Guide to the Dr. David Sherwood Kellogg Journals; Clinton County Historical, Military, and Archaeological Research; and Family Materials
70.8

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Biographical Note

David Sherwood Kellogg was born in Essex, Vermont on October 21, 1847. He attended the University of Vermont (UVM), receiving his A.B. degree in 1870 and his M.D. in 1873. He taught at various schools and interned at Hartford Hospital in Connecticut for a brief period before moving to Plattsburgh, New York on April 7, 1874.

In 1875, Dr. Kellogg married Elizabeth Stafford Smith of Burlington, Vermont. They raised five children: Robert, Nelson, Elizabeth, David, Jr., and Francis Fellows. In addition, the doctor and his wife inherited guardianship for his sister's three children. Theodora, Helen, and Francis Kellogg Kyle went to live with their "Uncle Wood" after their parents, Fannie and Osceola Kyle both had passed away.

From 1874 until his death in 1909, Dr. Kellogg had a prominent medical practice in Plattsburgh, with the delivery of babies constituting the majority of his professional calls. He was a member of the Board of Pension Examiners for local veterans and several times acted as interim Post Surgeon at the Plattsburgh Barracks.

In addition to his professional duties, Dr. Kellogg had a wide range of other intellectual interests. He was a well-recognized authority on Native-American and military archaeological sites in the Champlain Valley region. He had a collection of 13,000 artifacts, which were later sold to Arthur C. James of New York, who donated them to the Gilbert Museum of Indian Relics at Amherst College in Massachusetts. Dr. Kellogg made major discoveries at Cumberland Bay near Scomotion Creek (aka Dead Creek), and his knowledge of local sites was highly regarded by the archaeological experts Parker and Beauchamp.

Dr. Kellogg was also interested in other aspects of local history. He interviewed elderly citizens and former soldiers and he wrote essays and gave lectures to historical societies in the region and as far away as Montreal. He was active in several historical and medical societies and was the initiating force behind the establishment of the Plattsburgh Institute. The primary objectives of this organization were to preserve and memorialize local historic sites and to hold bi-weekly historical lectures for the public.

Dr. Kellogg held membership in a number of societies and organizations: the Medical Society of Clinton County, the Northern New York Medical Association (president after 1891), the Massachusetts Medical Society, the Vermont State Medical Society, the New England Historical Genealogical Society, the Prince Society, the American Association for the Advancement of Science, the Sigma Phi Society, the Society of Colonial Wars, the Sons of the Revolution, the Vermont Historical Society, and the Plattsburgh Institute.

Scope of the Collection

The collection consists of 415 items, housed in seven Hollinger boxes and one oversize folder. Items include personal journals and transcripts of these journals, medical notes, family
correspondence, children's stories, genealogical information, historical notes, archaeological documentation and drawings, and newspaper clippings.

Items of special interest in this collection include Dr. Kellogg's interviews with local citizens and veterans, his addresses on medical, archaeological, and historical subjects, his work to commemorate local military events and sites, a scrapbook of local history and Native-American artifacts, a paper about Jesuit priests, a collection of folk and children's stories, Dr. Kellogg's correspondence with the War Department concerning his medical service to Plattsburgh Barracks, and an 1815 copy of the political cartoon "The Hartford Convention or Leap or No Leap," originally done by William Charles.

Dr. Kellogg began a limited biography of his medical colleagues and he collected local folklore and anecdotes. His journals include descriptions of some of Plattsburgh's citizens and events, his philosophies about life and death, and weather conditions and natural phenomena. Many entries reflect the doctor's interest in old and rare books while others contain his critiques of contemporary literature and authors.

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**Background Sources in Special Collections**


Various newspaper and journal articles listed in the card index under the heading "Kellogg, David Sherwood."

See also this item located at the Plattsburgh Public Library:

Container List

Box/folder:

**D. S. Kellogg’s Personal Journals**

1/1  December 12, 1885 – February 18, 1892 (hardbound, 416 pp.)
1/2  February 20, 1892 – March 29, 1898 (hardbound, 360 pp.)
1/3  March 30, 1898 – August 16, 1909 (hardbound, 344 pp.)

**Typed Transcriptions of D. S. Kellogg’s Personal Journals**

2/1  December 12, 1885 - September 20, 1887 [from journal 1/1] (138 pp.)
2/2  October 4, 1887 - February 28, 1890 [from journal 1/1] (137 pp.)
2/3  March 1, 1890 - February 18, 1892 [from journal 1/1] (141 pp.)
2/4  February 20, 1892 – August 30, 1895 [from journals 1/1 & 1/2] (216 pp.)
2/5  August 31, 1895 – March 29, 1898 [from journal 1/2] (144 pp.)
2/6  March 30, 1898 – July 21, 1902 [from journals 1/2 & 1/3] (200 pp.)
2/7  August 6, 1902 – August 16, 1909 [from journal 1/3] (144 pp.)

3/1  **Stories and Sketches, 1887-1907** (hardbound “Vol. 1”)

Stories for the children (141 pp.):

6/27/1887  The Daisies and the Buttercups
6/29/1887  The Lantern in the Tree
8/8/1887  A Dream
11/5/1887  The Story of a Tree
11/24/1887  Thanksgiving Day Thirty Days Ago
Spring 1888  Maple Sugar-making in Vermont
7/16/1888  A Story of the Richelieu
3/16/1889  Some Account of the House in Essex, Vermont, Where I was Born
3/22/1889  Things Seen from the Old House
12/2/1890  The Farm in Essex
12/2/1890  Colchester Pond
11/---/1892  The Orchard
1/2/1891  Story of a Bridge
1/18/1891  What John Saw and How He Came Home
2/14/1891  A Story of One River
3/3/1891  The Lost Nation
3/12/1891  A Morning Ride (of 3/8/1891)
4/3/1891  An Early Morning Ride (of 3/31/1891)
5/16/1891  The Old Store (Elmore store, Peru, NY, visited 5/4/1891)
6/14/1891  Scene on Cumberland Head
7/26/1891  A Glimpse Down Street
10/11/1891  The First Snow
11/11/1891  One Evening in November
11/13/1891 The Angelus
12/6/1891 And this was December
1/9/1892 Seen by the Winter’s Moon
1/10/1892 Rugar Street Ride
2/14/1892 Three Things (drive up the Pike to Mr. Alonzo D. Collins)
2/19/1892 One Fairy Land (above the pulp mill opposite the Maine Mill)
2/27/1892 February the Twenty-Seventh
2/29/1892 How a Well Made a Man’s Fortune

Ghost Stories from Up-State New York, and some epitaphs (53 pp.):

2/2/1895 A Witch Story – Cossayuna - Jennie M.
4/14/1895 Another – from Clayburgh – Mrs. John H. Myers
4/14/1895 And another – from Clayburgh – Mrs. John H. Myers
5/2/1895 Money Promised to a Corpse
5/7/1895 The Murdered Peddler and variants
5/---/1895 Ste. Anne de Beaupré
7/12/1895 Another Murdered Peddler
8/23/1895 Haunted House
Fall 1895 some epitaphs, and two true stories told by pupils of the
Normal School
1/9/1897 A witch story from Willsboro
1/18/1897 Mrs. Casey’s story of the Murdered Peddler
2/11/1897 Phineas Hooker’s epitaphs
3/25/1898 Stories of Dave Wickham
12/9/1898 Visit to Cemetery at Ausable Chasm
Dec. 1898 Stories of Ausable Chasm told by George N. Wills, depot master
7/29/1899 Inscriptions on gravestones in Baker Cemetery, West Plattsburgh
9/---/1902 Recollections of the Plattsburgh ice house
8/16/1907 Inscriptions in a cemetery in Redford, N.Y.

Sketches (240 pp.):

3/21/1892 One Man’s Life (Desrochers, who works for Dancin Laforce)
3/26/1892 A Dog Called Jove
4/22/1892 A Morning Concert (walk at 4 a.m.)
4/30/1892 One House (the Rugar House, built 1808, taken down 1892)
5/13/1892 One Forenoon in May
5/30/1892 Of Common Occurrence (Tredwell’s Mills on the Saranac River)
7/16/1892 A Ten Minute Walk
9/9/1892 By the Harvest Moon (drive on the Lake Shore road)
10/5/1892 Drive to Morrisonville
11/---/1892 Aunt Edna’s Story of the Stolen Children
11/16/1892 A November Rain
11/24/1892 Down by the Lake
11/28/1892 The Cantonment (Pike’s)
1/18/1893 All of Winter is not Pitiless
2/17/1893 A Shadow and shine
5/---/1893 The Raging River (the Saranac in flood)
5/--/1893 Two Incidents (opening of the Opera House and death of a girl)
6/--/1893 An Excursion (to Lake George)
10/--/1893 Revisited (trip to Essex, Westford, and Milton, Vermont 8/31-9/2/1893)
10/20-22/1893 A Glimpse of Kentucky (trip to Shelbyville)
11/--/1893 In November
12/24/1893 A Night Walk (call on a patient, Christmas eve)
1/4/1894 Our Ancestors
1/--/1894 A Vagabond (John Giroux)
1/--/1894 The Spinning Wheel’s Story
3/--/1894 The Death of a Dog Called Jove
3/--/1894 How March Came In
9/--/1894 A Day Off (trip to Chateaugay Lake 8/25/1894)
9/--/1894 It Had to Be (Fredenburgh Falls)
1/25/1895 A January Ride (to Westport)
1895 A Night Consultation
4/--/1895 How the Ice Went Out
4/19/1895 One Morning in April
6/16/1895 On the East Piazza – dawn of a June day
7/17-18/1895 Lotus Point
10-21-1895 An Afternoon Drive (to Scotia)
1/--/1896 The Year Went Out
2/--/1896 Not a Wayside Inn (description of an old stone house on the State Road)
4/--/1896 Uncle John Sibley’s (boyhood recollections of Westford)
9/--/1896 Some Old Tunes and Old Singing (1850-60, hymns, and singing of his grandparents)
10/--/1896 We Went a Fishing (recollections of fishing as a boy)
1896 Another Day Off (search for Indian relics near Ticonderoga)
12/4/1896 A December Ride
5/12/1899 A Morning in May (early morning ride to see a patient)
1900 A February Ride (to Rand Hill)
10/20/1901 Down by the Lake Again (a walk along the lake with his nephew)
8/21/1903 A Night on Lyon Mountain
9/19/1903 Poke O’Moonshine
8/30/1904 A Little Journey (to Sorel, P.Q., to search for records of Canada Riedesel)

3/2 Manuscript introduction to a book of "Stories Written for my Children by Their Father," which was printed after Dr. Kellogg's death (8 pp.)

3/3 Booklet of "Folk Lore - Weather Lore – Aphorisms" compiled 1886-1904 (40 pp.)

3/4 Recollections; Origins of Plattsburgh Place Names; Notes and Journeys, 1886-1905 (hardbound “Vol. 2”)

Interview recollections, mostly of the 1814 Battle of Plattsburgh, told by various persons (ca. 100 pp.):
10/5/1886  John William Bailey
10/29/1886  John William Bailey
11/1/1886  John William Bailey
    n.d.  Rebecca Loflin Leeke
10/31/1886  Mary Sheldon
11/4/1886  Mary (Williams) Torrey
11/5/1886  Moses Mooers and his wife Catherine Shute
11/19/1886  Orrin C. Spulding
4/19/1887  Gideon Rugar
11/24/1886  Harry Sawyer Ransom
12/23/1886  Henry L. Dominy
    9/9/1887  Henry L. Dominy
12/23/1887  R. P. Mallory (sketches of old Plattsburgh)
12/28/1886  Simeon Doty (veteran of the Battle of Plattsburgh)
6/2/1887  Nathaniel Chittendon Culver
6/3/1887  Stephen Keese Smith (Battle of Plattsburgh and the underground railroad)
6/4/1887  Stephen K. Smith
1/--/1889  Biographical notes on the life of Gen. Benjamin Mooers written by his son from answers made orally by his father
    n.d.  Mrs. Gilman’s remembrances of childhood in Plattsburgh, written in Woodland, Wisconsin, January 1861
Derivations of street names and places in and around Plattsburgh (24 pp.)
Notes and Journeys (85 pp.):
    10/29/1897  Trip to Fort Edward and Sandy Hill in search of Sherwood gravestones and genealogical information; cemetery inscriptions at Sandy Hill, N.Y.
    6/--/1902  Other cemetery inscriptions at Pencock, N.Y., and Thoreau inscriptions in Sleepy Hollow, Concord, Massachusetts
1/16/05 to 3/6/1905  Account of a trip to California and the West Coast

3/5  **Military Journal and Orderly Books, 1756-1818** (hardbound “Vol. 3”)

Transcriptions by Dr. Kellogg of letters written by Nathan Whiting to his wife (Mary Saltonstall). Whiting was an officer in a New England regiment in the French And Indian War 1756-1760. (65 pp.)
Transcription by Dr. Kellogg of Captain Ichabod Morton’s Orderly Book of 9/12/1776 to 11/23/1776. Morton commanded a Company in a Connecticut Regiment. (97 pp.)
Transcription by Dr. Kellogg of the Diary of Ensign Ebenezer Dibble, 5/27/1759 to 11/20/1762 (20 pp.)
Copy made by Dr. Kellogg of the manuscript Orderly Book, Muster Rolls, etc. of Capt. John Straight’s Company of the 7th New York Regiment Detached Militia,
July 7,
1812 to January 1818. (114 pp.)

3/6 Copy made by Dr. Kellogg of "Narrative of Capture, Prison Life, and Escape during the War of the Rebellion in 1864," by Morris C. Foote, aide de Camp, read by Captain George E. Land at the 14th meeting of the Plattsburgh Institute, May 28, 1894 (42 pp.)

4/1 Notes on Genealogy; Gravestones; Plattsburgh History; Letters from Europe 1879 (hardbound “Vol. 4”)

Genealogical (190 pp.):
Transcriptions by Dr. Kellogg of
- Items from the N.E. Hist. & Gen. Register, concerning, among others, the Kellogg family, and the Otis family of Scituate, Massachusetts.
- Letters from Harvey F. Aubery, March 1886.
- The American Monthly, 1896, on the Day family.
- Judd’s History of Hadley, Massachusetts, 1863.
- Items in Whitney Genealogy, 1895.
- Items in The History of Cape Cod, 1858.
- Items in Davis’ Ancient Landmarks of Plymouth.
- Application for membership in the Society of Colonial Wars, 1896.
- Items in Bond’s Watertown Genealogies.
- Inscriptions on gravestones in Essex Center, Chittenden County, Vermont.
- Items in a Manual of the Congregational Church, Essex, Vermont, Adopted by the Church in 1881.
- Items in Goodwin’s Genealogical Notes & Contributions to the Family History of Some of the First Settlers of Connecticut and Massachusetts, 1856.
- Items in Holden’s A History of the Town of Queensbury in the State of New York...” 1874 (on Adiel and Seth Sherwood).
- Items from the Fellows Family Bible.
- Item from History of Hingham, Massachusetts, 1893 (on Nicholas Jacob).
- Letter from Town Clerk of Straksboro, Vermont, re David Kellogg, 1897.
- Gravestone of Osceola H. Kile (1839-1873) in Westerly, Rhode Island.
- Letters from Dorliska Sheldon re Rowland Stebbins, 1897.
- Items in Drummond’s The John Rogers Families in Plymouth and Vicinity, 1895.
- Items in the will of Edward Stebbins, 1663.
- Letter from Charles S. Fellows, re Fellows family, 1898.
- Items from History of Litchfield County, Connecticut, with Illustrations and Biographical Sketches of its Prominent Men and Pioneers, 1881, re Fellows family.
- Items from Hoyt’s The Old Families of Salisbury and Amesbury, Massachusetts with Some Related Families of Newbury, Haverhill, Ipswich and Hampton, 1898 (on Fellows family).
- Numerous other such transcriptions.

Gravestone and other transcriptions by Dr. Kellogg (43 pp.):
- Headstones of the Kellogg family & others in Essex Center, Vermont, May 1900.
Deeds found in his father's desk, June 1900.  
Receipts in connection with the estate of David Kellogg.  
Excerpts from records of the Town Clerk, Essex, Vermont, concerning Kellogg genealogy.  
Excerpts from probate records, Burlington, Vermont, concerning David Kellogg.

Plattsburgh History Commemoration (57 pp.):  
Notes on an 1894 meeting of the Plattsburgh Institute, of a committee on which Dr. Kellogg served, to designate sites in the Plattsburgh area worthy of remembrance by marking. Kellogg recommended a monument be placed at Culver Hill, 4 miles from Plattsburgh, to commemorate the battle of Sept. 6, 1814. Subsequent notes detail the planning, design and execution of the monument, and its dedication on September 22, 1894 (see also 4/2 on the Culver Hill monument and dedication)  
Notes on the February 1895 placement of a bronze plaque on the Bridge Street bridge, commemorating the American troops’ multiple successes in preventing the British army from crossing the bridge, September 5-11, 1814. Copies of letters and notes concerning other historic items and sites for commemoration, including cannons taken from the British ship “Confiance” on Sept. 11, 1814; a monument to be placed on Crab Island where sailors of the Sept. 11, 1814, battle were buried; a monument to be placed on Valcour Island commemorating the battle of Oct. 11, 1776; a marking with flags, of the graves of soldiers from the wars of 1776 and 1812, May 29, 1895; a marble tablet marking the home of General Benjamin Mooers at the corner of Bridge and Peru Streets, on July 4, 1895; a monument erected Sept. 11, 1895, at Halseys Corners where the British advance was held back September 6, 1814; the celebration of Decoration Day, May 30, 1896; and the placement of a commemorative table on the Plattsburgh Barracks in honor of 21st U.S. Infantrymen who were killed at the battle of Santiago de Cuba in July of 1898.  
Letters from Dr. Kellogg’s mother while in Europe, 1879 (16 pp.)

4/2  Documentation and newspaper articles related to the 1894 erection of the Culver Hill Memorial Monument on the Beekmantown Road north of Plattsburgh, related to the War of 1812 (13 items; see also the Plattsburgh History Commemoration section of 4/1)

4/3  Typed copy of "Discovery of One of the Vessels of Arnold's Fleet at Whitehall, NY in Summer of 1910" (5pp.)

Kellogg Family Materials

4/4  Genealogical Data (Kellogg, Sherwood, Otis, Thatcher, Fellows families, 33 items)  
4/5  Misc. Family Papers, 1790-1898 (31 items)  
4/6  Letters Re: Family Genealogy, 1840-1963 (22 items)  
4/7  Kellogg Family Receipts, 1826-1895 (31 items)  
4/8  Additional Family Materials:  
4/8/1  Snapshot photograph of the Kellogg farm house, Essex, Vermont, 1939  
4/8/2  A communion token presented to D.S. Kellogg, May 1898, by Paul Reynolds of the Normal School of Putnam, NY, used at the Reformed Presbyterian Church,
Engraved copper printing plate for book labels “Ex Libris Nelson Kellogg”
Reward of Merit card given to D. Sherwood Kellogg by his Teacher
Pamphlet on the Prince Society of Massachusetts, 1894, of which D.S. Kellogg was a member
“Rules of Behaviour” list drawn by Nelson Kellogg, April 18, 1830
Graduation program for the Class of 1896, Plattsburgh High School, held at Plattsburgh Theater
Typed transcription of High School Graduation Programs, Burlington H.S. 1882, Plattsburgh H.S. 1883

Kellogg Family Correspondence

Kellogg Family Letters, 1865-1957 (15 items)
D.S. Kellogg Correspondence, 1875-1895 (36 items)
D.S. Kellogg Correspondence, 1896-1900; 1904-1908 (52 items)
D.S. Kellogg Letters to Mrs. Theodora Kyle Chase, 1904 (6 items)

Medical Related: D.S. Kellogg’s Notes on Local Doctors, Case Histories, Service for the Military, Presentations

Journal with Notes about Local Doctors (21 pp.) and 3 letters
Record Book with Notes about Local Doctors, and the Medical Society of Clinton County, 1888-1890 (19pp.)
Journal of injuries treated for employees of D.&H.C. Co. (Delaware & Hudson Canal Co.) and C.O.&I. Co. (Chateaugay Ore & Iron Co.), 1885-1886 (6pp.)
Biographical Notes about Dr. Isaac Platt Foote of Plattsburgh, N.Y., 1883 (3pp.)
Biographical Notes about Dr. Melvin Allen Barnes (1811-1889) of Schuyler Falls, N.Y. (3pp.)
Biographical Notes about Dr. James Wilson Mead of Rouses Point, N.Y. (1p.)
Biographical Notes about Dr. Samuel Haynes (2pp.)
Fee Bill (charge rates) of Clinton County Medical Society, 5/1/1867 (1 item)
Medical Case Histories, including sick call at Plattsburgh Barracks, 1893, 1898 (3 items)
D.S. Kellogg Correspondence with the Surgeon General’s Office of the War Department, in connection with his varied service as Assistant Surgeon, Post Surgeon and Attending Surgeon at the Plattsburgh Army Barracks 1877-1898 (42 items)
D.S. Kellogg Addresses on Scarlet Fever (n.d.), Hygiene of the School (1877), Insanity (1879), and Heart Disease (1892) (4 items)
Medical & Scientific Meetings notice and admittance cards, University of Vermont Medical Course Cards, 1779, 1808, 1872-1891, 1894, 1900 (21 items)
Journal notes on a man named Biel’s illness and death, Feb. 28 to May 6, 1870. Author uncertain (27pp.)

D.S. Kellogg Lectures, Essays, and Historical Notes

D.S. Kellogg Lectures & Essays, 1879-1901:
Some Aboriginal Dwelling-sites in the Champlain Valley (Aug. 1879)
On a train trip to St. John at the northern end of Lake Champlain (Oct. 1887)
5/11/3 On Lake Champlain and its early history (Oct. 1887)
5/11/4 On the St. Lawrence River and its early history (Oct. 1887)
5/11/5 Fort Saint Frederick (Nov. 1887)
5/11/6 On the Richelieu River and its early history (Nov. 1887)
5/11/7 Clinton County in 1814 (Sept. 1888)
5/11/8 On archaeological discoveries in the Champlain Valley (1878, plus a copy)
5/11/9 The Ice Age and some of its Indications in the Valley of Lake Champlain (Feb. 1891, plus a typed copy)
5/11/10 On curious sayings, signs, customs and stories (ca. 1897)
5/11/11 Antiquities of Clinton County, New York (Jan. 1881, plus a photocopy)
5/11/12 Early Mention of Some Events and Places in the Valley of Lake Champlain (ca. 1902)
5/11/13 On Jesuits and the early history of the Champlain Valley (ca. 1902)
5/11/14 Lake Settlements [archaeology] (April 1879)
5/11/15 Some Notes on Archaeology (Aug 1890, 2 ms copies)
5/11/16 Henry David Thoreau (June 1890)
5/11/17 Archaeology of the Creek [Scomotion or Dead Creek] (1894)
5/11/18 On proverbs and sayings; luck; marriage, death and dreams; moon, weather, and seasonal; birth, children and health; miscellaneous (March 1895)
5/11/19 Thoreau in the Valley of Lake Champlain (Oct. 1901, plus a photocopy)
5/11/20 Down by the Lake, again (n.d.)
5/11/21 Operations of the American and British Forges in the Champlain Valley, 1776 (Nov. 1887)

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Historical Notes:

Copy of “The Noble Lads of Canada” by Miner Lewis of Mooers, NY (from the Plattsburgh Republican 1887)

Notes on Charles Platt

Letter to the editor of the Republican, on a tour of historic sites at Fort Edward

“Uncle Wood’s Notes on Reminiscences of People in Plattsburgh who were living at the time of the Battle, Sept. 1814” (typed, n.d.)

Notes compiled Dec. 1887, of letters relative to the early history of the Champlain Valley, dating to 1679, 1689-90, 1699, 1709

Archaeological Materials

6/1 Archaeological Notes, Typescript and Illustrations (copy 1: complete copy—99pp.; copy 2—86 pp.)
6/2 Archaeological Notes without illustrations (47 pp.)
6/3 Amherst College, Mass., List of the Kellogg Artifact Collection (3 copies--22pp. each)

Newspaper and Periodical Materials

6/4 “Champlain Valley Pioneers”— 1940s newspaper articles reprinting “Sketches of Famous Personages from The Plattsburgh Sentinel – 1891” (15 items):

Capt. Henry Mayo; the Platt Family; Judge Charles Platt; Steamboating on Lake Champlain; William Pitt Platt; Captain Gideon Lathrop; Capt. R.W. Sherman; Capt. Lot Chamberlin; Capt. P.T. Davis; Judge Jonas Platt; Judge Zephaniah Platt; Capt. Nathaniel Platt; Captain William M. Flagg; Hon. Zephaniah Platt; The Platts of
Plattsburgh

6/5 Misc. Newspaper clippings, 1895-1906, mostly concerning the War of 1812, and some of Dr. Kellogg's collections (10 items)


Published photograph of an inscribed stone found at the head of the coffin of Lord George Augustus Howe, Oct. 3, 1889.

Ticonderoga Sentinel article on Fort Ticonderoga and an Unveiling of Tablets on the Fort Grounds, 6/21/1900.

6/7 Scrapbook of newspaper clippings, ca. 1879-1901, on Indian Relics, numerous excerpts from Rev. Eleazer Williams' War of 1812 diary, and an obituary of Plattsburgh's Rev. Francis B. Hall

6/8 Correspondence among various parties concerning the possible use, publication, and disposition of parts of the Kellogg Collection, 1957-58, 1964-5 (10 items)

Dr. Allan Everest manuscript

7 Typescript copy of Dr. Allan S. Everest's manuscript for Memoirs of a Small-Town Doctor (658 pp.). The edited manuscript was published in 1970 by Everest, with the title A Doctor at All Hours, the Private Journal of a Small-Town Doctor's Varied Life 1886-1909.

Oversize Folder

Political broadside, “The Hartford Convention or Leap No Leap,” copied from a cartoon drawn by artist William Charles (1776-1820), ca. 1814. This ca. 1815 anonymous printing includes the depiction of Josiah Dunham, State Secretary of Vermont, on the outer right margin. Dunham had been elected to the Federalist meeting, but was refused admittance. Description of the original William Charles cartoon appears in the Library of Congress Prints & Photographs online catalog (www.loc.gov/pictures/item/2002708988): “Charles's satire attacks the Hartford Convention, a series of secret meetings of New England Federalists held in December 1814. The artist caricatures radical secessionist leader Timothy Pickering and lampoons the inclinations toward secession by convention members Rhode Island, Massachusetts, and Connecticut, alleging encouragement from English King George III."