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Contents of Grey Box No. 17

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In this box are personal letters to Abbie Mellen Chamberlain and to Jennie Chamberlain Watts. Also found is the application of Jennie Chamberlain Watts to the CAA also a journal that appears to be the Jane Shedd Journal. These original items are found in the *Chamberlain Collection* at the New England Historic and Genealogical Society, Boston, MA.

Grey Box 17: Letters and Correspondences

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| 1. | Mary Chamberlain Warren, 4 page letter, Sep. 29, 1914 | 21. | Wedding invitation, Jessie Louise Taft, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Lorado Taft, to Roger Allan Crane, Jul. 3, 1925 |
| 2. | Katherine Chamberlain, 4 page letter, Jul 29, 1923 | 22. | Ada B. Taft, Aug. 29, yr missing, 3 page letter |
| 3. | Sarah Chamberlin Watts, Printed non published Obituary, Jul. 24, 1870, see transcription | 23. | Wedding invitation, Mary Taft, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Lorado Taft, to Raymond A. Smith, Sep. 1, 1924. |
| 4. | The Erasman, Erasman Hall High School Magazine, April 1901, 4 pages, with picture of Jennie Chamberlain Watts | 24. | Ada B. Taft, not dated, 3 page letter |
| 5. | 2 page type written letter dated Mar. 15, 1899, See original for name of writer | 25. | Dec 22, 1916, 2 pages, no author |
| 6. | Carrie M. Whithill, 2 page letter, 1916 | 26. | Mary Taft Smith, Jan. 5, 1925, 4 page letter |
| 7. | Wedding invitation: Lydia Warren, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Edward E. Warren, to Frederic William Chamberlin, Jan. 11, 1906 | 27. | Ada B. Taft, 2 page letter not dated |
| 8. | Unreadable announcement: see original | 28. | Florence, Dec. 29, yr missing, 2 page letter |
| 9. | Martin Plimpton, 4 pages, with Plimpton genealogy | 29. | Ada B Taft, 5 page letter, no date |
| 10. | Lorado Taft, 3 page magazine article, “A Preacher in Chiseled Marble” | 30. | Ada B Taft, Jul. 28, 1909, 3 pages, |
| 11. | William C. Strong, 2 page letter Jun 7, 1900 | 31. | Ada B. Taft, Feb. 3, 1921, 2 pages |
| 12. | William C. Strong, 2 page letter Nov. 22, 1906 | 32. | Ada B. Taft, Dec. 22, 1919, 3 pages |
| 13. | H. F. Strong, 2 page letter April 21, yr missing | 33. | Ada B. Taft, not dated, 3 pages |
| 14. | Wedding invitation, Margaret Strong, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. William Ellsworth Strong to Mr. Stuart Merriam Hill, May 29, 1920. | 34. | Ada B. Taft, aug. 26, no year, 3 pages |
| 15. | Wedding invitation, Alice Bigelow, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. John A. Bigelow, to Arthur Mitchell Strong, Oct. 18, 1898. | 35. | Mary Taft Smith, May 7, 1929, 3 pages |
| 16. | Elizabeth G. Strong, two page letter not dated, Describing death of husband | 36. | Annie C. Strong, Feb. 15, 1925, 2 pages |
| 17. | C. Arthur Strong, Jan. 9, yr missing, 2 page letter | 37. | Annie, Dec 3, no year, 2 pages |
| 18. | Arthur N. Strong, Jan. 21, 1917, 2 page letter | 38. | Linus Child, May 3, 1864, 2 pages |
| 19. | William C. Strong, Jan. 17, 1903, | 39. | Wedding Invitation, Helen Webster Strong, daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Ellsworth Strong, to Harold Hough Lounsberry, Apr. 28, 1923 |
| 20. | one page article by Rev. Edwin H. Byington, “The Fourth Century Forward Movement.” | 40. | Laura, letter Mar. 13, 1915, 4 pages |
| | | 41. | Park Heath, undated Estate of Lydia C. Shedd Opinion, 5 pages |
| | | 42. | Poem to EGS on her 90th birthday, “Playing Grown-Up” |
| | | 43. | Annie, Jan. 1, 1923, 3 pages |
| | | 44. | Annie, Dec. 4, 1923 2 pages |
| | | 45. | Alicia B. Strong, Oct., 1923, 2 pages |
| | | 46. | Annie, Aug. 5, 1914, 2 pages, discusses “Jane’s” Terrible accident |
| | | 47. | Annie, Sep. 16, 1915, 4 pages |
| | | 48. | Jennie Chamberlain Watts CAA Application for Admission |
| | | 49. | Jennie Chamberlain Watts, 2 page biography |

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50. Ella Chamberlain notes describing the following items sent: photograph, Llarger Bible Dictionary by Jacob Chamberlain, stories by 12 Bahamians
51. Jane Shedd Journal 70 pages, many Chamberlains recorded in Edmund line.
52. Miss Ellora G. Chamberlain, #406, 1 page letter, Providence RI
53. Margaret E. Chamberlain, not dated , 2 pages,
54. Rebecca Vaudevauter Chamberlain Baker
55. Emily S. Bartlett, Jan. 21 yr missing, 3 pages
56. Emily S. Bartlett, Oct 11, yr missing, 3 page letter
57. D. P. Coursey, Feb 18, 1907, 1 age typed letter
58. Sarah C. Dareau, not dated, 3 pages
59. Frederick W. Wassam, Feb. 14, 1907, inquiry concerning record book of Rev. Thomas Cheever
60. Miss A. B. Chamberlain, Mar 30, 1898, Reference to CAA prospectus *
61. Genealogical notes from Shedd Journal
62. Henry Chamberlain, Mobile, AL, Oct. 12, 1898, inquiry about CAA
63. Margaret E. Chamberlain, undated 1 page letter
64. Emily S. Bartlett, Jan. 10, yr missing,
65. Ada M. Taft, not dated, 3 pages
66. 4 page letter, not dated, unnamed.
67. Jessie, Nov. 2, 1897, 6 pages, from artist camp in IL
68. Jessie, Dec. 29, 1922, Paris France, , 4 pages
69. Jessie Bartlett, June, 30, 1924, Paris France, 9 pages
70. Emily S. Bartlett, not dated, 2 pages
71. Emily S. Bartlett, May 28, no year, 2 pages
72. Emily S. Bartlett, Dec. 20, 1922, Daphney, France, 4 pages, refer to Jennie's Aunt's Illness
73. Emily S. Bartlett, Nov. 16, 1916, refer to "cousin's death", 3 pages from Chicago
74. Jessie, Jan. 10, 1916, 3 pages,
75. Ada, Nov 1, yr missing, 7 pages
76. Alice C. Darrow, Mar 31, 1930, reference to Uncle "Will" Chamberlain's poor health, 3 pages
77. Alice C. Darrow, Nov 8, 1925, 4 pages from Nanking, China
78. Ada Bartlett Nov. 2, Mrs. Bartlett engaged to Mr. Taft, reference to Jennie working on John Quincy Adams manuscript
79. Emily S. Bartlett, Apr. 27, yr missing, 2 pages, baby "Jessie Adelaide"
80. 8 page letter, no name, no date
81. Mrs. H. W. Aldrich, Dec. 4, 1916, mentions passing of Abbie Mellen Chamberlain, 1 page
82. Mrs. Harry W. Aldrich, 1915, mentions son Harry, mentions Ella Chamberlain's death
83. Helen Guilford, Apr. 2, 1899, some genealogical data, 2 paged
84. Helen Guilford, Dec. 12, 1909, 4 page letter, some genealogical data, Deborah Chamberlain, d. March 30, 1814, age 2 1, Hannah F. Chamberlain d. Jul. 29, 1814, age 26: found names in cemetery, William Chamberlain Palmer, in CA, , Corilla Stevens, m.. a Sooner and not a Sprague, more.
85. M J Boynton, Nov. 10, 1910, 1 page typed letter, mention of Chamberlain Book
86. Jessie Bartlett, Dec. 21, 1910, 2 pages
87. undated, unnamed 2 page letter
88. Emily S. Bartlett, Dec. 27, 1919, 2 pages
89. Jessie Bartlett, Feb. 28, 1913
90. Wedding Invitation, Ada Bartlett, daughter of Emily Bartlett, to Lorado Taft, Feb. 11, 1896
91. Jessie Bartlett, Dec. 23, 1921, 8 page letter
92. Emily S. Bartlett, Nov. 9, 1920, 2 page letter
93. Emily S. Bartlett, Feb., 1922, 3 page letter
94. Emily S. Bartlett, Jul. 17, 1907, 3 page letter
95. Emily S. Bartlett, Aug 22, no year, 3 page
96. Jessie Bartlett, Dec. 29, 1916, condolences about death of Abbie Mellen Chamberlain
97. May 24, 1924 letter
98. Obituary from March 31, 1930 for Rev. Dr. Henry Thomas Perry
99. Notes from Mrs Guilfond's letters
100. Arthur M. Stony, undated letter, 2 pages with short obituary, Emily Fairbanks,
101. O. Felo, Dec. 1908, 2 pages mentions William C. Strong born Feb 5, 1871, d. Nov. 23, 1908, m. Alice Boynton, Oct. 18, 1898
102. Mrs. Jane C. Means, Obituary Jun. 27, 1912
103. Jane C. Means, Aug. 29, no year, 4 page letter
104. undated, unnamed 4 page letter
105. Jenny, Dec. 27, no year, 4 pages
106. J. C., Apr. 12, 1903, 7 page letter
107. O. Felo Mar 13, 1909, 6 page letter
108. 12 page Journal listing numerous Chamberlains
109. Obituary of Mrs. Woodhul, wife of Rev. George S. Woodhul, b 1829
110. Letter to Dr. Chamberlain, Washington, DC, May 1900, about CAA
111. Allen G. Chamberlain, handwritten Application to CAA, April, 1907
112. Rollin S. Chamberlin, handwritten notes with Application Information
113. Obituary of Mrs. Elizabeth Woodhul
114. 8 pages of miscellaneous notes

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