Baldwin/Church Family (of Newport, NH)
Family Papers, 1780-19
bulk dates 1807-1855
1/2 Box

Biographical Notes:
Henry E. Baldwin and Samuel C. Baldwin see attached photocopy.

Scope and Content Notes:
The contents of this collection are largely genealogical. See notes below with each folder list further detail.

Fld 1 Genealogy
dates for ancestors such as Samuel Church (1749), marriage of Samuel C. (b. 1817) and Sarah Symonds Hatch (b. 1824), family register in color, bond to Micah Flanders, 1804; sawmill/gristmill typed genealogy and letters from the 1930's.

Fld 2 Family Correspondence
Account of Capt. Samuel Church of Wilcox & Church, receipt to town for schooling, letter from Franklin Pierce recommending S. C. Baldwin as purser in Navy (1848), letter from C. G. Atherton recommending H.E. Baldwin as purser in Navy 1848, six letters by Henry E. Baldwin while Secretary to Franklin Pierce in 1854-1956; two letters from a French child to unnamed American benefactor.
FLDs 3-11 Scrapbook, contents genealogical, Samuel Church appointment, deeds & indenture, 2 letters to William W. Stark in New London, CT re genealogy, militia and Court of Common Pleas appointments

FLD 12 Reminiscences of Henry E. Baldwin
militia, church music, map, town anecdotes, 1817 worked fro printer, taught school, etc. also including a manuscript volume in the back of the box called "A simple diary of everyday thoughts and events.", 1846 covering activities and people in Boston, when he worked in Customs House and courted lady friend Marcia, mentions visit to Concord to see Franklin Pierce, philosophical musings, marriage to Marcia, long critical illness of Marcia and her death.

FLD 13 Newspaper clippings
Early history of the town of Newport from newspaper

FLD 14 Drawings of houses
Sketches of houses where three family members were born plus one unidentified "mansion"

FLD 15 Broadside of Newport Dramatic Club, now in Special Collections

FLD 16 Printed issue of Mother's Magazine

CARDS MADE FOR THE CATALOG:
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Baldwin, Samuel C.
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