

**MARSTON/EASTMAN
PAPERS**

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION:

Gilman Marston & Edwin G. Eastman see attached biographical information.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE:

Marstons papers concern his legal cases and business ventures, politics, and legislation.. There are letters from men who served with him in the 2nd NH and Civil War including Fitz John Porter, Benjamin Butler, and Thomas McClosky. See below for details.

The Eastman papers mainly involve legal matters and the B&M railroad.

INVENTORY:

- Fld 1 From Marston, 1865-1889
 To: copy to James G. Blaine re politics, K.W. Wheeler &, J.C. Lang, Horace Everett & J.J. Brown re legal/financial matters, O. Waite re building Ocean House hotel at Boar's Head, to the Governor accepting appt as Senator.
- Fld 2 To Marston, 1841-1882
 From: P.T. Woodbury, Daniel Beede re legal & patronage matters, Peter S. Michie re business mining & Gen. Butler J.H. Wilkinson (2) re his oiler see folder #9, Kirke W. Wheeler & P.C. Knight (4) re legal matter Leonard Everett re legal matter, Thos. McClosky request for testimonial re his Civil War service (written in 1881), Wm Perry Fogg re legal, Charles Marseilles defense of Roscoe Conkling eight pages, J.S.H. Frink legal?, C.Marston Fague (2) requests for money
- Fld 3 To Marston, Jan-June, 1883
 From; J.M. Fague re money, Geo. Barstow & Alfred Cohen re legal matter, , G.W. Lane & W.H. Shurtliff re railroad matters, Henry S. Hale re legal matter, Benj. Butler re visits of E.C. Carrigain and himself (2), W.E. Chandler brief note, , Dean Peabody, & J.S. Brown & J.L. Leavitt & J.C. Lane & Edwin Jones & Harvey Carvell & James Man - Postmaster General & David Cross & George Libbey re legal and patronage matters

L.C. Bartlett Pres. of Dartmouth College re legislative appropriations, Albert Perkins personal note, Elizabeth Goodall re legal question, L.D. Mason re politics, N.C. Twombly re petition against barbed wire fencing, F.S. Fiske offer to help in election..

- Fld 4 To Marston, July, 1883
 From: Richard Woodham re his commitment to the Insane Asylum, G.B. Chandler re insurance dividend, Fitz. John Porter (2) re friendship & election, George W. ? re political support, Jeremiah Smith re judicial matter, Frank S. Fiske re political support, John Stetson legislative matter, Daniel Marcy re politics & taxes, N.B. Prescott support, E. A. J. Sawyer legislative matter, N. M. Jewell legislation against peddlers, Charles Gilman support A.B. Currier brief note, John L. Hayes support, Fred N. Dow re patronage, Walter Emerson musician writes personal note.
- Fld 5 To Marston, Aug, 1883
 From: Daniel Chesley legal, Walter Emerson personal , Carrie Lamprey personal re her marriage, Jas. McCarty (2) re Civil War & election, Sec. for Sen. Frye - Maine letter of introduction H.S. Cummings politics, Fitz John Porter re sad over election, J.C. Woolcot Civil War pension request, Edna Taylor personal, Randolph Delancey damage done by Jeremiah Marston's chickens, Elizabeth Marston (2) personal, Ossian Ray - North Pond in Stark, NH & Percy Summer Club, L.C. Bartlett re Dartmouth College, C.E. Perkins legal
- Fld 6 To: Marston, 1884-1885 & undated
 From: A.R. Simmons 2nd reg reunion finances, Horace Cummings (2) re politics and Blair, Louis Hoyt re legal case, Wm Ladd legal case, S.H. Pillsbury political support?, J.S.H. Frink (2) re legal/legislative matter, ? Chadwick re trustee meeting.
- Fld 7 To: Eastman, 1883-1888
 From: Daniel Cross & Arthur Dodge & Sidney Scammon re legal matters, Oscar Faulhuber? paying debts (2), Frank Parsons politics, L.M. Leavitt bill collecting, James Furber re B&M RR (8), all of these letters are about accidents or settlements.

- Fld 8 To: Eastman, 1894-1915 & undated
 From: E.R. Kimball & R.J. Monk re legal matters, L.G. Hoyt re Massabesic Lake, George Hodges legal matter, Wm. E. Chandler bank failure, Charles A. Burnham re revolutionary pension and inheritance, George Jackson personal, Louis G. Wyman re real estate, Ezra Smith re liquor in Peterboro, Warren Evans brief note letter head with photo engraved, George Wentworth info re time it takes for letter when trains leave etc., Albert S. Batchellor study for bar exam, Irving J. Hobbs NH Bar exam & refers to A.E. Kenison, Richard W. Hale legal matters, Henry Putney politics, & Wilkinson NH Railroad Commission stationary.
- Fld 9 Miscellaneous correspondence, 1868-
 L.H. Scurrah to Benj. Butler re back wages, 1868
 Pitkin C. Wright to Harriette E. Sanborn re money problem, 1873
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 Tuck? to Dear Sir re Judge Clark & pleas, 1874
 Leavitt & Knight to Dean Peabody re law suit, 1883
 Katharine Bullard (2) to Dear Friend re politics, 1884
 Daniel Hall to Dear Sir [Eastman?] re: running for Congress 1888
 Alice M Gilman copy to Mr. Hoyt re: Marston's run for Congress 1888?
 J.H. Wilkinson (4 items) re patent for automatic oiling crank pins
- Fld 10 Concord and Northern Railroad, 1865?, Contract
- Fld 11 Bills & receipts, 1868-1888
- Fld 12 Misc. including estate papers Gilman Marston showing Edwin Eastman as Executor, printed list of subscribers who paid for the purchase of Thomas Hill's "Crawford Notch" painting for NHHS, Copy of 1865 petition to leave Joseph D. Pillow as Inspector of Customs in Portsmouth.

SUBJECT ENTRIES:

Eastman, Edwin G.
Butler, Benjamin
Hill, Thomas
Railroads, Concord
Politics, NH, 1888
McClosky, Thomas
Chandler, William E.
Furber, James
Wyman, Louis G.
Hall, Daniel
Mining
Hotel's- Boar's Head
Blaine, James G. - letter to
Dartmouth College
Mentally Ill- institutional care
Occ- musician
Exeter, NH

Marston, Gilman
Porter, Fitz John
Pillow (?), Joseph D.
Railroads, Northern
Wilkinson, J.H.
Marseilles, Charles
Ray, Ossian
Railroads -B&M
Civil War
Barbed wire
Hotels-Ocean House
Michie, Peter S.
Bartlett, L.C.
Conkling, Roscoe
Emerson, Walter - musician
Occ-lawyer
Massabesic Lake