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JEWETT, AARON (1772-1853)
PAPERS, 1796-1902
2 Boxes, ca. 948 Items

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES:

Aaron Jewett was born Feb. 10, 1772 in Ipswich, Massachusetts. In 1794 he married Hannah Nourse (1774-1804). After her death he married Sarah Clark (1782-1859). He lived in Ipswich and Dracut, Mass. and in 1799 moved to Wentworth, NH to settle near Baker Pond. Benjamin Rowell built the first grist and sawmill about 1800 but soon after sold to Aaron Jewett. The site was later known for many years as Brown's Mills. It consisted of a sawmill, gristmill and shingle mill.

The Jewett family owned the mill until it was sold to John F.A. Peabody in 1845.

Aaron Jewett was a prominent member of the town and held many town offices including selectman and Justice of the Peace.

Children of Aaron Jewett and Hannah Nourse:

Betsey Nourse (1795-1856); married Peter Rodimon
Aaron (b. 1797); married (1st) Hannah Eaton, (2d) Lucy J. Hill
Orra (1799-1879); married Amos Clough
Columbus (1802-1854)

Children of Aaron Jewett by Sarah Clark:

Pearson (b. 1805); married Sarah _____
Hannah (1806-1862); married Moses Learned
Alpha C. (b. 1808); married Hannah Flanders
Sally (1809-1856)
Jeremiah (b. 1811); married Mary A. (Flanders) Eams

Aaron Jewett's son Alpha C. Jewett maintained some property on the Pond Brook and was one who suffered the heaviest losses during the great flood of 1856.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE:

Series IA: is comprised of Aaron Jewett's legal papers (1799-1863) including business agreements, deeds, and papers pertaining to legal problems of other people in which he was involved as Justice of the Peace or by virtue of other offices which he held. IB: consists of his business accounts (1801-1847). The bulk of which are from the sawmill with a few early years showing clothing or textile manufacture.

Series II is made up of receipts, notes and accounts of Aaron Jewett and other family members from 1803-1889. Since there are approximately 600 items in this series, it was not felt to be time effective to separate these by individual.

Series III consists of correspondence, legal papers, and other materials (1797-1902) easily identified with a specific member of the family.

Series IV is comprised of records of the Town of Wentworth, NH. These include papers of the school district, tax collector, etc.

Series V includes a variety of miscellaneous. There are weather logs dated at Christmas from 1826-27, and 1836-49. These were presumably kept by Aaron Jewett. There are recipes for dyes, medicine, ink and other mixtures.

SERIES I: AARON JEWETT

Box 1, fld 1 Genealogy (6 items)
 fld 2 Correspondence, 1824-1849 (10 items)

Subseries A: Legal Papers

Box 1, fld 3 General, 1812-1831 (14 items)
 fld 4 Land, 1804-1851 (32 items)
 fld 5 Dams, 1799, 1822, 1831 (4 items)
 fld 6 Justice of the Peace certificates,
 1823, 28, 33, 38 (4 items)
 fld 7 Sheriff & court papers, 1808-1863
 (19 items)
 fld 8 Re: Asa Bamford, 1823-27 (7 items)
 fld 9 Re: Amos Clough, 1833-34 (4 items)
 fld 10 Re: Nathan Davis, 1834-1842 (8 items)
 fld 11 Re: Ambross Foss, 1834-1835 (4 items)
 fld 12 Re: Stephen Huse, 1825-1831 (6 items)
 fld 13 Re: Boynton family, 1828-30,39 (3 items)
 fld 14 Re: Nathan D. Stevens, 1828-35 (4 items)

Subseries B: Accounts, Sawmill & cloth manufacture?

Box 1, fld 15 Cloth, 1801-1823 (1 item)
 env 16 Sawmill & cloth, 1813 (1 item)
 env 17-24 Sawmill, 1826-1835 (1); 1834 (1); 1834-
 39 (1); 1836 (1); 1839 (2); 1841 (1);
 1842 (2); 1845 (1)
 fld 25 Sawmill accounts with Woodman, 1846-1847
 (1 item)
 fld 26 Hooping, barrels, tubs & buckets, 1847
 (2 items)

SERIES II: JEWETT FAMILY RECEIPTS, NOTES & ACCOUNTS
(Including Aaron & other family members)

Box 1, fld 27	1803-1809 (ca. 50 items)
fld 28	1810-1819 (ca. 50 items)
fld 29	1820-1824 (ca. 50 items)
fld 30	1825-1829 (ca. 50 items)
fld 31	1830-1834 (ca. 50 items)
fld 32	1835-1839 (ca. 50 items)
Box 2, fld 1	1840-1849 (ca. 50 items)
fld 2	1850-1859 (ca. 50 items)
fld 3	1860-1869 (ca. 50 items)
fld 4	1870-1879 (ca. 50 items)
fld 5	1880-1889 (27 items)
fld 6	undated (ca. 50 items)
env 7	Accounts, 1823 (1 item)
env 8	Church, 1855-1859 (1 item)
env 9	1858 (1 item)
env 10	1869-1872 (1 item)

SERIES III: JEWETT FAMILY PAPERS

Box 2, fld 12	Correspondence, 1827-1875, 1944 (13 items)
fld 13	Legal papers, wills, estates, 1796-1825 (7 items)
fld 14	Guardianship-Fanny Jewett, 1813, 24-25 (6 items)
fld 15	Statira Jewett, patterns, 1818 (5 items)
fld 16-18	Alpha C. & Jeremiah Jewett, 1822-1868 (28 items)
fld 19	Samuel Jewett of Guilford, 1826, 1839-40 (4 items)
fld 20	Smith Jewett, 1830-1831 (4 items)
fld 21	Harlan Jewett, Meredith Bridge, 1848, 1860-62 (4 items)
fld 22	Jacob Jewett, land, undated (9 items)
fld 23	Misc. family members, 1831-1902 (13 items)
fld 24	Farrar family, 1823-1859 (11 items)

SERIES IV: TOWN OF WENTWORTH

Box 2, fld 25	Town papers, 1808-1837 (18 items)
fld 26	School district, 1805-1837 (45 items)
fld 27	Highways, tax collector, 1814, 1835, 1848, 1852 (7 items)

SERIES V: MISCELLANEOUS

Box 2, fld 28	Weather logs, Christmas 1826-27, 36-49 (6 items)
fld 29	Religious Memoranda (3 items)
fld 30	Recipes-dyes, medicines, ink (17 items)

Box 2, fld 31	Misc. memoranda (9 items)
fld 32	Misc. (18 items)

CARDS MADE FOR CATALOG:

Sawmill	Genealogy-Jewett
Dams	Deeds
Occ-Justice of the Peace	Wentworth, NH
Guardianships	Bamford, Asa
Clough, Amos	Davis, Nathan
Foss, Ambrose	Huse, Stephen
Boynton family (Wentworth, NH)	
Stevens, Nathan D.	Accounts
Recipes	Wills
Estates	Jewett, Fanny
Jewett, Statira	Jewett, Alpha C.
Jewett, Jeremiah	Jewett, Smith
Jewett, Jacob	Jewett, Harlan J.
Jewett, Samuel	Meredith Bridge, NH
Farrar Family	Weather

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SEPARATION RECORD

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The following items have been removed from the collection:

Item	Disposition
Laconia Democrat August 5, 1898	Library
Illustrated Life in Lowell ca. 1848	Library
Flyer on surgeon's trusses printed in Concord, NH	"
Dr. Quain's magic condition Pills flyer American Medicine co. Manchester, NH ca. 1875	"
Markings on hand , devine healing flyer London	"
Speech Mr. Benton of Missouri Jan 1840 re payment of state debts	"