear Boys
1879. 13 October. W.G.E. to Dear Children
1879. 30 October. W.G.E. to Rev. Thos. L. Eliot
1879. 30 October. W.G.E. to James
1879. 1 November. Father to Tom and Etta
1879. 1 December. W.G.E. to Prof. Frederic [Huidekoper]

1879. 8 December. W.G. Elliott [sic] to Thos. L. Elliott [sic]
1879. 22 December. Chris to Father
1880. 6 January. [Jas.] B. Eads to W.G.E.
1880. 2 February. Father to Bro. Tom
1880. 12 March. [Thos. Wentworth Higginson] to W.G.E.
1880. 17 March. W.G.E. to Bro. Tom
1880. 18 [March]. W.T. Sherman to W.G.E.
1880. 22 March. W.G.E. to Gen. Sherman
1880. 28 March. [J.S.B. Alleyne] to W.G.E.
1880. 16 April. W.G.E. to My dear Sir
1880. 3 May. Wm. H. Baldwin to W.G.E.
1880. 12 May. Father to Dear Children
1880. 27 May. [A.W. Towger] to W.G.E.
1880. 14 June. Father to Brother Tom
1880. 18 June. William Everett to My dear sir
1880. 18 August. James to William
1880. 22 August. W.G.E. to James
1880. 12 September. Father to Dear Boys
1880. 27 September. [C. S...]. to W.G.E.
1880. 28 September. John Fiske to W.G.E.
1880. 8 October. [John Fiske] to W.G.E.
1880. 13 November. W.G.E. to James
1880. 25 November. W.G.E. to Dear Children

1880. 1 December. Father to Thomas

1880. 6 December. "Honor to whom honor"

1880. 9 December. W.G.E. to Bro. Tom

1880. 23 December. James Freeman Clarke to William

1880. 24 December. Father to Thomas and Etta

[1881]. The Chancellor to the Girls [at Mary Institute]

[1881]. Father to Brother Tom

[1881]. Father to Brother Thomas

1881. 13 January. Father to Tom

1881. 15 January. T.W. Higginson to W.G.E.

1881. 3 February. Pliny Earle to W.G.E.

1881. 5 February. Father to Bro. Tom

1881. 10 February. W.G.E. to James

1881. 11 February. Charles N. Eliot to W.G.E.

1881. 11 February. [Maria Mitchele] to W.G.E.

1881. 12 February. W.G.E. to James Yeatman Esq.

1881. 20 February. [Mowar Hill] to W.G.E.

1881. 22 February. Father to Bro. Tom

1881. 24 February. Father to Christy

1881. 23 March. William G.E. Pope to Dear Cousin

1881. 23 March. W.G.E. to Brother Tom

1881. 10 April. [C. Palfrey] to W.G.E.

1881. 20 April. M. Marshall to Dr. and Mrs. Eliot

03 1881. 26 April. Father to Tom and Etta
 1881. 4 May. Father to Thomas
 1881. 27 May. [Ira Gray] to W.G.E.
 1881. 23 July. Father to Etta
 1881. 31 July. Christy to Father
 1881. 28 August. Father to Brother Thomas
 1881. August. W.G.E. to Brother Thom
 [1881]. August. W.G.E. to Unknown
 1881. 7 September. Tom to Father
 1881. 15 September. Grandfather and Mother to Dear Children
 1881. September. W.G.E. to Tom
 1881. 12 October. W.G.E. to Thomas
 1881. October. Father to Thomas
 1881. October. Father to Bro Tom
 1881. 2 November. Christy to Father
 1881. 4 November. W.G.E. to James
 1881. 6 November. Father to Bro. Tom
 1881. 7 November. W.G.E. to Dear Madam
 1881. 9 November. W.G.E. to Tom and Etta
 1881. 21 November. [Emily A. Fifrla] to W.G.E.
 1881. 29 November. Father to Bro. Tom
 1881. 8 December. William to James

1881. 13 December. W.G.E. to James
1881. 18 December. James Freeman Clarke to William
1881. 19 December. Christy to Father
[1882]. Father to Unknown
1882. 9 January. Christy to Father
1882. 15 January. W.G.E. to James Freeman Clarke
1882. 20 January. Father to Thomas
1882. 10 February. W.G.E. to Mrs. Fifield
1882. 23 February. W.G.E. to Unknown
1882. 19 March. Edward Jarvis to [Prof. Hosman]
1882. 23 March. Father to Bro. Thomas
1882. 28 March. W.G.E. to Mr. Woodward
1882. 16 April. James Freeman Clarke to William
1882. 17 April. Prof. Fred. Frank to W.G.E.
1882. 19 April. [...] to W.G.E.
1882. 4 May. [...] to W.G.E.
1882. 15 June. Father to Brother Thomas
1882. 20 June. [H. Reynold] to W.G.E.
1882. 1 August. W.G.E. to Brother Thomas
1882. 27 October. William Endicott, Jr. to Dear Sir
1882. 15 December. [...] to W.G.E.
1882. 16 December. W.G.E. to Rev. T.L. Eliot
1882. 20 December. [George William Curtis] to W.G.E.

[1883]. Father to Tom

[1883]. W.G.E. to Brother Thomas

[1883]. W.G.E. to Unknown

[1883]. W.G.E. to Etta and Thom

1883. 1 January. W.G.E. to Rev. A. Judson Rich

1883. 3 January. Father to Bro. Tom

1883. 5 January. W.G.E. to Brother Thomas

1883. 13 January. Neal Dow to W.G.E.

1883. 27 January. W.G.E. to Peter Richard Kenrick

1883. 8 February. James Freeman Clarke to W.G.E.

1883. 13 February. Christopher to Father

1883. 20 February. W.G.E.'s will

1883. 8 April. Father to Brother Tom

1883. 19 April. P. to Rev. Thos. L. Eliot

1883. 11 May. [Hancock] to W.G.E.

1883. 14 June. Fred H. Wines to W.G.E.

1883. 24 June. W.G.E. to Etta

1883. 27 June. W.G.E. to Tom

1883. 29 June. Father to Bro. Thomas

1883. 15 July. Papa to Dear Children

1883. 30 July. Father to Dear Children

1883. 9 August. Father to Etta

1883. 11 September. W.G.E. to Dear children and [C.C.]

1883. 11 October. Mrs. Harriet A. Sawyer
1883. 14 October. W.G.E. to Bro. Tom
1883. 20 October. W.G.E. to Bro. Tom
1883. 12 November. π [W.G.E.] to Thomas
1883. 22 November. Father to Brother Tom
1883. 27 November. Father to Thomas
1883. 12 December. Father to Tom
1883. 17 December. to W.G.E.
1883. 24 December. Christopher R. Eliot to Mrs. Homer
1883. 29 December. Father to Bro. Tom
1883. 30 December. Father to Bro. Tom
[1884]. W.G.E.
[1884]. W.G.E. to Unknown
1884. 7 January. Father to Thom
1884. 22 January. W.G.E. to Thomas
1884. 28 January. Father to Brother Thomas
1884. 3 March. Father to Tom and Etta
1884. 11 March. [...Hancock] to W.G.E.
1884. 18 March. W.G.E. to Dear Children
1884. 28 April. Henry Shaw to W.G.E.
1884. 8 May. Father to Tom
1884. 13 May. Christopher to Father
1884. 21 May. W.G.E. to Dr. Engelman

1884. 29 May. Father to Dear Children

1884. 31 May. W.G.E. to Mr. Heidekoper

1884. 12 June. W.G.E. to Bro. Tom (printed from microfilm, original not located)

1884. 18 June. [W.G.E.] to Rev. T.L. Eliot

1884. 24 June. W.G.E. to Rev. Thos. L. Eliot

1884. 27 June. Edward E. Hale to my dear sir

1884. 22 August. W.G.E. to Brother Tom

1884. 23 August. W.G.E. to Rev. Thos. L. Eliot

1884. 7 September. W.G.E. to Bro. Thomas

1884. 7 October. William Everett to W.G.E.

1884. 7 October. William Everett to Christopher Eliot to W.G.E.

1884. 18 October. W.G.E. to Bro Tom

1884. 21 October. Father to Bro. Tom

1884. 5 November. W.G.E. to Etta

1884. 10 November. W.G.E. to Wayman Crow and James E. Yeatman

1884. 16 November. Father to Bro. Thom

1884. 17 November. Wayman Crow, Gerard B. Allen, et. al to W.G.E.

1884. 18 November. W.G.E. to Mrs. Fifield

1884. 25 November. W.G.E. to Wayman Crow, Gerard B. Allen, James E. Yeatman and others

1884. 4 December. Father to Dear Children

1884. 5 December. Christopher to Father

1884. 7 December. [Chas. D. Appleton] to William

1884. 14 December. W.G.E. to Tom

1884. 16 December. Chris to Father

1884. 23 December. W.G.E. and A.A.E. to Miss [...] (on same piece of paper as letter listed below from December 23, 1884)

1884. 23 December. W.G.E. to "Sister-friend" (on same piece of paper as letter listed above from December 23, 1884)

1885. W.G.E. to Abp. Kenrick and the Clergy of the Catholic Church in St. Louis

[1885]. 1 January. W.G. Elliott [sic] to T.L. Elliott [sic]

[1885]. W.G.E. to Dear Friend and Brother

[1885]. π [W.G.E.] to Thos. L. Eliot

1885. 1 January. W.G.E. to Hon. Senator Blair

1885. 5 January. Father to Dear Children

1885. 16 January. Father to Thomas

1885. 21 January. W.G.E. to James

1885. 30 January. Father to Brother Tom

1885. 18 February. Father to Dear Children

1885. 27 February. W.G.E. to T.L. Eliot

1885. 28 March. Father to Bro. Tom

1885. 5 April. Father to Etta

1885. 16 June. Father to Tom

1885. 21 June. [W.G.E.] to Rev. Thomas L. Eliot

1885. 12 August. W.G.E. to Abp. Kenrick

1885. 13 August. Father to Bro. Tom
1885. 16 August. W.G.E. to Rev. T.L. Eliot
1885. 17 August. W.G.E. to Bro. Thomas
1885. 21 August. W.G.E. to T[om] and E[tta]
1885. 28 August. Father to Thomas
1885. 9 September. Father to Bro. Tom
1885. 14 September. Father to Brother T.
1885. 23 September. W.T. Sherman to W.G.E.
1885. 4 October. W.G.E. to Rev. T.L. Eliot
1885. 11 October. [W.G.E.] to Rev. T.L. Eliot
1885. 26 October. Father to Bro. Tom
1885. 11 November. [W.G.E.] to Christy
1885. 14 November. Father to Bro. Tom
1885. 29 November. Father to Tom
1885. 4 December. Father to Brother Tom
1885. 6 December. Father to Chr.
1885. 18 December. Father to Christy
1885. 15 December. [W.G.E.] to My darling Wife
1886. 14 January. Father to Dear Children
1886. 26 January. Father to Christopher
1886. 30 January. W.G.E. to Mr. Geo. E. Leighton
1886. 8 February. [Geo. E. Leighton] to W.G.E.
1886. 9 February. W.G.E. to Geo. E. Leighton

1886. 10 February. James B. Eads to W.G.E.
1886. 18 February. W.G.E. to Dear Children
1886. 25 February. Father to Christy
1886. 11 March. W.G.E. to Rev. J.F. Clarke
1886. 19 March. W.G.E. to Chr.
1886. 25 March. Papa to Bro. Thomas
1886. 5 April. W.G.E. to James Freeman Clarke
1886. 7 April. Father and Gramp to Bro. Thomas
1886. 13 April. Christopher to Father
1886. 16 April. Father to Chr.
1886. 23 April. Father to Bro. Thom
1886. 30 April. James Freeman Clarke to W.G.E.
1886. 26 May. W.G.E. to Mr. Yeatman
1886. 27 May. Father to Chr.
1886. 3 June. Father to Tom
1886. 9 July. Father to Christopher
1886. 24 August. W.G.E. to Mr. Yeatman
1886. 27 August. W.G.E. to Dear Grandchildren
1886. 28 August. Father to Brother Tom
1886. 22 September. W.G.E. to Christy
1886. 14 October. Father to Chr.
1886. 27 October. Father to Chr.
1886. 19 December. H.W. Eliot to Rev. T.L. Eliot

1886. 20 December. [Ron F. Burrell] to Rev. T.L. Eliot
1886. 25 December. W.G. Elliott [sic] to Dame Ely Elliott
1886. 28 December. Christopher R. Eliot to Mrs. Homer
1886. 30 December. H.W. Eliot to T.L. Eliot
[1887]. W.G.E. to Rev. A. Judson Rich
1887. 1 January. T.L. Elliott [sic] to Mrs. T.L. Elliott [sic]
1887. 16 January. Mother to Chris
1887. 23 January. T.L. Eliot to Mrs. T.L. Eliot
1887. 23 January. H.W. Elliott [sic] to T.L. Elliott [sic]
1887. 23 January. H.W. Elliott to Mrs. T.L. Elliott
1887. 27 January. T.L. Eliot to Mrs. T.L. Eliot
1887. 11 February. [Thos. T. Grant] to J.E. Yeatman
[1888]. 11 April. Father to Tom
1889. 29 October. Bro. Edward to Sister Abby
1899. 20 May. Tom to Chris
1899. 20 May. H. to [Bub]
1899. to Chris
1910. 7 January. Tom Eliot to Miss Clara Eliot
1910. 7 January. Tom Eliot to Rev. T.L. Eliot
1912. 10 May. D.F. Houston to T.L. Elliott [sic]
1912. 13 May. D.F. Houston to Rev. Thomas L. Eliot
1923. 16 January. Holmes Smith to Charlotte Eliot
1925. 7 April. Lottie Eliot to Christopher

1932. 1 November. [Charles Nagel] to Dr. Eliot
 1933. 15 September. Rose to Christopher
 1934. 7 May. Chancellor to Professor Holmes Smith
 1935. 18 February. Chris to Jac
 1937. 23 February. [Muriel] H. Hinds to Rev. W.G. Eliot, Jr.
 N.D. W.G.E. et al (Folder 1)
 N.D. W.G.E. et al (Folder 2)

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1833. 28 September. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
 1833. 18 November. W.G.E. to Rev. James F. Clarke
 1836. 29 May. [N.J. Bowditch] to W.G.E.

Series 03 – Unpublished Works

This series is arranged chronologically.

Box No.	Folder
01	1829. 16 December. "Moral Courage". 1850. 15 April. A bond of indemnity presented to Eliot by John A Kasson stating that Eliot paid Kasson \$500.00 to purchase a slave in order to set her free. 1856. 10 September. James Smith, two certificates of scholarship to Washington University. 1859. 12 September. William Greenleaf Eliot, certificate of scholarship to Mary Institute. 1862. Washington University Commencement Address, (first graduating class) 1862. 18 September. Certificate of WGE's enrollment as chaplain in the regiment of the Old Guard.

[1863]. Commencement Address, [not dated, but Eliot notes that he is speaking to “the second class of graduates”. The second class graduated in 1863]

1867. 14 June. Alumni Address.

1876. 20 February. To the Board of Directors of Washington University, [concerns a memorial to WGE’s brother, Frank Andrew Eliot, who was killed at the Battle of Chancellorsville, May 3, 1864].

1883. 28 May. To the Board of Directors of Washington University, [Much detail concerning the estate of James Smith. Smith left half his estate to WGE and named WGE his executor. WGE used the funds from Smith’s estate to meet a number of university needs; these needs are described in the letter].

[1883]. *James Smith: His Gifts and Bequests* - handwritten draft of a newspaper article by Eliot; along with a photocopy of the article. Not dated but article refers to “October 16, 1883”.

1885. 29 January. Communication to Board of Directors, Washington University, [asking for endowment support and describing the state of the university]

n.d. Address by WGE: “Our Benefactors: Past, Present, and Future”. [probably 1880s. Letter refers to the original group of trustees meeting thirty years ago to begin the university’s work.]

n.d. Statement of Donations to Washington University in Eliot’s handwriting.

n.d. A family genealogy book kept by Eliot.

Series 04 – Published Works by or about William Greenleaf Eliot

Box 1 contains bound books written by and about Eliot. Box 2 contains published pamphlets written by Eliot. The material is arranged alphabetically by last name of author or by title.

Box No.	Folder
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01	<i>Dedication Services of the Church of the Messiah, December 16, 1881.</i> Privately Printed, 1882.
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Eliot, Charlotte C. *William Greenleaf Eliot*. Boston: Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1904. (2 copies)

Eliot, William Greenleaf. *Discipline of Sorrow*. St. Louis, 1858.

Eliot, William Greenleaf. *Doctrines of Christianity*. Boston: American Unitarian Association, 1859.

Eliot, William Greenleaf. *Doctrines of Christianity*. Boston: American Unitarian Association, 1868. (2 copies)

Eliot, William Greenleaf. *Doctrines of Christianity*. Boston: American Unitarian Association, 1890.

Eliot, William Greenleaf. *Early Religious Education*. Boston: Crosby, Nichols, & Co., 1855.

Eliot, William Greenleaf. *Home Life and Influence*. St. Louis, G.I. Jones & Co., 1880. (2 copies)

Eliot, William Greenleaf. *Lectures to Young Men*. Boston: Crosby, Nichols, & Co., 1854 (2 copies)

Eliot, William Greenleaf. *Lectures to Young Men*. Boston: American Unitarian Association, 1890.

Eliot, William Greenleaf. *Lectures to Young Women*. Boston: Crosby, Nichols, & Co., 1854 (2 copies)

Eliot, William Greenleaf. *Lectures to Young Women*. Boston: American Unitarian Association, 1890.

Eliot, William Greenleaf. *The Story of Alexander Archer*. Boston: Cupples, Upham & Co., 1885.

The Family of William Greenleaf Eliot and Abby Adams Eliot, 1st ed., 1811-1921.

The Family of William Greenleaf Eliot and Abby Adams Eliot, 2nd ed., 1811-1931. (3 copies)

The Family of William Greenleaf Eliot and Abby Adams Eliot, 3rd ed., 1811-1943.

The Family of William Greenleaf Eliot and Abby Adams Eliot, 4th ed., 1811-1952.

Inaugural Ceremonies of the Freedmen's Memorial to Abraham Lincoln (Washington City, April 14, 1876)

Inauguration of Washington University at St. Louis, Missouri, 23 April 1857. Boston: Little, Brown & Co., 1857.

Swisher, Walter Samuel. *A History of the Church of the Messiah, 1834-1934.*

02 1836. 7 January. "Address delivered before the Franklin Society of St. Louis on the occasion of its first anniversary."

1855. "The Dignity and Moral Uses of Labor: a discourse delivered in the Church of the Messiah, by William G. Eliot."

1857. 24 May. "Social Reform: A Discourse Delivered in the Church of the Messiah of St. Louis, by William G. Eliot." (2 copies)

1861. 27 January. "The Higher-Law Doctrine, North and South: a discourse delivered in St. Louis, MO."

1861. 18 August. "Loyalty and Religion: A Discourse for the Times" delivered in the Church of the Messiah, St. Louis. (2 copies)

1862. "A Discourse Delivered Before the Members of the 'Old Guard' of St. Louis By Their Chaplain, W.G.E." (3 copies)

1863. 5 July. "Emancipation in Missouri: A Discourse Delivered in the Church of the Messiah." (copy of article located in Spec LD5792 .65 E4 I5, article also located in Spec E458 Y4 v.3; original missing as of November 1987)

1864. "A Sermon for the New Year," Boston: John Wilson and Son, 1864. (photocopy)

1864. 11 May. "A Statement Relating to the Endowment of Washington University." (2 copies)

1864. "The Western Sanitary Commission," St. Louis, MO. (No author listed, but apparently by Eliot). (copy of article located in LD5792 .65 E4 I5, article also located in Spec E458 Y4 v. 2; original missing as of 9/16/2005)

1865. "Statement of the Actual Conditions of the Prisons in the City and the County of St. Louis, by William G. Eliot."

1865. 24 January. "Education as Connected with the Right of the Suffrage: An Address Delivered Before the Constitutional Convention of the State of Missouri." (typed copy)

1870. 28 December. "Women's Work and Education in America," - read at Sedalia before the Missouri State Teachers' Association.

1872. 29 February. "Inaugural Address before the Government and Alumni of Washington University." (11 copies)

1873. "Educate the Conscience." (written for the *Temperance Monthly*)

1875. 12 February. "Introductory Lecture on the Education Demand and Supply at Washington University." (1 original and 1 photocopy)

1876. "A Practical Discussion of the Great Social Question of the Day," (New York, John Ross & Co., 1876). Reprint of an article in the *St. Louis Globe*, March, 1873 (2 copies)

1879. Letter to editor of ? on "The Southern Exodus: the Number, Motives, Needs and Plans of the Refugees."

March 1880. "An Informal Report on the Interests and Condition of Washington University: read before the Board of Directors at a meeting held March, 1880."

1882. "Christ's Record of Himself: An Expression of Faith in the Gospel of Jesus Christ," Third Edition, 1882. (2 copies)

1882. "An Appeal to the Citizens of the State of Missouri, Both Men and Women, Upon the Liquor-Trade License Laws, by William G. Eliot."

1882. "An Appeal to the Legislators of the State of Missouri Upon the Liquor-Trade License Laws, by William G. Eliot."

1882. "Washington University, Twenty-Fifth Anniversary, by William G. Eliot." (2 copies)

1882. 5 August. "Seventy One" (Princeton, Mass., August 5, 1882) (2 copies)

n.d. "Washington University of St. Louis, Missouri." (2 copies)

n.d. "Washington's Birthday: Patriotism" (no date, but during the Civil War). (3 copies)

Series 05 – Newspaper Clippings written by William Greenleaf Eliot

This series is arranged chronologically.

Box No. Folder

01 Photocopies of Articles by William Greenleaf Eliot

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1853. 5 February. Lecture IV, Addressed to Young Ladies

1857. 18 May. Unitarian conference at Alton – Explosion upon the Slavery Question

1869. 5 May. To the Pacific and Back, No. 1 (2 copies)

1869. 11 May. To the Pacific and Back, No. 2 (2 copies)

1869. 12 May. To the Pacific and Back, No. 3 (2 copies)

1869. To the Pacific and Back, No. 4 (2 copies)

1869. 17 May. To the Pacific and Back, No. 5 (2 copies)

1869. To the Pacific and Back, No. 6 (2 copies)

1869. 10 June. To the Pacific and Back, No. 7

1869. To the Pacific and Back, No. 8 (2 copies)

1874. Prison Reform

1880. Articles on Temperance

1880. 22 May. Cardinal Manning on Abstinence

1880. The New Mission House of the Mission Free School

1882. Temperance Legislation

1882. Chancellor Eliot on Beer and Spirits

1882. 29 October. Temperance

1882. The Man of Golden Lips

1882. 5 December. Dram-Shop License

1882. 19 March. Silver Jubilee

1883. 20 December. Dr. Eliot's Letter to the W.C.T.U. of Alton

1883. James Smith – His Gifts and Bequests

1883. 13 September. The Limitations of Liberalism

1884. 2 October. Morality in Public Men

1885. 25 July. Letter from Rev. Dr. Eliot

Series 06 – Newspaper Clippings and Writings by Others than Eliot

At the front of this collection are the writings for which the author is known. These are arranged alphabetically by last name of author then subject. The writings by unknown authors are at the end of the series and are first arranged chronologically, then the articles with unknown dates are arranged alphabetically by title.

Box No.	Folder
01	Clark, Joseph H. Letter in memory of W.G.E. January 27, 1887. Crow, Wayman. "In Memoriam" Crow, Wayman et al. "A Golden Anniversary." November 17, 1884. Eliot, Dr. Charles W. "In Memory of William Greenleaf Eliot" Eliot, Henry Ware. "A Brief Autobiography" Heywood, John H. "William Greenleaf Eliot." 1887. Heywood, John H. "William Greenleaf Eliot," <i>The Unitarian Review</i> . March 1887. [Hosmer, J.K.] "Rev. William Greenleaf Eliot, D.D." Powell, Aaron M. "State Regulation of Vice." 1878. Shippen, Rush R. "Early Days of the Western Unitarian Conference." May 22, 1902. Smith, Holmes. "William Greenleaf Eliot." February 21, 1935.

Snow, Marshall S. 'The Life of Chancellor Eliot,' a review of *William Greenleaf Eliot, Minister, Educator, Philanthropist* by Charlotte C. Eliot.

Snyder, John. "Address of Rev. John Snyder." May 1901.

Staples, C.A. "In Memoriam." March 13, 1887.

Throop, George Reeves. "William Greenleaf Eliot." November 25, 1934.

Usher, Roland Greene. "The Western Sanitary Commission." December 1911.

"Dr. Eliot, of St. Louis, on the Coming Church." May 1883.

Newspaper Clipping. 1873.

Newspaper Clipping. 1876.

Newspaper Clipping. September 9, 1886.

Newspaper Clipping of Biography of W.G.E.

Newspaper clippings relating to graduation exercises at Mary Institute and Washington University, 1874 (printed from microfilm, original not located) (reel 2, letters)

Newspaper Clippings Relating to W.G.E.

Newspaper Clippings Relating to W.G.E. (photocopies)

"Our Best Words." April 15, 1887.

"Pauperism and Crime"

Proposed Inscriptions for W.G.E. Memorial

Proposed Memorial for W.G.E.

"Rev. William Greenleaf Eliot, D.D."

Student Life. "In Memoriam"

"The Writings of William Greenleaf Eliot" with a brief biographical sketch

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"Abduction Case." *The Democrat*. March 8, 1865.

Channing Club of Chicago Memorial to W.G.E.

"The Church of the Messiah"

Eliot Memorial

"Half a Century." 1883.

Newspaper clippings about W.G.E. after his death

Newspaper clippings about W.G.E. during his life

Newspaper clippings of interest to W.G.E.

Proclamation by Board of Directors. 1887

Series 07 – Photos

This series is arranged alphabetically by subject.

Box No.	Folder
01	Abigail Adams Eliot (inc. negative)
	Archer Alexander Portraits
	Beaumont Place (old) to include letter describing acquisition
	Charlotte Champe Eliot Portrait
	Henry W. Eliot Portrait
	"House at Pass Christian, LA where father died" (Eliot died at Pass Christian, MI – not LA, n.d.)
	House, not Identified
	James Smith Portrait
	Lithograph of Church of the Messiah

Margaret D. Eliot (mother of W.G.E.), Frank A. Eliot (brother or W.G.E.)

Portrait of man thought, at one time, to be W.G.E.; not W.G.E.

Sculpture of T. Ball, "Emancipation" (Archer Alexander as model)

Unidentified Group Portrait

University Hall

W.G.E. Portraits

W.G.E. Portrait by W.A. Cranch, 1885

William G. Eliot, Jr., baby picture

W.G.E. 2 copies of a Collodion

W.G.E.'s residence at 2660 Washington

W.G.E.'s study at 2660 Washington

W.G.E. Memorial Plaque in the Church of the Messiah, St. Louis

W.G.E. Portrait from St. Louis Art Museum

Glass Negative (Beaumont)

Ambrotype of W.G.E.

Lithographic Plate of Abby Adams Eliot with envelope

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House of W.G.E. ca. 1870 between Olive and Locust, Present Site of Old Post Office (3 prints)

W.G.E. portrait, from St. Louis Art Museum

W.G.E. portrait

W.G.E. portrait, 1885 (3 prints)

Series 08 – W.G.E. Professional Activities and Ephemeral Items

The first part of this series is arranged in the original order of the items.

Following this are added acquisitions which are arranged alphabetically by subject.

Box No. Folder

- 01 (2) Copy of address delivered June 12, 1932 at 75th Anniversary of Washington University: "A Free University in a Free State" by William G. Eliot, Jr.
- (3) Rev. T.L. Eliot, "Proportion and Perspective in Education", a lecture delivered before the Fourth District Teachers' Institution of Oregon, Portland, December 29, 1884. (printed from microfilm, original not located)
- (4) Copy of article by George Throop on William Chauvenet (printed from microfilm, original not located)
- (5) Copy of a scrapbook kept by Charlotte C. Eliot-- includes reviews of her biography of Eliot, and many newspaper clippings of articles written by Eliot. There are other clippings loose in the scrapbook. They are miscellaneous clippings including:
- (a) A lecture delivered by Eliot in 1853 addressed to young women
- (b) 1882--a tribute to the memory of Rev. Henry Whitney Bellows delivered by Eliot
- (c) Eliot's remarks at the dedication of the Church of the Messiah
- (6) Inaugural ceremonies of the Freedmen's Memorial Monument to Abraham Lincoln (Washington City, April 14, 1876)
- "A Short History of the Church of the Messiah", Henry Ware Eliot Jr. 29 March 1916 (not on shelf as of 5/16/06, see microfilm)
- (9) Eliot miscellany
- (a) Appeal for aid from Western Floating Hospital
- (b) Merchants Dispatch of material being sent from Mrs. Lamb to William G. Eliot
- (10) Short typewritten history of the Mission Free School by Charlotte C. Eliot
- (11) Washington University Commencement Exercises, 1863
- (12) W.G. Eliot, Jr., Teachers Record, Smith Academy, 1888

- (13) W.G. Eliot, Jr., "Measurements of the Trimorphic Flowers of Oxalis Suksdorphic" in Eliot and Trelease, "Observations on Oxalis", reprinted for the Transactions of the St. Louis Academy of Science, V, 1887
- (14) W.G. Eliot, Jr., "Junior Oratim", Washington University, February 1887
- (15) The Mission Free School of the Unitarian Church of the Messiah, a short history by Mrs. Sophie Roever Barth, 1936
- (16) Miscellaneous--relating to Eliot's home at 1621 Olive; includes a newspaper clipping and picture of the structure; and a handwritten page either written by Eliot or copied from his diary [?] by someone else.
- (17) "Dedication of the New Home of the Mission Free School of the Church of the Messiah" April 1, 1906
- (18) Reed College: "Twenty-Second Annual Baccalaureate Service dedicated to Dr. Thomas Lamb Eliot, June 7, 1936
- (19) "The City of St. Louis" by Professor C.M. Woodward, W.U.
- (20) Newspaper article re conferring of L.L.D. on C.R. Eliot, W.U. 1925
- (21) Newspaper clipping re funeral of Russell Hancock at the Church of the Messiah, and excerpts of address by W.G.E.
- (22) "Charles Dickens in Boston and St. Louis", The Christian Register, March 5, 1925; by .R. Eliot.
- (23) "Washington University" by Prof. Sylvester Waterhouse in The World's Fair Bulletin, December 1901; includes article on Robert S. Brookings.
- (24) Newspaper article on Persis G. Smith, d. Feb. 14, 1891.
- (25) Newspaper article from The Dorchester Beacon, Boston, April 29, 1893, urging Rev. C.R. Eliot to reconsider his resignation as pastor of the First Church.

(26) Newspaper clipping dated July 17, 1858 re: death of Christopher Rhodes.

(27) Article on the 75th Anniversary Commencement in The Washingtonian; C.R. Eliot is speaker.

(28) "From or About the Alumni," The Washingtonian, June 1925; note on Rev. Thomas L. Eliot.

(29) Washington U. Record, Feb. 1919; includes "In Memoriam: Henry Ware Eliot."

(30) Article entitled "W.U. in Its Early Days," by James K. Hosmer; also includes note re: T.S. Eliot's \$2000 award by the editors of The Dial for his poem "The Waste Land," 1922.

(31) "Early Days at W.U.," by Henry Ware Eliot.

(32) Newspaper clipping from The Boston Traveller, Dec. 31, 1923 re: honors being paid to Dr. T.L. Eliot in Portland, Ore.

(33) "Reminiscences of Dr. Wm. G. Eliot, Jr.," The Washingtonian, Dec. 1930 (grandson of WGE).

(34) Letter re George "Smith"- semi-adopted son of James and Persis Smith.

(35) "Adventures in Idealism," address delivered at Commencement, W.U., June 1928, by Reverend Christopher R. Eliot.

(36) "A Discourse on Life and Character of the Hon. William Cranch, late Chief of Justice of the District of Columbia," by Moncure Conway, October 7, 1855.

(37) "Drowned." Poem.

(38) "A Worthy Mother-in-Law." Letter to the editor of the Christian Register.

(39) "Night Musings." Poem.

(40) Invitation to WGE to attend the ordination of Christopher Rhodes Eliot as pastor of the First Church in Dorchester, 1882.

(41) Clipping of T.L. Eliot's speech to citizens of Portland, in which he points out the duty of good citizens in the Free Whiskey Contest. (not on shelf as of 9/15/05)

(42) Program of the 100th Anniversary of the Church of the Messiah, Nov. 25, 1934.

(43) "A Church that Sowed Intellectual Seeds," article in St. Louis Star-Times, Jan. 26, 1933, re WGE and the Church of the Messiah.

(44) Wm. G. Eliot's passport, Jan 12, 1847.

(45) Wm. G. Eliot's passport, 1857.

(46) Last will and testament of James Smith, Dec. 18, 1874.

(47) Last will and testament of Wm. G. Eliot, March 1, 1882.

(48) Notes of C.R. Eliot (?) on his life.

(49) Notes for a speech on Christopher Rhodes by C.R. Eliot(?).

(50) Scrap of paper with Wm. G. Eliot's writing on it (torn from notebook?). WGE is regretting something and seems depressed, but hard to tell from few lines given.

(51) "My Airdale" and Other Verses by Rose Greenleaf Eliot Smith, 1922.

Certification of W.G.E.'s Tree, 1905.

Certification that W.G.E. was Ordained, 1905.

The Church of the Messiah Program. December 31, 1933

Commencement Exercises of Antioch College. June 27, 1866.

Copy of Abby A. Eliot's will

Correspondence between Charles W. Eliot and Charlotte C. Eliot

Invitation to Annual Business Meeting. February 1, 1869.

Letter of Complaint to W.G.E. from Church of the Messiah, n.d.

Mary Institute, Exercises of Graduation Class. June 13, 1866.

Ordination Certificate of W.H. Channing, n.d.

"Our Relation to Time and Space: And Hence to Each Other and God, n.d.

Poems by W.G.E.

Prayer. February 23, 1864.

Scrap of Ledger Suggesting First Construction Expenditure for WU.
1855

Sermon Notes

Sunday School [List]. January 3, 1869.

Washington University Commencement. 1866

WU Commencement. June 12, 1884

Western Unitarian Conference. 1866.

W.G.E.'s will

Will of P.C. Rhodes, 1859.

Will of Mary Rhodes, [1860]

Will of James Smith (printed from microfilm, original not located)

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Loose Clippings from Scrapbook kept by Charlotte C. Eliot

W.G.E.'s Doctor of Divinity Degree from Harvard University

U.S. Flag from Chancellorsville