

Manuscript Collections

Name of collection: Allen, Samuel, Jr., Collection, 1789-1857	Location: Misc. Mss. Boxes "A"
Size of collection: 1 folder, 12 items	N.U.C.M.C. number: N.A.
Finding aids: See <u>Worcester Fire Society Reminiscences</u> , pp. 24-25 and 262-63	
Source of collection: Source unknown	
Collection description: <p>Samuel Allen (1757-1830) was the son of James and Mary Adams Allen of Boston, Massachusetts. He came to Worcester in 1776 and became the assistant of his brother Joseph Allen (1749-1827), then Clerk of the Courts. From 1781 to 1830, Samuel Allen served as Treasurer of the County of Worcester. Samuel Allen, Jr. (1789-1863) was the son of Joseph and the nephew of Samuel. He assumed the title "Jr." for a time in order to distinguish himself from his uncle. Samuel Allen the younger was a major in the state militia and secretary of the Manufacturers Mutual Fire Insurance Company. He was the brother of Judge Charles Allen (1797-1869).</p> <p>Two of the manuscripts in this collection, the 1789 bond and the 1831 executor's account, pertain to the elder Samuel Allen. The remaining ten manuscripts are appointments and commissions of Samuel Allen, Jr. All of the items have been cataloged.</p>	

LIST OF WRITERS FOR THE SAMUEL ALLEN COLLECTION

Allen, Charles. See Massachusetts,
Worcester, County Commissioners of.
Allen, Samuel
Allen, Samuel
Bigelow, John. See Massachusetts,
Commonwealth of, 2 documents.
Bolles, John A., 2 documents
Bradford, Alden. See Massachusetts,
Commonwealth of, 3 documents.
Bridge, Samuel
Calhoun, Willaim Barron. See Massachusetts,
Commonwealth of.
De Witt, Francis. See Massachusetts,
Commonwealth of.
Massachusetts, Commonwealth of,
10 documents
Massachusetts, Worcester, County
Commissioners of.
Paine, Nathaniel
Prentiss, Charles G. See Massachusetts,
Worcester, County Commissioners of.
Summer, William H. See Massachusetts,
Commonwealth of.
Weed, Jared. See Massachusetts, Worcester,
County Commissioners of.