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Collection Summary

Title: John William Draper Family Papers

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Creator: Draper, John William, 1811-1882

Extent: 16,100 items; 45 containers plus 2 oversize; 18.4 linear feet

Language: Collection material in English

Repository: Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

Abstract: Scientist and historian. Correspondence, family papers, subject files, manuscript and printed copies of speeches, articles, and books, financial papers, and miscellany relating to Draper's scientific work and as a historian and including the papers of his son, Daniel Draper (1841-1931), and other family members.

Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

People

Abbe, Cleveland, 1838-1916--Correspondence.

Agassiz, Alexander, 1835-1910--Correspondence.

Alvord, Benjamin, 1813-1884--Correspondence.

Bailey, Theodorus, 1805-1877--Correspondence.

Bancroft, George, 1800-1891--Correspondence.

Barnard, F. A. P. (Frederick Augustus Porter), 1809-1889--Correspondence.

Bell, Alexander Graham, 1847-1922--Correspondence.

Bell, George, 1814-1890--Correspondence.

Cattell, James McKeen, 1860-1944--Correspondence.

Colfax, Schuyler, 1823-1885--Correspondence.

Cullum, George W. (George Washington), 1809-1892--Correspondence.

Dahlgren, John Adolphus Bernard, 1809-1870--Correspondence.

Dana, Edward Salisbury, 1849-1935--Correspondence.

Dana, James Dwight, 1813-1895--Correspondence.

Darling, William, 1802-1884--Correspondence.

Darwin, Charles, 1809-1882--Correspondence.

Darwin, Charles, 1809-1882.

Draper family.

Draper, Daniel, 1841-1931. Daniel Draper papers. 1861-1931.

Draper, Henry, 1837-1882. Henry Draper papers.

Draper, John C. (John Christopher), 1835-1885. John C. Draper papers.

Draper, John William, 1811-1882.

Eiffel, Gustave, 1832-1923--Correspondence.

Franklin, Benjamin, 1706-1790.

Gibbon, John, 1827-1896--Correspondence.

Gladstone, W. E. (William Ewart), 1809-1898--Correspondence.

Grant, Ulysses S. (Ulysses Simpson), 1822-1885--Correspondence.

Hazen, William Babcock, 1830-1887--Correspondence.

Herschel, John F. W. (John Frederick William), Sir, 1792-1871--Correspondence.

Holmes, Oliver Wendell, 1809-1894--Correspondence.

Huxley, Thomas Henry, 1825-1895.

Lossing, Benson John, 1813-1891--Correspondence.

Ludlow family.
Morey family.
Mott, Valentine, 1785-1865--Correspondence.
Newcomb, Simon, 1835-1909--Correspondence.
Sherman, William T. (William Tecumseh), 1820-1891--Correspondence.
Silliman, Benjamin, 1816-1885--Correspondence.
Smyth, C. Piazza (Charles Piazza), 1819-1900--Correspondence.
Spencer, Herbert, 1820-1903--Correspondence.
Spofford, Ainsworth Rand, 1825-1908--Correspondence.
Stanton, Edwin McMasters, 1814-1869--Correspondence.
Tyndall, John, 1820-1893--Correspondence.
Welles, Gideon, 1802-1878--Correspondence.
Whitney, J. D. (Josiah Dwight), 1819-1896--Correspondence.
Wilberforce, Samuel, 1805-1873.
Wood, Thomas John, 1823-1906--Correspondence.
Youmans, William Jay, 1838-1901--Correspondence.

Organizations

American Chemical Society.
British Association for the Advancement of Science.
New York Meteorological Observatory.
New York University. Medical Dept.

Subjects

Evolution (Biology)
Medical colleges--New York (State)--New York.
Meteorological stations--New York (State)--New York.
Meteorology--New York (State)--New York.
Science--History--19th century.
Universities and colleges--New York (State)--New York.

Places

United States--History--Civil War, 1861-1865.

Occupations

Historians.
Scientists.

Administrative Information

Provenance

The papers of John William Draper, scientist and historian, his son Daniel Draper (1841-1931), and other family members were donated to the Library of Congress by his great-grandson Daniel C. Draper in 1973 and 1974.

Processing History

The Draper family papers were processed in 1978. The finding aid was revised in 2010.

Transfers

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Access and Restrictions

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Biographical Note

John William Draper

<i>Date</i>	<i>Event</i>
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1811, May 5	Born, St. Helen's near Liverpool, England
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1829-1831	Attended University of London, London, Enbland
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1831	Married Antonia Caetana de Paiva Pereira Gardner
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1832	Immigrated to America
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1839	Among those taking the first clear photographs of the human face
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1839	Took first astrophotographs, using the moon as subject
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1839-1882	Professor of chemistry, New York University, New York, N.Y.
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1850-1882	President of the medical school, New York University, New York, N.Y.
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1856	Published <i>Human Physiology, Statical and Dynamical</i> . New York: Harper
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1860	Delivered paper on the intellectual development of Europe at Oxford, England
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1863	Published <i>History of the Intellectual Development of Europe</i> . New York: Harper & Bros.
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1867-1870	Published <i>History of the American Civil War</i> . New York: Harper (3 vols.)
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1874	Published <i>History of the Conflict Between Religion and Science</i> . New York: D. Appleton
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1878	Published <i>Scientific Memoirs</i> . New York: Harper & Brothers
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1882, Jan. 4	Died, New York, N.Y.
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Daniel Draper	
<i>Date</i>	<i>Event</i>
1841, Apr. 2	Born, New York, N.Y.
1868	Established Meteorological Observatory in Central Park, New York, N.Y.
1868-1911	Director of Meteorological Observatory in Central Park, New York, N.Y.
1880	Received doctorate from New York University, New York, N.Y.
circa 1886	Patented self-recording barometer
1887	Married Ann ("Nancy" "Nannie") Maury Ludlow
1931, Dec. 21	Died, New York, N.Y.

Scope and Content Note

The papers of John William Draper (1811-1882) and family span the years 1777-1951, but bulk largest in the period 1860-1882. The papers relate chiefly to the scientist and historian John William Draper and to his youngest son Daniel Draper (1841-1931). However, John William Draper's other sons, John Christopher Draper and Henry Draper, are also represented as are other members of the Draper, Maury, and Ludlow families. Included in the papers are family and general correspondence, subject files, speech, article, and book files, financial papers, and miscellaneous material. The collection is organized in four series: [John William Draper Papers](#), [Daniel Draper Papers](#), [Other Draper Family Papers](#), and [Oversize](#).

[General correspondence](#) in the [John William Draper Papers](#) includes many letters relating to his scientific and historical interests. Among his numerous scientific correspondents are Alexander Agassiz, F. A. P. Barnard, Edward Salisbury Dana, Benjamin Silliman, and John Tyndall. Information contained in correspondence with leading military officers aided Draper in writing his history of the Civil War published in 1867-1870. William T. Sherman, impressed with Draper's writing, volunteered his help after reading the preface to the first volume of the history. Other correspondents include George Bancroft, George W. Cullum, John Adolphus Bernard Dahlgren, Ulysses S. Grant, Herbert Spencer, and William Jay Youmans.

Papers relating to Draper's nomination as president of the American Chemical Society in 1876, presentation of the Rumford Medal in 1875, and his work as president of the Medical Department of New York University are contained in a [subject file](#) of his papers.

The [speech, article, and book file](#) contains Draper's speech in 1860 at Oxford, England, before the British Association for the Advancement of Science, working manuscripts and notes for some of his books and articles, including a holograph copy of his *Life of Franklin*, apparently written in the mid-1870s and unpublished during his lifetime, and lectures delivered at New York University.

Household bills and receipts, account books, and canceled checks make up the bulk of John William Draper's [financial papers](#). [Miscellaneous](#) items include his diploma from the University of London, biographical material, realty papers, genealogies, and printed matter.

The [Daniel Draper Papers](#) include [family](#) and [general correspondence](#), a [subject file](#), [financial papers](#), and [miscellaneous](#) material that documents his career as a meteorologist with the New York Meteorological Observatory from 1868 to 1911. There are subject files and correspondence with such prominent scientists as Cleveland Abbe, Alexander Graham Bell, James McKeen Cattell, Gustave Eiffel, Valentine Mott, C. Piazzzi Smyth, and John Tyndall.

Other Draper Family Papers are at the end of the collection. These papers consist chiefly of correspondence to and from a large number of family members. Of special interest are letters from John William Draper's sons, John Christopher and Henry, while serving with the army at Fort McHenry and Harpers Ferry in 1862. A letter in a series written by John William Draper from Oxford, England, to his sister, Dorothy Catherine Draper, and other members of the family concerns a paper from 1860 on the intellectual development of Europe that instigated the exchange between Samuel Wilberforce and Thomas Henry Huxley on the Darwinian theory of the origin of species.

Other correspondents include Benjamin Alvord, Theodorus Bailey, George Bell, Schuyler Colfax, James Dwight Dana, William Darling, Charles Darwin, John Gibbon, W. E. Gladstone, William Babcock Hazen, John F. W. Herschel, Oliver Wendell Holmes, Benson John Lossing, Simon Newcomb, Ainsworth Rand Spofford, Edwin McMasters Stanton, Gideon Welles, J. D. Whitney, and Thomas John Wood.

Arrangement of the Papers

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Arranged alphabetically by type of material.
- BOX 42-45 Other Draper Family Papers, 1777-1951
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Arranged alphabetically by name of family member.
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BOX 2	Botta, Anne Lynch Botta, Vincenzo Brace, Charles Loring Bright, John Brougham, Henry Peter Buckham, M. H. Burgess, John William "Ca-Cu" miscellaneous Cabell, James Lawrence Campbell, Archibald Carpenter, William Benjamin Chambers, Robert Chandler, Charles Frederick Clifford, William Kingdon

	Cocke, William Archer
	Cohen, Solomon Solis
	Colfax, Schuyler
	Crosby, Howard
	Cullum, George W.
	Curtis, Frederick S.
	"D" miscellaneous
	Dahlgren, John Adolphus Bernard
	(2 folders)
BOX 3	Dana, Edward Salisbury
	Dana, James Dwight
	Darling, William
	Darwin, Charles Robert (1809-1882)
	De la Rue, Warren
	Depeyster, John Watts
	Dickson, Samuel Henry
	Dobell, Horace Benge
	Downes, Arthur
	Duffy, Charles Gavan
	"E-F" miscellaneous
	(2 folders)
	Farragut, David Glasgow
	Ferris, Isaac
	"G" miscellaneous
	Gibbon, John
	Gibbs, Wolcott
	Gillmore, Quincy Adams
	Gladstone, William Ewart
	Goodwin, John Noble
	Grant, Ulysses S.
BOX 4	"H" miscellaneous
	Harper, Joseph Wesley, Jr.
	Harper & Brothers
	Hayes, Rutherford Birchard
	Hazen, William Babcock
	Henry, Joseph
	Herndon, William H.
	Herschel, John Frederick William (1792-1871)
	Herschel, John (1837-1921)
	Holden, Edward Singleton
	Holmes, Oliver Wendell
	Huntington, Daniel
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	(2 folders)

	Landgon, Loomis L.
	Langley, Samuel P.
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	Lea, Isaac
	Leidy, Joseph
	Lockyer, Joseph Norman
	Longman, William
	Loyson, Emelie J. (Mrs. Charles Loyson)
	Lossing, Benson John
	"M" miscellaneous
	MacKay, Charles
	Martin, William R.
	Masaryk, Tomás Garrigue
	Mayer, Alfred Marshall
	Mayo, Charles
	Meade, E. R.
	Meigs, James Aitken
	Moore, George Henry
	Moran, Benjamin
	Morgan, George W.
	Mosher, Thomas Bird
	Mott, Valentine (1785-1865)
	Murray, John
	"N" miscellaneous
	Newcomb, Simon
	Newton, John
	Nott, Josiah Clark
	"O" miscellaneous
	Opdycke, Emerson
	Opdycke, Lucy W.
	"P" miscellaneous
	Page, William
	Paine, Martyn
BOX 6	"Q" miscellaneous
	Quincy, Edmund
	"R" miscellaneous
	Reid, Whitelaw
	Rogers, William Barton
	Roscoe, Henry Enfield
	"S" miscellaneous
	Sherman, Ellen E.
	Sherman, William T., 1862-1882
	(5 folders)
BOX 7	Stanton, Edwin McMasters
	Sillman, Benjamin
	Smith, Henry John Stephen

Smyth, C. Piazzì
Spencer, Herbert
Spofford, Ainsworth Rand
"T" miscellaneous
Taylor, Richard
Thornton, John Wingate
Townsend, Edward Davis
Trist, Nicholas Philip
Tyndall, John
"U-W" miscellaneous
 (3 folders)
Warren, Henry White
Waterhouse, Alfred
Welles, Gideon
Whitney, Josiah Dwight
Wilson, William L.
Wood, Thomas J.
Woodward, Joseph Janvier
Worthington, T.
Wright, Horatio G.
Yandell, Lunsford Pitts
Youmans, Edward Livingston
Youmans, William Jay
"Y-Z" miscellaneous, unidentified, miscellany
 (2 folders)

- BOX 8 Subject File, 1855-1924
 Correspondence, catalogs, and reports.
 Arranged alphabetically by subject.
- BOX 8 American Chemical Society
 John William Draper Memorial Park, Hastings-on-Hudson, N.Y.
 Rumford Medal
 University of New York, New York, N.Y.
- BOX 8-15 Speech, Article, Book File, 1841-1878
 Holograph and printed copies of Draper's speeches, and articles, books,
 and miscellaneous writings.
 Arranged alphabetically within each group.
- BOX 8 Speeches and articles
 Address to the American Union Academy, 31 Jan. 1870
 "Allotropism of Chlorine as Connected with the Theory of Substitutions"
 "Description of the Photographic Spectrum"
 "Evolution: Its Origin, Progress, and Consequences"
 "Franklin's Place in the Scientific Movement of the 18th Century"
 "The Great Conflict"

	Inaugural address as president of the American Chemical Society, 16 Nov. 1876
	"The Influence of Physical Agents on Life"
	Introductory lecture to the course of chemistry, 1841, 1845
	Introductory lecture to the course of 1869-1870 in the Medical Department, University of New York, New York, N.Y
	"On the Fixed Lines in the Ultra-Red Invisible Region of the Spectrum"
	"On a New Form of Spectrometer and on the Distribution of the Intensity of Light in the Spectrum"
	"On the Intellectual Development of Europe," 1860
	"Origin and Deposit of Fat"
	"On the Production of Light by Heat"
	"On the Relations of Atmospheric Air to Animals and Plants"
	"Political Effect of the Decline of Faith in Continental Europe"
	"Researchers in Actino-Chemistry"
	"Theory and Phenomena of Heat"
	Valedictory lecture, 1842
	"Volvanos"
BOX 9	Books
	<i>History of the American Civil War</i>
	(7 folders)
BOX 10	(2 folders)
	<i>History of the Conflict between Religion and Science</i>
	(4 folders)
BOX 11	(6 folders)
BOX 12	(4 folders)
BOX 13	<i>Life of Franklin</i>
	<i>Scientific Memoirs</i>
	(5 folders)
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	Miscellaneous writings
	Abstracts of experiments
	Book reviews (reviews of John William Draper's books)
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	Arranged alphabetically by type of material.
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	Biographical material, certificates, deeds and mortgages, genealogies, newspaper clippings, and printed matter.
	Arranged alphabetically by type of material.
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	Birth certificate, 1811
	Certificate of Honours, University of London, 1831
	Certificate of marriage, 1831
	Certificates, miscellaneous
	Citizenship papers, 1848
	Death of John William Draper
	Deeds and mortgages
	(2 folders)
	Description of land
	Estate
	Genealogies of Draper, Ludlow, and Maury families
	Notebook, "Chapman's Lectures on the Practice of Medicine"
	Notes
	Property maps
BOX 19	Miscellaneous cards, congressional bill, recipe, notes, scientific drawings, and other items
	(2 folders)
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	(3 folders)
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	Letters from family members.
	Arranged alphabetically by name of person.
BOX 23	Dixon, Annie P.
	Dixon, Antonia Draper
	Dixon, Edward H.
	Dixon, Hatty
	Draper, Anna Palmer
	Draper, Charlotte E.
	Draper, Dorothy C.
	Draper, Dorothy C. (daughter)

Daniel Draper Papers, 1861-1931

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Contents

	Draper, Harriet Maury
	Draper, Henry
	Draper, John C.
	Draper, Mrs. John C.
	Draper, M. A. P.
	Draper, Ann ("Nancy") Maury Ludlow (wife)
	Gardner, Antonia P.
BOX 24	Gardner, Boris
	Gardner, Catherine
	Gardner, Daniel
	Gardner, J. W.
	Gardner, Lillie
	Gardner, Tom
	Getty, Walter P.
	Hamlen, Elinor
	Hamlen, Elizabeth
	Ludlow, Francis Maury
	Ludlow, Harriet V. N.
	Ludlow, Hattie
	Ludlow, Josephine B.
	Ludlow, Margaret R.
	Ludlow, Rutson M.
	Ludlow, Sallie M.
	Maury, Antonia C.
	Maury, Carlotta J.
	Maury, Elizabeth
	Maury, Emily L.
	Maury, James F.
	Maury, John William Draper
	Maury, Mytton
BOX 25	Maury, Tobin
	Maury, Virginia Draper
	Palmer, Courtlandt
	Unidentified family members
BOX 25-30	General Correspondence, 1861-1919
	Chiefly letters received, with some copies of letters sent.
	Arranged alphabetically by name of correspondent.
BOX 25	"A" miscellaneous
	Abbe, Cleveland
	Alvord, Benjamin
	American Association for the Advancement of Science
	American Philosophical Society
	Appleton, Charles
	Appleton, William W.
	Appleton (D.) & Co.

	Auchincloss, William S.
	"B" miscellaneous
	Balestier, J. N.
	Ballot, Buys
	Barbour & Co.
BOX 26	Barker, George F.
	Barnard, F. A. P.
	Beach, Alfred Ely
	Bedford, Gunning S.
	Bell, Alexander Graham
	Bell, George
	Benjamin, Park
	Boberil, Roger du
	Brace, Charles Loring
	Brandt, Carl L.
	Brashear, John A.
	"C" miscellaneous
	Cattell, James McKeen
	Cross, Charles R.
	"D" miscellaneous
	Dillon, Sidney
	Doremus, Robert Ogden
	Draper Manufacturing Co.
	"E" miscellaneous
	Edwards, Charles <u>See Container 25, Balestier, J. N.</u>
	Eiffel, Gustave
BOX 27	"F" miscellaneous
	Fackenthal, Frank
	Finley, John H.
	Field, Cyrus West
	"G-H" miscellaneous
	(2 folders)
	Harper & Brothers
	"I-J" miscellaneous
	(2 folders)
BOX 28	"K-L" miscellaneous
	(2 folders)
	Langley, Samuel P.
	"M" miscellaneous
	MacCracken, Henry M.
	Meyer, Albert James
	Mott, Valentine
	"N-O" miscellaneous
	Olmsted, Frederick Law
BOX 29	"P-R" miscellaneous
	Rotch, Abbott Lawrence

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	"Sa-Su" miscellaneous (2 folders) Smyth, C. Piazzi Stebbins, Henry George Stevens, Alexander H. <i>See Container 26, Bedford, Gunning S.</i> "T" miscellaneous Tedeschi, Enrico Tyndall, John
BOX 30	"U-W" miscellaneous Wanamaker, John Webb, Alexander Stewart Webb, Charles Henry Williams, Mornay (2 folders) Youmans, Edward L. "Y-Z" miscellaneous, Unidentified
BOX 31	Subject File, 1863-1921 Correspondence, meteorological observations, patent applications, and other material. Arranged alphabetically by subject.
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Arranged alphabetically by type of material.

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Address books

Articles

"Relative Merits of the Various Types of Registering Maximum and Minimum Thermometers"

"The Value of a Good Name and the Disadvantage of a Bad Name"

Biographical material

Cards, drawings, and printed matter

Certificates, invitations, lists, and power of attorney

Dedication of memorial plaque, program

Indentures and rental agreements

Insurance

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Notebooks

Obituaries

Subpoenas

Tributes on death of Daniel Draper

Will

BOX 42-45

Other Draper Family Papers, 1777-1951

Correspondence and miscellaneous material relating to other Drapers and Draper relatives.

Arranged alphabetically by name of family member.

BOX 42

Dixon, Antonia Draper (daughter of John William Draper)

Correspondence

Draper, Anna Palmer

"W" miscellaneous

Last will and testament and miscellaneous items

Draper, Anna Palmer, correspondence

Draper, Antonia

Draper, Daniel

Draper, Antonia Caetana de Paiva Pereira Gardner (Mrs. John William Draper)

Correspondence

Draper, Henry

Draper, John C.

Gardner, Daniel

Biographical information

Citizenship papers

BOX 43

Draper, Catherine

Correspondence with Gardner, Daniel

Citizenship papers, legal agreement

Estate

Draper, Dorothy Catherine (sister of John William Draper)

Correspondence

Dixon, Antonia Draper

	Draper, Antonia Caetana de Paiva Pereira Gardner
	Draper, Henry
	Draper, John C.
	Draper, John William
	Gardner, Catherine
	Gardner, Tom
	Maury, Antonia C.
	Maury, Carlotta J.
	Maury, John William Draper
	Maury, Mytton
	Maury, Virginia Draper
	"H-R" miscellaneous
	Birth certificate
	Will and estate
	Draper, Elizabeth Johnson, birth certificate, 1809
	Draper, Harriet Maury
	Correspondence
	Draper, Charlotta E.
	Gardner, Catherine
	"M" miscellaneous
	Baptismal certificate, vaccination receipt
	Will
	Draper, Henry (son of John William Draper)
	Correspondence
	Draper, Daniel
	Draper, John C.
	Draper, John William
	Maury, Mytton
	"H-W" miscellaneous
	Articles, lecture, book review
	Biographical memoir of Henry Draper, page proofs
	Biographical material
	Lists, printed matter
BOX 44	Draper, I. C., printed matter
	Draper, John Christopher (born 1777) (father of John William Draper), birth certificate, 1777, and article
	Draper, John Christopher (1835-1885) (son of John William Draper)
	Correspondence
	Dixon, Antonia Draper
	Draper, Antonia Caetana de Paiva Pereira Gardner
	Draper, Daniel
	Draper, John William
	"C-P" miscellaneous
	Birth certificate, 1835
	Draper, Mary Anna (Mrs. Henry Draper), correspondence
	Draper, Daniel

	Draper, Henry
	Draper, Ann ("Nancy") Maury Ludlow (Mrs. Daniel Draper)
	Correspondence
	Dixon, Antonia Draper
	Draper, Maury L.
	Feld, Cornelia B.
	Ludlow, Harriet V. N.
	Ludlow, Josephine
	Ludlow, Margaret
	Ludlow, Rutson M.
	Maury, Antonia
	Maury, Carlotta J.
	Maury, John J.
	Maury, John William Draper
	Nye, Emma H.
	Stout, Dick
	Unidentified family members
	"O" miscellaneous
	Notebook
	Short stories, unpublished
	Draper, Patrick, correspondence
	Draper, Henry
	Draper, John C.
	Draper, Sarah Ripley (mother of John William Draper), correspondence with John William Draper
	Gardner, Boris, correspondence with John William Draper
	Gardner, Catherine, correspondence
	Draper, Antonia Caetana de Paiva Pereira Gardner
	Draper, John William
	Gardner, Daniel
	Correspondence with John William Draper
	Biographical material
	Gardner, Katia, correspondence with Daniel Draper
	Gardner, Tom, correspondence with John William Draper
	Hall, John, correspondence with Tom Gardner
	Ludlow, Harriet V. N., correspondence with Dorothy Catherine Draper
	Ludlow, Margaret, correspondence with Harriet V. N. Ludlow
	Ludlow, Josephine B., correspondence with Harriet Draper
	Ludlow, Lewis, correspondence with Sallie M. Ludlow
	Ludlow, Margaret, notebook
	Ludlow, Rutson M., correspondence with Daniel Draper
	Ludlow, Sallie M., correspondence with John William Draper
BOX 45	Maury, Antonia Caetana de Paiva Pereira (daughter of John William Draper), correspondence with Daniel Draper
	Maury, Antonia Caetana de Paiva Pereira (daughter of John William Draper), printed matter
	Maury, Carlotta J.

- Correspondence
 - Maury, Harriet
 - Maury, Mytton
 - "K" miscellaneous
- Article
- Certificate
- Will
- Maury, Dorothy Catherine, correspondence
 - Ludlow, Margaret
 - Unidentified family members
- Maury, Emily L., correspondence with Ann (Nancy) Maury Ludlow Draper
- Maury, John William Draper
 - Correspondence
 - Draper, Daniel
 - Ludlow, Josephine
 - Maury, Mytton
 - "C-K" miscellaneous
 - Article
 - Report card, invitation
- Maury, Mary H., correspondence with Daniel Draper
- Maury, Mytton
 - Correspondence
 - Draper, Daniel
 - Maury, Virginia Draper
 - "E-Y" miscellaneous
 - Sermons
 - Will, bills
- Maury, Virginia Draper (daughter of John William Draper)
 - Correspondence
 - Draper, Daniel
 - Draper, Dorothy Catherine
 - Draper, John William
 - Maury, Mytton
 - Unidentified family members
 - Will
- Nye, Berthold Hintz
 - Correspondence with Carlotta J. Maury
 - Short story, published
 - Will
- Nye, Dorothy C. Draper
 - Correspondence
 - Draper, Daniel
 - Draper, John William
 - Gardner, Daniel
 - Gardner, Vadim
 - Ludlow, Frank

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Contents

Ludlow, Harriet V. N.
Ludlow, Margaret
Ludlow, Rutson
Maury, Carlotta J.
"A-Z" miscellaneous
Sketches and drawings, notebook and notes
Writings of persons other than Dorothy C.D. Nye
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Unidentified

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Subject File

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