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**Quantity:** 20 linear feet (approximately 40,000 pages)

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**Related Materials:** Dutchess County Book Collection, Livingston Family Papers, Roosevelt Family Papers, Delano Family Papers, Hall Family Papers, Hardy Steeholm Papers, Eleanor Roosevelt Papers, and the Franklin D. Roosevelt Papers, particularly the Papers Pertaining to Family, Business and Personal Affairs, and the President's Personal File.

*Livingston Family Papers are only on microfilm.*
The Hudson River Valley and Dutchess County Manuscript Collection had its origin in Franklin D. Roosevelt's manuscript collection and in his desire that his Library should become a center for the study of the history of its region. Roosevelt's manuscript collection -- in which two other of the Library's collections, the Naval History Manuscript Collection and the Historical Manuscript Collection, also had their origins -- was the consequence of four decades of active, if sporadic, collecting. After the Franklin D. Roosevelt Library was established in 1939, several dozen small manuscript collections were given to the President and the Library and were added to the Hudson River Valley and Dutchess County Manuscript Collection. Most of these donations were made prior to Roosevelt's death, though additions have been received in a small but steady flow over the years and the collection has not yet ceased to grow.

The collection consists of correspondence, diaries, genealogical notebooks, account ledgers, indentures, receipts and other business papers, scrapbooks and printed material, and a miscellany of other manuscript types relating to the history of the Hudson Valley, and particularly of Dutchess County, in the period ca. 1540 to ca. 1952. Most of the material concerns the period 1750 to 1875, though there is a considerable representation for the succeeding seventy-five year period. A sizable body of ledgers, daybooks and other business papers and church records describes certain aspects of life in Hyde Park in the first half of the twentieth century. Most of the papers deal with business activities, but there are as well personal correspondence and diaries, and notebooks containing genealogical information. The papers also contain the records of the Mid-Hudson Regional Committee on the Conservation of Cultural Resources, 1941-43, and the Works Progress Administration's Inventory of Dutchess County Records, which was prepared in ca. 1937-38.

The collection is arranged in a single subject file, with materials in an approximate alphabetical order, with the exception of the Inventory of Dutchess County Records and a fragmentary item index, which are placed following the alphabetical run. There are three appendices to the finding aid. The first describes several collections of papers, microfilms of which are in the Library's custody, which are
complementary to the Hudson River Valley and Dutchess County Manuscript Collection. The second describes the maps of Dutchess County which were in Roosevelt's collection but which the Library, following his precedent, has kept separate from the manuscripts. The third is a calendar of the documents held in the folder "Miscellaneous Hudson Valley and Dutchess County Manuscripts."

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The microfilm collection consists of films of manuscripts relating to the history of Dutchess County and the Hudson River Valley which have been neither donated to nor deposited in the Franklin D. Roosevelt Library. The several manuscript collections which compose the microfilm collection belong, in every case but one, to local families, churches, historical societies and agencies of government. For the purposes of description, each of the microfilmed collections has been regarded as a series, and, where appropriate, a breakdown into hypothesized files has been provided. The brief series descriptions which follow define the types, chronological spans, and approximate volumes of the material within the series, and, in several cases, provide information about its content. The notes beginning "filed under..." placed within brackets and directly following several roll titles, give the titles under which these rolls are filed within the Library's general microfilm collection. The researcher should use this bracketed title -- which is provided only when the file title is different than the one used in this finding aid -- when requesting the microfilm reels.

With the exception of the Aldrich Family Papers, which require the permission of a family member as a condition of access, the microfilms are available to researchers without restriction.
1. **Aldrich Family Papers, 1770-1895** (one roll)

The collection consists of circa 200 items, most of which deal with the career of John Armstrong (1758-1843), soldier, diplomat, politician, and farmer. Although born in Pennsylvania, Armstrong became a Red Hook, Dutchess County, resident after his marriage in 1789 to Alida Livingston, the sister of Chancellor Robert R. Livingston. He served as United States Senator from the State of New York from 1801 to February, 1802, and from November, 1803 to June, 1804, as United States Minister to France from 1804 to 1810, and as Secretary of War from February, 1813 to September, 1814. Correspondents include George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, Alexander Hamilton, James Madison, James Monroe, Lafayette, Kosciuszko, Talleyrand, Robert R. Livingston, Cornwallis, Martin Van Buren, Albert Gallatin, George Clinton, Lewis Livingston, and Edward Livingston. Over half of the material deals with Armstrong's French ministry. A few items are to Armstrong's father, John Armstrong (1720-95). The papers are unarranged. Access to the papers is restricted; the permission of one of the collection's owners is required prior to its use. Citations to the collection are to read as follows: "From the Rokeby Collection, Barrytown, Dutchess County, New York, courtesy of Richard Aldrich and others." The Library microfilmed the papers in 1966 for the National Historical Publications Commission; it received a positive copy of the microfilm from the Commission in 1972.

2. **Bard Family Papers, 1658-1899** (one roll)

The series consists of 220 items, including business papers, family and personal correspondence, deeds, genealogical notes and charts, and a circa 1705 map of Hyde Park. The papers are divided into six groups, as follows:

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4. William Bard, 1778-1853 (40 items)
5. Other Bard Family members, 1693-1899 (33 items)
6. Miscellaneous, 1658-1892 (15 items)

3. **DuBois Family Papers, circa 1804-60** [filed under DuBois-Freer Family Papers] (one roll)

The papers consist principally of about 100 items of correspondence to and from Cornelius DuBois, a member of the New York State Legislature in the 1840s. Subjects discussed include travel to the western territories and on the Great Lakes in the 1830s and 1840s; politics at Albany and Washington; schooling at the Red Hook Academy; and the diurnal concerns of home, health and life in Dutchess County. The Library microfilmed the papers, with the permission of the Freer family of Hyde Park, in July, 1953.
4. **Dutchess County Supervisors' Records, 1718-79** (three rolls)

These are the earliest known records of the Supervisors and Assessors of Dutchess County. They contain tax lists, election records, records of meetings, court records, and the records of the building of the first "County House and prison," and of the establishment of the Courts of Common Pleas and General Sessions. They contain, besides the regular records of the Supervisors and Assessors, such things as wills, apprentices' contracts, registrations of animal branding marks, lists of roads, and bills for miscellaneous services provided to the County.

The records are in eight volumes, marked A, B, C, E, F, G, H, and I. The volumes as lettered are arranged in chronological order. Volumes A and B and extracts from Volume C have been published by the Vassar Brothers Institute of Poughkeepsie, New York. Volume D has long been missing.

The records are arranged on three microfilm rolls as follows:

**Roll 1:**
- Volume A, 1718-22 (ca. 72 pages)
- Volume B, 1722-47 (ca. 190 pages)
- Volume C, 1729-48 (ca. 532 pages)
- Volume E, 1753-Feb., 1757 (pages 1 to 431)

**Roll 2:**
- Volume E, continued (pages 432 to 570)
- Volume F, June, 1757-60 (ca. 530 pages)
- Volume G, 1761-63 (ca. 490 pages)

**Roll 3:**
- Volume H, 1764-70 (ca. 580 pages)
- Volume I, 1771-79 (ca. 582 pages)

5. **Fifth Census of the United States (1830)** (five rolls)

The records consist of population schedules for several counties in New York State, distributed as follows over five microfilm rolls:

**Roll 1:** Queens and Dutchess Counties
**Roll 2:** Richmond and Ulster Counties
**Roll 3:** Allegany and Albany Counties
**Roll 4:** Columbia County
**Roll 5:** Putnam, Rockland and Suffolk Counties

6. **Marshall, Albert Livingston: manuscripts collected by, 1742-1888** (one roll) [filed under Crawford, George, Papers of]

The papers deal with real estate and business matters, and, in a broad sense, with the daily living of the period. The counties principally mentioned are Columbia, Albany, Greene and Herkimer. The family names principally mentioned are Schuyler, Van Rensselaer, Schieffelin,
Ten Broeck, Clinton, Crawford, and Johnson. The papers are arranged as follows:

1. Papers relating to George Crawford, 1787-1837 (49 items)
2. Miscellaneous papers, 1742-1888
   a. Papers relating to the Sanford family (8 items)
   b. Papers relating to the Gardner family (14 items)
   c. Papers relating to the Babcock family (15 items)
   d. Miscellaneous (38 items)

7. New Paltz Town Papers, 1677 to ca. 1913 (four rolls)
   [see individual roll descriptions for file headings]

The papers deal with the settlement and development of the Town of New Paltz from 1677 to ca. 1913. Included are correspondence, indentures, newspapers and newspaper clippings, receipts and other business chits, voting tabulation lists, militia records, town plats showing land ownership, and photographs. The papers are on four rolls of microfilm, one prepared in 1943, and the remaining three in 1975. While the first roll is arranged for the most part chronologically and within three clearly defined files, the other three rolls are unarranged except within sometimes cryptic file headings (such as "LH Collection," or "Perry Le Fevre Collection, from things at Simon LeFevre's farm"). These latter rolls duplicate, to an undetermined extent, the materials on the first roll. The materials are arranged on the four rolls of microfilm as follows:

Roll 1: [Filed under New Paltz Town Papers]

1. New Paltz Town Papers, 1677-1862
   a. Chronological file (ca. 300 pages)
   b. Undated materials file (ca. 75 pages)
   c. Chronological file of bound or sewn volumes (ca. 675 pages)

2. New Paltz Town Papers: Deyo Papers, 1680-1913 (ca. 140 pages)

3. New Paltz Town Papers: Freer Manuscripts, 1677-1901 (ca. 80 pages)

Roll 2: [Filed under Huguenot Historical Society, roll 1]

4. New Paltz Town Papers (ca. 500 pages)

5. New Paltz Town Papers: DB Collection (ca. 50 pages)

6. New Paltz Town Papers: HSC Collection (ca. 70 pages)

7. New Paltz Town Papers: LH Collection (9 pages)

8. New Paltz Town Papers: JD Collection (3 pages)

9. New Paltz Town Papers: HSC Collection (cross references only)

10. New Paltz Town Papers: Helena LeFevre Collection (ca. 350 pages)
8. Gilbert T. Pearsall Papers, 1846-56 (one roll)

Gilbert R. Pearsall (1814-91) moved from Watervliet, New York, his birthplace, to Salt Point, Dutchess County, in 1841. The papers, consisting of three bound volumes, document his activities as physician and owner of a general store during the period 1846-56. They are arranged as follows:

1. Volume, Medical Records, April 18, 1846, to September 11, 1856
2. Volume, General Store Records, November 14, 1847, to April 11, 1849
3. Volume, General Store Records, April 12, 1849, to May 21, 1850

9. Records of the Reformed Dutch Church, Hyde Park, N.Y., 1789-1919 (two rolls)

The records consist of six volumes containing minutes of the church consistory and lists of communicants, penitants, baptisms, marriages and deaths. The volumes are arranged in chronological order on two rolls of microfilm as follows:

Roll 1:

1. Reformed Dutch Church of Hyde Park: "Proceedings of the Stoutsburgh Religious Society, By the Clerk of it, Begun 1789," 1789-1805 (ca. 30 pages)
2. Reformed Dutch Church of Hyde Park: Minutes of Consistory, 1813-37 (ca. 150 pages)

Roll 2:
3. Reformed Dutch Church of Hyde Park: Records of communicants, penitants, baptisms, marriages and deaths, 1792-1848 (ca. 80 pages)

4. Reformed Dutch Church of Hyde Park: "Records of the Reformed Dutch Church of Hyde Park, 1848," records of communicants, baptisms, marriages and deaths, 1816-1906 (ca. 130 pages)

5. Reformed Dutch Church of Hyde Park: "Minutes of the Consistory of the Reformed Church of Hyde Park," 1873-98 (300 pages)


10. Stoutenburgh, Jacobus and Margaret Teller (one roll)

The papers consist of material assembled on the occasion of the dedication of the Jacobus and Margaret Teller Stoutenburgh memorial tablet at St. James Episcopal Church, Hyde Park, on September 22, 1935. Included are newspaper clippings, the announcement of the ceremony, photographs of the memorial tablet, portraits of Jacobus and Margaret Teller Stoutenburgh and of the Stoutenburgh mansion, addresses and essays on the Stoutenburgh and Teller families by Henry T. Hackett, Maud Stoutenburgh Eliot, and Miss C. T. Wells, and two items of correspondence (ca. 30 pages).
APPENDIX II

HUDSON RIVER VALLEY AND DUTCHESS COUNTY MANUSCRIPTS:

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1. Ca. 1540: Manuscript pages concerning French exploration of the Hudson Valley (photostats)

2. 1667-69: Typescripts of three documents pertaining to Kleyn Klaessen and Thomas Hall.

3. January 2, 1705/6: Lease for 207 acres in Dutchess County "eastward from Hudson's River," from Henricus Beekman to the heirs of Jan Elting

4. April 8, 1709: One year lease of 300 acres of land on the north-side of Fish Kill, from Roger and Catherine Brett to Col. William Peartree

5. April 9, 1709: Indenture, from Roger and Catherine Brett to William Peartree


7. October 8, 1710: Memorandum of transfer of land called Poughkeepsie, between Myndert and Helena [F.?]armense, and Jacobus and Myndert Bogard

8. November 1, 1712: Deed for "Pockkepsie" lands, from Thomas and Aeltie Sanders, Jacobus Van den bogert, Myndert Van den bogert and his wife Neeltie, to Evert Van Wagene

9. October 20, 1718: Deed for 46 acres in Rhinebeck, from Henry Beekman, John Rutsen, and Gilbert Livingston, to Valentine Woollivan

10. December 4, 1719: Agreement in respect to lands in the "Vley" between Cornelius Van Ness, Cornelius van Bueren and Isaac Onderkirk

11. February 1, 1725: Covenant between Bernardus and Rachel Swarthout, and Johannes Shepmoes

12. November 4, 1727: Indenture, between Frederick van Dermarke and Anthony Sleght

13. October 20, 1730: Sheriff's warrant, for Gabriel Wright
14. September 18, 1731: Articles of agreements, between Henry Beekman, Albert Pawling and Gilbert Livingston, and Anthony Rutgers, Jacob [Goeleb?] and C____ LeRouse (photostat)

15. May 16, 1732: Sheriff's warrant, for Cornelos Aerso

16. 1742: Petition to the Supreme Court of New York, by Henry Beekman and seven other Dutchess County justices

17. September 27, 1742: Indenture, Samuel Jackson to Stephen Jackson (photostat)

18. March, 1745: Transfer of Dutchess County land, from P...tt Potts to Abraham Wing

19. June 12, 1752: Deed for 56 acres in Rhinebeck, from Catharine Pawling to Peter Kroller

20. September 11, 1753: Deed for land "outward of the City of New York," from William Teller, Jacobus Stoutenburgh, et. al., to Mary Van Vleck

21. April 10, 1755: Deed for six acres of land in Rhinebeck, Maas Bloemendahl to Gabriel Ludlow

22. September 22, 1759: Deed, 46 acres formerly belonging to Henry Beekman and later Valentine Woollever, and 56 acres formerly belonging to Catharine Pawling, from Peter Kroller to Michael Cipperley

23. 1764-67: Page from an account book

24. November 13, 1764: Bill of exchange, between Joshua De St. Croise and Sam Loudon

25. October 4, 1765: Articles of agreement between Thomas Swords and others, regarding land in Albany County

26. July 30, 1766: Deed for land in Dutchess County

27. March 18, 1767: Indenture, between Sarah Burrough, her sons and daughters, and Daniel Stiles

28. May 4, 1768: Indenture, between Robert Johnson, Jr., and Sampson Simson (photostat)

29. May 12, 1768: Advertisement, signed by John Bard (photostat)

30. May 25, 1768: Indenture, between Robert Johnson, Jr., and Sampson Simson (photostat)
31. May 25, 1768: Deed, from Robert Johnson, Jr., to Sampson Simson (photostat)

32. Ca. 1770: Petition of Hezekiah Baldwin to William Tryon

33. May 4, 1770: Draft of arbitration bond, between Johannes Trumpbour and Dedrick Mastenstock

34. March 8, 1771: Indenture, between James Boggs and Adam Gilchrist

35. May 10, 1773: Deed for 50 acres of land in the manor of Cortland, from Caleb and Sarah Hamson to Mary Meeks.

36. April 13, 1774: Draft of letter of attorney, from the proprietors of the Great Nine Partners tract, to David Johnson and Leonard Lisponard [?](photostat)

37. May 8, 1775: Extract of letters patent granted to Arent Bratt and Jacob Glen, August 5, 1738

38. November 8, 1775: Bill against the Provincial Congress, by Abraham Cuyler and J. Beekman

39. Ca. 1777: a) an act to authorize John Drake, Jr., and Samuel Bogardus to erect a bridge across the mouth of Wappingers creek; b) letter, P[eter] Mesier, Jr., to E. Foot, objecting to certain provisions of the above act

40. January 21, 1777: Fragment from the True Extracts from the Minutes of a Kingston Committee [of Safety]?


42. November 10, 1778: Receipt of the "Commissioners for Conspiracies...."

43. November 2, 1779: "Return of a Detachment of Militia of the State of New York in service [.] Commanded by Col. Commandant Jac. Swartout."

44. September 1, 1780-October 22, 1783: Abstracts of sales of forfeited estates made for the Commissioners of Forfeiture for the Middle District, Dutchess County (photostat)

45. February 13, 1784: Petition for land, by James Reed and others

46. April 10, 1788: Broadside, on the subject of selecting delegates to a constitutional convention (photostat)
47. Ca. 1790: Description of the boundaries of the Hardenbergh patent

48. May 5, 1792: Summons, that Peter Dates may be brought to Albany to answer charges brought by Daniel Gramham

49. September 29, 1792: Deed for Fishkill land, from William Byrnes to Cyrus Newlin

50. August 10, 1795: Validation by the State of New York of grants of land made by the pre-revolutionary government to Richard Collier

51. August 12, 1795: Validation by the State of New York of grants of land made by the pre-revolutionary government to John Tabor Kempe, et. al.

52. August 12, 1795: Validation by the State of New York of grants of land made by the pre-revolutionary government to Alexander MacNachten and 107 other petitioners

53. November 7, 1795: Indenture, between Jacobus Elmendorph and Cornelius Cole

54. October 10, 1796: Deed of partition and release for the estate of Jan Vosburgh

55. July 14, 1799: Fragment from the fieldbook of Jacob Smith, surveyor (photostat)

56. October 21, 1800: Warrant, for Joseph Benson [?]

57. June 3, 1808: Rent receipt, from John Hunter and Henry Overing to Joseph Hadden

58. February 16, 1811: Summons, in the case of John Jay versus Samuel Merritt

59. December 20, 1811: Letter, John Spencer and Co. to G. B. Abeel

60. January 1, 1812: Indenture, between Samuel and Mary Bard, and Alexander McCleland (photostat)

61. April 15, 1816: Receipt for sale of a pew in the Reformed Dutch Church of Linlithgo in the town of Livingston

62. April 18, 1819: Deed for 44 acres of land in Amenia Precinct, from Milton Barlow to Thomas Barlow

63. January 6, 1826: Letter enclosing bill for tutoring services, from Benj. Allen to Isaiah Townsend
64. Ca. 1830: Petition to Enos T. Throop, acting governor of the State of New York, recommending the appointment of Joseph I. Jackson of Fishkill

65. October 18, 1831: Public notice of a general election, town of Stanford

66. November 12, 1845: Letter, William W. Dean to Otto F. Marshal, begging support for an office

67. November 10, 1863: Proclamation by Horatio Seymour, Governor of New York, declaring Thanksgiving day a legal holiday

68. 1864-69: Three railroad passes issued to H. K. Heydon

69. July 31, 1866: Notice of enrollment for military duty, to Michael Thompkins

70. June 26, 1872: Certificate representing Master of Arts degree granted to Hamilton Fish

71. August 10, 1891: Certificate verifying the correctness of a copy of "A Map of the Lands of Poughkeepsie ... 1770"

72. June 27, 1899: Bill for a link of the Washington chain from the Hudson River (with attached photograph of the chain)

73. 1930: Report of Examination, Town of Hyde Park

74. Not dated: Dutchess County jury panel list (photostat)

75. Not dated: Descriptions of volumes of "Hyde Park Town Records" (four typescript pages)

76. Not dated: Map of the Town of Clinton

77. Not dated: Map of the Town of Pleasant Valley

78. Not dated: Abstract of title to lands about to be conveyed to Frederick W. Vanderbilt, with memorandum on the history of the Vanderbilt property.