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Summary

- Main entry:** New York Genealogical and Biographical Society
- Title:** New York Genealogical and Biographical Society Subject Files, ca. 1828-ca. 2000.
- Size:** 2.5 linear feet linear feet (6 boxes)
- Abstract:** Much of the material relates to New York City and New York State history and related subjects, but there are also materials on United States history, and on other states, such as Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and Rhode Island.
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Scope and content note

Includes mostly photocopies and reproductions (but also some originals) of printed matter, clippings, charts, genealogical research notes, coats of arms, pamphlets, newspapers, photographs, cemetery, church, and vital records relating to various topics, organizations, churches, patriotic societies, religious groups, events, and individuals of genealogical or historical interest.

Several of the files contain transcripts of records and notes for the Nine Partners Monthly Meeting (Dutchess Co., New York Society of Friends), as well as a small number of items on Canada, England and Brazil; a few of the topics are: genealogy, heraldry, land patents, New York City churches, New York State history, schools, and ships. Of note is a typed transcript (found under the topic French and Indian War) of a soldier's journal during the French and Indian War, traveling from Colchester, New York to Ticonderoga, New York, 1828.

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	3	Ancient Ireland - Kings, n. d. (Chart; presented by NYGB, 1978.)
	4	Armorial of the Westphalian Nobility, 1924 Published by Max von Spiezan, Gorlitz, 1901-1903; index.
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	6	Battles - Revolutionary War - Lexington, Massachusetts, 1931 (Script)
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	16	Daughters of the American Revolution (DAR) - New York State, 1983 Lists of donations to NYGB Library. Also includes Tombstone Inscriptions.
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	27	Erie Canal - A Honeymoon Trip on the Erie Canal - The Wedding Journey of Orange Judd, 1847 (Script and program)
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	30	Fergusonville Boarding Academy, 1989 (Script)
	31	Fifty-fifth Anniversary History of the Pilgrim John Howland Society, Inc., 1897-1952 (Pamphlet)
	32	Fifty-ninth Artillery Regiment, 1950 (Text)
	33	Freeman's Oath, 1948
	34	French and Indian Wars, n. d. Typed transcript of <i>A journal from Colchester to Ticonderoga, June 8, 1758</i> by an unidentified author, describing a march from Colchester to Ticonderoga in June of 1758, and the return journey in November of the same year. The author, appears to be a soldier, and tells of camp life, working activities for the camp, as well as military preparation for both battle and defense.

- 2 1 Genealogical Miscellany Relating to Queens County Families, 2000
Contributed by Albert Winslow Ryerson, 1907; also includes newspaper clipping dated 2000.
- 2 Genealogy-African American History - Alex Haley, 1972-1993 (Newspaper clippings)
- 3 Genealogy-African American History - General, 1997 (Newspaper clippings)
- 4 Genealogy-Bible - Adam's Two Wives, n. d. (Clipping)
- 5 Genealogy - Cartoons, 1990 -1993 and n. d.
- 6 Genealogy - Family Trees
- 7 Genealogy - General, n. d.
- 8 General Society of Colonial Wars, 1607-1967
- 9 Gorges-Mason Patent: 300th Anniversary, 1922 (Newspaper clipping)
- 10 Grand Army of the Republic - Lafayette Post No. 140, February 1984
- 11 Great Britain - Royal Families
Includes two charts: Chart 1- George V, King of England, compiled by Charles Marshall, 1916; Chart 2 - The Illustrious Lineage of the Royal House of Britain by M. H. Milner, 1904.
- 12 Gretna, Pleasant Valley, New York, n. d. (Clipping)
- 13 Hardenburg Patent
A brief history of the Hardenburg Patent, Old Ulster County, New York, from the *DAR Magazine*, December 1979
- 14 Headstone (Military) - Approved Acts, 1934
- 15 Heraldic Registry - NYGB Society Members, 1901 and n. d.
- 16 Heraldry - The Book of the Baron, ca. 1903
- 2 17 Heraldry - Coat of Arms - General, 1969 and n. d.
- 2 18 Heraldry - Hand Painted Coats of Arms by Betty L. Combs, ca. 1953-1963
(Includes DuBois, Norton and Schenck coats of arms.)
- 19 Hereditary Order of Descendants of Colonial Governors, 1962-1963 (Approved lists)
- 20 Historical Figures - Abraham Lincoln, n. d.
- 21 Historical Figures - Christopher Columbus, 1991 and n. d.
- 22 Historical Figures - General
- 2 23 Holland Settlers (Michigan, Iowa, Wisconsin) - Brochure (Also includes Holland map)
- 2 24 House Numbers & Lost Street Names Changed in New York of the Early Nineteenth Century & Later
Article clipping by Henry B. Hoffmann; source: from the *New York Historical Society Quarterly Bulletin*, V. 21, n. d.
- 2 25 Huguenot Societies, 1949 and 1962
- 2 26 Indians of North America, 1990-1991
Newspaper clippings
- 27 Jewett Family of America, Inc., 1971
Includes a copy of Resolutions adopted on the death of Lucy Ada (Jewett) Prescott of New Rochelle, New York; presented by Worrall D. Prescott, 1971.
- 28 Jubilee Anniversary of the Grace Christian Church of Saint Johnsville, New York, February 7, 1875-February 7, 1925
Also includes the clippings of the History of the Lutheran Church in St. Johnsville by Rev. G. H. Kling.
- 3 1 Kings County, New York - History of the Establishment and Growth of the Kings Park State Hospital (Notes)
- 2 Kings County, New York - The History of the Kings County Lunatic Asylum by William E. Sylvester
- 3 Long Ancestral Homestead, 1938 (Presented by James Hall Long (Member))
- 4 Magna Carta - Executors, ca. 1972 (Article clippings)

- 5 Magna Carta - Runnymede, ca. 1965
- 6 Manhattan Borough Presidents, 2000
- 7 Massachusetts - Governors, n. d.
- 8 Massachusetts - Hampshire Gazette, 1895 (Newspapers)
- 9 Massachusetts - History, 1711 (Photostat copies of letter by Samuel Sewell, 1711)
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- 10 The Melting of George III Leaden Status, 1777 (Photograph; presented by James Calvert Smith.)
- 11 Merchants Exchange National Bank - Name List for Directors, 1897 (Presented by NYGB, 1992.)
- 12 Migration Lines in United States, 1907
- 13 Mohegan Indians & Their Descendants, 1861
- 14 National Society United States Daughters of 1812 - Ohio (Ancestor roster; presented by NYGB, 1943.)
- 15 New Hampshire and Maine - Piscataqua Pioneers, 1941 (Newspaper clippings)
- 16 New York City - Catholic Churches Manhattan Listing, n. d.
- 17 New York City - Cemeteries - General, 1938-1993, n. d.
- 18 New York City - Churches
Manuscript and typescript of Manhattas' Old Bark Mill-New York's First Religious House of the Oldest Church in the United States by Rev. W. N. P. Dailey. Also includes map and pictures.
- 19 New York City - Churches (Episcopal), 1981 (Newspaper clippings)
- 20 New York City - Early African Burial Ground, 1991-1993 (Newspaper clippings)
- 21 New York City - Gramercy Park, 1973 & 1981 (Newspaper clippings)
- 22 New York City - Presbyterian Church Records - Guide (Compiled and donated by Elfrieda A. Kraege, 1982.)
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- 23 New York City Draft Riots
Letter from Edward Markoe Wright to his mother, Sarah Markoe Wright, describing the New York City draft riots of 1863.
- 24 New York History - 19th Century NYC Photographic Portraits, n. d.
- 25 New York History - Bank of New York Stockholders, 1791-1816
Presented by: Bank of New York and Trust Company, 1929.
- 26 New York History - Board of Education Records - New York City, 2000
- 27 New York History - Crime, 1988
- 28 New York History - General, 1923
- 29 New York History - Gravestone Studies, ca. 1979-1982
- 30 New York History - Houses - General, 1971 and n. d.
- 31 New York History - Houses - Octagonal Houses in Northport - Article Clippings, 1958-1980 and n. d.
- 32 New York History - Houses - Octagonal Houses in Northport - Correspondence, 1971-1977 and n. d.
- 33 New York History - Houses - Octagonal Houses in Northport - General, 1939-1977 and n. d.
- 34 New York History - Houses - Octagonal Houses in Northport - Notes, 1970-1977 and n. d.
- 4 1 New York History - Long Island Historical Society, n. d. (Clippings)
- 2 New York History - Long Island Newspapers, 1988
- 3 New York History - Lower East Side Tenement Museum, 1990 and 1996 (Clippings)
- 4 New York History - Military Patents (1793), n. d.
- 5 New York History - New York City Physicians, 1924-1927 (Newspaper clippings)
- 6 Nova Scotia, Canada - Genealogy, 1951 (By R. M. Hattie)
- 7 Oblong, New York - Society of Friends, 1828-1893
Record of Births and Deaths among Friends at Oblong, Dutchess County, New York; from the Frost Collection

- 8 Old State Agricultural College at Ovid, New York & Higher Agricultural Education, n. d. (By Hon. Diedrich Willers, 1906)
- 9 Ontario Chronicle, May 10, 1828 (Newspaper)
- 10 Paines Hollow Church - 100th Anniversary, August 26, 1940 (Newspaper clippings)
- 11 Parish Registers - England, 1973 (Clipping)
- 12 Passenger List of 1656
Photostat copy; presented by Pierpont Morgan Library, New York City.
- 13 Pedigrees of Some of the Emperor Charlemagne's Descendants, n. d. (Also includes newspaper clippings.)
- 14 Pelham Fire Department's 100th Anniversary, September 24, 1993 (Article clipping)
- 15 The Pennsylvania Dutchman, May - September, 1949 (Newspapers)
- 16 Princeton, New Jersey (Newspaper clippings)
- 17 Prison Ships, n. d.
Clippings and material relating to Philip Freneau and the prison ships of the Revolutionary War; presented by Elaine Abelson, 1995.
- 18 Privateer Ships
Original photostatic copies of the articles of Agreement of "General Washington" and "Belisarius;" presented by Henry R. Drowne.
- 19 Pursuivant, n. d.
An Informal newsletter devoted to topics armorial no. 2, January 1971
- 20 Quaker Tombstones
Inscriptions on stones in various Friends' burial grounds; copied by Frank Haviland and others, 1904-1909.
- 5 1 Registry of Marriages, 1888
- 2 A Remarkable Case of Disputed Identity by James K. Riley, 1998
Source from *New York State Bar Journal*, February 8, 1998
- 3 Residents' Name List of Turner Patent, Washington County, New York in 1789
- 4 Rhinebeck, New York - Baptist Church History, 1921 (Newspaper clippings)
- 5 Rhode Island Society, Sons of the Revolution, 1915
List of members; presented by George B. Austin, 1915.
- 6 Rice County Historical Society, 1926-1956 (Booklet)
- 7 Ridgefield, New Jersey - The Reformed Dutch Church of the English Neighborhood, 1924 (Article clipping)
- 8 The Roll of Battle Abbey, n. d.
- 9 Roots Research Bureau, 1984
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- 10 Rotterdam, Schenectady County, New York - Second Reformed Church (Centennial Celebration newspaper clippings)
- 11 Royal Genealogy - England, Great Britain, 1923, 1972 and n. d.
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- 12 Sailing Passes - American Loyalists - New York, NY, 1994
- 13 Saint Andrew's Society of the State of New York, n. d.
- 14 Saint John's Masonic Lodge
History of bible used by George Washington when taking oath as first president; Presented by P. H. Meyer
- 15 Saint Mary's City, Maryland - Vanished Colonial Town Yields Baroque Surprise by John Hartsock, February 5, 1989 (Newspaper clipping)
- 16 Saint Nicholas Society - Engraving - Annual Dinner, December 29, 1877
- 17 Saint Nicholas Society, 1901-1905 and n. d.

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- 19 Schenectady, New York - Text of the True Blues (1867) of Schenectady by William N. P. Dailey
Also includes the script of the 200th Anniversary of the First Reformed Dutch Church by William N. P. Dailey, 1890.
- 20 Schools - General, 1996
- 21 Schools - John Lewis Childs School, 1996 (100th Anniversary Dedication)
- 22 Schools - New York Colonial Schoolmasters, n. d.
- 23 Seneca Falls Historical Society
Photostat of bronze tablet on Linen Industry; newspaper clipping
- 24 Sharon, Schoharie County, New York - History of Sharon Church, 1921
- 25 Ships - Caledonia Records, 1955 (Data collected by Mrs. Robert B. Power)
- 26 Ships - Mary and John from Plymouth, England, n. d.
- 27 Silverthorn, New Jersey - The Origin of Silverthorn, 1930
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- 28 Sketches of an American Family: Caucasian Ancestors by Miriam Cady Natirboff, n. d. (Presented by NYGB, 1999.)
- 29 Society of Colonial Wars, 1984
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- 30 Society of Friends - General, n. d.
- 31 Society of Friends - New York Meetings, n. d.
- 6 1 Society of Friends - Nine Partners - First Book of Records, n.d.
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- 2-4 Society of Friends - Nine Partners Monthly Meeting, n. d. (Handwritten notes.)
- 5 Society of Mayflower Descendants in the State of New York, ca. 1981-1988
- 6 Sons of Liberty - Muster Roll, 1957
- 7 Sotheby's Educational Studies American Arts Course - Chandler High Chest - Decorative Arts Research Paper, 1995 (By C. Peter Junker, 1995)
- 8 Subscriber Lists
Subscribers to a bible published in 1792, 1802 and 1825
- 9 Susquehannah Company, Hartford, Connecticut, 1754
- 10 Trinity Church - Anneke Jans
Includes the Anneke Jans delusions by Torstein Jahr, 1924; Trinity Church held on property in spite of claims of Jans' heirs; The rights of people of the state of New York and the heirs of Anneke Jans by George Sullivan, 1850; Documents of the Union Association of heirs of Harlem, Anneke Jans, Bogardus, Edwards and Webber Estate; Decision of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Appellate Division, first department in the matter of Willis T. Gridley; Power of attorney, Hendrick Bogardus to Reuben Salmon, January 6, 1845; letter dated March
- 11 U. S. Consuls in Rio de Janeiro (1849-1850), n. d.
- 12 Veteran Corps of Artillery - War of 1812
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- 13 The Visible Legacy of New Sweden, n. d. (Pamphlet; compiled by Dr. Richard Hulan.)
- 14 Vital Records of 1832-1834
From the *Baptist Weekly Journal* of 1832-1833 and *The Cross & Baptist Journal* of 1834; compiled and arranged by Elizabeth Hayward, 1947; Presented by NYGB, 1948
- 15 Washington Heights Families
Included are memoranda, copied list, charts and notes; collected by Reginald Pelham Bolton.
- 16 The Weeksville Project, 1977-1992 (Article clippings)