Biographical Information
Gilbert Cope (1840-1928), authored historical works on Chester County as well as genealogies of prominent local families. Born on his father’s farm in East Bradford Township in 1840, he was the youngest of eight children to Joseph and Eliza Gilbert Cope. Cope received his education from the Friends’ School at Westtown and published his first work, *The Cope Family*, in 1861. After his father’s death in 1872, Cope left his family’s farm and relocated to West Chester where he would remain for the majority of his life. After moving into his own home he began to compile the historical and genealogical collection that would become the basis for his publications and livelihood. He married Anna Garrett in 1880 and had four children. In 1881 he published, with J. Smith Futhey, *History of Chester County, With Genealogical and Biographical Sketches*, his most well known work of history.

Cope copied and preserved an assortment of Chester County records with a particular focus on Quaker documents of which he recorded and saved a wealth of genealogical information. In 1905 and 1907 he traveled to London with his wife to copy early Quaker Meeting records. He was one of the founders of the Chester County Historical Society in 1893 and served as secretary and director for twenty-seven years. Throughout his career he was a member of a number of historical and genealogical societies including the Friends Historical Association, The Historical Society of Pennsylvania, The New England Genealogical Society, the Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, and was the president of the Pennsylvania Federation of Historical Societies in 1911-12. Cope took an interest in photography in the late 1880s and began taking photographs of Chester County and its families. His photographs complimented his genealogical research and also became a source of income as Cope sold his services as well as prints. Cope also created an ancestral chart that he marketed and sold to genealogists.

After the death of his wife in 1918, Cope with the assistance of his son Herman sold his enormous collection of genealogical and historical manuscripts to the Historical Society of Pennsylvania. In 1920, Cope moved to Delaware County to live with Herman and his family. Cope continued to assist researchers and answer correspondence to the end of his life. He died in 1928 at the home of his son.

**The Historical Society of Pennsylvania still holds the majority of Gilbert Cope’s genealogical and historical manuscripts. See [Gilbert Cope Historical and Genealogical Collection](https://www.hsp.org), HSP**

For additional information:
Cope, Family files, CCHS
Scope and content
The majority of the collection is made up of Gilbert Cope’s family and business correspondence. The majority of the letters authored by Gilbert Cope were written later in his life. The bulk of the collection contains letters written between 1875 and 1925. Letters to Gilbert Cope include correspondence related to his genealogical and historical research as well as social and familial relations. Includes Cope’s endeavors as a historian, genealogist, photographer and investor/financier.

In addition to Cope family letters the collection also contains a portion of Gilbert Cope’s genealogical collection. Included are letters of the West, Worth, Sharpless, Townsend, and Smedley families along with other Chester County families.

The collection is arranged as follow:

Series I, Box 1-8  –  Cope correspondence sorted by author
Series II, Box 9  –  Cope correspondence sorted by subject
Series III, Box 10  –  Cope correspondence sorted by organization/business
Series IV, Box 10  –  Cope non-correspondence
Series V, Box 10  –  West family correspondence
Series VI, Box 11  –  Worth family correspondence
Series VII, Box 12  –  Sharpless family correspondence
Series VIII, Box 12  –  Townsend/Smedley family correspondence
Series IX, Box 12  –  Miscellaneous Chester County family correspondence collection
Series X, Box 12  –  Arthur P. Reid estate, correspondence

Series I through IV
Includes correspondence of Gilbert Cope and his family; correspondence related to his work as an historian and genealogist. The bulk of the letters are requests for information, publications or Cope’s genealogical charts. The second most prominent subject area includes more detailed correspondence dealing with historical and genealogical issues. The collection also contains Gilbert Cope’s family letters including letters from brothers, sisters and in-laws as well as the correspondence of Cope’s three
children (Herman, Ellen and Joseph) and family members who farmed in Eastern Ohio [in the vicinity of Wheeling WV].

Included in Series I-IV is the correspondence of Howard W. Gilbert [Gilbert Cope’s uncle who was a poet and writer]. Series IV contains 9 folders of non-correspondence that includes bills/receipts, invitations/notices, contract, essays, speech, trade cards/circulars.

Series V though IX
Collection also contains letters of the Sharpless, West, Worth, Townsend and Smedley families collected by Gilbert Cope during his genealogical and historical research in the late 19th and early twentieth century. These portions of the collection are sorted into Series V through X. Most of the letters in these series are from the first half of the 19th century with a few from the late 18th century.

The following provides a brief content description of Series V through X:

Series V—West Family Correspondence, Box 10
Letters addressed to David West and his siblings. West was born in Goshen Township, Chester County and spent the majority of his life farming land in Chester County. For additional information: Samuel Wiley, *Biographical and Portrait Cyclopedia of Chester County Pennsylvania*, p. 271-2. Relevant information appears under the heading Wilmar W. West.

Series VI—Worth Family Correspondence, Box 11
Worth family collection contains correspondence from Joseph Elkington and Joseph Evans to Ebenzer Worth related to Indian affairs (1840s to 1860s). Bulk of the letters are correspondence between Ebenezer Worth and American Indians living on the Allegheny Reservation in Tunessassah/Great Valley, New York. Also includes correspondence from the Worth family addressed to Ebenezer Worth.

Series VII—Sharpless Family Correspondence, Box 12
Majority of the letters authored by Isaac and Joshua Sharpless of Birmingham Township, Chester County written between the 1790s and the 1810s. See Sharpless Family Collection #112 for more details and additional material.

Series VIII—Townsend/Smedley Correspondence, Box 12
Nineteenth century letters addressed to members of the Townsend and Smedley families. Includes nine letters from Enos and Aaron Reed Kellogg of Greenwood, Pennsylvania written between 1819 and 1830.
Series IX—Miscellaneous Chester County families correspondence collection, Box 12
Assortment of letters authored by a number of prominent Chester County families.

Series X—Arthur P. Reid estate, correspondence, Box 12
Includes letters written and addressed to member of the Reid family, 1775-1836.

**BOX 1—Series I  Cope Correspondence, by author**

Folder 1/1/119 – Correspondence

**Abbott to Aikens**, 19 letters, 1871-1894
Includes the following:

- **Abbott, F.E.**, 3 letters, 1884-1887 (from Boston; Cambridge) to H.W. Gilbert; Topics include: book dedication
- **Abbott, Winnie**, 3 letters, 1894 (from Chicago) to “sister”; Gilbert Cope; Topics include: experience in Chicago
- **Acker, Z.**, 1 letter, 1881 (from Phoenixville) to [illegible]; Topics include: Futhey & Cope’s *History of Chester County*
- **Aikens, Emaline**, 9 letters, 1871-1892 (from Rockville, Chester County, PA) to “Aunt and Uncle”[McCaraber]; Topics include: family news and health

Folder 2/1/119 – Correspondence

**Allaben to Allen, D.**, 3 letters, 1892-1923
Includes the following:

- **Allaben, Frank**, 1 letter, 1923 (from The National Historical Society, New York) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: genealogical publications
- **Allen, C.**, 1 letter, 1892 (from Salem, NJ) to “friend”
- **Allen, Deborah S.**, 1 letter, 1898 (from Media) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: thank you note for photographs

Folder 3/1/119 – Correspondence

**Allen, Frances Olcott**, 19 letters, 1894-1899
To: Gilbert Cope
From: The Genealogical Society of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia
Topics include: publications; scheduling; Society business

Folder 4/1/119 – Correspondence

**Allen, G. to Austin**, 14 letters, 1876-1924
Includes the following:

- **Allen, George B.**, 1 letter, 1896 (from Marple, PA) to Gilbert Cope
- **Allen, John M.**, 4 letters, 1889-1890 (from Salem, NJ; Philadelphia) to Howard W. Gilbert; Topics include: leisure time activities;
- **Alsop, Samuel**, 1 letter, 1880 (from Glenwood House, Monroe County, PA) to
Gilbert Cope

Ames, Herman V., 2 letters, 1912 (from University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope

Armstrong, Alice, 3 letters, 1876 (from Butterville, IN) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: arrangements for a visit to the “Atlantic states”

Arnold, F.E., 1 postcard, 1881 (from W. Vincent) to [not specified]

Ashton, Thomas G., 1 letter, 1924 (from Wynnewood, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: Okehocking Indians

Austin, O.P., 1 letter, 1911 (from National Geographic Society, Washington DC) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: membership

Folder 5/1/119 – Correspondence

Baily to Barnard, 15 letters, 1875-1917
Includes the following:

Baily, David, 1 postcard, 1877 (from Highland, OH) to Gilbert Cope
Baily, S., 2 letters, 1875-1876 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
Baker, Chester F., 1 letter, 1917 (from Chester, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Baker, David B., 1 letter, 1910 (from Washington, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: election day; Genealogy of the Smedley Family
Baker, William S., 1 letter, 1896 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
Balderston, Martha W., 1 letter, n.d. (from Kennett Square) to Gilbert Cope
Baldwin, Charity, 1 letter, 1904 to “cousin”
Baldwin, Mary E.R., 1 letter, 1917 (from Parkersburg, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: fees for service
Bancroft, Wm. P., 3 letters, 1906, 1918 (from Wilmington, DE) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: records of the Wilmington Monthly Meeting
Bardin, Ida, 1 letter, 1899 (from Historical Society of Montgomery County, Norristown, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: request for donation
Bareford, C. Stace, 1 letter, 1890 (from San Francisco, CA) to Gilbert Cope
Barnard, Sarah M., 1 letter, 1881 (from West Chester, PA) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 6/1/119 – Correspondence

Bartlett to Bishop, 18 letters, 1882-1924
Includes the following:

Bartlett, J. Henry, 3 letters, 1904 (from Friends Select School, Philadelphia) to Ellen Cope; Topics include: offer of a teaching job
Barton, Marianna Yarnall, 1 letter, 1919 (from Marlton, NJ) to “Uncle Gilbert”[Cope]
Bay, Elizabeth E., 1 letter, 1895 (from Washington DC) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: struggles as a widow
Bechdolt, C.J., 2 letters, 1897-1898 (from Philadelphia, Wilmington and
Gilbert Cope Papers, 1757-1928

Baltimore Railroad) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: reported negligence of train crew

Bell, Albert T., 1 letter, 1898 (from New York) to Gilbert Cope
Benson, Charles B., 1 letter, 1910 (from Hudson, NY) to [not specified]
Betts, Edward, 1 letter, 1891 (from Wilmington Coal Gas Company, DE) to Gilbert Cope
Biddle, Caroline C., 1 letter, 1913 (from Media, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: Quaker meeting records
Biddle, James G., 1 letter, 1917 (from Wallingford, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Biddle, Mary D., 1 letter, 1882 to Gilbert Cope
Biddle, Mary Hutton, 2 letters, 1910 (from Wallingford, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: family photographs
Biddle, William, 1 letter, 1909 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: Meeting house photographs
Binns, David H., 1 letter, 1924 (from Fayette City, PA) to “Cousin Gilbert”[Cope]
Bishop, Sarah, 1 letter, 1917 (from Westtown, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: recent visit to the Cope’s home

Folder 7/1/119 – Correspondence

Black to Booth, 19 letters, 1871-1924
Includes the following:
Black, Mrs. Frank B., 1 letter, 1924 (from Somerset, PA) to Gaius M. Brumbaugh
Blackburn, W.D., 2 letters, 1871, 1877 (from New Paris, PA; Mechanicsburg, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Blackman, Leah, 1 letter, 1880 (from [Tuckerton]) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: Dingee, Ember, Willets and Ridgway families
Blair, Grace W., 2 letter, 1915 (from Media, PA to Gilbert Cope; Davis H. Forsythe; Topics include: Elizabeth Hooten
Blake, Geo. West, 1 letter, 1904 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: Richard Wood
Bliss, E.W., 1 letter, 1881 (from Malvern) to Gilbert Cope
Bliss, Robert P., 3 letters, 1911 (from Pennsylvania Free Library Commission) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: circulating libraries in Chester County
Bonsall, Spencer, 7 letters, 1874-1878 (from Historical Society of Pennsylvania) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: comment on the “genealogical fever”
Booth, Jonathan, 1 postcard, 1877 (from Wyoming) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 8/1/119 – Correspondence

Bowden to Brantingham, 10 letters, 1880-1923
Includes the following:
Bowden, James, 1 letter, n.d. (from Liskeard) to [?]
Bowers, Ruth Smedley, 1 letter, 1923 (from American Red Cross, Berks County Chapter) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: Exeter Monthly Meeting minutes
Bowman, Sarah R., 1 letter, 1906 to “Esteemed Friend”; Topics include: non-genealogical photography
Bowerman, A.C., 1 letter, 1900 (from Bloomfield) to Gilbert Cope
Bradley, C.H., 1 letter, 1871 (from Coatesville, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: land survey
Brantingham, Anna C., 4 letters, 1898-1917 (from Winona, OH) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: vacation to visit relatives; family news; family photograph; War (1917)
Brantingham, Sarah, 1 letter, 1880 (from Winona, OH) to “cousin”[Gilbert Cope];

Folder 9/1/119 – Correspondence
Bridgeman, Phebe M. (Barnes), 10 letters, 1876-1880, 1902-1912
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Gustavus, OH
Topics include: daily life; leisure; farm work; employment as a proof reader; loneliness of old age; political views (1912)

Folder 10/1/119 – Correspondence
Bright to Brougham, 11 letters, 1871-1916
Includes the following:
Bright, James W., 1 letter, 1881 (from Baltimore, MD) to “Mr. [H.W.] Gilbert”
Brigg, William, 1 letter, 1907 (from London) to Norman Penney
Brinton, Caroline Hoopes, 1 letter, 1917 (from Cleveland) to “Uncle Gilbert”[Cope]
Benton, Edwin, 1 letter, 1912 (from West Chester) to Ellen Cope
Broomall, Caroline L., 3 letters, 1873, 1882 (from Media) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: genealogical issues and inquiries
Broomall, J.M., 2 letters, 1871, 1876 (from Media, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: information regarding a mill on Ridley Creek
Brougham, H.B., 1 letter, 1916 (from Public Ledger, Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: genealogical mistakes in the newspaper

Folder 11/1/119 – Correspondence
Brown, C. to Brown, T., 16 letters, 1887-1919
Includes the following:
Brown, Caroline C., 3 letters, 1911 (from Westtown) to Gilbert Brown; Topics include: photograph purchase of service, prints and plates
Brown, Carroll T., 1 letter, 1916 (from Westtown) to Gilbert Cope; Topics
include: possible contribution to the Westonian

**Brown, Charles**, 1 letter, 1911 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope

**Brown, Ezra**, 1 letter, 1903 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: Quaker records

**Brown, Henry Armitt**, 1 letter, 1872 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope; Topics Include: patent record

**Brown, James Howard**, 3 letters, 1897-1899 (from Cyclopedia Publishing Company, Boston) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: information request for The Cyclopedia of American Biographies

**Brown, Kirk**, 2 letters, 1918-1919 (from Baltimore, MD) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: expense for genealogical research in Frederick, MD

**Brown, R.D.**, 1 letter, 1887 (from Sutersville) to Gilbert Cope

**Brown, Thomas K.**, 3 letters, 1902-1904 (from Westtown) to Gilbert Cope; Topic includes: getting a clock from Samuel L. Allen

Folder 12/1/119 – Correspondence

**Brumbaugh to Bye, T.**, 13 letters, 1881-1924

Includes the following:

**Brumbaugh, Gaius Marcus**, 9 letters, 1913-1924 (from Washington DC) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: National Genealogical Society; genealogy publications

**Buckwalter, David R.**, 1 letter, 1881 (from Phoenixville) to Gilbert Cope

**Burns, A.**, 1 postcard, 1881 (from Setzler’s Store) to Gilbert Cope

**Butterfield, C.W.**, 1 letter, 1881 (from Madison, WI) to Gilbert Cope; Note: Includes printed prospectus for Butterfield’s The Washington Irvine Correspondence; Topics include: information about his new publication

**Bye, Frank**, 1 letter, 1897 (from West Chester) to Gilbert Cope

**Byrne, V. Victor**, 1 letter, 1923 (from Lincoln, NE) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: Cope family genealogy

Folder 13/1/119 – Correspondence

**Campbell to Carey**, 15 letters, 1888-1920

Includes the following:

**Campbell, Angus**, 1 letter, 1888 (from Salem, OH) to Howard W. Gilbert; Topics include: contemplating on life in his “sixty seventh year”; political views/thoughts on the South

**Carey, Anna**, 1 letter, 1919 (from Salem, OH) to “Uncle Gilbert”[Cope]; Topics include: women’s labor; an industrial accident

**Carey, C.M.**, 4 letters, 1900-1901 (from Signal, OH) to Gilbert Cope; Note: One letter missing page(s); Topics include: announcement of a birth

**Carey, Edna**, 9 letters, 1898-1920 (from Signal, OH) to Gilbert Cope; Topics
include: mention of a divorce; house construction; social visits; mentions the war (1917); testing ground for airplanes; employment during the war (1917); influenza (1919)

Folder 14/1/119 – Correspondence
Carter to Coates, 21 letters, 1857-1895
Includes the following:
- Carter, Alice R. 2 letters, 1893 (from Chatham, PA) to Howard W. Gilbert; Topics include: her son’s educational pursuits; trip to/impressions of the Columbian Exposition (Chicago); views on Catholics
- Chandlee, Henry, 1 letter, 1889 (from Baltimore) to Gilbert Cope
- Chandler, Mary C., 2 letter, 1894-1895 (from East Downingtown) to Gilbert Cope
- Chapman, Mary Weston, 4 letters, 1857, 1871, n.d. to Howard W. Gilbert; Note: Includes printed document titled “The Twenty-Fourth National Anti-slavery Bazaar” (1857); Topics include: abolition
- Clark, Thomas and Martha, 7 letters, 1880-1892 (Delaware, OH) to “Aunt Martha”[Jefferis]; Topics include: family news and health; presidential election; laudanum addiction
- Coates, Sarah C., 5 letters, 1871 (from Timarville, OH) to “brother”

Folder 15/1/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Alice (Gilbert), 2 letters, 1874
To: “brother”
From: Winona
Topics include: family news

Folder 16/1/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Amy A. (Baily), 18 letters, 1871-1875
To: “brother”[Gilbert Cope]; “sister”
From: Jacksonville, FL; “home”
Topics include: recuperative trip to Florida for her husband, Paschall; Civil War story; husband’s sickness; social visits

Folder 17/1/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Amy A. (Baily), 20 letters, 1877-1882
To: “brother”[Gilbert Cope]; “sisters”
From: Haverford College, PA
Topics include: family and social news; health; domestic labor

Folder 18/1/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Amy A. (Baily), 5 letters, n.d.
To: “brother” [Gilbert Cope]
From: [not specified]

Folder 19/1/119 – Correspondence
**Cope, Ann**, 18 letters, 1871-1876
Note: Gilbert Cope’s half sister; born 1822
To: “brother” [Gilbert Cope]
From: “home”
Topics include: domestic labor [farming]; family news and health; harvesting ice

Folder 20/1/119 – Correspondence
**Cope, Ann**, 20 letters, 1877-1900
Note: Gilbert Cope’s half sister, born 1822
To: “brother” [Gilbert Cope]
From: “home”; Lincoln University, PA
Topics include: family news and health; land purchase; Wilmer and Caleb Cope’s flower pot and saucer business

Folder 21/1/119 – Correspondence
**Cope, Anna (Garrett)**, 15 letters, 1877, 1896-1902
Note: Gilbert Cope’s wife, married 1880; includes typed copy of a letter written by AGC
To: Gilbert Cope; “My dear little boy”; [Joseph Cope; Ellen Cope; Herman Cope]
From: West Chester, PA; Avalon, NJ
Topics include: social visits; daily activity at home and on a trip to Avalon; educational experiences of her children

Folder 22/1/119 – Correspondence
**Cope, B.**, 1 letter, 1899
To: Gilbert Cope and wife
From: Colerain, OH
Topics include: hard times; farming; thanks for a “package of goods”

Folder 23/1/119 – Correspondence
**Cope, Beulah E.**, 1 letter, 1918
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Base Hospital, Camp Gordon (GA)
Topics include: military life

Folder 24/1/119 – Correspondence
**Cope, Caleb**, 9 letters, 1897-1906
To: “Uncle”/Gilbert Cope; Joseph Cope
From: Lincoln University, PA
Topics include: response to Joseph Cope’s request for work; funeral expenses

Folder 25/1/119 – Correspondence
**Cope, Charles**, 7 letters, 1881, 1896-1905
Note: Includes letter co-written with Rachel Cope
To: Gilbert W. Cope
From: Winona, OH
Topics include: details of home care for sick parents; farming; “Redstone records”

Folder 26/1/119 – Correspondence
**Cope, David**, 1 letter, 1883
To: “Respected relative” [Gilbert Cope]
From: Morris County, KS
Topics include: life in Kansas; request for a loan

Folder 27/1/119 – Correspondence
**Cope, D. E.**, 1 letter, 1880
To: Gilbert and Anna [Cope]
From: “home”

Folder 28/1/119 – Correspondence
**Cope, Darlington**, 1 letter, 1918
To: “Brother”[Gilbert Cope]
From: [not specified]
Topics include: clover seed

Folder 29/1/119 – Correspondence
**Cope, Edith**, 1 letter, 1913
To: “Uncle Gilbert and Aunt Anna”[Cope]
From: Japan
Topics include: description and impression of Japan

Folder 30/1/119 – Correspondence
**Cope, Edith W.**, 1 letter, 1905
Note: Gilbert Cope’s daughter in law
To: “Father and Mother”
From: Lake Hopatcong, NJ
Topics include: “wedding trip”

Folder 31/1/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Edna E., 2 letters, 1881-1883
To: “Uncle and Aunt” [Gilbert and Anna Cope]
From: East Fairfield
Topics include: stereoscope; family news

Folder 32/1/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Edward Y., 17 letter, 1871-1875
To: “Brother” [Gilbert Cope]
From: Fairview, OH; Winona, OH;
Topics include: marriage; farming; business transactions/ventures; family news and health; his children’s education; death of a relative; social visits; burglary; Quaker meetings

Folder 33/1/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Edward Y., 20 letter, 1876-1883
To: “Brother” [Gilbert Cope]
From: Winona, OH
Topics include: farming; his children’s education; family news and health; Quaker meetings; business transactions/ventures; burglary; farm laborers

Folder 34/1/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Edward Y., 1 letter, 1877
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Philadelphia

Folder 35/1/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Ellen (Fussell), 1 letter, 1910
To: “Friend”
From: Media, PA

Folder 36/1/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Ellen P., 9 letters, 1875-1881, 1915, 1918
To: “Uncle Gilbert” [Cope]
From: Colerain, OH; Nantucket; Bridgeport; Kennett Square
Topics include: daily activity while visiting Colerain, OH; vacation in Nantucket; flooding near Wheeling, WV (1915)

Folder 37/1/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Ellen, 16 letter, 1896-1920
Note: Daughter of Gilbert and Anna Cope
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Westtown, PA; Winona, OH; Media, PA; Philadelphia (PA)
Topics include: detailed description of daily activity while visiting relatives in Ohio (1896); leisure activity while attending Westtown school; participating in reform movements/Quaker mission in Philadelphia

Folder 38/1/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Emma B. to Cope, F., 3 letters
Includes the following:
Cope, Emma B., 1 letter, 1898 (from Oxford) to “Uncle”[Gilbert Cope]
Cope, F.J., 1 letter, 1879 (from Greensburgh) to Gilbert Cope
Cope, F.R., 1 letter, 1898 (from Wheeling) to “Uncle Gilbert”[Cope]

BOX 2—Series I Cope Correspondence, by author
Folder 1/2/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Gilbert, 21 letters, 1882-1912
Note: Bulk of the letters are typed and appear to be duplicates of mailed original. Some are incomplete and/or missing page(s). Printed notice on the back of one letter about state legislation related to women’s labor.
To: Daniel Foulke; Howard W. Gilbert; F.C. Griffith; William L. Baily; Herman Cope; Charles A. Hanna; Francis B. Lee; Samuel Pennypacker; George Vaux; Sidney Yarnall; Harvey Perry; Oscar Thompson; Norman Gray; Benjamin Hayes; Ezra Brown; Mary S. Allen
From: West Chester (PA)
Topics include: Truman family; thoughts on genealogy work; records management and lending; historical inquires he has received; misbehaving children; indexing Quaker records

Folder 2/2/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Gilbert, 19 letters, 1913-1920
Note: All letters are typed and appear to be duplicates of mailed original.
To: Horace Porter; J. Henry Scattergood; John W. Jordan; Emma Roberts; Robert Pyle; Miriam Elfreth; Pierre S. DuPont; Henry Paxson; Mercy Hammond; Anna McGrew; Judge Landis; Milnor Ljungstedt; Mrs. Charles E. Boger; S. Edward Paschall; Watson W. Dewees, Thomas L. Montgomery
From: West Chester (PA); Media (PA)
Topics include: national defense; county records; sale of his collection; dispute over payment; indexing Quaker records; brief autobiography; solicitation for funds; family issues; death of his wife; occupation and activities of his children

Folder 3/2/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Gilbert, 18 letters, 1921-1922
Note: All letters are typed and appear to be duplicates of mailed original.
To: John F. Lewis; A. Van Doren Honeyman; Thomas L. Montgomery; D. Palmer Pearson; Herbert and Grace Heidenreich; Norman Penney; Warren G. Harding; Hally Carrington Brent; Ida Pim; James Kyle; Mrs. C. R. Peterson; Frances Darrance
From: Media (PA)
Topics include: granddaughter’s experiments with a wireless telephone; difficulties of research; Quaker pacifism

Folder 4/2/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Gilbert, 18 letters, 1923-June 1924
Notes: All letters are typed and appear to be duplicates of mailed original.
To: Mrs. Joseph Downing Hoopes; J. Carroll Hayes; G.W. Bartholomew; Cora Talcott Huling; F.G. Lunbeck; Katrina Myers; Herbert and Grace Heidenreich; Ernest Byer; Clyde Babb; Rayner Kelsey; H.J. Kennesly; Jessie Hoffman; Elizabeth W. Hires; David Binns; Maude Farnsworth
From: Media (PA)
Topics include: [same as above]

Folder 5/2/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Gilbert, 11 letters, August 1924-1926
Notes: All letters are typed and appear to be duplicates of mailed original.
To: S. Irene Eavenson; Sarah Lewis Smith; Louis A. Holton; A Van Doren Honeyman; J. Stewart Huston; Katherine Wallace Kitts; E.J. Peirce; Thomas F. Hoopes; Edward E. Paschall; J. Shortlidge
From: Media (PA)
Topics include: [same as above]

Folder 6/2/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Hanna M., 21 letters, 1871-1875
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Toughkenamon, PA; Newport, RI;
Topics include: impressions of Newport, RI; daily activity; administering the Toughkenamon Boarding school; family news and health; cost of education

Folder 7/2/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Hanna M., 19 letters, 1876-1880
Note: Includes a letter co-written with Lucy Cope
To: “Brother”[Gilbert Cope]; “Sister”[Anna G. Cope]
From: Toughkenamon, PA;
Topics include: “Mary’s bill”; health of her mother; mentions marriage of Gilbert Cope

Folder 7/2/119 – Correspondence  
**Cope, Hanna M.**, 12 letters, 1881-1884, 1897, 1898  
To: “Brother”[Gilbert Cope]  
From: Toughkenamon, PA; West Chester, PA;  
Topics include: preparation for school; Gilbert Cope’s son Herman; public sale of school furniture

Folder 8/2/119 – Correspondence  
**Cope, Henry**, 1 letters, 1877  
To: “Cousin Gilbert”[Cope]  
From: Oxford, PA

Folder 9/2/119 – Correspondence  
**Cope, Herman**, 16 letters, 1898-1902  
Note: Gilbert Cope’s son  
To: Gilbert Cope  
From: “W.B.S.”[Westtown Boarding School],PA; Philadelphia, PA; Mt. Pocono, PA  
Topics include: life at Westtown School; seeking employment in Philadelphia; requests for money; photograph orders

Folder 10/2/119 – Correspondence  
**Cope, Herman**, 17 letters, 1903-1904  
To: Gilbert Cope  
From: Philadelphia, PA; Winona, OH; Colerain, OH  
Topics include: his desire to marry Edith Whitacre; announcement of engagement; business; salary negotiations; taxes; visiting family in Ohio

Folder 11/2/119 – Correspondence  
**Cope, Herman**, 18 letters, 1905-1910  
To: Gilbert Cope  
From: Moylan, PA; Lake Hopatcong, NJ; Philadelphia, PA  
Topics include: wedding plans; gift of money to his parents; proposal to sell Gilbert Cope’s historical and genealogical collection; personal financial matters

Folder 12/2/119 – Correspondence  
**Cope, Herman**, 15 letters, 1911-1920  
Note: Includes typed request from D. R. Yarnall  
To: Gilbert Cope  
From: Moylan (PA); Philadelphia (PA)
Topics include: “the Broomall affair”; fluctuating prices during the war (1917-1918); “Brinton book”; sale of Gilbert Cope’s West Chester home; G. M. Philips

Folder 13/2/119 – Correspondence  
**Cope, Joseph**, 17 letters, 1900-1906, 1913  
Note: Gilbert and Anna Cope’s youngest son  
To: Gilbert Cope; Anna (Garrett) Cope; “Sister”[Ellen Cope]  
From: Westtown Boarding School, PA; Haverford College, PA  
Topics include: life and experiences at Westtown Boarding School; mock election held at Westtown Boarding School (1904); mentions his skate sharpening business; photography

Folder 14/2/119 – Correspondence  
**Cope, Margaret M.**, 15 letters, 1871-1884  
To: “Brother”[Gilbert Cope]  
From: “home”; West Grove; Chatham  
Topics include: sending “Mary” to “Hanna’s” school [see Hanna Cope]; Mary’s bill for tuition

Folder 15/2/119 – Correspondence  
**Cope, Mary B.**, 3 letters, 1906-1907, 1910  
To: “Cousin”/Gilbert Cope  
From: Media, PA  
Topics include: gratitude for the “check”

Folder 16/2/119 – Correspondence  
**Cope, Mary E.**, 4 letters, 1902-1906  
To: “Aunt and Uncle”[Ann Cope and Gilbert Cope]  
From: [not specified]  
Topics include: her infant children; family news and health

Folder 17/2/119 – Correspondence  
**Cope, Mary H.**, 6 letters, 1873, 1881-1886  
Note: Author is the “Mary” referred to in the correspondence of Margaret M. Cope and Hanna Cope  
To: “Uncle”[Gilbert Cope]  
From: Toughkenemon, PA; London Grove, PA

Folder 18/2/119 – Correspondence  
**Cope, Oliver S.**, 8 letters, 1872-1873, 1880, 1898  
Note: Member of the Ohio General Assembly
To: “Cousin”[Gilbert Cope]
From: Cadiz, OH; Columbus, OH
Topics include: religious beliefs; mentions Darwin; fossil collecting; reading; politics and religion

Folder 19/2/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Phebe, 2 letters, 1902
To: “Uncle Gilbert”[Cope]; “Aunt Anna”[Cope]
From: [not specified]

Folder 20/2/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Sallie T., 12 letters, 1872-1880
To: “Uncle”[Gilbert Cope]
From: Westtown Seminary; Westtown Boarding School; Fruitland, PA; Kimbleville, PA
Topics include: family news and health

Folder 21/2/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Rachel E., 6 letters, 1896-1898, 1917-1918
To: “Uncle and Aunt”[Gilbert Cope and Anna Cope]
From: Winona, OH
Topics include: detailed account of her father's death; family news and health; mentions the war (1918)

Folder 22/2/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Walter A., 1 letters, 1917
To: “Uncle”[Gilbert Cope]
From: Mount Pleasant, PA
Topics include: avoiding the draft; war (1917)

Folder 23/2/119 – Correspondence
Cope, Wilmer, 4 letters, 1902-1906
To: “Uncle”; Gilbert Cope
From: Lincoln University, PA

BOX 3—Series I  Cope Correspondence, by author
Folder 1/3/119 – Correspondence
Darlington to Debs, 16 letters, 1876-1922
Includes the following:
   Darlington, A.B., 1 letter, 1910 (from West Chester) to “Cousin Gilbert”; Topics include: employment
   Darlington, M.R., 1 letter, 1899 (from Allendale, SC) to Gilbert Cope
Darlington, Charlotte N., 1 letter, 1896 (from Glen Mills, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Davidson, T., 4 letters, 1907-1909, 1915 (from Bristol, PA; Derby, England) to Gilbert Cope
Davis, Chas. S., 1 letter, 1875 (from Fort Kavett, TX) to Gilbert Cope
Davis, E.M., 1 letter, 1885 (from Philadelphia, PA) to Howard W. Gilbert
Davis, B. Frank, 1 letter, 1881 (from Collegeville, PA) to [Gilbert Cope]; Topics include: Chester County church history
Davis, W.W.H., 2 letters, 1894 (from Doylestown, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: proposal for local history in Philadelphia newspapers
Dawkins, T.D., 1 letter, 1918 (from Post Office Department, Boston) to [not specified]; Topics include: improper use of the mails
Dawson, H.B., 1 letter, n.d. (from New York) to Gilbert Cope
Dean, John Ward, 1 letter, 1876 (from New England Historic, Genealogical Society, Boston) to Gilbert Cope
Debs, Eugene, 1 letter, 1922 (from Lindlahr Sanitarium, Elmhurst, IL) to [Gilbert Cope]; Note: copy of a handwritten letter; Topics include: solicitation of funds for The Call

Folder 2/3/119 – Correspondence
Dewees, Watson W., 10 letters, 1893, 1897, 1909-1915
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Westtown, PA; Philadelphia, PA
Topics include: request for lantern slides and negatives for lectures and publications

Folder 3/3/119 – Correspondence
Dickey to Dowlin, 19 letters, 1876-1921
Includes the following:
   Dickey, J.W.C., 1 letter, 1880 (from Oxford) to Gilbert Cope
   Dickinson, Mahlon H., 2 letters, 1881 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
   Dickson, Taylor, 1 letter, 1894 (from Philadelphia Club) to Gilbert Cope
   Doan, Marcia S., 2 letters, 1921 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
   Donovan, Elizabeth, 11 letters, 1876-1906, n.d. (from Delaware, OH) to “sister”
   Dorance, Frances, 1 letter, 1924 (from Wyoming Historical and Geological Society, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: inquiry regarding Pennsylvania Indian history
   Dowlin, Mary A., 1 letter, 1920 (from Mortonville, PA) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 4/3/119 – Correspondence
Downing to Dutton, 21 items, 1876-1906
Includes the following:
   Downing, Elizabeth, 2 letters, 1901, 1906 (from E. Downingtown) to Gilbert Cope
Downing, J.H., 4 letters, 1896 (from E. Downingtown, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: real estate; loan
Downing, Jos. R., 1 letter, 1880 (from Downingtown, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Draper, Lyman, 1 letter, 1881 (from State Historical Society, Madison, WI) to [illegible]; Topics include: payment for "volumes"
Dunacre, Whitman, 1 letter, 1905 (from Johnstown, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Dunbar, M.S., 1 letter, 1903 (from Allentown, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Durrie, Daniel, 1 letter, 2 circulars, 1876 (from State Historical Society, Madison, WI) to Gilbert Cope; Note: two circulars related to author’s publications; Topics include: genealogy trade
Dutton, J. Mortimer, 5 letters, 1883, 1896-1899 (from Chester, PA; West Chester, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Note: Author appears to be a fellow genealogist; Topics include: Sharpless family
Dutton, R.J., 3 letters, 1880, 1899-1900 (from Burlington, NJ) to Gilbert Cope;

Folder 5/3/119 – Correspondence
Eames to Edwards, 12 letters, 1872-1907
Eames, Walter J., 1 letter, 1907 (from [Oxford]) to “Friends”
Edge, Thomas J., 9 letters, 1879-1881 (from Board of Agriculture, Harrisburg, PA) to [Gilbert Cope]; Topics include: request to write a history
Edwards, Anna C., 2 letters, 1872; (from Northampton) to Gilbert Cope; Topics Include: Mount Holyoke Seminary; Lucy Cope

Folder 6/3/119 – Correspondence
Egle, William H., 14 letters, 1877-1882
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Harrisburg, PA
Topics include: historical and genealogical issues; publications; historical research

Folder 7/3/119 – Correspondence
Egle, William H., 17 letters, 1894-1899, 1907
Note: Author was the librarian for the State Library of Pennsylvania
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Harrisburg, PA
Topics include: loss of records; fire at the State Capitol; “Pennsylvania Kalender”

Folder 8/3/119 – Correspondence
Elfreth to Elliott, 19 letters, 1879-1918
Includes the following:
Elfreth, J.B., 1 letters, 1901 (from Chicago) to Gilbert Cope
Elfreth, Miriam, 1 letter, 1918 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
Elkinton, Joseph, 9 letters, 1879-1883, 1901 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: records in the Devonshire House in England

Ellender, Edward, 3 letters, 1880 (from Philadelphia) to “mother”; Topics include: dispute over his Father’s will

Elliott, A.M., 4 letters, 1901-1902 (from Baltimore, MD) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: attempt to purchase History of Chester County

Elliott, W.C., 1 letter, 1894 (from Reynolds, PA) to [Gilbert Cope]

Folder 9/3/119 – Correspondence

Ely to Etting, 19 letters, 1893-1919
Includes the following:

Ely, Reuben P., 1 letter, 1894 (from Lambertville, NJ) to Gilbert Cope

Ely, Warren S., 1 letter, 1900 (from Doylestown, PA) to Gilbert Cope

Embree, Emma D., 1 letter, 1919 (from West Chester, PA) to Gilbert Cope

England, Howell S., 2 letters, 1906 (from Wilmington, DE) to Gilbert Cope
Topics include: records of the Wilmington Monthly Meeting

Eshleman, H. Frank, 11 letters, 1906-1916 (from Lancaster, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: writing a history of Lancaster County history; research on the Great Conestoga Road

Essick, H.M., 1 letter, 1 menu, 1893 (from Highland Lake, PA) to H.W. Gilbert
Topics include: information about The Essick resort

Etting, Frank M., 1 letter, n.d. (from Codnor Farm, Concordville, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: genealogical holdings of various institutions

Folder 9A/3/119 – Correspondence

Evans, L. to Evans, R., 3 letters, 1880-1882
Includes the following:

Evans, L.H., 2 letters, 1882 (from Uwchlan, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: indenture documents related to the Evans family

Evans, R. C., 1 letter, 1880 (from Gloucester City, NJ) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 10/3/119 – Correspondence

Evans, Samuel, 18 letters, 1875-1879
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Columbia, PA
Topics include: Cooper family; Evans family; Quaker influence at a young age; genealogical and historical inquiries/information

Folder 11/3/119 – Correspondence

Evans, Samuel, 16 letters, 1880-1882
Note: Includes printed circular letter regarding research for a new book about the history
of Lancaster County
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Columbia, PA
Topics include: genealogical and historical inquiries/information; trip to West Chester;
Carter family; Taylor family

Folder 12/3/119 – Correspondence
Evans, Samuel, 9 letters, 1883-1898, n.d.
Note: Includes typed letter by Gilbert Cope with a written response from S. Evans
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Columbia, PA
Topics include: genealogical and historical inquiries/information; “Pequa Church”;
Revolutionary War monument in Donegal

Folder 13/3/119 – Correspondence
Faris to Fitch, 17 letters, 1880-1916
Includes the following:
  Faris, John T., 3 letter, 1916 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include:
publication on the West Chester Pike
  Felters, A., 2 letters, 1880-1881 (from Edgefield) to Gilbert Cope
  Ferguson, J., 2 letters, 1918 (from Harrisburg) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include:
  Ferree, Barr, 4 letters, 1911-1915 (from The Pennsylvania Society, New York) to
  Gilbert Cope
  Fisher, [T.]L., 1 letter, 1 bill, 1873 (from Norristown, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics
  include: Gilbert Cope’s purchase of stereoscopic views
  Fisher, Elizabeth, 1 letter, 1893 (from Elk View) to “Howard”[Gilbert]; Topics
  Include: plea to help her son who is in a “very despondent condition”
  Fisler, S.L., 2 letters, 1897 (from Lafayette College, Easton, PA) to Gilbert Cope;
  Topics include: donation to the college
  Fitch, Clara Heaton, 1 letter, 1904 (from Louisville, KY) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 14/3/119 – Correspondence
Forsyth, D. to Forsythe, S., 10 letters, 1894-1911
Includes the following:
  Forsythe, Davis H., 9 letters, 1894, 1909-1912, 1922 (from Westtown, PA) to
  Gilbert Cope; Topics include: the Westorian
  Forsythe, Sarah H., 1 letter, 1911 (from Westtown, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics
  include: request for photographs

Folder 15/3/119 – Correspondence
**Foster, Abby Kelly**, 7 letters, 1872-1885, n.d.
To: “Friend”[H.W. Gilbert]
From: Worcester [MA]
Topics include: politics, state and federal; Gilbert’s book of poems; “abolitionists”

Folder 16/3/119 – Correspondence
**Foulke to Fulton**, 12 letters, 1874-1919
Includes the following:
- **Foulke, David**, 1 letter, 1882 (from Spring House, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: Quaker meeting
- **Fox, Cyrus T.**, 4 letters, 1919 (from The Historical Society of Berks County, Reading, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: fiftieth anniversary banquet
- **Fox, Frances M.**, 1 letter, 1917 (from Historical Society of Montgomery County, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: copy of Futhey and Cope’s *History of Chester County*
- **France, Joseph Irwin**, 1 letter, 1919 (from United States Senate, Washington) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: effort to repeal the Espionage Act
- **Frees, Isaac**, 3 letter, 1874 (from Harrisburg) to William C. Cope; Gilbert Cope; Topics include: job as a baggage handler; death of William Cope
- **Frick, James**, 1 letter, 1893 (from Bellevue Hotel, Dingman’s Ferry, PA) to Howard W. Cope
- **Fulton, M.A.**, 1 letter, 1881 (from Normal School, West Chester) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 17/3/119 – Correspondence
**Futhey, J. Smith**, 12 letters, 1874-1881, 1921, n.d.
To: Gilbert Cope
From: West Chester; Saratoga Springs, NY
Topics include: historical research

Folder 18/3/119 – Correspondence
Topics include:
- **Garrett, Christina**, 1 letter, 1914 (from Canterbury, England ) to “Aunt Anna”[(Garrett) Cope]; Topics include: detailed description of being in France when the war broke out
- **Garrett, Elizabeth W.**, 1 letter, [1879] (from Alandar, MA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: genealogical related gifts
- **Garrett, Ellwood**, 1 letter, 1901 (from St. Louis, MO) to Rachel T. Garrett; Topics include: Christmas gift; “book of “Gilbert’s”
- **Garrett, James**, 6 letters, 1881-1904 (from Philadelphia) to Anna (Garrett) Cope, Gilbert Cope
Garrett, John B., 6 letters, 1911-1912 (from Rosemont, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Garrett, Richard H., 1 letter, 1917 (from St. Louis, MO) to “Uncle Gilbert”[Cope]; Topics include: mentions the war; health of Anna (Garrett) Cope
Garrett, S.B., 1 letter, 1913 (from Muncie, IN) to Gilbert Cope
Garrett, Susan C., 2 letters, 1899 to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: cost for a cemetery lot

Folder 19/3/119 – Correspondence
Garrett, J. to George, 20 letters, 1871-1913
Includes the following:
Garrett, Chas., 3 letters, 1895, 1903 (from Philadelphia; Uniontown) to Gilbert Cope
Garrett, Ella T., 2 letters, 1903, 1913 (from Rahway, NJ) to Gilbert Cope
Garrett, H. T., 4 letters, 1892-1894 (from Wilmington, DE) to Gilbert Cope
Gay, Elizabeth, 2 letters, 1889 (from Staten Island, NY) to [Howard] Gilbert Topics include: “Anti-slavery friends and fellow workers”
Gay, S.H., 3 letters, 1871-1872, (from Chicago) to [Howard Gilbert]
Gay, S.M., 4 letters 1885-1893 (from Staten Island, NY) to [Howard] Gilbert Topics include: thoughts on H. Gilbert’s book of poetry; detailed description of political views (1893)
Geisenberger, L.R., 1 letter, 1888 (from Philadelphia) to [Howard] Gilbert
George, M.S., 1 letter, 1881 (from Williamsport, PA) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 20/3/119 – Correspondence
Gibbons to Gifford, 9 letters, 1883-1898, n.d.
Includes the following:
Gibbons, P.E., 1 letter, 1893 (from Philadelphia) to Howard W. Gilbert
Gidley, M. Jessie, 1 letter, 1897 (from North Dartmouth, MA) to Gilbert Cope
Gifford, Elton B., 2 letters, 1883 (from Media, PA; Philadelphia, PA) to Wm. P. Townsend, Gilbert Cope; Topics include: Quaker records

BOX 4—Series I Cope Correspondence, by author

Folder 1/4/119 – Correspondence
Gilbert, Benjamin, 21 letters, 1873-1882
Note: Letters co-written with “Mary G.”[Mary G. Garrett] and “S.G.”[Samuel Garrett]. It appears that some of the letters were dictated.
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Yohoghany, PA;
Topics include: detailed description of miner’s strikes(1873-1875); coal business; family news and health; detailed description of a death in the family; farming
Folder 2/4/119 – Correspondence
Gilbert, E. to Gilbert, G., 4 letters, 1871-1898
Includes the following:
  Gilbert, Edwin, 3 letters, 1893, 1897-1898 (from Lancaster; Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
  Gilbert, George, 1 letter, 1871 (from Winona, OH) to “G.” [Gilbert Cope]

Folder 3/4/119 – Correspondence
Gilbert, Howard W., 11 letters, 1890-1895
To: “Cousin Gilbert” [Cope]; Isaac Fisher
From: Wawaset; Woodstown, NJ; Julia Hannum
Topics include: legal matter; business; content of his will; dispute over a bill

Folder 4/4/119 – Correspondence
Gilbert, H. to Gilbert, M., 8 letters, 1875-1896
Includes the following:
  Gilbert, Hannah H., 2 letters, 1893-1895 (from Eden) to Howard [Gilbert]; Gilbert Cope; Topics include: death of her husband
  Gilbert, Joshua, 1 letter, 1875 to “cousin”
  Gilbert, L.L., 2 letter, 1895-1896 (from Pittsburgh, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: sale of a typewriter
  Gilbert, Mary, 3 letters, 1875-1876 (from Swallowfield Farm; West Grove) to Gilbert Cope, Howard Gilbert

Folder 5/4/119 – Correspondence
Gilbert, Samuel, 13 letters, 1875-1906
Note: Includes letter co-written with Benjamin Gilbert, the author’s father
To: Gilbert Cope; “Cousin Ann [Cope]
From: Yohoghany, PA
Topics include: coal mine; coal business; family news and health; death of Susan McGrew

Folder 6/4/119 – Correspondence
Gilbert, Susan, 4 letters, 1872-1881
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Yohoghany, PA
Topics include: family news and health; “Italian matter”

Folder 7/4/119 – Correspondence
Gillett to Glenn, 4 letters, 1872-1881
Includes the following:

**Gillett, Almerin**, 1 letter, 189[?] (from Kansas City, MO) to Gilbert Cope

**Gillingham, J.E.**, 11 letters, 1894-1904 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: payment for services rendered

**Gilpin, Emma E.**, 2 letters, 1903, 1916 (from Florida) to Anna (Garrett) Cope

**Gilpin, Vincent**, 2 letters, 1903 (from Rockledge, FL) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: preparation for a boat cruise

**Glenn, Thomas Allen**, 3 letters, 1902 (from Philadelphia, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: genealogy publications

Folder 8/4/119 – Correspondence

**Goodwin to Griffith**, 14 letters, 1877-1905

Includes the following:

**Goodwin, John S.**, 5 letters, 1895-1897 (from Chicago; Atlantic City) to Gilbert Cope

**Gray, E.**, 1 letter, 1905 (from Downington) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: clerical position

**Gray, May**, 1 letter, 1898 (from Atlanta) to Gilbert Cope

**Gray, Norman D.**, 1 letter, 1904 (from Harrisburg, PA) to Gilbert Cope

**Green, Charles**, 1 letter, 1879 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope

**Green, Phebe A.**, 1 letter, 1884 (from Booth’s Corner, PA) to Anna G. Cope

**Greist, Ann**, 1 letter, 1882 (from Flora Dale, PA) to Gilbert Cope

**Greist, Josiah**, 1 letter, 1877 (from Pleasant Valley) to Gilbert Cope

**Griffith, Anna T.**, 1 letter, 1879 (from West Chester) to Gilbert Cope

**Griffith, B.L.C.**, 1 letter, 1893 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 9/4/119 – Correspondence

**Gutekunst to Haines**, 19 letters, 1888-1909

Includes the following:

**Gutekunst, F.**, 12 letters, 1888-1909 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: cost of photograph reproduction; reproducing Cope’s ancestral chart

**Gwinner, Mrs. Charles**, 1 letter, n.d. (from Delaware, Ohio) to “aunt”

**Hadden, James**, 1 letter, 1914 (from Uniontown, PA) to Gilbert Cope

**Hadley, Cholmers**, 1 letter, 1908 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope

**Haines, Anna J.**, 1 letter, 1904 (from Moorestown, NJ) to Gilbert Cope

**Haines, Alfred S.**, 2 letters, 1900, 1905 (from Westtown, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: a canoe

**Haines, Edith H.**, 1 letter, 1904 (from Westtown) to “Ellen”[Cope]

Folder 10/4/119 – Correspondence
**Gutekunst to Haines**, 20 letters, 1894-1901
Includes the following:
- **Haines, Henry H.**, 3 letters, 1894-1895 (from Burlington, NJ) to Gilbert Cope
- **Haines, Jennie**, 1 letter, 1901 (from Medford, NJ) to Gilbert Cope
- **Haines, Lydia B.**, 12 letters, 1877-1898 (from Medford, NJ) to Anna G. Cope, Gilbert Cope; Topics include: family news and health
- **Haines, Maurice**, 1 letter, 1901 (from Medford, NJ) to Gilbert Cope
- **Haines, Richard**, 2 letter, 1899-1900 (from Medford, NJ) to Gilbert Cope
- **Haldeman, Lillie B.**, 1 letter, 1896 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 11/4/119 – Correspondence
**Hall to Hallowell**, 3 letters, 1894, 1919
Includes the following:
- **Hall, A.P.**, 1 letter, 1894 (from West Chester) to Mrs. W. Hawkins
- **Hall, Edith**, 1 letter, 1919 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- **Hallowell, Marguerite**, 1 letter, 1919 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 12/4/119 – Correspondence
**Hanna, Charles A.**, 15 letters, 1895-1896
To: Gilbert Cope  
From: Lincoln, NE; Chicago, IL  
Topics include: genealogical and historical research; payment for services

Folder 13/4/119 – Correspondence
**Hanna, Charles A.**, 13 letters, 1897-1898
To: Gilbert Cope  
From: Chicago, IL  
Topics include: genealogical and historical research; payment for services

Folder 14/4/119 – Correspondence
**Hanna, F. to Hause**, 19 letters, 1876-1916
Includes the following:
- **Hanna, Florence**, 1 letter, 1914 (from Glenside) to “dear home folks”; Topics include: teaching
- **Hanly, J. Frank**, 1 letter, 1916 (from Indianapolis, IN) to “Dear Friend”[Gilbert Cope]; Topics include: publicity for production of “The Man Who Forgot”
- **Happersett, M.A.**, 1 letter, 1879 to “My dear sister”
- **Harlan, E.B.E.**, 4 letters, 1896 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: sale of “papers and books”
- **Harlow, C.H.**, 1 letter, 1894 (from Hillside Cottage) to H.W. Gilbert
- **Harper, Luther G.**, 4 letters, 1893-1894 (from Lebanon, PA) to H.W. Gilbert
Topics include: employment in the drug business; opinion of newspapers; politics; recreational photography

**Harris, Joseph S.**, 1 letter, 1895 (from Philadelphia, PA) to Gilbert Cope

**Harrod, Ira E.**, 1 letter, 1912 (from London, England) to Anna[G. Cope];

**Harrod, Marjorie**, 1 letter, 1912 (from London, England) to Anna[G. Cope]

**Harvey, Ellwood**, 1 letter, 1876 (from Chester, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: bible reading in public schools

**Harvey, H.G.**, 1 letter, 1896 (from Birmingham) to Gilbert Cope

**Hause, Davis**, 2 letters, 1881 (from West Chester) to Gilbert Cope

**Folder 15/4/119 – Correspondence**

**Hawkins to Hays, L.**, 7 letters, 1883-1903

Includes the following:

**Hawkins, M.C.**, 1 letter, 1895 to Gilbert Cope

**Hawley, J.W.**, 2 letters, 1903, 1905 (from Media, PA) to Gilbert Cope

**Hays, Rebecca**, 2 letters, 1894 (from Grand Avenue Hotel) to Gilbert Cope

**Hays, J.F.**, 1 letter, 1894 (from Waretown, NJ) to H.W. Gilbert

**Hays, Lillie E.**, 1 letter, 1883 (from Doe Run, PA) to Gilbert Cope

**Heacock, T. Reece**, 1 letter, 1875 to Gilbert Cope

**Heacock, Wm.**, 1 letter, 1875 to “friend”[Gilbert Cope]

**Heald, Pusey**, 3 postcards, 1881 (Wilmington, DE) to Gilbert Cope

**Folder 16/4/119 – Correspondence**

**Heilman, S.P.**, 15 letters, 1907-1915

To: Gilbert Cope

From: Pennsylvania Federation of Historical Societies

Topics include: Federation business

**Folder 17/4/119 – Correspondence**

**Henderson to Hodgson**, 20 letter, 1872-1924

Includes the following:

**Henderson, C.**, 1 letter, 1872 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope

**Herrick, Cheesman A.**, 7 letters, 1900-1905 (from Central High School, Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: book titled *White Servitude in Pennsylvania*; photographic prints

**Hicks, Benjamin D.**, 1 letter, 1902 (from Mineota, NY) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: publishing

**Hicks, Edward, Jr.**, 2 letter, 1895 (from London, England) to Gilbert Cope

**Hibbard, W.**, 1 letter, 1871 (from West Chester) to Gilbert Cope

**Hill, F. Alden**, 1 letter, 1882 (from Ellicott City, MD) to Register of Wills, WC

**Hillegas, Ann Mifflin**, 1 letter, 1918 (from Wilmington, DE) to Gilbert Cope
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Hinshaw, Andrew, 1 letter, 1894 (from Kansas City, MO) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: Almerin Gillett
Hires, Elizabeth, 1 letter, 1924 to Gilbert Cope
Hitchcock, Caroline Hanks, 1 letter, 1895 to Gilbert Cope
Hodge, A.C., 1 letter, 1875 to “friend”
Hodgson, Joseph, 3 letters, 1880-1881 (from Elk View?) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 18/4/119 – Correspondence
Hoffman to Honeyman, 9 letters, 1871-1924
Includes the following:
Hoffman, Hannah H., 1 letter, 1923 (from West Chester, PA) to “Cousin Gilbert [Cope]
Hollinger, D. Wilson, 1 letter, 1909 (from Parkesburg, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Holloway, E.S., 1 letter, 1871 (from Columbian, OH) to Gilbert Cope
Holloway, O.E., 2 letters, 1924 (from Knightstown, IN) to Gilbert Cope
Holmes, Mary S., 2 letters, 1897 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
Holworthy, Richard, 1 letter, 1921 (from London) to [Gilbert Cope]
Honeyman, A. Van Doren, 1 letter, 1921 (from Newark, NJ) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 19/4/119 – Correspondence
Hoopes to Howell, 18 letters, 1871-1924
Includes the following:
Hoopes, Anna E., 2 letters, 1898 (from West Chester) to Gilbert Cope
Hoopes, Chas. C., 1 letter, 1897 (from Landenberg) to Gilbert Cope
Hoopes, Edwin A., 1 letter, 1900 (from West Chester) to Gilbert Cope
Hoopes, Elma, 1 letter, 1872 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
Hoopes, Joseph Downing, Mrs., 1 letter, 1922 (from East Downingtown) to Gilbert Cope
Hoopes, Lizzie D., 1 letter, 1875 (from Toughkenamon) to Gilbert Cope
Hoopes, Priscilla, 3 letters, 1872-1874 (from Westtown Farm) to Gilbert Cope
Hoopes, R.R., 2 letter, 1875, 1901 (from West Chester) to Gilbert Cope
Hoopes, Sarah, 1 letter, 1883 (from West Chester) to Sarah Hoopes
Hoopes, Wilford L., 1 letter, 1907 (from Cambridge, MA) to Gilbert Cope
Hosack, J.F., 1 letter, 1883 (from Erie, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include:
carbon mining
Hostetter, A.K., 1 letter, 1915 (from West Chester) to Gilbert Cope
Houston, John J. L., 1 letter, 1921 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
Houston, Wm., 1 letter, 1880 to Gilbert Cope
Howell, Joshua R., 1 letter, 1871 (from Brookworth) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 20/4/119 – Correspondence
Huestis, E.C. to Huestis, Joe, 9 letters, 1871-1924
Includes the following:
  Huestis, E.C., 2 letters, 1901, 1903 (from East Fairfield, OH; Pulaski, PA) to “Uncle Gilbert and Aunt Anna”[Cope]
  Huestis, Glen, 1 letter, 1918 (from Wateford, OH) to “Uncle Gilbert”[Cope]
  Huestis, Joe, 7 letters, 1874-1882 (from East Fairfield, OH) to Gilbert Cope;
    Note: husband of Rachel Cope; G. Cope’s brother in law; Topics include:
      Death of Rachel (Cope) Huestis

Folder 21/4/119 – Correspondence
Huestis, Rachel W. (Cope), 15 letters, 1871
To: “Brother”[Gilbert Cope]
From: “Home”; East Fairfield, OH
Topics include: family news and health; husband’s sickness and death

Folder 22/4/119 – Correspondence
Huestis, Rachel W. (Cope), 18 letters, 1872-1873
To: “Brother”; Gilbert Cope
From: “Home”; Winona, OH; Middleton, OH; Fairview
Topics include: life as a widow; family news and health

Folder 23/4/119 – Correspondence
Huestis, Rachel W. (Cope), 5 letters, 1874
To: “Brother”
From: “Home”
Topics include: farming; family news and health

Folder 24/4/119 – Correspondence
Hughes to Hyatt, 18 letters, 1874-1912
Includes the following:
  Hughes, P.M., 2 letters, 1874-1875 (from West Grove) to “Friend”[Gilbert Cope]
    Topics include: vacation in New England
  Hunn, E., 1 letter, 1912 (from West Chester) to Gilbert Cope
  Hunt, Carrie, 2 letters, n.d. (from Woodstown) to Gilbert Cope
  Hunter, David J., 1 letter, 1890 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
  Hutton, Addison, 5 letters, 1877-1878, 1884, 1896 (from Philadelphia; Bryn Mawr) to Gilbert Cope
  Hutton, Finley, 6 letters, 1874, 1880-1882, 1896 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
  Hyatt, [Y]. H., 1 letter, 1875 to Gilbert Cope
Folder 25/4/119 – Correspondence
**Ingram to Jefferis**, 15 letters, 1877-1918
Includes the following:

- **Ingram, William S.**, 1 letter, 1905 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- **Jacob, A.G.**, 1 letter, 1905 (from Orange, NJ) to Anna[Cope]
- **James, Alice R.**, 3 letter, 1890, 1893 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- **James, Hannah**, 1 letter, 1877 (from Gilbert Dale) to “Cousin”[Gilbert Dale]
- **James, Hannah P.**, 1 letter, 1901 (from Ousterhout Free Library, Wilkes Barre, PA) to Gilbert Cope
- **James, Lauretta**, 1 letter, 1908 (from Westtown B.[oarding] S.[chool]) to “Aunt Anna”[Cope]
- **James, Mary Cope**, 2 letter, 1905 (from Elmsley) to “Uncle Gilbert”[Cope]
- **Jefferis, Bertha R.**, 3 letter, 1918 (from Media, PA) to “Cousin”
- **Jefferis, R.H.**, 1 letter, 1885 (from “Home”) to “Niece”
- **Jefferis, T.**, 1 letter, 1892 (from Landenburg, PA) to Anna Cope

Folder 26/4/119 – Correspondence
**Jellett to Jenkins**, 19 letters, 1893-1921

- **Jellett, Edwin**, 8 letters, 1919-1921 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- **Jenkins, Howard M.**, 11 letters, 1893-1913 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope:
  Topics include: photographs; historical inquiries

Folder 27/4/119 – Correspondence
**Johnson to Jones**, 21 letters, 1874-1919

- **Johnson, B.H.**, 4 letters, 1904 (from Washington DC) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: job offer to work as genealogist under the auspices of the Jamestown Exposition; advantages of living in Washington DC
- **Johnson, Jane**, 1 letter, 1876 (from [New Salem]) to Gilbert Cope
- **Johnson, J. Howard**, 2 letter, 1892-1893 (from Collegeville, PA) to Howard W. Gilbert; Topics include: opinions of G.W. Gilbert’s poetry
- **Johnson, William Martin**, 2 letter, 1898 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- **Johnston, W.E.**, 1 letter, 1896 (from Allegheny, PA) to Gilbert Cope
- **Jones, E.H.**, 1 letter, 1878 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- **Jones, W.H.**, 1 letter, 1874 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- **Jones, J. Elvin**, 3 letter, 1884-1885, 1893 (from Vernon, NY) Howard W. Gilbert;
- **Jones Edson Salisbury**, 1 letter, 1904 (from Port Chester, NY) to Gilbert Cope
- **Jones, Rufus**, 5 letters, 1911-1919 (from Haverford College, PA) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 28/4/119 – Correspondence
**Jordan, Ewing**, 8 letters, 1910-1919
To: Gilbert Cope
From: University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia
Topics include: requests for information on graduates of the Penn medical school

BOX 5—Series I  Cope Correspondence, by author

Folder 1/5/119 – Correspondence
Jordan, John W., 18 letters, 1871-1878
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Historical Society of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia
Topics include: historical research; business; acquisitions; historical records

Folder 2/5/119 – Correspondence
Jordan, John W., 19 letters, 1879
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Historical Society of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia
Topics include: historical research; business; acquisitions; historical records

Folder 3/5/119 – Correspondence
Jordan, John W., 16 letters, 1880-1891, 1908-1916
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Historical Society of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia
Topics include: historical research; business; acquisitions; historical records

Folder 4/5/119 – Correspondence
Judkins to King, 13 letters, 1877-1924
Topics include:
  Judkins, Rebecca, 1 letter, 1911 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
  Justice, Alfred R., 2 letters, 1915 (from Ardmore, PA) to Gilbert Cope
  Kay, Robert G., 1 letter, 1912 (from Philadelphia) to Joseph Cope
  Keen, Gregory B., 3 letters, 1903, 1910 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope;
    Topics include: state appropriations bill for the Historical Society of PA
  Keith, Charles, 1 letter, 1879 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope; Note: includes
    author’s research notes
  King, G. [V.], 1 letter, 1905 (London, England) to Gilbert Cope
  King, L.M., 1 letter, 1924 (from West Chester) to Hervey H. Anderson
  King, Francis, 1 letter, 1877 (from Johns Hopkins Hospital, Baltimore) to Gilbert
    Cope
  King, Rufus, 2 letters, 1879 (from Yonkers, NY) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 5/5/119 – Correspondence
Kirk to Lamberton, 12 letters, 1883-1919
Topics include:
- **Kirk, Harry**, 1 letter, 1895 (from Lima, OH) to Gilbert Cope
- **Kirk, William B.**, 1 letter, 1894 (from Pittsburgh, PA) to Howard W. Gilbert
- **Kirk, William H.**, 4 letters, 1883 (from Philadelphia, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: atlas of Chester County
- **Klein, Theodore B.**, 1 letter, 1904 (from Harrisburg) to Gilbert Cope
- **Koch, Annie Phillips**, 1 letter, 1893 (from Pottsville, PA) to Howard W. Gilbert
- **Kocher, A.L.**, 1 letter, 1919 (from State College, PA) to Gilbert Cope
- **Laird, W.R.**, 1 letter, 1894 (from West Chester) to “Mr. [Howard W.] Gilbert; Topics include: suggestions for travel to New England
- **Lamberton, James M.**, 2 letters, 1906 (from Harrisburg, PA) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 6/5/119 – Correspondence
Lamborn to Larkin, 16 letters, 1882-1923
Topics include:
- **Lamborn, Samuel**, 6 letters, 1909-1917 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- **Lamborn, Robb**, 1 letter, 1894 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- **Lamborn, William J.**, 1 letter, 1901 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- **Landis, Charles I., Judge**, 1 letter, 1920 (from Lancaster, PA) to Gilbert Cope
- **Lansdowne, Helen B.**, 1 letter, 1900 (from Covington, KY) to Gilbert Cope
- **Lapp, Dorothy B.**, 6 letters, 1922-1923 (from West Chester, PA) to “Friend”; Topics include: farming; college work; illustrated lectures; Chautauqua in West Chester
- **Larkin, Rebecca**, 1 letter, 1882 (from Linwood, PA) to [Gilbert Cope]

Folder 7/5/119 – Correspondence
Latting to Levick, 21 letters, 1874-1919
Topics include:
- **Latting, John J.**, 4 letters, 1874-1876 (from The New York Genealogical Society and Biographical Society) to Gilbert Cope
- **Laughlin, H.H.**, 1 letter, 1915 (from Eugenics Record Office, Cold Spring Harbor, NY) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: request for information
- **Lawyer, Sarah C.**, 1 letter, 1879 (from Jay County, IN) to [Gilbert Cope]
- **Lea, Elizabeth Robeson**, 1 letter, 1882 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- **Lea, J. Henry**, 1 letter, 1892 (from Fairhaven, MA) to [?]; Note: printed facsimile; Topics include: solicitation for genealogical work in England
- **Learning, Robert W.**, 5 letters, 1882 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: Robert Heath
- **Learned, M.D.**, 1 letter, 1905 (from University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: Abraham Lincoln
Lee, Mary H., 1 letter, 1919 (from Halifax, NC) to Gilbert Cope
Leeds, J.W., 1 letter, 1896 to Gilbert Cope
Leeds, Sarah, 2 letters, 1 list, 1897, 1908 (from West Chester) to Gilbert Cope
Leotskos, J.P., 1 letter, 1895 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: lecture on Greece
Levick, James I., 2 letters, 1892-1893 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 8/5/119 – Correspondence
Lewis, A. to Lewis, John, 19 letters, 1881-1923
Includes the following:
  Lewis, Anna M., 1 letter, 1906 (from West Chester) to Gilbert Cope
  Lewis, Grace Anne, 2 letter, 1881 (from Media, PA) to Gilbert Cope
  Lewis, John Frederick, 16 letters, 1905-1923 (from Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts; Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: sale of Gilbert Cope’s collection; Chester Springs

Folder 9/5/119 – Correspondence
Lewis, Jos. To Lewis S., 19 letters, 1871-1917
Includes the following:
  Lewis, Joseph, Jr., 3 letters, 1880-1881 (from Newtown Square, PA) to Gilbert Cope
  Lewis, Samuel, 11 letters, 1871-1873, 1878 (from Pottsville) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: genealogical research
  Lewis, Sarah S., 1 letter, 1915 (from Kennett [Square]) to [Gilbert Cope]
  Lightfoot, M., 2 letters, 1878-1880 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
  Linvill, Anna, 2 letters, 1917 (from Swarthmore Woods) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 10/5/119 – Correspondence
Livingston to Mantle, 19 letters, 1855-1923
Includes the following
  Livingston, Laura, 3 letters, 1894 (from [Philadelphia]) to “Mr. [Howard] Gilbert”
  Ljungstedt, Milnor, 2 letters, 1920, 1923 (from Bethesda, MD) to Gilbert Cope
  Lloyd, M.R., 1 letter, 1875 (from Delta, PA) to Gilbert Cope
  Lloyd, Parker, 1 letter, 1893 (from Wilmington, DE) to Howard W. Gilbert
  Lobb, E. Lizzie, 1 letter, 1892 (from Aldan) to Gilbert Cope
  Lukens, Charles E., 1 letter, 1919 (from Alliance, OH) to Gilbert Cope
  Lungren, C. Howard, 1 letter, 1906 (from Swarthmore, PA) to [Gilbert Cope]
  Lybrand, George W., 2 letters, 1881 (from Minersville, PA) to [Gilbert Cope]
  Lynch, G.S., 1 letter, 1916 (from Washington DC) to Gilbert Cope:
  Note: written on behalf of Senator La Follette
  Madden, Edwin C., 1 letter, 1904 (from Post Office Department, Washington
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Folder 11/5/119 – Correspondence
Maris to Martin, 12 letters, 1874-1916
Includes the following:
  Maris, E., 1 letter, 1895 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
  Maris, George, 2 letters, 1881 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
  Maris, Hanna, 1 letter, 1883 (from White House, PA) to Gilbert Cope
  Marshall, Charles, 2 letters, 1906, 1916 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
  Martin, Gideon, 1 letter, 1874 (from Media) to [Gilbert] Cope
  Martin, Issac, 1 letter, 1875 (from Marlboro, PA) to Gilbert Cope
  Martin, Jacob, 4 letter, 1897-1902 (from Marshallton, PA) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 12/5/119 – Correspondence
Martin, John Hill, 20 letters, 1874-November 1876
Note: Includes one letterhead and envelope with a print of Memorial Hall [Centennial Exposition]
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Philadelphia
Topics include: historical and genealogical research; replies to Gilbert Cope’s inquiries; plan of Chichester Town; book editing

Folder 13/5/119 – Correspondence
Martin, John Hill, 21 letters, December 1876-November 1877
Note: Includes printed circular for Friends’ Girard Avenue School for Boys and Girls;
  includes letter written by Joseph Pile
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Philadelphia
Topics include: historical and genealogical research; book editing

Folder 14/5/119 – Correspondence
Martin, John Hill, 18 letters, March 1877-December 1877
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Philadelphia
Topics include: historical and genealogical research; book editing; printing and selling History of Chester County
Folder 15/5/119 – Correspondence
**Martin, John Hill**, 17 letters, November 1878-1882
Note: Includes printed circular letter from the Townsend Whelen Co., Philadelphia
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Philadelphia
Topics include: historical and genealogical research; Dolly (Payne) Madison (1880)

Folder 16/5/119 – Correspondence
**Martin, John Hill**, 5 letters, n.d.
Note: Includes clipping attached to letter about James Annesley
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Philadelphia
Topics include: historical and genealogical research; James Annesley/Lord Altham

Folder 17/5/119 – Correspondence
**Martin to McFarland**, 15 letters, 1876-1923.
Includes the following:
- **Martin, T.C.**, 1 letter, 1883 (from Scott Haven, PA) to Gilbert Cope
- **Mason, Fannie**, 2 letter, 1877 (from Bonville) to “sister”
- **Mathews, James**, 1 letter, 1883 (from Pittsburgh, PA) to Gilbert Cope
- **Matlack, J.B.**, 1 letter, 1876 (from Cincinnati) to Gilbert Cope
- **McAfee, J.R.**, 2 letter, 1879, 1881 (from Office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, Harrisburgh, PA) to Gilbert Cope
- **McCarty, Charles B.**, 2 letters, 1893 (from Milford, PA) to Howard W. Gilbert
- **McClellan, Henry C.M.**, 1 letter, 1896 (from Parkesburg, PA) to Gilbert Cope
- **McClellan, Wm.**, 1 letter, 1882 (from East Downingtown, PA) to Gilbert Cope
- **McDowell, William**, 1 letter, 1880 (from Elkview) to Gilbert Cope
- **McFarland, Gertrude**, 2 letters, 1922-1923 (from National Society of the Sons and Daughters of the Pilgrims, Meadowbrook, PA) to Gilbert Cope
- **McFarland, Wm. D.**, 1 letter, 1881 (from Downingtown. PA) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 18/5/119 – Correspondence
**McGrew, Anna**, 6 letters, n.d.
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Bryn Mawr; Adena, OH; Ontario, Canada; Mt. Vernon, OH
Topics include: family news; being in a sanitarium for tuberculosis (T.B.)

Folder 19/5/119 – Correspondence
**McGrew, Elizabeth**, 16 letters, 1871-1894, 1910, 1918
To: “Cousins Gilbert and Anna [Cope]”
From: Cedar Shade; Smithfield; Harrisville; Pleasant Grove, OH; Adena, OH
Topics include: family news and health

Folder 20/5/119 – Correspondence
To: “Cousin G[ilbert Cope]”
From: Cedar Shade; Smithfield, OH;

Folder 21/5/119 – Correspondence
**McGrew, G. to McGrew, J.**, 4 letters, 1878-1918
Topics include:
  - **McGrew, Gilbert**, 3 letters, 1878, 1900, 1918 (from Smithfield, OH; Harrisville; Adena, OH) to Gilbert Cope
  - **McGrew, James**, 1 letter, 1871 (from Smithfield, OH) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 22/5/119 – Correspondence
**McMillan, Smith B.**, 12 letters, 1872-September 1876
To: Gilbert Cope
From: East Fairfield, OH;
Topics include: farming; intellectual life; genealogical research; family news and health

Folder 23/5/119 – Correspondence
**McMillan, Smith B.**, 11 letters, 1876-1880
To: Gilbert Cope
From: East Fairfield, OH; Philadelphia; Pittsburgh

BOX 6—Series I  **Cope Correspondence, by author**

Folder 1/6/119 – Correspondence
**McMinn to Meehan**, 17 letters, 1877-1894
Includes the following:
  - **McMinn, Herman S.**, 3 letters, 1877, 1883 (from DuBois, PA; Kent Portage Co., OH) to Gilbert Cope
  - **McPherson, Edward**, 1 letter, 1892 (from Republican Congressional Committee, Washington DC) to Howard W. Gilbert
  - **Meehan, Thomas**, 12 letter, 1893-1894 (from Germantown, Philadelphia, PA) to Howard W. Gilbert; Topics include: publication of H.W. Gilbert’s poetry in “Meehans’ Monthly”
  - **Mercer, Mary O.**, 1 letter, 1910 (from Lincoln University, PA) to “Uncle Gilbert”
  - **Michener, E.**, 1 letter, 1877 (from Toughkenamon) to J.W. Harvey
Folder 2/6/119 – Correspondence
**Middleton to Miller**, 17 letters, 1875-1917
Includes the following:
- **Middleton, Joseph S.**, 1 letter, 1906 (from Crasswick, NJ) to Gilbert Cope
- **Mifflin, Geo. B.**, 1 letter, 1894 (from Wayne, PA) to “Mr. [Howard W.] Gilbert
- **Mifflin, Houston**, 2 letters, 1887-1888 (from Columbia) to “Mr. [Howard W.] Gilbert
- **Miller, C.B.**, 1 letter, 1877 (from Media) to Gilbert Cope
- **Miller, C.**, 4 letters, 1917 to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: opposition to the war
- **Miller, Clara B.**, 1 letter, 1875 (from Media) to Gilbert Cope
- **Miller, Issac L.**, 1 letter, 1875 (from Media) to Gilbert Cope
- **Miller, Mary G.**, 1 letter, 1918 (from Wilmington Monthly Meeting, DE) to Gilbert Cope
- **Miller, Sarah L.**, 4 letters, 1877-1874 (from Media) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 3/6/119 – Correspondence
**Moffat to Montgomery**, 17 letters, 1872-1900
Includes the following:
- **Moffat, J.D.**, 4 letters, 1896, 1900 (from Washington and Jefferson College, PA) to Gilbert Cope
- **Mollison, A.**, 2 letters, 1880, 1889 (from Philadelphia) to “Auntie”; “Mother”
- **Mollison, George**, 1 letter, 1890 (from Philadelphia) to “Aunt”
- **Mollison, Mary**, 1 letter, 1872 (from Philadelphia) to “Aunt and Uncle”
- **Monks, Elizabeth C.**, 2 letters, 1898 (from Unionville) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: employment
- **Montgomery, Betta**, 1 letter, 1879 (from Philadelphia) to “Aunty”
- **Montgomery, Catherine A.**, 6 letters, 1889-1892 (from Chambersburg) to “Aunt Martha”; Topics include: death of Betta Montgomery; death of “mother”

Folder 4/6/119 – Correspondence
**Montgomery, John, M.D.**, 18 letters, 1872-1881, 1887-1893
To: “Aunt Martha”; “Uncle William”
From: Chambersburg
Topics include: family news and health; mentions the Centennial Exhibition (1876); debt

Folder 5/6/119 – Correspondence
**Montgomery, Margareta**, 19 letters, n.d. [circa late 19th century]
To: “sister”; “brother”; “nephew”
From: Chambersburg, [PA]; Delaware

Folder 6/6/119 – Correspondence
Montgomery, Margareta, 9 letters, 1872-1888, n.d.
To: “aunt”; “mama and papa”; “sister”; “brother”
From: Chambersburg

Folder 7/6/119 – Correspondence
Montgomery, Mo. To Montgomery, T.
Topics include:
Montgomery, Morton L., 5 letters, 1893, 1900, 1906 (from Reading, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Montgomery, P.B., M.D., 4 letters, 1889, n.d. (from Chambersburg, PA) to “Auntie”; Topics include: death of his daughter
Montgomery, Thomas L., 2 letters, 1912, 1921 (Pennsylvania State Library, Harrisburg) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 8/6/119 – Correspondence
Moon to Moore, 21 letters, 1875-1922
Topics include:
Moon, J. Edward, 1 letter, 1902 (from Morrisville) to Gilbert Cope
Moon, Robert C., M.D., 1 letter, 1899 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
Mooney, W.M., 1 letter, 1922 (from Post Office Department, Washington DC) to Gilbert Cope
Moore, Jeanine R.B., 15 letters, 1906-1910 (from Newtown, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: photographs of meeting houses
Moore, Thomas, 3 letters, 1875-1877 (from Moores Station) to Gilbert Cope, Samuel Gilbert; Topics include: coal business; mining

Folder 9/6/119 – Correspondence
Morgan to Newman, 20 items, 1854-1925
Topics include:
Morgan, George T., 5 letters, 1895-1896 (from United States Mint, Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: Gilbert Medal
Moulton, C.W., 2 letters, 1885 (from Buffalo, NY) to Howard W. Gilbert
Mountz, Mary Teeters, 1 letter, 1925 (from Garrett, IN) to Gilbert Cope
Mudge, Lewis W., 1 letter, 1906 (from East Downingtown, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Munro, Katherine Craig, 1 letter, 1913 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
Nead, Benjamin M., 2 letters, 1881, 1914 (from Harrisburg, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Nearing, Scott, 1 letter, 1 pamphlet, 1922 (from New York City) to “friend”; Note: pamphlet for book titled The Next Step; typed letter signed by author
Neil, Jonathan, 2 letter, 1872-1874 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
Nelson, Thomas Forsythe, 1 letter, 1912 (from Washington DC) to Gilbert Cope
Nesbit, H.W., 1 letter, 1921 (from Plymouth, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Newman, Edward, 2 letters, 1854 (from London, England) to Howard W. Gilbert
Norris, Hubert, 1 letter, 1892 (Cape May, NJ) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 10/6/119 – Correspondence
Oberholtzer, Sara Louisa, 5 letters, 1880, 1912
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Cambria Station, PA; Philadelphia
Topics include: Pikeland Township; Lewis family; Vickers family; brief autobiography

Folder 11/6/119 – Correspondence
Ogilvie to Palmer H., 16 letters, 1874-1917
Includes the following:
Ogilvie, Sarah E., 1 letter, 1881 (Mount Hope, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Owens, Mary G., 3 letters, 1893-1894 (Lancaster; Manayunk) to “Cousin Howard” [Gilbert]
Painter, Jacob, 3 letters, 1874 (Lima, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Painter, M., 6 letters, 1871-1873 to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: genealogical and historical research
Palmer, Harry, 3 letters, 1906, 1917 (from Philadelphia) to “Uncle Gilbert” Cope

Folder 12/6/119 – Correspondence
Palmer, L. to Parvin, M.S., 22 letters, 1875-1922
Topics include:
Palmer, Lewis, 9 letter, 1874-1879, 1911 (from Concordville, PA) to Gilbert Cope; genealogical and historical research in Concord
Palmer, Mark, 4 letters, 1901-1902 (from Newtown) to Gilbert Cope
Partenheimer, M.C., 2 letter, 1902 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
Parke, Mary Bacon, 1 letter, 1895 (from Downingtown, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Parker, Mary E., 1 letter, 1882 (from Hamorton, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Parvin, M.S., 5 letter, 1893 (from E. Berkley, PA) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 13/6/119 – Correspondence
Paschall, S. Edward, 19 letters, 1900-May 1901
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Philadelphia
Topics include: business; publication, marketing and distribution of Cope’s Ancestral Chart; Advertising; copyright agreement

Folder 14/6/119 – Correspondence
Paschall, S. Edward, 18 letters, July 1901-1902
Note: Letterhead includes advertising for Cope’s Ancestral Chart
To: Gilbert Cope
From: AIM Publishing Company, Philadelphia
Topics include: business; dispute over Cope’s Ancestral Chart; advertising; publication, marketing and distribution of Cope’s Ancestral Chart

Folder 15/6/119 – Correspondence
Note: Includes a circular for advertising catalogues
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Philadelphia; Chico, WA;
Topics include: termination of contract to publish Ancestral Chart; reconciliation

Folder 16/6/119 – Correspondence
**Passmore, J.L.**, 6 letters, 1896-1901, 1919
To: Gilbert Cope; “Uncle and Aunt” [Gilbert and Anna Cope]
From: Chatham (PA)
Topics include: family news and health

Folder 17/6/119 – Correspondence
**Passmore, J.W.**, 9 letters, 1890-1902
To: “Uncle” [Gilbert Cope]; “Aunt” [Anna Cope]
From: Chatham, PA
Topics include: mortgage; photographs

Folder 18/6/119 – Correspondence
**Passmore, R.H.**, 1 letter, 1893
To: Gilbert Cope
From: [?]

Folder 19/6/119 – Correspondence
**Passmore, B. to Passmore, H.**, 9 letters, 1871-1919
Includes the following:
- **Passmore, Benjamin W.**, 3 letters, 1876, 1880, 1892 (from Westtown; Ogontz) to Gilbert Cope
- **Passmore, Ellen (Cope)**, 4 letters, 1871-1874 (from Willow Vale) to Gilbert Cope
- **Passmore, George**, 1 letter, 1875 (from New York) to Gilbert Cope
- **Passmore, Hannah**, 1 letter, 1919 (from West Grove, PA) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 19A/6/119 – Correspondence
**Passmore, John A.M.**, 16 letters, 1876-1902
Note: Includes a circular related to a questionnaire for the Passmore genealogy
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Pottsville, PA; Philadelphia, PA
Topics include: genealogical research

Folder 19B/6/119 – Correspondence
**Passmore, Jos. to Passmore, L.**, 11 letters,
Includes the following:
- **Passmore, Joseph**, 2 letters, 1872, 1875 (from Goshenville) to Gilbert Cope
- **Passmore, Lewis**, 8 letters, 1871-1883 (from Willow Vale) to “brother”

Folder 20/6/119 – Correspondence
**Patrick to Pennypacker, C.**, 20 letters, 1871-1917
Includes the following:
- **Patrick, W.D.**, 1 letter, 1892 (from Woodstown, NJ) to “Mr. [Howard] Gilbert
- **Paxson, Henry D.**, 2 letter, 1914 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- **Peacock, Victoria G.**, 2 letter, 1903 (from Washington DC) to Gilbert Cope
- **Peirce, James**, 1 letter, 1871 (from West Bradford) to Gilbert Cope
- **Pemberton, H., Jr.**, 1 letter, 1903 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- **Pemberton, Anna Mary**, 2 letter, 1904 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- **Pennell, Hanna S.**, 1 letter, 1902 (Wawa, PA) to “friend”
- **Penney, Norman**, 3 letters, 1910, 1917 (Friends’ Reference Library, London) to Gilbert Cope
- **Pennock, Edward A.**, 5 letters, 1906-1915 (Chatham, PA) to Gilbert Cope;
  Topics include: London Grove; photographs
- **Pennypacker, Charles H.**, 2 letters, 1909 (West Chester, PA) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 21/6/119 – Correspondence
**Pennypacker, S. to Perkins, G.H., Jr.**, 17 letters, 1873-1904
Topics include:
- **Pennypacker, Samuel W.**, 6 letters, 1878-1881, 1900-1904 (from Philadelphia; Harrisburg) to Gilbert Cope, Henry S. Dotterer; Note: Includes a circular for the book *The Perkiomen Region: Past and Present*
- **Penrose, Boris**, 1 letter, 1904 (from United States Senate, Washington DC) to Gilbert Cope
- **Perkins, Emily R.**, 6 letters, 1873, 1893-1894, n.d. (from Dingman’s Ferry, PA; Long Island, NY) to Gilbert Cope
- **Perkins, G.H., Jr.**, 4 letters, 1892, 1893 (from Collegeville, PA; Philadelphia) to “Mr. [Howard] Gilbert”; Topics include: politics; attending college in Philadelphia
BOX 7—Series I  Cope Correspondence, by author

Folder 1/7/119 – Correspondence
Philips to Potter, 7 letters, 1874-1918
Topics include:
- Philips, Geo. Morris, 2 letters, 1913, 1918 (from West Chester) to Gilbert Cope
- Philips, Lewis, 1 letter, 1887 to Gilbert Cope
- Phillimore, W.P.W., 1 letter, 1912 (from London) to Gilbert Cope
- Phillips, James M., 1 letter, 1874 (from Avondale, PA) to Gilbert Cope
- Potter, James W., 2 letters, 1912 (from Pittsburgh, PA) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 2/7/119 – Correspondence
Potts, Thomas Maxwell, 18 letters, 1875-1896
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Canonsburg Herald, PA
Topics include: genealogical and historical research; publishing; books

Folder 3/7/119 – Correspondence
Potts, Thomas Maxwell, 8 letters, 1897-1904
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Canonsburg, PA
Topics include: genealogical and historical research

Folder 4/7/119 – Correspondence
Potts, W. to Quaritch, 18 letters, 1879-1924
Includes the following:
- Potts, William John, 2 letters, 1879 (from Camden, NJ) to Gilbert Cope
- Preston, Howard, 1 letter, 1881 (from Oxford) to Gilbert Cope
- Preston, L.C., 1 letter, 1893 (from Centremoreland, PA) to Howard W. Gilbert
  Topics include: boarding
- Purdue, G.C., 1 letter, 1924 (from Kansas City, MO) to Gilbert Cope
- Pusey, Philip C., 1 letter, 1918 (from Avondale) to Walter Cope
- Pyle, Robert, 9 letter, 1909, 1917-1918 (from West Grove, PA; West Chester, PA);
  Topics include: Quaker records
- Pyle, Sallie C., 1 letter, 1899 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- Quaritch, Bernard, 2 letters, 1888 (from London, England) to [Howard W. Gilbert]

Folder 5/7/119 – Correspondence
Quimby to Rhoads, 11 letters, 1871-1918
Includes the following:

**Quimby, Mary A.**, 3 letters, 1918 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
**Quincy, Edmond**, 1 letter, 1871 (from Bankside[?]) to Howard W. Gilbert
**Quincy, Josiah**, 1 letter, 1877 (from Boston) to Howard W. Gilbert
**Randolph, Joseph J.**, 1 letter, 1902 (from Des Moines, Iowa) to Gilbert Cope
**Reed, [?]**, 1 letter, 1880 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
**Reese, Gerard H.**, 1 letter, 1877 (from Baltimore) to Gilbert Cope
**Rhoads, Jonathan E.**, 1 letter, 1899 (from Wilmington, DE) to Gilbert and Anna Cope
**Rhoads, Joseph**, 2 letter, 1903, 1918 (from Philadelphia; Moylan) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 6/7/119 – Correspondence

**Rich, Susanna**, 20 letters, 1900-1909
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Woodbourne, PA
Topics include: Quaker records

Folder 7/7/119 – Correspondence

**Richards to Robinson**, 20 letters, 1880-1923
Includes the following:

**Richards, H.M.M.**, 1 letter, 1911 (from Lebanon, PA) to Gilbert Cope
**Richardson, Wm. S.**, 1 letter, 1923 (from Boston, MA) to Gilbert Cope
**Ridgway, E.**, 2 letters, 1881 (from West Chester; Glenolden) to Gilbert Cope
**Roberts, Charles R.**, 2 letters 1896, 1911 (from Philadelphia; Allentown) to Gilbert Cope
**Roberts, Ellwood**, 6 letters, 1899-1911 (from Historical Society of Montgomery County, PA) to Gilbert Cope
**Roberts, Emma D.**, 2 letters, 1916 (from Germantown) to Gilbert Cope
**Roberts, Mercy Anna**, 1 letter, 1880 (from West Chester) to Gilbert and Anna Cope
**Roberts, Miranda S.**, 1 letter, 1917 (from Newtown) to “friends”
**Robinson, E.R.**, 4 letters, 1905-1906, 1911, (from Wilmington, DE) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 8/7/119 – Correspondence

**Rogers to Satterthwaite**, 12 letters, 1880-1918
Includes the following:

**Rogers, Ellen B.**, 1 letter, 1916 (from Dansville, NY) to “uncle”
**Rothrock, J.T., M.D.**, 1 letter, 1918 (from West Chester, PA) to Gilbert Cope;
Topics include: sympathy for the death of Gilbert Cope’s wife
**Rutter, Charles**, 1 letter, 1880 (from Pottstown, PA) to Gilbert Cope
**Sachse, Julius F.**, 4 letters, 1907-1911 (from Philadelphia, PA) to Gilbert Cope: Topics include: Lancaster Road
**Sandidge, W.E.**, 1 letter, 1909 (from Amherst, VA) to Gilbert Cope
**Satterthwaite, Amos**, 5 letter, 1895-1909 (from Langhorne, PA) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 9/7/119 – Correspondence
**Scattergood, Geo. J.**, 20 letters, 1878-1898
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Philadelphia
Topics include: historical and genealogical research

Folder 10/7/119 – Correspondence
**Scattergood, Geo. J.**, 11 letters, 1899-1910
To: Gilbert Cope
From: Philadelphia
Topics include: historical and genealogical research

Folder 11/7/119 – Correspondence
**Scattergood, W. to Sharp**, 13 letters, 1879-1914
Includes the following:
  **Scattergood, William**, 1 letter, 1879 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
  **Scott, Charles P.G.**, 1 letter, 1914 (from New York) to Gilbert Cope
  **Scott, D.J.**, 4 letters, 1879-1882 (from West Chester) to Gilbert Cope
  **Sea, Andrew M.**, 2 letters, 1905 (from Louisville, KY) to Gilbert Cope
  **Seal, Wm. T.**, 1 letter, 1882 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
  **Sergeant, J. Dickinson**, 2 letters, 1876 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
  **Shafer, Wm. T.**, 1 letter, 1880 (from Cambria Station) to J. Smith Futhey
  **Sharp, Issac**, 1 letter, 1907 (from Central Office of the Society of Friends, London) to Francis Godlee; Note: letter of introduction for Gilbert Cope

Folder 12/7/119 – Correspondence
**Sharpless, Annie to Sharpless, Lily**, 16 letters, 1871-1919
Includes the following:
  **Sharpless, Annie**, 1 letter, 1917 to Ellen [Cope]
  **Sharpless, Caroline**, 1 letter, 1919 (from Westbury, NJ) to “cousin”
  **Sharpless, Helen**, 1 letter, 1903 (from Library of Congress) to “Uncle [Howard] Gilbert”
  **Sharpless, Issac**, 4 letters, 1879, 1904-1906 (from Haverford College) to Gilbert Cope
  **Sharpless, Lily (Cope)**, 9 letters, 1871-1882 (from Philadelphia, PA; Haverford
Folder 13/7/119 – Correspondence
**Sharpless, Lydia C.**, 9 letters, 1903, 1910, 1917
From: Haverford
To: “Uncle Gilbert” [Cope]

Folder 14/7/119 – Correspondence
**Shelmire, Lucy (Cope)**, 9 letters, 1871
From: Toughkenamon
To: “Uncle” [Gilbert Cope]
Topics include: boarding school

Folder 15/7/119 – Correspondence
**Shelmire, Lucy (Cope)**, 22 letters, 1872
From: Toughkenamon; South Hadley, MA; Mount Holyoke Seminary
To: “Uncle” [Gilbert Cope]
Topics include: boarding school; life at Mt. Holyoke

Folder 16/7/119 – Correspondence
**Shelmire, Lucy (Cope)**, 23 letters, 1873-1874
From: Mount Holyoke Seminary; Toughkenamon; South Hadley, MA; Newport, RI
To: “Uncle” [Gilbert Cope]
Topics include: life at Mt. Holyoke

Folder 17/7/119 – Correspondence
**Shelmire, Lucy (Cope)**, 20 letters, 1875-1877
From: South Hadley; Toughkenamon; Bradford, VT; Thompsonville, CT;
To: “Uncle” [Gilbert Cope]

Folder 18/7/119 – Correspondence
**Shelmire, Lucy (Cope)**, 17 letters, 1878-1882
From: Toughkenamon
To: “Uncle” [Gilbert Cope]
Topics include: teaching; marriage

Folder 19/7/119 – Correspondence
**Shelmire, Lucy (Cope)**, 10 letters, 1883, 1898-1903, 1917-1919
From: Toughkenamon; Philadelphia
To: “Uncle” [Gilbert Cope]
Folder 20/7/119 – Correspondence
**Shipley to Skeen**, 10 letters, 1875-1900
Includes the following:
- **Shipley, Samuel**, 1 letter, 1900 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- **Shortlidge, J. Chauncey**, 1 letter (from Darling, PA) to “Those interested in the Proposed Community Meeting at Centre Meeting Delaware” [on disarmament]
- **Sibley, Joseph**, 1 letter, 1904 (from House of Representatives, Washington DC) to Gilbert Cope
- **Skean, B.F.**, 1 letter, 1875 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- **Skeen, John**, 1 letter, 1875 (from Easton) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 21/7/119 – Correspondence
**Smedley, D. to Smedley, William**, 17 letters, 1877-1924
Includes the following:
- **Smedley, D.C.**, 1 letter, 1880 (from Bryn Mawr) to “Gilbert and Anna” [Cope]
- **Smedley, E.M.**, 1 letter, 1924 (from West Chester) to Gilbert Cope
- **Smedley, Anna Hoopes**, 1 letter, 1902 (from West Chester) to Gilbert and Anna Cope
- **Smedley, Caroline**, 1 letter[partial], 1925 to [?]
- **Smedley, Ellwood**, 1 letter, 1896 (from Willistown) to Gilbert Cope
- **Smedley, George L.**, 2 letters, 1894, 1900 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- **Smedley, Lauretta**, 1 letter, 1902 (from Willistown Inn, PA) to “cousin”
- **Smedley, [Lewis]**, 1 letter, 1903 (from Willistown Inn, PA) to Gilbert Cope
- **Smedley, Samuel**, 7 letters, 1879-1882 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- **Smedley, Wm.**, 1 letter, 1877 (from Bryn Mawr) to Gilbert Cope

**BOX 8—Series I**

**Cope Correspondence, by author**

Folder 1/8/119 – Correspondence
**Smith, E. to Smith, Benjamin**, 14 letters, 1876-1882
Includes the following:
- **Smith, E.**, 1 letter, 1882 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- **Smith, F.B.**, 1 letter, 1881 (from West Chester) to Gilbert Cope
- **Smith, G.G.**, 2 letters, 1876-1877 (from [Castleton]) to Gilbert Cope
- **Smith, J.J.**, 1 letter, 1880 (from Cochranville) to Gilbert Cope
- **Smith, Benjamin**, 9 letters, 1878-1881 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 2/8/119 – Correspondence
**Smith, George**, 22 letters, 1874-1881
From: Upper Darby
To: Jacob Painter; Gilbert Cope
Topics include: travel to Florida; genealogical and historical research; Delaware County

Folder 3/8/119 – Correspondence

**Smith, H. to Steen**, 18 letters, 1873-1916
Includes the following:
- Smith, Henry, 4 letters, 1873 (from Essex Center) to Gilbert Cope
- Snyder, Jessie M., 1 letter 1918 to Gilbert Cope
- Spaid, A.R., 1 letter, 1904 (from Wilmington, DE) to Gilbert Cope
- Speight, Harry, 1 letter, 1913 (from Bingley, Yorks) to [Gilbert Cope]
- Spenser, Willard, 6 letters, 1891-1893 (from Philadelphia; Asbury Park) to H.W. Gilbert
- Squibb, C., 2 letter, 1883 (from Brooklyn) to Gilbert Cope
- Spofford, Ainsworth R., 2 letters, 1899, 1893 (from Washington, DC; Los Angeles, CA) to Gilbert Cope; H.W. Gilbert
- Spurgeon, John J., 1 letter, 1916 (from *Public Ledger*, Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- Steen, James, 1 letter, 1897 (from Eatontown, NJ) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 4/8/119 – Correspondence

**Steer to Stiles**, 15 letters, 1879-1909
Includes the following:
- Steer, A. G., 1 letter, 1899 (from Westtown, PA) to Gilbert Cope
- Steer, Ellen G., 6 letters, 1879, 1897-1898 (from Colerain, OH) to Gilbert Cope
- Steer, Wilmer, 1 letter, 1909 (from Steubenville, OH) to Gilbert Cope
- Stern, Cyrus, 4 letters, 1879-1885 (from Wilmington, DE) to Gilbert Cope
- Stiles, Henry R., M.D., 3 letters, 1873 (from Middletown, NY) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 5/8/119 – Correspondence

**Stone to Swayne**, 16 letters, 1880-1905
Includes the following:
- Stone, F.D., 6 letters, 1880-1882 (from Historical Society of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- Stubbs, Charles, 1 letter, 1882 (from Wakefield, PA) to Gilbert Cope
- Stubbs, Martha P., 1 letter, 1881 (from Oxford) to Gilbert Cope
- Swank, James M., 5 letters, 1881 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
- Swayne, W. Marshall, 3 letter, 1905 (from Kennett Square, PA) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 6/8/119 – Correspondence

**Taggart to Taylor, Ann**, 4 letters, 1876-1912
Includes the following:
Taggart, C., 1 letter, 1876 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
Tatnall, E.B., 1 letter, 1912 (from Wilmington, DE) to Gilbert Cope
Taylor, Ann, 2 letters, 1895 (from Marion, OH) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 7/8/119 – Correspondence
Taylor, William P., 12 letters, 1891-1894
Note: Includes circular for two books by Lloyd Mifflin
From: Wilmington, DE; Woodstown, NJ; San Francisco, CA; Los Angeles, CA
Newhall, CA
To: Gilbert Cope; Howard W. Gilbert
Topics include: literary issues; observations and experiences in California; Chicago Exposition (1893); Radical Quakers

Folder 8/8/119 – Correspondence
Taylor, William P., 15 letters, 1894-1898
From: Elkton, MD; Passaic, NJ
To: Gilbert Cope
Topics include: books; publications; poetry

Folder 9/8/119 – Correspondence
Thomas to Townsend, 14 letters, 1881-1904
Includes the following:
Thomas, W.H.B., 3 letter, 1883 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
Thomas, R.P., 1 letter, 1882 (from N.B.) to Gilbert Cope
Thomas, S.M., 1 letter, 1882 (from New Brighton, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Thomas, Walter S., 2 letter, 1902 (Colerain, OH) to Gilbert Cope
Thwaites, Reuben G., 1 letter, 1900 (from Madison, WI) to Gilbert Cope; Note: typewritten form letter, signed by author
Tolman, Wm. H., 1 letter, 1904 (from American Institute of Social Services, Washington DC) to Gilbert Cope
Tomlinson, Mary E., 1 letter, 1893 to “esteemed cousin”
Townsend, [?], 3 letters, 1881-1883, 1898 (from Bryn Mawr) to Gilbert Cope, Anna Cope
Townsend, A.M., 1 letter, 1893 (from West Chester) to [?]

Folder 10/8/119 – Correspondence
Trimble to Vaux, 27 letters, 1872-1922
Includes the following:
Trimble, E.J., 2 letters, 1881 (from West Chester, PA) to Gilbert Cope; Topics include: Garrett family
Trimble, James, 7 letters, 1876 (from Fairville, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Turner, Eliza, 1 letter, 1872 (from Chadd’s Ford, PA) to Howard W. Gilbert
Tyler, J.J., 3 letters, 1876 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
Utley, George B., 1 letter, 1923 (from The Newberry Library, Chicago) to Gilbert Cope
Vail, Hugh D., 2 letters, 1876-1877 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
Van Sant, Belle, 1 letter, 1907 (from West Chester, PA) to Herman Cope
Vandegrift, Madeline Kerns, 1 letter, 1918 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
Vaux, George, 3 letters, 1904-1905 (from Bryn Mawr, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Virkus, Frederick A., 1 letter, 1922 (from Chicago) to Gilbert Cope
Voorhees, W.E., 2 letters, 1915, 1920 (from Kennett Square, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Votaw, A.H., 3 letters, 1904 (from Washington DC) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 11/8/119 – Correspondence
Wagenseller to Walter, 23 letters, 1877-1903
Includes the following:
Wagenseller, Bertha, 2 letters, n.d. to “aunt and uncle”
Wagenseller, John, 1 letter, 1877 to Wm. McCaraken
Wallace, Preston W., 9 letters, 1892-1893 (from Woodstown, NJ) to “Mr. [Howard W.] Gilbert”
Walsh, Stevenson H., 2 letters, 1896, 1903 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope
Walter, Emma, 9 letters, 1883 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 12/8/119 – Correspondence
Walter to Whitacre, 14 letters, 1872-1918
Includes the following:
Walter, T.S., 2 letter, 1872, 1874 (from Chester, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Wanger, George F., 1 letter, 1880 (from Pottstown High School, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Ware, Cora, 3 letter, 1892-1894 (from Woodstown, NJ) to “Mr. [Howard W.] Gilbert”
Warfield, E.D., 4 letters, 1896 (from Lafayette College, Easton, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Warrington, T.F., 1 letter, 1910 to Gilbert Cope
Watson, M., 1 letter, 1875 (from Attleboro) to Gilbert Cope
Watson, Harry W., 2 letters, 1875 (from Attleboro, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Watt, James C., 1 letter, 1918 (from N. Haddonfield, NJ) to Gilbert Cope
Whitacre, Edith, 1 letter, 1903 (from Atlantic City) to “friends”

Folder 13/8/119 – Correspondence
**Wickersham**, 18 letters, 1881-1915
Includes the following:
- **Wickersham, C.P.**, 1 letter, 1881 (?) (from Kennett Square) to Gilbert Cope
- **Wickersham, J.P.**, 2 letters, 1881 (from Harrisburg) to Gilbert Cope
- **Wickersham, J. Harold**, 5 letters, 1900, 1908-1915 (from Lancaster, PA) to Gilbert Cope
- **Wickersham, Wm. F.**, 10 letters, 1901-1910, (from Westtown; Kennett Square) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 14/8/119 – Correspondence

**Wilkinson to Woodward, Chas.**, 19 letters, 1872-1920
Includes the following:
- **Wilkinson, Samuel**, 1 letter, 1872 (from Unionville) to Gilbert Cope
- **Williams, Cathryne A.**, 2 letters, 1918 (from West Chester) to Gilbert Cope
- **Williams, Francis Howard**, 1 letter, 1906 (from Historical Society of Pennsylvania, PA) to Gilbert Cope
- **Williams, W.R.**, 1 letter, 1920 (from Hawley, PA) to Gilbert Cope
- **Willits, John G.**, 1 letter, 1878 (from Haddonfield, NJ) to Gilbert Cope
- **Wilson, W.A.**, 2 letters, 1882 (from Lancaster, PA) to Howard W. Gilbert
- **Wilson, W.R.**, 1 letter, 1909 (from British Museum, London) to Gilbert Cope
- **Wistar, Josiah**, 3 letters, 1901 (from Salem, NJ) to Gilbert Cope
- **Wood, T.**, 1 letter, 1879 (from Doe Run) to Gilbert Cope
- **Wood, James**, 1 letter, 1882 (from Kirks Mills) to Gilbert Cope
- **Woodward, R.S.**, 1 letter, 1901 (from New York) to Gilbert Cope
- **Woodward, Charles L.**, 4 letters, 1877-1878 (from New York) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 15/8/119 – Correspondence

**Woodward, H. to Wright**, 1877-1923
Includes the following:
- **Woodward, Hannah A.**, 2 letters, 1888 (from Marshalton) to [?]
- **Woolman, C.**, 1 letter, 1892 (from Woodstown) to “friend”
- **Wright, Edwin**, 1 letter, 1903 (from Columbus, NJ) to Gilbert Cope
- **Wright, Ethel**, 1 letter, 1903 (from Mendenhall, PA) to Gilbert Cope
- **Wright, Frank**, 1 letter, 1893 (from Woodstown, NJ) to Howard W. Gilbert
- **Wright, Isaac J.**, 2 letter, 1877-1879 (from Bendersville, PA) to Gilbert Cope
- **Wright, Hiram S.**, 1 letter, 1877 (from Flora Dale, PA) to Gilbert Cope
- **Wright, Mary**, 1 letter, 1879 (from Flora Dale, PA) to Gilbert Cope

Folder 16/8/119 – Correspondence

**Yarnall to Willits**, 1872-1920
Includes the following:
Yarnall, D. Robert, 1 letter, 1904 (from Newark, NJ) to Gilbert Cope
Yarnall, Owen W., 1 letter, 1880 (from Media, PA) to Gilbert Cope
Yarnall, William S., 1 letter, 1923 (from Philadelphia) to [?]
Young, George Carothers, 5 letters, 1893-1894 (from Salt Lake City, UT) to Howard W. Gilbert
Zell, T. Ellwood, 4 letters, 1871-1874 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope; Note: Includes printed supplement to Zell’s Encyclopaedia
Zirk, [?], 1 letter, 1899 (from Philadelphia) to Gilbert Cope

**BOX 8A—Series I**  **Cope Correspondence**

Note: The following includes correspondence from the Cope collection identified by author initials and/or partial name. Also includes letters with unidentified authors and letters with missing page(s).

Folder 1/8A/119 – Correspondence
**“Alice” to “Ethel”** 11 letters, 1871-1919
Includes the following:
- “Alice” 1 letter, 1906 (from Glenside) to “cousin Gilbert and Anna” [Cope]
- “Alice A.B.” 1 letter, 1905 (from Pocono Manor, PA) to “Uncle and Aunt”
- “Anna” 1 letter, 1905 (from Steam Ship, Haverford) to “Cousins”
- “cousin Carrie” 1 letter, 1871 (from West Chester) to “Cousin”
- “Ethel” 7 letters, 1917-1919 (from London; New Cross) “Uncle Gilbert” [Cope]

Folder 2/8A/119 – Correspondence
**“Gulia” to “Howard”** 19 letters, 1871-1916
Includes the following:
- “Gulia” 5 letters, 1871-1873 (from Flushing) to “cousin” Gilbert Cope
- “sister H.H.” 2 letters, 1915-1916 (from Brookline, MA) to “Anna and Sister Rachel”
- “Hannah” 4 letters, 1877-1881 (from Philadelphia) to “Bertie”, Mrs. Mollison
- “Howard” 8 letters, 1893-1894 (from Philadelphia) to “Howard” [Gilbert]

Folder 3/8A/119 – Correspondence
**“Sister Jane” to “Nellie”**, 20 letters, 1854-1919
Includes the following:
- “sister Jane” 4 letters, 1894-1910 (from Ocean City, NJ) to “Sister A.”
- “cousin Jane” 3 letters, 1879-1880 to “cousin Gilbert” [Cope]
- “Jonathan” 1 letter, 1903 to “uncle” Gilbert Cope
- [“Letitia”] 1 letter, 1854 (from Sugartown) to “cousin Anna and Mary”
- “Lillie” 1 letter, 1876 (from Cedar Shade) to “cousin G.” [Gilbert Cope]
“Lloyd” 1 letter, 1874 (from Norwood) to “dear friend”
“Lucy C.P.” 1 letter, 1911 (from Oak Lane) to “aunt Anna”
“cousin Mary G.” 1 letter, 1871 (from Clover Hill) to “cousin G.” [Gilbert Cope]
“Nellie” 7 letters, 1910-1919 (from Media; Cape May, NJ) to “father and mother”; “father and Ellen”

Folder 4/8A/119 – Correspondence
“Sister R.” to “Sallie J.” 14 letters, 1875-1911
Includes the following:
“sister R.” 2 letters, 1882, 1911 (from Philadelphia) to “my dear sister”
“Rachel” 1 letter, 1875 to “cousin”
“sister S.” 3 letters, 1904 to “brother”; “sister”; Gilbert [Cope]
“sister S.S.Y.” 4 letters, 1900-1901 (from Avalon, NJ) to “sister”; “brother”
“Sallie J.” 4 letters, 1872-1873 (from Baltimore, MD; Evansville, IN) to “cousin Gilbert”

Folder 5/8A/119 – Correspondence
“Torrey” to “Will”
Includes the following:
“Torrey” 7 letters, 1892-1893 (from Lima, OH) to “Uncle Howard” [Gilbert]
“Will” 1 letter, 1891 (from Harrisburg, PA) to Howard [Gilbert]

Folder 6/8A/119 – Correspondence
Letters to aunt Anna G. Cope, unidentified author
7 letters, 1884, 1894-1899, 1908, 1914

Folder 7/8A/119 – Correspondence
unidentified author
19 letters, 1847, 1854-1877

Folder 8/8A/119 – Correspondence
unidentified author
28 letters, 1878-1892

Folder 9/8A/119 – Correspondence
unidentified author
18 letters, 1893-1899

Folder 10/8A/119 – Correspondence
unidentified author
24 letters, 1902-1919
Folder 11/8A/119 – Correspondence
unidentified author
12 letters, 1920-1923, n.d.

Folder 12/8A/119 – Correspondence
incomplete letters, page(s) missing
7 sheets

Box 9–Series II  Cope Correspondence Sorted by Subject

Folder 1/9/119 – Correspondence
Letters to Gilbert Cope requesting ancestral charts
18 letters, 1887

Folder 2/9/119 – Correspondence
Letters to Gilbert Cope requesting ancestral charts
17 letters, 1893-1896

Folder 3/9/119 – Correspondence
Letters to Gilbert Cope requesting ancestral charts
13 letters, 1897-1898

Folder 4/9/119 – Correspondence
Letters to Gilbert Cope requesting ancestral charts
16 letters, 1900-1904

Folder 5/9/119 – Correspondence
Letters to Gilbert Cope requesting ancestral charts
19 letters, 1905-1909

Folder 6/9/119 – Correspondence
Letters to Gilbert Cope requesting ancestral charts
23 letters, 1910-1913

Folder 7/9/119 – Correspondence
Letters to Gilbert Cope requesting ancestral charts
19 letters, 1914-1916

Folder 8/9/119 – Correspondence
Letters to Gilbert Cope requesting ancestral charts
16 letters, 1917-1919

Folder 9/9/119 – Correspondence
Letters to Gilbert Cope requesting ancestral charts
20 letters, 1920-1922

Folder 10/9/119 – Correspondence
Letters to Gilbert Cope requesting ancestral charts
12 letters, 1923-1925, 1927

Folder 11/9/119 – Correspondence
Letters to Gilbert Cope from Robert Hays requesting ancestral charts
18 letters, 1913-1916

Folder 12/9/119 – Correspondence
Letters to Gilbert Cope from Robert Hays requesting ancestral charts
21 letters, 1917-1920

Folder 13/9/119 – Correspondence
Letters to Gilbert Cope requesting services/information
18 letters, 1876-1888

Folder 14/9/119 – Correspondence
Letters to Gilbert Cope requesting services/information
19 letters, 1889-1905

Folder 15/9/119 – Correspondence
Letters to Gilbert Cope requesting services/information
18 letters, 1906-1915

Folder 16/9/119 – Correspondence
Letters to Gilbert Cope requesting services/information
16 letters, 1920-1926

Folder 17/9/119 – Correspondence
Letters to Gilbert Cope requesting photographs
17 letters, 1887-1901

Folder 18/9/119 – Correspondence
Letters to Gilbert Cope requesting photographs
22 letters, 1902-1911, 1917, 1919
Folder 19/9/119 – Correspondence
**Letters to Gilbert Cope requesting publications**
18 letters, 1887-1897

Folder 20/9/119 – Correspondence
**Letters to Gilbert Cope requesting publications**
17 letters, 1901-1916

Folder 21/9/119 – Correspondence
**Letters to Gilbert Cope requesting publications**
17 letters, 1917-1925

Folder 22/9/119
**Papers and correspondence related to the death of Howard W. Gilbert**
10 items, 1896-1897

Folder 23/9/119 – Correspondence
**Thank you letters to Gilbert Cope**
16 letters, 1893-1920

**Box 10–Series III   Cope Correspondence Sorted by Organization/Business**

Folder 1/10/119 – Correspondence
**A.G. Elliott & Co. to Dingee and Conrad Company**, 19 letters, 1873-1915
Includes the following:
- A.G. Elliott Company
- A.N. Marquis & Co.
- Aetna Insurance Company of Hartford
- American Line
- American Hotel
- American Society for the Extension of University Teaching
- Binns, Cope & Brown, Banking House
- Brandenburg & Brandenburg
- Brown, Shipley & Co.
- Burrows Brothers Company
- Cataract House
- Charles Evans & Sons
- Citizens Savings and Trust Co.
Council of the American Genealogical Society
D. Appleton & Co.
Diagraph Company
Dingee and Conrad Company

Folder 2/10/119 – Correspondence
**Drexel & Co. Bankers to Genealogists Club and Bureau**, 10 letters, 1883-1903
Includes the following:
- Drexel & Co. Bankers
- Garrett and Buchanan, General Paper Dealers
- Gatchel & Manning, engravers
- Genealogists Club and Bureau

Folder 3/10/119 – Correspondence
**Haley and Baker, Blank Book Manufacturers**, 21 letters, 1873-1898
Note: Includes photocopy of newspaper clipping

Folder 4/10/119 – Correspondence
**Haley and Baker, Blank Book Manufacturers**, 14 letters, 1873-1898

Folder 5/10/119 – Correspondence
**Harkness & Dunwoody to Jansen Press**, 19 letters, 1878-1898
Includes the following:
- Harkness & Dunwoody
- Houghton, Mifflin & Co.
- Heyl & Major
- Innes and Williams
- J. Fagan & Sons
- J.P. Lippincott & Co.
- J.E. Caldwell & Co.
- J.G. Ditman & Co.
- J.T. Jackson & Co.
- Jansen Press

Folder 6/10/119 – Correspondence
**John Wannamaker to Munsell**, 23 letters, 1877-1921
Includes the following:
- John Wanamaker
- Kountze Brothers
- Laughlin & Co.
- League of Nations Non-Partisan Association
Library Company of Philadelphia
Library of Congress
Long Island Historical Society
Munsell, printer and publisher

Folder 7/10/119 – Correspondence
National Economic League to Richard A. Foley Advertising Agency,
20 letters, 1877-1921
Includes the following:
National Economic League
New England Historical Society
New Leader [newspaper]
North American Review
Port Richmond Iron Works
Oldach & Co., Bookbinders
Passmore & Simmons
Philadelphia Cremation Society
Phillips Sampson & Company [Atlantic Monthly]
Peach Bottom Slate Mining Company
Pennsylvania Railroad Company
Porter & Coates
Richard A. Foley Advertising Agency

Folder 8/10/119 – Correspondence
Smith & Mobley to Williams, Brown & Earle, 13 letters, 1879-1922
Includes the following:
Smith & Mabley
The Kittaninny
The Index Association
Thos. H. McCollin & Co.
United States Express Company
University of Pennsylvania, Department of Archaeology and Paleontology
W.B. Palmer
W.E. Pennell Jewelry Co.
War Service Committee of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania
Williams, Brown & Earle

Box 10–Series IV Non-correspondence

Folder 9/10/119 – Bills/receipts
22 items, 1874-1909

Folder 10/10/119 – Contract
1 item, 1901
Between Gilbert Cope and Aim Publishing

Folder 11/10/119 – Essay
3 items, n.d.
Includes the following:
  - Possible advertising copy for Cope’s Ancestral Charts
  - “Theology in the Common Schools,” [hand written draft?], author unknown

Folder 12/10/119 – Invitations/notices
15 items, 1877-1924

Folder 13/10/119 – Miscellaneous
21 items

Folder 13A/10/119 – Notes
“Wellesley College Notes” by Alice Hennessey
1 item, 1906

Folder 14/10/119 – Report on Awards
International Exposition, Philadelphia Centennial
1 item, 1876

Folder 15/10/119 – Speech
Presented at the Annual Meeting of Salesmen by Charles E. Brown
2 sheets, 1919

Folder 16/10/119 – Trade Card/ Circulars
3 items, 1879-1880

Box 10–Series V    West Family correspondence

Folder 17/10/119 – Correspondence
Chandler, Edw., 2 letters, 1823
To: David West
From: Northampton, NJ

Folder 18/10/119 – Correspondence
Pierce, Caleb, 1 letters, 1823
To: David West
From: Middletown

Folder 19/10/119 – Correspondence

Pierce, Eli D., 1 letters, 1833
To: David West
From: [?]

Folder 20/10/119 – Correspondence

Pierce, Joshua, 8 letters, 1813-1828
To: Ann West Green; David West
From: Philadelphia; Black Meadows

Folder 21/10/119 – Correspondence

West, [?], 1 letter, 1817
To: David West
From: [Thornberry]
Note: Signed “thy affectionate mother”

Folder 22/10/119 – Correspondence

West, Jane, 6 letters, 1753-1756
To: “sister”; Elizabeth Rhoads; “father and mother”; [three letters addressed to “James Rhoads in Pennsylvania”]
From: Northampton, NJ

Folder 23/10/119 – Correspondence

West, Sarah, 3 letters, 1809, 1817, 1824
To: Ann West; David West
From: Smyrna

Folder 24/10/119 – Correspondence
unidentified author, 8 letters, 1826-1829
To: David West;
From: Wilmington, DE; Smyrna; [Byberry]

Folder 25/10/119 – Form letter
Notice for state appropriation related to school laws
1 letter, 1839
Box 11–Series VI  Worth Family correspondence

Folder 1/11/119 – Correspondence
B. to Bentley, 14 letters, 1812-1876
Includes the following:
  P.C.B., 1 letter, 1871 (from “Fraz’r”) to Ebenezer Worth
  Balderston, Mark, 1 letter, 1876 (from Philadelphia) to Ebenezer Worth
  Battery, Joseph, 2 letters, 1844, 1848 (from Collins) to S. Worth
  Bentley, A., 2 letters, 1817, 1819 (from Warren) to Samuel Worth
  Bentley, Adamson, 2 letter, 1812, 1855 (from Chagrin Falls, OH) to Samuel Worth; Aaron Morten
  Bentley, Baldwin, 2 letters, 1829-1830 (from Unionville; Wooster) to S. Worth
  Bentley, Martin, 1 letter, 1821 (from Warren, OH) to Samuel Worth
  Blackburn, A.H., 3 letters, 1860-1861 (from “Tunessassah”) to E. Worth

Folder 2/11/119 – Correspondence
Boan to Cope, 22 letters, 1820-1876
Includes the following:
  Boan, Laura, 2 letters 1864, 1870 (from Old Town) to Ebenezer Worth
  Carpenter, Charles F., 3 letters, 1856-1860 (Louisville, KY) to “aunt"
  Carpenter, Frances T., 3 letters, 1843, 1873 (from Lycoming Co.; Jersey Shore) to Ebenezer Worth, John and Hanna Worth
  Carpenter, Sallie, 1 letter, 1866 to “aunt"
  Carter, John E., 1 letter, 1876 (from Philadelphia) to Ebenezer Worth
  Connelly, James, 1 letter, 1820 (from Turkeyfoot, PA) to James Worth
  Cooper, Sarah A., 1 letter, 1854 to Ebenezer Worth
  Cope, Jasper, 2 letters, 1849 (from Philadelphia) to Ebenezer Worth
  Cope, Morris, 1 letter, 1843 (from Doe Run) to Ebenezer Worth
  Cope, Samuel, 7 letters, 1843-1848 (from East Bradford) to Ebenezer Worth

Folder 3/11/119 – Correspondence
Cornell to Edge, 6 letters, 1842-1871
Includes the following:
  Cornell, Silas, 2 letters, 1843, 1845 (from [Rochester]) to Ebenezer Worth
  Duane, William, Jr., 3 letters, 1842-1843 (from Philadelphia) to Samuel Worth
  Edge, Jacob, 1 letter, 1871 (from Downingtown, PA) to E. Worth

Folder 4/11/119 – Correspondence
Elkinton, Joseph, 20 letters, 1843-1847
From: Philadelphia; Tunessassah
To: Ebenezer Worth; Orren Hook
Folder 5/11/119 – Correspondence
**Elkinton, Joseph,** 19 letters, 1848-1856
From: Philadelphia
To: Ebenezer Worth

Folder 6/11/119 – Correspondence
**Elkinton, S. to Elkinton, Thomas.**, 2 letters, 1852-1855
From: Philadelphia
To: Ebenezer Worth

Folder 7/11/119 – Correspondence
**Evans, Joel.** 7 letters, 1845-1855
From: Philadelphia; Springfield
To: Ebenezer Worth

Folder 8/11/119 – Correspondence
**Evans, Thomas.** 14 letters, 1843-1853
From: Philadelphia; Springfield
To: Ebenezer Worth

Folder 9/11/119 – Correspondence
**Goff to Janney,** 12 letter, 1832-1877
Includes the following:
- **Goff, John,** 1 letter, 1850 (from Philadelphia) to Paschall Worth
- **Grenan, Simon,** 1 letter, 1859 (from Rosemount, Ireland) to Samuel Worth
- **Halftown, Harrison,** 6 letters, 1854-1866 (from Cold Spring; Allegheny Reservation; Tunessassah; Albany) to Ebenezer Worth
- **Hall, [?]. J.,** 1 letter, 1877 (from Malvern, PA) to Ebenezer Worth
- **Hollowell, John,** 1 letter, 1866 (from Goldsboro, NC) to Ebenezer Worth
- **Hudson, Susan,** 1 letter, 1861 (from Tunessassah) to Ebenezer Worth
- **Janney, Ann,** 1 letter, 1832 (from Philadelphia) to Pascal Worth

Folder 10/11/119 – Correspondence
**Jimerson to Lee,** 17 letters, 1850-1871
Includes the following:
- **Jimerson, Amanda,** 1 letter, 1861 (from Tunessassah) to Ebenezer Worth
- **Jimerson, Horace,** 1 letter, 1861 (from Tunessassah) to Ebenezer Worth
- **Jimerson, Julia E.,** 2 letters, 1864 (from Allegheny Reservation; Great Valley) to Ebenezer Worth
- **Jimerson, Laura B.,** 1 letter, 1861 (Allegheny Reservation, South Valley, NY) to
Ebenezer Worth

Jimerson, Lucy, 1 letter, 1871 (from Versailles County, NY) to Ebenezer Worth
Jimerson, Mary Ann, 3 letters, 1860-1861 (from Tunessassah) to Ebenezer Worth
Jimerson, Nelson, 1 letter, 1861 (from Tunessassah) to Ebenezer Worth
John, Cordelia, 1 letter, 1861 (from Tunessassah) to Ebenezer Worth
Jones, Asa, 3 letters, 1850, 1862, 1871 (from Horseshoe; Great Valley; Adrian) to Ebenezer Worth
Lee, Catharine, 3 letters, 1866, 1871 (from Exeter; Tunessassah) to Ebenezer Worth

Folder 11/11/119 – Correspondence

Lewis to Morris, 9 letters, 1821-1863
Includes the following:
  Lewis, E., 1 letter, 1845 (from Philadelphia) to “friend”
  Lloyd, Charles, 1 letter, 1821 (from [Kingspring]) to Samuel Worth
  Loomis, L.M., 1 letter, 1833 (from [West Chester]) to Samuel Worth
  Lukens, Solomon, 3 letters, 1850-1851, 1856 (from East Fallowfield) to “friend”
  Lukens, Susan, 1 letter, 1853 (from Brandywine) to E. Worth
  Morris, Pascal, 1 letter, 1856 (from Philadelphia) to Samuel Worth
  Morris, Samuel, 1 letter, 1863 (from Olney) to Ebenezer Worth

Folder 12/11/119 – Correspondence

Morton, Aaron, 15 letters, 1814-1835
Note: Includes letters by Frances Morton
To: Samuel Worth
From: New Sewickley; Westfield; Greenwich; New Haven; Blooming Grove

Folder 13/11/119 – Correspondence

Morton, F. to Rhoads, 12 letters, 1815-1873
Includes the following:
  Morton, Frances, 1 letter, 1828 (from Greenwich) to Samuel Worth
  Mott, Geo. W., 1 letter, 1873 to E. Worth
  Murray, Harvey, 1 letter, 1875 (from West Grove) to Ebenezer Worth
  Paschall, Henry, 4 letters, 1815-1825 (from [illegible]) to Samuel Worth
  Paschall, R.J., 1 letter, 1870 (from [Philadelphia]) to “friend”
  Pierce, Jonathan, 1 letter, 1869 (from Cornplanters) to Ebenezer Worth
  Pierce, Mary, 1 letter, 1862 (from Old Town) to Ebenezer Worth
  Pyle, Margaretta, 1 letter, 1840 (from Westtown) to Ebenezer Worth
  Rhoads, Samuel, 1 letter, 1839 to Ebenezer Worth
Folder 14/11/119 – Correspondence
**Scattergood, Joseph**, 12 letters, 1869-1876
To: Ebenezer Worth
From: Philadelphia; Marshallton; Tunessassah

Folder 15/11/119 – Correspondence
**Scotten to Stewart**, 12 letters, 1844-1872
Topics include:
- **Scotten, Robert**, 2 letters, 1844-1845 (from Horsham; Philadelphia) to Ebenezer Worth
- **Smith, Louisa**, 1 letter, 1872 (from Tunessassah) to Ebenezer Worth
- **Smith, Willis R.**, 1 letter, 1854 (from Greenwich Station) to Samuel Worth
- **Snow, Joseph**, 1 letter, 1861 (from Allegany Reservation) to Ebenezer Worth
- **Snow, Margaret**, 1 letter, 1860 (from Tunessassah) to Ebenezer Worth
- **Stewart, Asenath W.**, 6 letters, 1848-1858 (from Squirrel Hill; Allegheny County, PA; Flaugherty; Marshallton) to Samuel Worth

Folder 16/11/119 – Correspondence
**Worth, Almira**, 1 letter, 1832
From: Flaugherty
To: “Uncle”

Folder 17/11/119 – Correspondence
**Worth, B.[enjamin]**, 3 letters, 1848, 1865
From: East Bradford; Concordville
To: Ebenezer Worth [“son”]

Folder 18/11/119 – Correspondence
From: Tunessassah; Marsalton; Mount Pleasant
To: Clayton Samborn; Samuel Worth; Joseph Elkinton; “brother”

Folder 19/11/119 – Correspondence
**Worth, John**, 4 letters, 1843, 1859, 1869
From: East Bradford; Marshallton
To: Ebenezer Worth

Folder 20/11/119 – Correspondence
**Worth, Paschall**, 10 letters, 1840-1849
From: East Bradford
To: Ebenezer Worth
Folder 21/11/119 – Correspondence
**Worth, Samuel**, 4 letters, 1843-1848
From: East Bradford
To: Ebenezer Worth [“son”]

Folder 22/11/119 – Correspondence
**Warrior to Yarnall**, 19 letters, 1845-1873
Includes the following:
- **Warrior, Lucy**, 1 letter, 1861 (from Tunessassah) to Ebenezer Worth
- **Washington, John M.**, 1 letter, 1849 (from Tamaqua) to Paschall Worth
- **Webb, Margaretta**, 2 letters, 1845, 1848 to Ebenezer Worth
- **Whitson, Rachel**, 1 letter, n.d., to Ebenezer Worth
- **Whitson, Samuel**, 1 letter, 1855 (from Tunessassah) to [?]
- **Williams, Benjamin**, 2 letters, 1851, 1873 (from Cold Spring) to Ebenezer Worth
- **Williams, George**, 2 letters, 1847, 1849 (from Philadelphia) to Ebenezer Worth
- **Wistar, Thomas, Jr.**, 3 letters, 1847-1852 (from Fox Chase; Abington; Philadelphia County) to Ebenezer Worth
- **Wood, John**, 1 letter, 1854 (from Tunessassah) to Ebenezer Worth
- **Woolman, A.**, 1 letter, 1873 (from Tunessassah) to Ebenezer Worth
- **Woodward, Mary B.**, 1 letter, 1847 (from [West Chester]) to Ebenezer Worth
- **Yarnall, E.A.**, 2 letters, 1857 (from Tamaqua) to Samuel Worth

Folder 23/11/119 – Printed Matter
Pennsylvania Agricultural Exhibition, List of Committees
1 circular, 1852

Folder 24/11/119 – Correspondence
unidentified author

**Box 12–Series VII Sharpless Family correspondence**

Folder 1/12/119 – Correspondence
**Bringhurst to Poole**, 6 letters, 1802-1824, 1882
Includes the following:
- **Bringhurst, D.**, 1 letter, 1806 (from Wilmington, DE) to Joshua Sharpless
- **Kite, Edith**, 1 letter, 1824 (from Philadelphia) to Joshua Sharpless
- **Kite, William**, 1 letter, 1882 (from Philadelphia) to Ann Sharpless
- **McComber, Caleb**, 1 letter, 1820 (from Philadelphia) to Joshua Sharpless
- **Poole, William**, 2 letters, 1802, 1806 (from [Brandywine]) to Joshua Sharpless
Folder 2/12/119 – Correspondence  
**Sharpless, [?],** 2 letters, 1809  
From: Weston  
To: Joshua Sharpless  

Folder 3/12/119 – Correspondence  
**Sharpless, Abigail,** 1 letter, 1834  
From: East Bradford  
To: Joshua Sharpless  

Folder 4/12/119 – Correspondence  
**Sharpless, Ann,** 2 letters, 1799  
From: [?]  
To: Joshua Sharpless  

Folder 5/12/119 – Correspondence  
**Sharpless, Benjamin,** 1 letter, 1814  
From: [?]  
To: Joshua Sharpless  

Folder 6/12/119 – Correspondence  
**Sharpless, Isaac,** 15 letters, 1797-1806, 1819-1822  
From: East Bradford; Weston  
To: Joshua Sharpless; Edith Sharpless  

Folder 7/12/119 – Correspondence  
**Sharpless, Joshua,** 21 letters, 1790-1801, 1811-1812, n.d.  
From: Talbot County; Westbury, Long Island; Shrewsbury; East Bradford; Pittsburgh; Warrington; [Buffalo]; Westtown; [Eaves-ham];  
To: Ann Sharpless (“wife”); Nathan Sharpless; Caleb McComber;  

Folder 8/12/119 – Correspondence  
**Sharpless, Phila.,** 1 letter, n.d.  
From: [?]  
To: Ann Sharpless  

Folder 9/12/119 – Correspondence  
**Sharpless, Tom J.,** 1 letter, 1805  
From: Philadelphia  
To: Joshua Sharpless
Folder 10/12/119 – Correspondence  
**Trimble, William**, 1 letter, 1832  
From: Concord  
To: Ann Sharpless

Folder 11/12/119 – Correspondence  
**Warden, Ann**, 1 letter, 1802  
From: Philadelphia  
To: Joshua Sharpless

Folder 12/12/119 – Correspondence  
**Wood, Rebekah**, 1 letter, 1798  
From: Wilmington  
To: Ann Sharpless

Folder 13/12/119 – Correspondence  
**Yarnall, B.J.**, 1 letter, 1810  
From: Philadelphia  
To: Joshua Sharpless

Folder 14/12/119 – Correspondence  
**Yarnall, Mord.**, 2 letters, 1806  
From: Philadelphia  
To: Joshua Sharpless

Folder 15/12/119 – Correspondence  
unidentified author, 1 letter, 1799  
From: New Stockbridge  
To: Joshua Sharpless

**Box 12–Series VIII  Townsend/Smedley Family Correspondence**

Folder 16/12/119 – Correspondence  
**Ball to Hall**, 5 letters, 1828-1875  
Includes the following:  
  - **Ball, George**, 1 letter, 1874 (from Kennett Square) to J.H. Smedley  
  - **Bye, E. Mortimer**, 1 letter, 1875 (from Wilmington) to John H. Smedley  
  - **Hall, John**, 1 letter, 1828 to Thomas Smedley  
  - **Jefferis, Martha**, 2 letters, 1834 (from Philadelphia) to Grace Townsend
Folder 17/12/119 – Correspondence
Kellogg, Aaron Reed, 6 letters, 1819-1821, n.d.
From: Greenwood
To: “grandfather and grandmother”; “uncles, aunts and cousins”; Peter Smedley

Folder 18/12/119 – Correspondence
Kellogg, Enos R., 3 letters, 1830, n.d.
From: Greenwood, Mifflin County
To: Ambrose Smedley

Folder 19/12/119 – Correspondence
Parker, Eliza, 4 letters, 1833-1839
From: [?]
To: Grace Townsend

Folder 20/12/119 – Correspondence
Thomson, C.W., 2 letters, 1853, 1857
From: York
To: “friend”

Folder 21/12/119 – Correspondence
Townsend, William P., 1 letter, 1831
From: [?]
To: Grace Townsend

Folder 22/12/119 – Correspondence
White, Phebe, 4 letters, 1817-1822
From: Green County, OH
To: Leah W. [More]; Thomas Smedley

Folder 23/12/119 – Correspondence
unidentified author, 2 letters, n.d.
From: [?]
To: [?] Townsend; Ambrose Smedley

Box 12–Series IX Miscellaneous letters collection

Folder 24/12/119 – Correspondence
Adams to Pennock, 18 letters, 1788-1895
Includes the following:

- **Adams, T.**, 1 letter, 1863 (from Philadelphia) to Robert Hope
- **Armitt, Richard**, 1 letter, 1788 (from East Bradford) to Samuel Emlen
- **Brien, Sarah B.**, 1 letter, 1826 to Elizabeth B. [Heise]
- **Brinton, D.G.**, 1 letter, 1895 (from Philadelphia) to Chas. H. Pennypacker
- **Chandler, E.**, 1 letter, 1864 (from Philadelphia) to “gentlemen”
- **Chandler, Thomas**, 1 letter, 1803 (from New Garden Township) to [?]
- **Dewees, James W.**, 1 letter, 1871 (from Pennsville, OH) to “friend”
- **Emlen, L.**, 1 letter, 1812 (from London, [England]) to James Emlen
- **Hayward, [?]**, 1 letter, 1875 (from Germantown) to “Mary”
- **Hickman, Jno.**, 1 letter, 1855 (from West Chester) to L.W. Groff
- **Hollingsworth, Samuel**, 1 letter, 1825 (from Columbiana County, OH) to Jane Hollingsworth
- **Huntington, E.M.**, 1 letter, 1822 (from Rancocas) to Thomas Wistar
- **Lukens, Priscilla A.**, 1 letter, 1867 (from Philadelphia) to H.B. Fussell
- **Lukens, Solomon**, 2 letters, 1855 (from East Fallowfield) to “friend”
- **Marsh, Mary Ann**, 1 letter, 1828 (from Greenwich) to Mary B. Woodward
- **Pennock, H.B.**, 1 letter, 1839 (from Philadelphia) to Townsend Haines
- **Pennock, Joel**, 1 letter, 1839 (from London Grove) to Christian Baughman

Folder 25/12/119 – Correspondence

**Pennypacker to Woodward**, 7 letters, 1788-1895

Includes the following:

- **Pennypacker, Samuel W.**, 1 letter, 1877 (from Philadelphia) to J.S. Futhey
- **Rhoads, James E.**, 1 letter, 1874 (from Philadelphia) to “friend”
- **Shaw, James**, 1 letter, 1860 (from Mt. Carroll) to U. V. Pennypacker
- **Smith, Mary K.S.**, 1 letter, 1896 (from Philadelphia) to Chas. H. Pennypacker
- **Washington, George**, 1 letter, 1792 (from Mount Vernon) to John Churchman;
  Note: notation at bottom reads, “correct copy of a letter...in the possession of Alfred Churchman...1884”
- **White, J.**, 1 letter, 1853 (from Philadelphia) to [?]
- **Woodward, Samuel**, 1 letter, 1798 (from Chambersburgh) to Mary B. West

Folder 26/12/119 – Correspondence

Letter from a group of Native American women, 2 letters, 1797
To: “sisters of the people called Quakers”
From: Stock Bridge, NY
Note: Includes a list of names of author and recipients

Folder 27/12/119 – Correspondence

Unknown author [illegible], 2 letters, 1841, 1853
Folder 28/12/119 – Notes
Notes from Quaker Yearly Meeting by Joseph Cope
1 item, n.d.
Note: appears to be missing page(s)

Folder 29/12/119 – Legal Documents
Deposition, Sarah S. Kurtz vs. John [Dampman]
1 item, 1865

Folder 30/12/119 – Receipts
2 items, 1836

Box 12--Series X—Letters from the Arthur P. Reid estate

Folder 31/12/119 – Correspondence
Boyan to Wallace, 14 letters, 1757-1852
Includes the following:
   Boyan, E., 1 letter, 1821 (from Philadelphia) to Tabitha Park
   Donnell, John, 1 letter, 1832 (from Philadelphia) to James Reid
   Donnell, Mary, 2 letters, 1832 (from Philadelphia) to Tabitha Wallace; Margaret Wallace; Ann Reid
   Gardiner, John B., 1 letter, 1832 (from Philadelphia) to James Reid
   Glasgow, Samuel, 1 letter, 1822 (from West Fallowfield) to Jane Reid
   Martin, George, 1 letter, 1757 to William Jackson
   Mills, Eliza, 1 letter, 1819 (from Philadelphia) to Tabitha Park
   Shannon, L.F., 1 letter, 1852 (from Philadelphia) to James Reid
   Wallace, Mary, 2 letter, 1775, 1783 (from Tobermore) to Dr. Thomas Wallace
   Note: Handwritten copies from the originals by Adam P. Reid, 1859
[unidentified author], 3 letters, 1818-1836 (from West Chester; Philadelphia) to James Reid, Abner Haines