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Summary

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Chronology

- 1817 John Bigelow born on November 25 at Malden, New York, son of Asa and Lucy Isham Bigelow.
- 1831-35 Attends school at Washington College, Hartford, Connecticut. Graduates from Union College, Schenectady, New York
- 1835-37 In New York City. Studies law, first at Dey & Bonney, then at Robert and Theodore Sedgwick. Meets Fitz-Green Halleck, Samuel J. Tilden, William Cullen Bryant
- 1838 Joins Column Club. Admitted to the Bar of New York City. Teaches at Madame Chegary's Seminary for Girls., Madison, New Jersey
- 1840-44 Editor of *The Plebeian*. Contributes to the *New York Review*, and the *Democratic Review*. Assists Josiah Gregg in writing *Commerce of the Prairies*
- 1845-48 Inspector of State's Prison at Sing-Sing. Frequents the home of Evert A. Duyckinck where he meets Edgar Allan Poe, William Gilmore Simms, and others. Turns down position as managing editor of the *Democratic Review*, but contributes twenty pages a month and manages the political department. Opposes U.S. annexation of Texas. Agitates for the revision of New York State Constitution. Accompanies Tilden to the Convention of the Free Soilers. Joins Bryant at the New York *Evening Post* as co-proprietor and co-editor.
- 1850 Marries Jane Poultney. Visits Jamaica.
- 1851 *Jamaica in 1850* published by George Putnam
- 1853 Death of first son, the first Poultney. Visits Haiti. Begins reading Swedenborg.
- 1854-56 Helps found the Republican Party. Leads struggle on *Evening Post* against Know-Nothings. Biography of John C. Frémont serialized in the *Evening Post*.
- 1858 First trip to Europe where he meets the English journalist William H. Russell, who later covers the U.S. Civil War, and William Thackeray, William Hargreaves, Richard Cobden, John Bright, Charles Dickens, Anthony Trollope, John Millais.
- 1860 Arrives back in New York. First opposes and then supports the nomination by the Republic Party of Lincoln. Sells partnership in the Evening Post to Parke Godwin, and retires from business.
- 1861 Attack on Fort Sumter. Bigelow is appointed Consul-General at Paris, under William L. Dayton. Confederate Commissioners Slidell and Mason taken at sea from the Trent by Captain Wilkes, and are surrendered to the British. Bigelow writes letter to Paris newspapers, signed by General Winfield Scott, outlining the Northern view of the Trent affair.
- 1862 After Napoleon II urges a six months truce to the Civil War, Bigelow writes articles denouncing efforts to force an armistice.
- 1863 His *Les États-Unis d'Amérique en 1863* published by Hachette et Cie. Disclosures made about ships being built in French and British shipyards for the Confederates.
- 1864 Guérout, editor of *L'Opinion Nationale*, publishes an article in that newspaper entitled, *Les Corsairs du Sud*, which reveals the extent in France of ship-building for the Confederates. The article is written by Malespine under Bigelow's direction, and is based Trément's intelligence reports to Bigelow.
- 1865-66 Appointed Chargé-d'Affaires at Paris. Further revelations concern ship-building and movements of Confederate warships in European waters. John Hay becomes Bigelow's First Secretary. Bigelow is appointed Minister-Plenipotentiary to the Court of Napoleon II. Opposes the setting up in Mexico of a monarchy. Resigns the Ministry.
- 1867-69 Returns to New York. Edits *Franklin's Autobiography*, and works on his own biography of Fénelon. Accepts editorship of *New York Times*, but resigns after he becomes involved in the Jay Gould Affair.
- 1870-76 Moves to Berlin where he meets Georg von Bunsen, Theodor Mommsen, Herman Helmholtz, and others. *France and the Hereditary Monarchy* published in July, 1871. Switches from Republicans to Democrats. Elected Secretary of the State of New York. Supports Tilden's Presidential candidacy.
- 1884-90 Turns down the office of City Chamberlain offered by New York's Mayor Edson. Completes *The Writings and Public Speeches of Samuel J. Tilden*. Helps Tilden revise his Will which now includes an endowment for a library. When Tilden dies in 1886 a long court case over the validation of his will begins. The incorporation of the Tilden Trust follows, and Bigelow is elected as the President of the Board of Trustees. Appointed Commissioner of the U.S. Section

- at the Brussels International Exhibition.
- 1891-1900 The Tilden case is decided in favor of the heirs. In 1895 Bigelow becomes the first President of the New York Free Public Library, comprised of the newly-consolidated Astor, Lenox, and Tilden Foundations. He advises and supports Philippe Bunau-Varilla in his plans for the Panama Canal.
- 1911 On May 23, as the first President, Bigelow opens the New York Public Library's new main building at Fifth Avenue and 42nd Street. Dies on December 19 at the age of nine-five.

Biographical Note

John Bigelow was a newspaper editor, Civil War era diplomat, and author. He was born in Bristol (now Malden), New York, and, when not in Europe, lived in New York City near Gramercy Park, or at his home, "The Squirrels," at Buttermilk Falls (now Highland Falls), New York. After a period of studying law, teaching, and writing for the newspapers, Bigelow was appointed an inspector at Sing Sing State Prison in 1845 with the help of then New York State Assemblyman Samuel J. Tilden. Bigelow, influenced by Tilden, had joined the Free-Soil Democrats in 1844.

Leaving Sing Sing in 1848, Bigelow became co-owner and co-editor, with William Cullen Bryant, of the New York *Evening Post*. During his years at the *Post*, Bigelow married Jane Poultney (1850); traveled to Jamaica (1850), Haiti (1853), and Europe (1858-1860); began reading works of Emanuel Swedenborg in 1854; and campaigned for John C. Fremont, the Republican Party's first presidential candidate, in his 1856 race.

From 1861-1864 Bigelow served as President Lincoln's consul to Paris where his efforts were aimed at influencing the French in favor of the Union cause. While in Paris Bigelow managed to stop the sale of ships being constructed in French shipyards to the Confederacy. In 1865 he was made *chargé d'affaires* to France, thus remaining there until 1867.

After a two month period as editor of the *New York Times* in 1869, Bigelow returned to Europe, living in Germany from 1879 to 1873. In 1875, back in the United States, he was appointed by Tilden, now governor of New York, to be chairman of the Erie Canal Investigating Commission. The Commission was formed to investigate the activities of the "Canal Ring," a group of state officials and contractors who were diverting money meant for the maintenance of the Erie Canal. That same year, 1875, Bigelow, now a member of the Democratic Party, was elected New York Secretary of State.

After the 1870s Bigelow spend most of his time writing and editing. His remaining public responsibilities included his role as an executor of the Tilden Trust and in the founding of The New York Public Library; traveling to Panama in 1886 to prepare a report of the progress of the Panama Canal as a guest of the Panama Canal Company and a representative of the New York Chamber of Commerce; in 1888 hew was commissioner of the United States section of the Brussels International Exhibition; and in 1893 he was a delegate to the New York Constitutional Convention.

Bigelow was the author of numerous books and articles. These included biographies of Benjamin Franklin, Samuel J. Tilden, William Cullen Bryant, and others; a campaign biography of John C. Fremont; an autobiography; books and articles about French and American history and foreign relations, Swedenborgianism, Haiti and Jamaica, and a variety of other topics.

Scope and Content Note

Five boxes contain general correspondence, 1849-1911, dating from early in Bigelow's career until his death. Correspondence is with colleagues, public figures, family members, and friends, and concerns professional and personal matters, and public affairs. The bulk of the letters were written by Bigelow. Major or prominent correspondents include: Charles Francis Adams; George Bancroft; William Cullen Bryant; Philippe Bunau-Varilla, a chief engineer of the Panama Canal, Panamanian representative to the United States during the Panama Revolution, and a friend (copies of Bunau-Varilla's letters to people other than Bigelow concerning the Canal are included); Samuel L. Clemens; J. Coppinger; Charles A. and Richard Henry Dana; John Dix; Anton Dohrn; Richard Watson Gilder; Parke Godwin; John Hay; J. Henderson; E.P. Hurlburt; Louis Kleke; Kohlsch, the gardener at "The Squirrels," reporting on house and garden matters and village news, M.D. Lasker; Henry Parry; Wilhelm Platenius; Isaac Seligman; William H. Seward; George T. Trimble; Martin Van Buren; John C. Fremont; Adele Granger; Herbert M. Hover. Recipients of Bigelow's letters include: Nelson M. Beckwith, an American living in Paris who advocated an improved railroad system in the United States; Anne and Vincenzo Botta; James Brooks; John Bright; William Cullen Bryant; Philippe Bunau-Varilla; Georg von Bunsen; Andrew Carnegie; Hamilton Fish, Parke Godwin; Lionel Guest, Bigelow's son-in-law; William Hargreaves; John Hay; George Hoadley; Herbert M. Hover; Kohlsch; J.P. Morgan; Frances Parker; L.V.F. Randolph; Whitelaw Reid; Theodore Roosevelt; William Russell; William H. Seward and others. A few letters are in French or German.

Also included are significant groups of correspondence with his friends Charles and Fanny Campbell Eames, 1844-1906, relating chiefly to personal matters; William Henry Huntington, 1864-1885, concerning Huntington's collection of Benjamin Franklin material, book collecting, and general matters; Samuel J. Tilden, 1860-1887, concerning the public affairs; William H. Seward, 1856-1868; publishers of his books, 1862-1912, and related contracts, agreements, and accounts; and his sons John, Jr. and Poultney, daughters-in-law Mary and Edith, and grandson Braxton.

Correspondence, reports, accounts, legal documents, notes, and memoranda dating from Bigelow's periods as consul and chargé d'affaires in Paris concern general consular matters. Some specific topics discussed include: European reactions to Lincoln's assassination; the death of James H. Dickson; the burying of the steamer *William Nelson*; Confederate activities in Europe; construction of ships in France for the Confederate navy.

Also included are: correspondence, reports, and other documents, 1845-1855, concerning Sing Sing State Prison; correspondence with John C. Fremont and his wife, author Jessie B. Fremont, and others concerning Fremont's 1856 presidential campaign; correspondence with related accounts and printed material, 1865-1894, concerning the United States Treasury Department's claim, made during the 1880s for funds owed Bigelow since his period as consul, Bigelow's vindication, and the claim against the government by the heirs of Joseph Binda (died 1864), who had been a United States Consul at Leghorn, for salary owed him; correspondence with Anne Botta, Vincenzo Botta, and others, 1871-1883, relating to the establishment of the Botta Prize, a prize awarded by the Académie Française to the author of the best work on the condition of women. Anne Botta provided the funds for the prize and Bigelow assisted them with the arrangements. Correspondence, accounts, and other documents, 1886-1889, relate to Bigelow's position as commissioner of the United States section of the Brussels International Exhibition in 1888. Bigelow's correspondence, printed and typescript addresses, speeches, articles, and other writings, 1886-1909, by Bigelow, Philippe Bunau-Varilla, Theodore Roosevelt, and others, concern the Panama Canal.

Miscellaneous pocket diaries, appointment, address, and memoranda books, 1858-1911; notes, memorabilia; and bound material are included.

John Bigelow's diaries form an important component of the collection. These 39 volumes cover the years 1843-1911, documenting his professional life, travels, personal and family matters, and public affairs. Separate travel journals describe Bigelow's trips to Jamaica (1850 January –March), and Haiti and St. Thomas (1853 November – 1954 February).

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I. General correspondence, 1841-1911

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Letters sent, 1849-1911

- 1 1849-1870
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- 3 1888-1905
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Letterbooks

- 1 1862-1864
 - 2 1865 January-June
 - 3 1865 July-December
 - 4 1866
- Letterbooks - personal
- 5 1862, January 29 -1863, July 8.
 - 6 1864 July 8 - 1865, March 9.

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Letters received, 1841-1911

II. Subjects correspondence, 1844-1912

Charles and Fanny Campbell Eames, 1844-1906

- 6 Bigelow to Fanny Campbell Eames, 1844-1889
- Bigelow to Charles Eames, 1845-1848
- Fanny Campbell Eames to Bigelow, 1845-1851
- Charles Eames to Bigelow, 1845-1849
- Francis, Margaret, and Alistair Gordon Cummings to Bigelow, 1889-1906
- To Bigelow upon the death of Fanny Campbell Eames, 1890
- Obituaries of Charles Eames, 1867

William Henry Huntington, 1864-1885

- 7 Bigelow to Huntington, 1867-1885
- Huntington to Bigelow, 1864-1885
- Correspondence re Huntington's collection of Benjamin Franklin material, 1885
- Correspondence of Bigelow and Donald G. Mitchell concerning Huntington, 1906
- Obituaries of Huntington, 1885

Samuel J. Tilden, 1860-1887

- 8 Bigelow to Samuel J. Tilden, 1869-1887
- Samuel J. Tilden to Bigelow, 1860-1885

William H. Seward, 1856-1868

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- Bigelow to William H. Seward, Official, 1864-1865
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Publishers, 1862-1911

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- Letters to Bigelow from Publishers, 1862-1889
- Letters to Bigelow from Publishers, 1890-1912.
- Bigelow to Publishers, 1874-1911.

Contracts and Agreements with Publishers, 1862-1907;
Accounts with publishers, 1863-1915

III. Family correspondence, 1863-1911

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- 12 Bigelow to his son, John, daughter-in-law, Mary, and grand-son, Braxton, 1863-1890
13 Bigelow to his son, John, daughter-in-law, Mary, and grand-son, Braxton, 1891-1911
Bigelow to his son, Poultney, and his daughter-in-law, Edith, 1864-1910

IV. Consular Correspondence and Papers, 1861-1866

Correspondence

- 14 1861-1864
15 1865-1866; letters re European reactions to the assassination of President Lincoln.

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- 11 Bigelow to Edouard de Lhuys, 1865-1866.
12 Legation des État-Unis, Copie de lettres
1865 Oct. 14-1866, Jan. 20.
13 1865 May-17-1866, December 14.
14 1865 May 17-1866, Apr. 17.
15 1865 Apr. 28-Oct. 18.
16 1865 Jan. 21-Mar 10.
17 1865 Mar. 10-May 17.
18 1866 Aug. 30-Dec. 19.
19 1866 Feb. 8-Aug. 29. *See also volumes 1-6*
Lettres Particulieres,
20 1863 July 14 - 1864, May 2
21 1865 March 11 – Nov. 15
22 1865 Aug. 21 – 1866, June 11
23 1866, June 11 – Dec. 22

Account with the U.S. State Department, and the expenses of the U.S. Legation at Paris

Box

- 16 1865 First Quarter - 1866, Fourth Quarter (Second Quarter 1865 is filed in
Miscellaneous Subjects, Binda Estate, Box 19)
Voucher A: Messenger's salary; Voucher B: Office rent
Duplicate vouchers from Munroe & Co.

Reports and documents

- 17 Correspondence and papers related to the death of James H. Dickson.
Estates of Edward Bahre, Mrs. Mary Huder, Manuel Izquierdo, Mateo Lopez
Fragments from a notebook
"An Imperial Policy not fitted for an American Minister" – published letter from John Jay
to Bigelow, July 14, 1866
Letters and depositions concerning the burning of the steamer *William Nelson*
Material related to doctors' fees.
Memoir descriptif navigateur marin de Norel La Vallée.
Police permit to transport the remains of deceased Americans.
Reports from U.S. Consul on the movement of merchandise
Miscellany

Papers relative to Confederate activities in Europe

Box

- 18 Copy of a letter dated Jan. 9, 1864, to Henry Hotze from J.P. Benjamin, Confederate
Secretary of State.

Copies of letters dated Jan. 28 and Dec. 27, 1864, to John Slidell from J.P. Benjamin.
 Copy of a letter dated Jan. 11, 1864 to Mr. Spence, from J.P. Benjamin.
 Telegram dated June 10, [1863?] from Arman to Voruz.
 List of letters compiled as proof of complicity of the French government in the construction of ships for the Confederate navy.
 Receipt for letters, Apr. 27, 1864.
 Correspondence concerning construction and movements of Confederate warships, 1862-1865
 Account of a conversation between Guérolt and Arman about the construction of Confederate ships, Apr. 27, 1864.
 Account of conversation between Guérolt and the French Minister of the Interior about the construction of Confederate ships, Apr. 27, 1864.
 Accounts sheet for construction of ships for the Confederate navy, signed by L. Arman.

Confederate Steamer building in France: Opinion of Antoine Berryer. Translation written in Bigelow's hand.
 Copy of the report of Thomas T. Craven, Commander of the USS Niagara, and papers related to the departure of the Confederate ram, Stonewall, from the harbour of Ferrol, Spain.
 Documents relatifs aux Affaires Etrangères. Accompagnants les message Annuel du Président pour la premier session du 39e Congrès. Dec. 4, 1865. Printed at Washington D.C. Incomplete.
France and the Rebel States. Incomplete manuscript by Bigelow.
 Intelligence reports by unknown agent or agents outlining opinion in France and England concerning the Civil War, Oct.-Dec. 1861.
 List of United States vessels destroyed by Confederate cruisers, 1861-1865.
 Memorandum from Loubat on the North's blockade of Charleston, S.C.
 Miscellaneous notes and memoranda.
 Seizure and surrender of Confederate agents, John Slidell and James Mason.
 Letter dated Nov. 28, 1872, from William Gladstone to General Schenck, U.S. Minister at the Court of London. Printed. Harper's New Monthly Magazine.
 Bigelow's response to Gladstone's speech concerning the blockade of Charleston harbor.
 Passport issued to Bigelow, Aug. 16, 1862.
 Account of receipts unofficial exclusive of those of the Consular Agency at Rheims, Nov. 6, 1863-Dec. 12, 1864

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Report dated Jan. 28, 1864 from Bigelow to William H. Seward, on the U.S. consular system. Contains request from Seward for the report; collateral papers and letters; and a detailed descriptions of the French consular system. Quarto. Title on spine: *Consular system of the United States*.

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Consular diary, Jan. 1, 1864-Jan. 6, 1865.
 From page 30 onwards it is a catalogue of books at The Squirrels, Bigelow's country home.

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Fête of the Fourth of July, 1865. List of guests and bill of expenses

V. Miscellaneous Correspondence and Papers, 1845-1909

Binda Estate

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Correspondence and vouchers, 1864-1865
 Correspondence and vouchers, 1866-1867
 Correspondence, 1886
 Correspondence, 1889

Correspondence, 1890-1894
Account with the U.S. Department of State, Second Quarter, 1865. (See Box 16, for the accounts for the First, Third, and Fourth Quarters, 1865.
Executive document No. 211. Letter from the Acting Secretary of State, Aug. 15, 1890. Printed.
Executive document No. 363. Balances due to and from the United States. Printed.

Botta Prize, 1871-1883

20 Letters from Bigelow, 1871-1883
Letters to Bigelow, 1874-1883
Other correspondents, 1874-1883
The Botta Prize at the Academy by François Sarcy. Translation.
Proceedings of the Académie Française, part of which was concerned with the Botta Prize
Report of the Competitions for the year 1883.

Brussels International Exhibition, 1876-1889

21 Letters from Bigelow, 1888-1889
Letters to Bigelow, 1888-1889
Other correspondence, 1887-1888

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27 Copie de lettres.
28 Address book

Box
22 Accounts, 1887-1889, n.y.
Information forms for the official Exhibition Catalogue.
Invitation cards.
List of persons invited to the dinner at the opening of the U.S. Section, June 28, 1886.
Newspaper clipping concerning the dinner at the opening of the U.S. Section.
Official "vote of thanks" to John Bigelow and others from the Consul General of Belgium for the United States.
Order of the Day of the U.S. Commissioner to the Exhibition.
Receipts for payments of salaries.
Report of the Commissioner of the U.S. Section to the International Exhibition at Brussels in 1888.
Response of John Bigelow to a toast by Prince Chimai at the dinner held at the opening of the U.S. Section.
Translation of an article in *Le soir* on the dinner given by the American exhibitors.
Official papers relating to the conduct of the Legation of the U.S. at Paris with regard to the Commissioners for the Exposition. Printed at Paris, 1867

John C. Fremont, 1856

23 Correspondence, 1856
Account of a conversation by L.P. Blair and Col. Benton about Frémont.
Genealogy of the Frémont family.
Newspaper clippings.
Transcript of the testimony of James Buchanan in the case of Gibbs vs. Frémont.

Panama Canal, 1886-1909

24 Correspondence, 1886-1909, no date

An Inferior Canal at Panama, a paper by Gustav Schwab read at the meeting of the American Institute of Mining Engineers at New Haven, Conn., Feb. 24, 1909.
 Address delivered by Philippe Bunau-Varilla, Nov. 17, 1903.
 Description of a method [for the construction of the Panama Canal], Mar. 27, 1905.
 Discours de Monsieur de Lanesson...en l'honneur de Monsieur Philippe Bunau-Varilla
 Excerpts from articles on Panama Canal from various newspapers and periodicals, 1904-1906.
Extrait des Comptes-Rendus de l'académie des Sciences, May 3, 1909.
 Five different reasons why it would be absurd to choose Level 85 as summit level, by Philippe Bunau-Varilla, Jan. 2, 1905.
 Interview given to the *New York Tribune* by Philippe Bunau-Varilla, Oct. 7, 1904.
Liquidation of La Compagnie Universelle du Canal de Panama, and the formation of La Compagnie Nouvelle du Canal de Panama.
Note on a possible transaction equally fair, honorable, and advantageous to the U.S. and the Panama interests, by Philippe Bunau-Varilla
 Notes and miscellany
Panama and Nicaragua Canal Problem: Its Solution, by [Philippe Bunau-Varilla].
 Typescript.
Panama Canal, La Passée: Present et l'avenir by Philippe Bunau-Varilla.
 Printed reply by Philippe Bunau-Varilla to an editorial in the *New York Evening Post*, Aug. 8, 1906.
Quelques faits certains sur les origines de la revolution de Panama.
 Questions asked by Bigelow pertaining to the Panama Canal.
Record of a meeting of the Engineers' Club of Philadelphia. Printed. May 15, 1886.
 Speech by Howard C. Hollister made before the Literary Club of Cincinnati, Apr. 9, 1904.
 Speech by Theodore Roosevelt on the Panama Canal, Apr. 2, 1903.
 Summary of different plans for the Canal.
 Trois appel à la France pour sauver l'oeuvre de Panama, by Philippe Bunau-Varilla.
 Pamphlet.
 Two draft versions of an article by Philippe Bunau-Varilla on the attitudes of Columbia, Costa Rica, and Nicaragua to the construction of the Panama Canal.
 Obituary of George S. Morrison.

Sing Sing State Prison, 1841-1848

25 Letters from John Bigelow, 1846-1847, n.d.
 Letters to John Bigelow, 1845-1848.
 Prison sentence ordered against John McDonough, Jan. 11, 1841.
 Contracts for work made at Mt. Pleasant Prison, 1843.
 List of punishments, 1843.
 Documents listing work contracts and various contracted assignments of prisoners, 1843.
 Annual Report to the Board of Inspectors of the Mt. Pleasant State Prison, 1845.
 Report of the State Prison at Mt. Pleasant to the New York State Legislature, 1845.
 Report to the Board of Inspectors of Mt. Pleasant Prison by the Committee appointed to confer with the Hudson River Railroad Company concerning the Right of Way, 1847.
 Document appointing Bigelow and R.H. Mace a committee to confer with Hudson River Railroad Company, Apr. 14, 1847.
 Rough draft of agreement between Board Inspectors of Mt. Pleasant Prison and Hudson River Railroad locating Right of Way.
 Claim of Frederick Johnson.

List of punishments at the Female Prison.
 Explanation by M.D. Gordon to the Board of Inspectors concerning the resignation of Eldridge, Mar. 12, 1847.
 Statement of Eldridge on his resignation, Mar. 3, 1847.
 Report by Bigelow to R.K. Hadley, Speaker of the New York House of Assembly, 1848.
 The *Westchester Herald* containing the Report of the Inspectors of State's Prisons in response to a resolution of the Senate in relation to Sing-Sing.

VI. Diaries, 1843-1911

Note: There are typed transcripts of the diaries in the Bigelow Family Papers. There are also transcripts of entries for an additional period of time, Oct. 24-Dec. 6, 1911.

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