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- I. Title W[illiam] & C[harles] Dickerman & Co.; Carriage Manufacturers, 1839--1910.
- II. The papers of W.&C. Dickerman & Co.
deposited in the Library on _____, by Yale University
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- VI. Press release was issued on _____
- VII. Biographical note: page 1. short history
2. content guide
3. table of content--itemized content of
each folder.

Subject Content: carriage manufacturing
New Haven, Ct.
Civil War
horticulture
- VIII. Analysis: The collection consists of 8 full boxes of documents plus
two bundles and 58 volumes of bound material of which 39 volumes
are boxed due to their size or physical conditions.

W.&C. Dickerman & Co.
Carriage Manufacturers, New Haven

From the material it appears that the Dickerman brothers-- Charles (Sep. 10, 1816--May 6, 1897), Edward, George C. (Nov. 14, 1814--Jan 24, 1872?), and William (July 28, 1812--Dec. 1, 1875)-- were partners in a mercantile business in Natchez, Miss. in the 1830's and 40's.

William Dickerman of Sherman Ave. appears in the New Haven Directory in 1840 and in 1848 his address is given as 11 West Chapel Street and later as 521 Chapel Street. Charles Dickerman first appears in the 1851 listing. His first address is given as corner of Howe and George, later as 63 Howe, which appears to be the same address.

In 1852 Charles and William Dickerman started a carriage manufacturing company located on the corner of George and York. A listing for the company appeared in the N.H. Directory for 1853. A detailed inventory and adjustment of the accounts of Charles and William was executed on April 22, 1875 facilitating the liquidation of the company. Edward Dickerman together with a cousin, Jesse E. Pardee operated a branch in Natchez supplying the southern market with carriages from New Haven. The company also supplied Thomas J. Finney, owner of a coach repairing establishment in Vicksburg, Miss. with carriages, parts and supplies. The Dickerman Co. filled special orders and designed its own vehicles hoping to improve and modernize existing models.

CONTENT GUIDE

The collection consists of loose and bound material spanning the period from 1839 to 1910, the bulk of the collection dated 1850-1881.

The loose material is organized into two groups: 1. correspondence, 2. financial matters.

The containers are numbered in Roman numerals; within each container the folders are lettered consecutively [II:B--Box II: folder B]. The title, subject heading and dates appear in the upper left hand corner.

Internal Arrangement:

Box I--V:A-3. Correspondence--arranged according to: incoming; outgoing; legal and personal; pertaining to horticulture. Each subdivision is arranged alphabetically and then chronologically. The correspondence of A.N.Gould is located at the end of the incoming correspondence, since it does not pertain to company matters. A.N.Gould volunteered during the Civil War and was stationed on a number of ships. He wrote long letters, at times making daily entries, describing the events of the war and his reactions and reflections.

Box V:B--VIII. Financial matters--bills, invoices, orders, accounts, etc., arranged chronologically [with undated material located at the end] and then alphabetically if more than one entry for the same date.

Item XIV--XV. Financial documents--oversized for boxes--arranged chronologically.

Box IX (1/2) cancelled checks and check books.

Box X--XIII (1/2) Ledgers.

Item XVI--XXXIV. Ledgers: account books; "accounts with" books; bank accounts; cash books; day books; inventory books; letter books; memo books; "orders received" books; sales books.

Some of the ledgers pertain to the mercantile business located in Natchez, Miss.

BIBLIOGRAPHY:

Richard Hegel, Carriages from New Haven.

Journal Courier, "Carriage factory on George Street converted to a block of residences," Sep. 10, 1880.

Avery Library at Columbia U.: plot plan of Charles Dickerman's house at Savin Rock dated 1868 and done by Henry Austin, drawn by D.G.M.

Beinecke Library at Yale U.: also plans by Austin for Charles Dickerman.

BOX I. (continued)

Folder I.

- document 1--2. Jamer H. Brown [Stonington]
- 3. Brown, Johnston & Co. (exchange & banking) [New Orleans]
- 4. A.B. Bull [Hartford]
- 5. Burr & Haight [Bridgeport]
- 6. E.H. Byington [Marion]
- 7. D.T. Card [St. Louis]
- *8. William Carr [Fall River]
- 9. Carroll, Pritchard & Co. (to Finney) [New Orleans]
- 10-12. D.R. Carroll [New Orleans]
- 13-16. D.W. Catlin [New York]

Folder J-1. *8a. Carriage Builders of the U.S. [New York]

- document 1--16. Chadwick Patent Leather Mfg. Co. [Newark][1852-1859]
(signed by John Chadwick, President;
Ira M. Harrison, President from 1859;
John A. Miller, Vice President)

Folder J-2.

- document 1--18. Chadwick Patent Leather Mfg. Co.

Folder J-3.

- document 1--18. Chadwick Patent Leather Mfg. Co.

Folder J-4.

- document 1--18. Chadwick Patent Leather Mfg. Co.

Folder J-5.

- document 1--17. Chadwick Patent Leather Mfg. Co.

Folder J-6.

- document 1--17. Chadwick Patent Leather Mfg. Co.
- 18. S.S. Morris to J. Chadwick

Folder K.

- document 1. H.C. Champion & Co.
- 2-17. Leonard Chapin [Charleston]

Folder L.

- document 1--15. Leonard Chapin

Folder M.

- document 1--8. Leonard Chapin
- 9-11. Milo Chidsey
- 12. S.B. Chittenden Co.
- 13-15. James B. Church [Avon]

Folder N.

- document 1. E.W. Clark [Portland]
- 2--6. James L. Clark [Natches]
- 7. Clara E. Collins [Home for Aged Women]
- 8-10. J.E. Condict & Co. (saddlery) [New York]
- 11-13. G.&D. Cook & Co. (carriage) [New Haven]
- 14. Henry W. Cook
- 15. F. Corzeliur

Box I (continued)

Folder O

- document 1. James M. Crofus & Co. [New Haven]
- 2--3. Charles Cumming & Co. (manufacturing) [New York]
- 4. B. Cunningham [Rochester]
- 5. Leman W. Cutler [Watertown]
- 6. Daniel & Raymond
- 7--9. George E.H. Day [Milwaukee]
- 10-11. W.H. Day (signed A. Roulain) [Charleston]
- 12. J. DeLoache (G. & R. Smith and L.D. Wilcoxson)
- 13-16. Denman & Co. [Rahway] [1857-1861]

Folder P-1

- document 1--18. Denmand & Co.

Folder P-2

- document 1--17. Denman & Co.

Folder P-3

- document 1--17. Denman & Co.

Folder P-4

- document 1--6 Denman & Co.
- 7-18 John C. Denman [Newark] [1857-1864]

Folder P-5

- document 1--18. John C. Denman

Folder P-6

- document 1--17. John C. Denman

Folder P-7

- document 1--6. John C. Denman
- 7-11. Mrs. John D. Denman [Eliza H. Denman]
- 12-19. R.M. Denman & Co. [New Orleans] [1859-1869]

Folder P-8

- document 1--18. R. Marsh Denman & Co.

Folder P-9

- document 1--18. R. Marsh Denman & Co.

Folder Q

- document 1--15. Edward B. Dickerman (brother to W. & C. Dickerman)
[Milwaukee] [1854--1873] [moved to Watertown in 1870's]

Folder R

- document 1--15. Ed. B. Dickerman

Folder S

- document 1--15 Ed. B. Dickerman

Folder T

- document 1--15. Ed. B. Dickerman

Folder U

- document 1--15. Ed. B. Dickerman

BOX II

Folder A--1.

document 1--15. Edward B. Dickerman

Folder A--2.

document 1--15. Ed. B. Dickerman

Folder A--3

document 1--15. Ed. B. Dickerman

Folder A--4.

document 1--15. Ed. B. Dickerman

Folder A--5.

document 1--15. Ed. B. Dickerman

Folder A--6.

document 1--9. Ed. B. Dickerman

10-13. W.&C. Dickerman to Edward B. Dickerman

14-15. J.B.Dickerman (~~sister~~ or sister-in-law)[Watertown]

16-17. John H. Dickerman [Potters Landing]

Folder B.

document 1--3. H.C.Doolittle [Pleasant Valley]

4--17.Doremus & Nixon (drygoods & furnishings) [New York]

Folder C.

document 1--8. Doremus and Nixon

9-11. C.B.Downs [Wolcatville]

12. Joseph Dufour [Bridgeport]

13. John M. Durand [Milwaukee]

14--15. Durham, Alling & Co. [New Haven]

16--17. Charles Dusenbur[y] [New York]

Folder D.

document 1--17. T.B.Edgar [St. Louis]

Folder E.

document 1--14. T.B.Edgar

15. Joseph Eisely [Vidalia]

16. Fred Ernst & Co. [New York]

Folder F.

document 1. William Ferriday

2. Alfred Field & Co. [England]

3. Finley & Dougheet [St. Louis]

4-15. Thomas J. Finney [Vicksburg] [1852--1860; 1868--1869]

Folder G--1.

document 1--16. Thomas J. Finney

Folder G--2

document 1--15. Thomas J. Finney

Folder G--3.

document 1--17. Thomas J. Finney

Folder G--4

document 1--15. Thomas J. Finney

Folder G--5

document 1--15. Thomas J. Finney

Folder G--6

document 1--16. Thomas J. Finney

BOX II (continued)

Folder G--7.

document 1--15. Thomas J. Finney

Folder G--8.

document 1--18. Thomas J. Finney

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document 1--18. Thomas J. Finney

Folder G--12.

document 1--17. Thomas J. Finney

Folder G--13.

document 1--17. Thomas J. Finney

Folder G--14.

document 1--12 Thomas J. Finney (nothing for 1857)

Folder G--15.

document 1--17. Thomas J. Finney

BOX III

Folder A--1.

document 1--17. Thomas J. Finney

Folder A--2.

document 1--16. Thomas J. Finney

Folder A--3.

document 1--16. Thomas J. Finney

Folder A--4.

document 1--17. Thomas J. Finney

Folder A--5.

document 1--7. Thomas J. Finney (upto 1860)

8-14. Thomas J. Finney (reestablished 1865) [son]

15. Undated order

16-17. Letters to Finney

18. Letter of reference

Folder B.

document 1. Fitzgerald

2. A. Sinclair Flaudraw [New York]

3--4. Arnold Folsom & Co. [Albany]

5-17. James Fountain [Montgomery] [1852--1867]

Folder C.

document 1--15. James Fountain

Folder D.

document 1--11. James Fountain

12--13. Foulner Nail Co. [New Haven]

14. John L. Freeman

15--20. Freeman & Roberts [Macon] [1855--1858]

Folder E.

document 1--17. Freeman & Roberts

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BOX III (continued)

Folder F.

- document 1. Lucius Gilbert (grocer) [New Haven]
- 2. Gorman & Co.
- 3. Black Gramm & Co. [New York]
- 4. William Gravez [Richmond]
- 5--6. Joseph Greenberry [New Haven]
- 7-12. W.E.Hale [Boston]
- 13. E.Hall & Co. [Wallingford]
- 14. H.L.Hall [Wallingford]
- 15. S. Nelson Hall [Portland]

Folder G.

- document 1--15. John C. Ham [New York] [1865--1969]

Folder H.

- document 1--15. John C. Ham

Folder I.

- document 1--15. John C. Ham

Folder J.

- document 1--15. John C. Ham

Folder K.

- document 1--12. John C. Ham
- 13. John C. Ham--New Haven Steam Boat Co., 1965.
- 14--15. Hamm & Co. [New York]
- 16--17. Joseph T. Marcus [Fair Haven]

Folder L.

- document 1. Harris & Hadden
- document 2. C.H. & J.D. Harrisen
- 3--4. Hasens [Joseph T. Hasens or Havens]
- 5-12. Hawkins Mfg. Co. [New Haven later Burlingham, Ct.]
- 13. William K. Henry [New York]
- 14. Horatio Hill
- 15. J.F. Hill [Milwaukee]

Folder M.

- document 1--8. A. Hobard & Co. [Boston]
- 9-17. Hobard, White & Metcalf [Boston]

Folder N.

- document 1--8. Hobard, White & Metcalf
- 9. Holliday, Brown & Ogdan
- 10. Hopkins, Dwight & Trowbridge
- 11. Theo. W. Hotchkiss [Albony]
- 12-13. Henry A. Hoyt
- 14. Mary A. Hoyt

Folder O.

- document 1--3. Hubbell & Morton [New Haven]
- 4. Ice Manufacturing Co. [New York]
- 4a. Marx Israel [Donaldsonville]
- 5. Charles Ives [New Haven]
- 6--7. James Ives & Co. [Mt. Carmell]
- 8. Ives, Beecher & Co.
- 9. Ives & Pardee Co.
- 10-13. J.B.Jaques & Brother [Rahway; Columbus]

BOX III (continued)

Folder O. (continued)

- document 14. John Jelliff & Co. [Newark]
- 15. William Johnson [New Haven]
- 16-17. Johnston & Van Tassell [New York]
- 18. Ansel Jones [Clinton]

Folder P.

- document 1--3. Walter R. Jones & Co. (insurance brokers) [New York]
- 4. Kellogg & Parker [Vicksburg]
- 5--7. Henry Kelsey [New Haven]
- 8-11. Adolphus Kappelman [New York]
- 12-12a. H.L. Kimberly & Son
- 13. O. King [New York]
- 14-17 Knowlton & Raymer [New York]

Folder Q.

- document 1. W.M. Lathrop
- 2-19. John R. Lawrence & Co. [New York]

Folder R.

- document 1. Sam Lawrence & Son [New York]
- 2. Lawrence & Bradley [New Haven]
- 3. Leavik & Bran
- 4--5. Lee & Cain [Milwaukee]
- 6. Charles F. Finsby
- 7-16. Thomas Lockyer & Co. [New York]

Folder S.

- document 1-13. Thomas Lockyer & Co.
- 14. William H. Loomis
- 15. George P. Lord

Folder T.

- document 1. George Ludley [New Haven]
- 2--7. Lunt & Howells [New York]
- 8. William Mannheim [New York]
- 9. Mansfield
- 10-15. S.A. Martine & Co. [New York]
- 16. Mathews [New Orleans]

Folder U--1

- document 1--16. Robert H. May [Augusta]

Folder U--2.

- document 1--18. Robert H. May

Folder V.

- document 1--2. George Meall [New York]
- 3. William Mellen
- 4--9. Miles Merwin [Durham]
- 10-11. Metcalf & Papendiek [Boston]
- 12. Benjamin K. Mill & Co [Bridgeport]
- 13. Miller Mfg. & Co. [Southington]
- 14. George W. Mills & Co. [Milford]
- 15-16. W.O. Mills & Co. [New York]
- 17-18. Minett & Co. [New York]

BOX III (continued)

Folder W

- document 1. A. Mix
- 2-13. Isaac Mix & Son [New York]
- 14. James Mix [New Haven] (see III:ZZ:10)
- 15. J.L.Monson [Simsbury]

Folder X

- document 1--2. Nicholas Mooney [New York]
- 3. Jamse I. Morgan & Co. [New York]
- 4. Adolphus Muller [Newark]
- 5--6. Muscan Hair Mfg. Co. [New York]
- 7--16. M.H.Nathan [Charleston] (carriage dealers)

Folder Y.

- document 1--17. M.H.Nathan

Folder Z. 18--20. Naugatuck Railroad Co.

- document 1--6a. Naugatuck Wheel Co. (William B. Lewis)
- 7. New Haven Saddlery Co.
- 8. New Haven Steam Boat & Co.
- 9. New Haven Wheel Co.
- 10. New Machinery Depot [Chicago]
- 11. T.P.Norton [Norwich]
- 12-16. John Ogden [Milwaukee]

Folder ZZ.

- document 1--8. Ogden & Smith [Milwaukee]
- 9. C.Cowler for Ogden & Smith
- 10-18. Paul A. Oliver [New York]

BOX IV

Folder A.

- document 1. Samuel Hughes for C.C.Orcutt [New York]
- 2--3. J.J.Osborn & Co. [New Haven]
- 4--5. Chas E. Page & Co. [Milwaukee]
- 6--8. Harvey Page & Co. [Brandford]
- 9. G.A.Pardee
- 10--15. Jesse E. Pardee (Cousin to W.&C. Dickerman) [1852--1866]
[letters to both George C.Dickerman and W&C.D.]

Folder A--1.

- document 1--15. J.E.Pardee

Folder A--2.

- document 1--15. J.E.Pardee

Folder A--3.

- document 1--15. J.E.Pardee

Folder A--4.

- document 1--6. J.E.Pardee
- 7--10. William B. Pardee
- 11--15. S.J.Patterson [Bridgeport]
- 16. Theo. H. Pease

Folder B.

- document 1--6. Mrs. H.M.Peck [Waterbury]
- 7-15. P.P.Peck [Nashville]

BOX IV (continued)

Folder C.

- document 1--10. P.P.Peck
 - 11. Walter H. Peters
- 12-13 . G.Phister [Milwaukee]
- 14--16. T.H.Plant
- 17. Plainville Manufacturing Co.

Folder D.

- document 1. George Potter [Jackson]
- 2--3. Wilson Price & Co. [New York]
- 4--7. Rand, Lewis & Rand [Westfield, Mass]
- 8. J.K.Rapp [Vicksburg]
- 9-10. Reed & Whittmer [East Brookfield]
- 11-13. F. Reynold (Newark)
- 14-15. William H. Reynolds & Co. (Austin)

Folder E.

- document 1--4. Reynolds & Korb [Newark]
- 5--9. Reynolds & Ryan (Charleston)
- 10. Rhoen & Co. [Sandford]
- 11-13. D. Richardson [New Jersey]
- 14. J.B. Richardson [Greenfield]
- 15-18. Richardson & Winans [Elizabeth, N.J.]

Folder F.

- document 1--5. R.A.Robenson & Co. [New York]
- 6-11. Robenson & Fosdick & Co. [New York]
- 12. George Rowden [Newark]
- 13. Henry Ruckold
- 14. William Russell [Westfield]

Folder G.

- document 1. C.W.Saladee [Columbus]
- 2--6. Sampson & Henricks [Austin]
- 7. Sanford & Allen [New Haven]
- 8-10. John C. Schwarz (Matches)
- ** 11. H.B.Shaw
- 12-13. W.W.Shaw [New Orleans]
- 14. Edward N. Shelton [Birmingham]
- 15-16. George P. Shelton [Seymour]
- **10a.S.W.Searl (surveyor and civil engineer) [New Haven]

Folder H.

- document 1--3. Shelton & Tuttle [Plymouth]
- 4. E.Sheyer & Co. [Milwaukee]
- 5. L.D.Shoemaker [New Haven]
- 6-14. William Sirrine [Americas]
- 15. Bradley Smith [Chicago]
- 16. George T. Smith

Folder I.

- document 1--3. George & Robert Smith [Macon]
- 4. H.B.Smith [New Haven]
- 5. P.L.Smith [Palmer, Mass.]
- 6. Samuel B. Smith [New Haven]
- 7. T.B.Smith [New Orleans]
- * 8--9. Isaac Smith's Son & Co. [New York]
- 10. Lewis Snapp [New Orleans]
- 11. C.Spencer [Higganum]
- 12-15. State Bank of Wisconsin [M.S.Scott] [Milwaukee]
- *7a. W.C.Smith [New Haven]

BOX IV (continued)

Folder J.

- document 1--8. State Bank of Wisconsin
- 9-10. Sterne & Sippili [New York]
- 11-16. H.P. Stevens [Cleveland]

Folder K. 17. George A. Stevens

document 1--3. J.F. Stone

- 4. John William Temant [New York]
- 5. H.E. Towler [Northford]
- 6. George Trowbridge [New York]
- 7. H. Trowbridge Sons [New York]
- 8. D. & B. Turnbull [Newark]
- 9. George J. Underwood [New York]
- 10. Vanderhoel & Bonsall [Newark]
- 11-15. Lyle Van Nuis & Co. [New Brunswick][1854--1857]

Folder L.

- document 1--15. Lyle Van Nuis & Co.

Folder M.

document 1--11. Lyle Van Nuis & Co.

- 12. John L. Vivien [New Orleans]
- 13. Wakenshaw & Morrison [Newark]
- 14. Wales, Downs & Co.
- 15-17. George Leon Walker

Folder N.

document 1. F.W. Walker

- 2--3. L.C. Wamer [Augusta]
- 4. E.W. Webster
- 5--6. A.J. Welch [Indiana]
- 7--9. H. Welch & Co. [Mobile]
- 10. Welli & Brigham [Milwaykee]
- 11. William Wells & Co. [New York]
- 12-14. West Haven Buckle Co.
- 15-16. West & Smith [New London]
- 17-19. T.B. Wheeler [Southbury][1854--1872]

Folder O.th

- document 1--15. T.B. Wheeler

Folder P.th

document 1. Almon Wheelock

- 2. Alphas Wheelock
- 3--4. White & Lunt [New York]
- 5--6. White Manufacturing Co. [Bridgeport]
- 7--9. A. Whiting & Co. [New Orleans]
- 10. T.W. Whitney
- 11-12. M.P. Wilder [Boston]
- 13-15. Wiley & Hills [Hartford]
- 16. H.J. Wilkins [Mississippi]

Folder Q.

document 1--3. T. Wilkens [New York]

- 4. L.B. Wood [New York]
- 5. John Woodruff
- 6-19. J. & A. Woodruff [Rahway]

Folder R.

- document 1--19. Wyman & Darrow [Augusta][1855--1859, plus undated]

BOX IV (continued)

Folder S.

- document 1. Wyman & May
- 2--6. Thomas Young [Washington]
- 7. Upton M. Young
- 8--10. Louis Zottelmeyer [Rahway]
- 11. W.A.G. [Boston Navy Yard]

Correspondence from Captain A.N.Gould--participated in the Civil War and was stationed on the following ships:
 USS"Octorora"; USS"Honduras"; USS"Eastport";
 USS"Osqark"; USS"Forest Rose". [1861--1866]

Folder T.

- document 1. Mrs. A.N.Gould
- 2-19. A[braham] N. Gould

Folder U.

- document 1--20. A.N.Gould

Outgoing Correspondence

Folder V.

- document 1. Mr. Alling [Vicksburg]
- 2--3. T.S.Baker Esq.
- 4. William S. Bartlett
- 5. J.Breckland
- 6--7. William Briel
- 8. S.Davis
- 9-10. George E.H.[H.E.] Day
- 11-15. Thomas J. Finney
- 16. James Foul Bain
- 17. Thomas P. Furwer
- 18. John Hunt [pertaining to the Estate of John G. Dickerman]

Folder W.

- document 1. D.C.Merwin
- 2--4. J.E.Pardee
- 5. Mrs. Peck
- 6--7. G.Phister
- 8--9. G.L.Potter
- 10. H.L.Rembug & Son
- 11. E.O.Robinson
- 12. Lester Scefter
- 13. M.S.Scott
- 14. W.M.Shaw
- 15. Isaac H. Townsend
- 16. Lester Tucker & Son
- 17-18. G.L.Walker
- 19. "On Truth" quote
- 20. Draft of letter, no name

BOX IV (continued)

Folder X. Legal Papers

- document 1. Indenture between Francis Brignole and James Wheeler [1840]
 2. Receipt for payment to "Third Congregational Society" [1848]
 3. Ezra Thompson, Addison Chamberlin, Samuel Chamberlin bonded as administrators of John G. Dickerman estate [1841]
 4. Estate of John G. Dickerman [1843]
 5. City construction permit [Milwaukie] [1848]
 6. Patent Agreement for drying and storing grain--Thomas C. Vice and William Dickerman [1863]
 7. Certificate of full payment of mortgage--Edward B. Dickerman [1866]
 8. Charles Dickerman trustee of Thomas P. Dickerman's property [1874]
 9. Indenture--Henry C. Collins & Lucien Sanderson [1887]
 10. Receipt of payment from Lucien Sanderson [1889]

Folder Y. Personal Papers

- document 1--2. Dog license
 3. Passport--Charles Dickerman 1880
 4. Passport--Charles Dickerman 1889
 5. Passport--Caroline J. Dickerman 1910

Folder Z. Newspaper clippings, calling cards (4), Writing Paper (2) [Regent Hotel, Royal Leamington]

Folder ZZ.

Advertisement: Strong Fire Arms Co. [New Haven]

BOX V. ~~Seen~~

Folders A. Correspondence pertaining to horticulture: information pertaining to various varieties of fruit trees, especially pear trees, berries and flowers [1852--1878]

- A-1. document 1--23.
 A-2. document 1--19.
 A-3. document 1--15. including lists of fruit trees and plants owned by Charles Dickerman.

Bills, invoices, orders and various other financial statements

Folder B.

documents 1--13. 1840--1849

Folder C.

documents 1--23. 1850

Folder D. 1851

- D-1. documents 1--22. January-June
 D-2. documents 1--18. July
 D-3 documents 1--30. August--September
 D-4 documents 1--28. October--November
 D-5. documents 1--19 December

Folder E. 1852

- E-1. documents 1--23. January--March
 E-2. 1--26. April--December

Folder F. 1853

- F-1, document 1--25. January--June 1853
 F-2. 1--26. July--December

Folder G. 1854.

- G-1. document 1--24. January--April
 G-2. 1--26. May--September
 G-3. 1--22. October--December

BOX V. (continued)

Folder H. 1855.

- H-1. document 1--44. January
- H-2. document 1--37. February--April
- H-3. document 1--31. May--June
- H-4. document 1--33. July
- H-5. document 1--45. August--September
- H-6. document 1--46. October--December

Folder I. 1856

- I-1. document 1--37. January--July
- I-2. document 1--35. August--December

Folder J. 1857

- J-1. document 1--27. January--March
- J-2. document 1--27. April--December

Folder K. 1858

- K-1. document 1--26. January--May 1858
- K-2. document 1--24. June--December

BOX VI

Folder A. Shipping Invoices--1859

- A-1. document 1--21. January--July
- A-2. document 1--19. March--April
- A-3. document 1--24. May--June
- A-4. document 1--28. July--October
- A-5. document 1--14. November--December

Folder B. 1859

- B-1. document 1--26. January 1--3.
- B-2. document 1--27. January 5--13
- B-3. document 1--29. January 15--24.
- B-4. document 1--20. January 25--31.

Folder C. 1859

- C-1. document 1--27. February 1--15.
- C-2. document 1--29. February 1--28.

Folder D. 1859

- D-1. document 1--30. March 1--17.
- D-2. document 1--30. March 18--28.

Folder E. 1859

- E-1. document 1--28. April 1--15
- E-2. document 1--27. April 16--30

Folder F. 1859

- F-1. document 1--23. May 1--16
- F-2. document 1--23. May 18--31

Folder G. 1859

- G-1. document 1--20. June 1--9
- G-2. document 1--20. June 10--30

Folder H. 1859

- document 1--27. July--December

BOX VI (continued)

Folder I. 1860.

- I-1. document 1--30. January -June
- I-2. document 1--32. July
- I-3. document 1--29. August-September
- I-4. document 1--25. October -November
- I-5. document 1--23. December

Folder J. 1861

- J-1. document 1--40. January
- J-2. document 1--35. February-March
- J-3. document 1--22. April-June
- J-4. document 1--24. July
- J-5. document 1--32. August-December

Folder K. 1862.

- K-1. document 1--24. January
- K-2. document 1--27. February-June
- K-3. document 1--25. July-August
- K-4. document 1--24. September -December

BOX VII

Folder A. 1863

document 1--11.

Folder B. 1864

- B-1. document 1--27. January-March
- B-2. document 1--30. April-May
- B-3. document 1--14. June
- B-4. document 1--33. July
- B-5. document 1--28. August--October
- B-6. document 1--25. November-December

Folder C. 1865

- C-1. document 1--29. January-March
- C-2. document 1--22. April-June
- C-3. document 1--27. July-August
- C-4. document 1--38. September-December

Folder D. 1866.

- D-1. document 1--26. May--July [none for January-April]
- D-2. document 1--26. August-September
- D-3. document 1--22. October
- D-4. document 1--31. November-December

Folder E. 1867

document 1--19.

Folder F. 1868

- F-1. document 1--31. January-March
- F-2. document 1--38. April-June
- F-3. document 1--26. July
- F-4. document 1--36. August-September
- F-5. document 1--36. October-December

Folder G. 1869

document 1--23

BOX VII (continued)

Folder H. 1870

H-1. document 1--25. January-April
 H-2. document 1--26. June--August [none for May]
 H-3. document 1--20. September-October
 H-4. document 1--23. November-December

BOX VIII

Folder A. 1871.

A-1. document 1--29. January-May
 A-2. document 1--20. June-August
 A-3. document 1--21. Sept~~e~~mber-December

Folder B. 1872.

B-1. document 1--28. January-June
 B-2. document 1--30. July-August
 B-3. document 1--34. September-December

Folder C. 1873.

C-1. document 1--27. Jan-June
 C-2. document 1--33. July-September
 C-3. document 1--35. October-December

Folder D. 1874.

D-1. document 1--19. January-June
 D-2. document 1--27. July
 D-3. document 1--19. August-December

Folder E. 1875

E-1. document 1--22. January-June
 E-2. document 1--18. July-August
 E-3. document 1--23. September-December
 E-4. document 1--18. Computations and notes used in preparing
 INVENTORY of 1975 [1846--1875]

Folder F. 1876.

F-1. document 1--25. January-March
 F-2. document 1--25. April-December

Folder G. 1877.

document 1--14.

Folder H. 1878

H-1. document 1--26. January-June
 H-2. document 1--22. July-September
 H-3.. document 1--21. October-December

Folder I. 1879

I-1. document 1--27. January-May
 I-2. document 1--28. June-December

Folder J. 1880

document 1--25.

Folder K. 1881

K-1. document 1--29. January-July
 K-2. document 1--21. August-December

BOX VIII (continued)

Folder L. 1882--1887

document 1--7. 1882
 8-15. 1883
 16-17. 1885
 18-19. 1886
 20-28. 1887

Folder M. 1888--1889

document 1--8. 1888
 9-22. 1889

Folder N. Undated bills, invoices, receipts, etc...
 document 1--30. [#29&30--lists of carriages sold]

Folder O. Undated computations
 document 1--10.

Folder P. Part of Ledger: accounts with Banks , 1855-1856.

BOX IX (1/2) Cancelled Checks & Check Books

Folder A-1. Merchants Bank, New Haven--cancelled checks [1859] (47)

A-2. City Bank of New Haven--cancelled checks [1848-1851, 1853-1854
 plus undated] (about 250).

B-1. City Bank of New Haven--check book "A" [Aug. 18, 1850-
 Jan 22, 1852].

B-2. --check book "B" [Jan. 1, 1852-
 July 6, 1854]

B-3. --check book [July 1, 1854-Dec.3, 1864]

B-4. --check book "C" [Aug.8, 1856-
 Aug.26, 1859]

B-5. --check book [August 27, 1859--
 December 3, 1864]

B-6. --check book [March 22, 1861-July 1, 1865]

BOX X (1/2) Cash Books

A. Book #25 [cash paid out] [1857-1859]

B. Book #26 [April 16, 1859-June 12, 1865]

C. Book #6 [July 1865-June 1872; July 1874-Oct. 1876]

BOX XI (1/2) Ledgers

A. Inventory Book #21 [1853] also Vicksburg Branch [1864, 1865]

B. "Bills Payable & Receivable" [1841-1856]

C. "Bills Payable & Receivable" #24 [1855-1870]

D. Account book with Bishop & Brothers [1852-1864]

E. Account book with D. Buckingham [14 books] [1860-1865]

F. Account book with H. Lampson [1859-1869]

G. Memo Book of Assets [1846-1848]

H. Bank Account Books

1. City Bank of New Haven, book #2 [Jan 1, 1851-Jan 6, 1853]

2. City Bank of New Haven, book #3 [July 17, 1848-Feb 27, 1854]

3. Merchants Bank of New Haven [1859-1869]

BOX XII (1/2) Ledgers

A. "Orders Received for Carriages & Parts" [1852-1865]

B. "Expenses & Repairs" [1850-1857]

C. "Day Book" [May 1850-April 1851]

D. "Inventory"

1. Book #20 [1852-1856]

2. Book #19 [1856-1864]

BOX XIII (1/2) Letter Books

- A. Book #22 [July 14, 1855--November 3, 1857] majority of letters addressed to Finney.
- B. Book #23 [November 9, 1857--April 15, 1868] majority of letters to Finney.

BOX XIV Financial

documents 1--76. accounts and financial statements [1852--1876; plus undated] oversized for box

Box XV. Financial--oversized for box.

- document 1--2. account with Northrop & Hurlburt [1874]
- 3--5. inventory list of books and ledgers [1875]
- 6. Inventory list of stock [1875]
- 7. inventory list of content of draw #1 [1875]
- 8. Ledger: Inventory statement of ledger balances and individual accounts [April 22, 1875] as prepared by A.H. Morse [May 8, 1875]. See also Box VII:E-4.

Item XVI. Ledger--mercantile business, Natchez, Miss., [Jan 1, 1842--March 13, 1844]. Oversized.

Item XVII. Ledger--Invoice Book #11 mercantile business, Natchez, Miss. [Oct 5, 1842--Nov 7, 1845], includes also copies of letters [Feb 16, 1852--Aug 13, 1853].

Item XVIII. Ledger--Day Book--[January--September, 1843], mercantile business, Natchez, Miss. Oversized.

Item XIX. Ledger--Day Book--[April 20, 1844--April 5, 1845], mercantile business, Natchez, Miss.

Item XX. Ledger--Account Book #7--[Jan 1, 1839--August 10, 1845] plus copies of letters to and from William Dickerman.

Item XXI. Ledger--Account Book #8--[July 28, 1845--Jan 1, 1852]

Item XXII. Ledger--Account Book #9--[July 1, 1851--Sep 30, 1856]; plus expenses by W. Dickerman. Also account of A.N. Gould.

Item XXIII. Ledger--Account Book #16--[1853]. Also invoices, credits & debts, commissions, inventory of carriages and harnesses for Vicksburg, Miss.

Item XXIV. Ledger--Account Book #10--[Oct 1, 1856--Jan 11, 1875] Includes also account of cash expenses of W.&C. Dickerman [Jan 5, 1864--April 14, 1870] and inventory [Jan 3, 1876] Memorandum of repairing buggy damaged by West Haven Rock Company, June 24, 1867 and of buying N.Y. Times for 8 weeks from Jan 24,--[inside of back cover].

Item XXV. Ledger--Cash Book #1--[Jan 2, 1839--Oct 17, 1851]

Item XXVI. Ledger--Cash Book #2--[June 20, 1851--Jan 1, 1856], also memorandum of cash on Thomas Parsons Dickerman's account and of tools in Smith Ship.

Item XXVII. Ledger--Cash Book #3--[Jan 1, 1856--April 29, 1859].

Item XXVIII. Ledger--Cash Book #4--[April 30, 1859--March 26, 1870].

- Item XXIX. Ledger #12, [Jan 7, 1839--August 29, 1848].
- Item XXX. Ledger "A" [July 1, 1851--Jan 11, 1876].
- Item XXXI. Ledger #13 [July 1, 1852--June 23, 1856].
- Item XXXII. Ledger--Sales Book #17--[July 17, 1850--May 26, 1859], including description of the carriages sold; also estimate of cost on various pieces of work; copies of three letters written by W.&C. Dickerman; memorandum of costs of work.
- Item XXXIII. Ledger--Sales Book #18--[June 1, 1859--August 3, 1870] with description of carriages sold; also includes memorandum of work on various carriages and estimates of costs of various jobs.
- Item XXXIV. Ledger--Invoice Journal #15--[Feb 15, 1853--Feb 4, 1861] Contains also cost, expenses for repairs, selling price, commission, freight expenses, net proceeds, and profit on carriages.