

William Sharswood papers, 1865-1867
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Summary Information

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Abstract	These papers pertain to minerals and mining, publications, his play "The Betrothed," St. John's College in Maryland, and Reconstruction in South Carolina.

Background note

William Sharswood (1836-1905) was a chemist, naturalist and playwright. Born in Philadelphia, Sharswood was the son of William and Agnes Sharswood, and cousin of Pennsylvania Supreme Court Chief Justice George Sharswood (1810-1883, APS 1851). After graduating from the University of Pennsylvania in 1856, Sharswood studied Chemistry at the University of Saxony and received a Ph.D. in 1859.

As a naturalist, Sharswood contributed articles to a number of journals, including *Proceedings of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences*, *Linnaea Entomologica*, and the *Bulletin de la société géologique de France* and gave papers at the Boston Society of Natural History and the Elliott Society of Natural History. He also corresponded widely with other American naturalists. Among his major correspondents were John LeConte (1818-1891, APS 1873), John Lawrence LeConte (1825-1883, APS 1853), and Samuel S. Haldeman (1812-1880, APS 1844).

Sharswood also took an interest in Reconstruction in South Carolina and corresponded in 1866 with James D. B. DeBow, the editor of *DeBow's Review*, who had advocated an expansion of southern agriculture and commerce. According to the *Charlotte Observer*, which reported Sharswood's death in 1905, he lived in North Carolina for the last twenty-five years of his life, and for several years "edited with ability" a newspaper in Stokes County. The January 1902 issue of *Publications of the Southern History Association* reported that Sharswood was preparing a work for publication, entitled *Facts Worth Knowing About North Carolina*, which included half tone portraits of "representative" native North Carolinians.

Sharswood died on February 17, 1905 in Winston-Salem, North Carolina as a result of a train accident.

Scope & content

The collection includes letters written to William Sharswood in Philadelphia. The material is dated from 1865 to 1867. With the exception of the letters by Bianconi (in Latin), A. R. Rungabes(?) (in French), and the Bayrische Staatsbibliothek (in German), the material is in English.

Since the collection does not include letters written by Sharswood, it offers only limited insight into his own views and activities. Several of the items in this collection deal with matters related to natural history. Sharswood's correspondents who write about this topic include Samuel Haldeman and Edward Borden. A letter by Haldeman, for example, notes that "human bodies properly interred are not devoured by worms" (3 March 1865); Borden's letters focus on mineralogy. A few additional letters refer to publications, including the one by Jay (27 March 1865).

In addition, several items relate to Sharswood's ultimately futile quest to obtain a professorship at St. John's College in Maryland. Some of the letters discuss related professional pursuits, including Sharswood's educational plans. Haldeman and Browne, for example, comment on the proposal to have a college for chemistry alone (21 September 1867; 7 November 1867), and LeConte writes in detail about the "University System" to which he had "devoted considerable thought" (22 September 1867).

Material related to Sharswood as a playwright includes the letter by Jay (26 June 1865) and the one by James Pearce (24 February 1866). Two letters refer to Sharswood's present of his play *The Betrothed* to the King of Bavaria, including the one from the U.S. Consulate in Munich, signed by Toomy (13 November 1867), and the letter from the king's secretary (29 November 1867). A few letters, such as the ones from Mitchell and Crowell, concern personal affairs, including the death of Sharswood's father. The letters by the actress Jean Hosmer tend to be personal and playful; on one occasion, for example, she writes about a perfumed lock of hair she sent Sharswood (5 March 1866).

Of particular interest is a group of letters that deal with the impact of General Sherman's march through South Carolina. Several of these letters were written by John LeConte of Columbia, South Carolina. They are highly critical of Reconstruction. They not only detail the destruction left by Sherman but also discuss the "depth of gloom" which shrouds the future of the state (1 September 1867). LeConte laments the destruction caused by Sherman (the "American Attila") that left "this once beautiful city" of Columbia, SC, "in ashes." He was particularly upset that most of the local libraries were "either pillaged or destroyed" (29 August 1865). Another letter refers to the "impoverished condition in which [the people] were left by the invasion of the Vandals." LeConte argues for the abolition of the Freedmen's Bureau (25 January 1866) and the disenfranchisement of freedmen (1 September 1867). Mary Graham of South Carolina similarly complains about the destruction of her papers by Sherman's Army (19 June 1866), and Josephine LeConte laments the passing of the "days of Elegant leisure which was so characteristic of Southern life" (25 June 1866). The two brief letters by DeBow relate to DeBow's decision not to publish Sharswood's article, the topic of which is not mentioned.

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Indexing Terms

Corporate Name(s)

- St. John's College (Annapolis, Md.)

Family Name(s)

- DeBow, James D. B.
- Le Conte, John.

Geographic Name(s)

- South Carolina -- History -- 1865-

Personal Name(s)

- Allen, George, 1808-1876
- Allibone, S. Austin (Samuel Austin), 1816-1889
- Barden, Edward E.

- Boker, George H., (George Henry), 1823-1890
- Browne, J. Ross, (John Ross), 1821-1875
- Everett, William, 1839-1910
- Gibbs, Wolcott, 1822-1908
- Haldeman, Samuel Stehman, 1812-1880
- Hosmer, Jean, 1842-1890
- Jackson, Charles T., (Charles Thomas), 1805-1880
- Le Conte, John L. (John Lawrence), 1825-1883

Subject(s)

- Education.
- Mineralogy.
- Reconstruction.

Correspondence

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Mitchell, J. G. Jan. 18, 1865 7-3/4x5
 Letter to W[illiam] Sharswood;
 Philadelphia, A.L.S. 2p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Sorrow at the death of his father.

Fish, Asa I. (Asa Israel), 1820-1879 Feb. 17, 1865 8x5
 Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood;
 Philadelphia, A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Will discuss problem over tea.
 Mentions Shakespeare Society.

Sanborn, Francis G. Feb. 18, 1865 9-1/2x6
 Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood,
 Philadelphia;
 Boston, A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Asks that his collection of
 curculionidae be returned. Refers to J.L.LeConte

LeConte, John L., (John Lawrence), 1825-1883 Feb. 26, 1865 8x5
 Letter to William Sharswood;
 Philadelphia, A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Will be at his office to discuss
 Sanborn's letter.

Haldeman, Samuel Stehman, 1812-1880 March 3, 1865 8x5
 Letter to William Sharswood;
 Columbia, Penna., A.L.S. 2p. (see W.Sharswood Letters...; 1865-1867.) Did not look him up in
 Philadelphia, but now forgets the reason. Friendly letter.

Jay, Charles A. March 27, 1865 8x5

Correspondence

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood;

New York, A.L.S. 1p. (see W. Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Forwards papers but cannot forward fragment of meteorite.

LeConte, John L., (John Lawrence), March 29, 1865 8x5
1825-1883

Letter to William Sharswood;

Philadelphia, A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Sends letter from Sanborn.

Crowell, James M. March 30, 1865 6-1/2x4

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood;

A.L.S. 4p.and add. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Did not write the sermon he preached at the death of Sharswood, Sr. Gives his reasons for speaking extemporaneously.

Gibbs, Wolcott, 1822-1908 May 24, 1865 7-1/2x4-1/2

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood,
Philadelphia;

Cambridge, A.L.S. 1p.and add. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...;1865-1867.) Has no copy of his paper on metals left which he could send.

Jay, Charles A. May 24, 1865 8x5

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood;

New York, A.L.S. 1p. (see W. Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Cannot obtain a piece of the meteorite.

Haldeman, Samuel Stehman, 1812-1880 June 26, 1865 7x5

Letter to William Sharswood;

Columbia, A.L.S.with monogram. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Will be at home when he calls.

Jackson, Charles T., (Charles Thomas), July 10, [1865?] 8x5
1805-1880

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood;

Correspondence

A.L.S. 3p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) His plans for the summer. Concerning a meteorite.

Barden, Edward E.

Aug. 4, 1865

8x5

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood,
Philadelphia;

Rockport, Mass., A.L.S. 3p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning minerals and will exchange them.

LeConte, John, 1818-1891

Aug. 29, 1865

10x8

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood,
Philadelphia;

Columbia, S.C., A.L.S. 2p. (see W. Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning the aftermath of the war. FILM 403 FRAME 166

Barden, Edward E.

Aug. 31, 1865

8x6-1/2

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood,
Philadelphia;

Rockport, Mass., A.L.S. 4p. (see W. Sharswood Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning minerals.

**Jackson, Charles T., (Charles Thomas),
1805-1880**

Oct. 28, 1865

8x5

Letter to William Sharswood;

Boston, A.L.S. 3p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Has been to Nevada and California. Refers to Humboldt. Cannot send a piece of his meteorite.

Brewer, N.

Nov. 7, 1865

10x8

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood,
Philadelphia;

Annapolis, A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning positions for St. John's college.

Brewer, N.

Dec. 18, 1865

10x8

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood;

Correspondence

Annapolis, A.L.S. 2p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Dr. Henry Barnard is principal of St. John's college and should be seen for positions.

Allen, George, 1808-1876

1865-1867

5-1/2x3-1/2

Letter to [William] Sharswood;

Saturday P.M. A.L.S. 3p. (see W. Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Thanks for his publication.

Sharswood, William, 1836-1905

1865-1867

Letters from various persons;

D. 98 items, with 2 broadsides. Various sizes. Presented by Miss. Frances Linchten; March 23, 1959.
Table of contents available.

LeConte, John, 1818-1891

Jan. 25, 1866

10x8

Letter to W[illiam] Sharswood,
Philadelphia;

Columbia, S.C., A.L.S. 2p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Is trying to get the University of South Carolina open. Concerning his family.

Hosmer, Jean, 1842-1890

Feb. 8, [1866]

7-1/4x5

Letter to W[illiam] Sharswood;

Pittsburgh, A.L.S. 2p. (see W.Sharswood Letters...; 1865-1867.) Friendly letter.

Brewer, N.

Feb. 10, 1866

9-3/4x7-3/4

Letter to W[illiam] Sharswood,
Philadelphia;

Annapolis, A.L.S. 3p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning St.John's college and Dr. Barnard.

Hosmer, Jean, 1842-1890

Feb. 18, [1866]

7-1/2x5

Letter to [William Sharswood];

Cincinnati, A.L.S. 2p. (see W.Sharswood Letters...; 1865-1867.) Friendly letter.

Haldeman, Samuel Stehman, 1812-1880

Feb. 21, 1866

8x5-1/4

Correspondence

Letter to William Sharswood;

Columbia, Penna., A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...;1865-1867.) Concerning his plans.
Concerning a possible gift of his publications to St. John's college.

Pearce, James

Feb. 24, 1866

7x4-1/2

Letter to [William Sharswood];

Philadelphia, A.L.S. 2p. (see W.Sharswood Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning a theme for music.

Wilson, Rathwell

Feb. 28, 1866

8x5

Letter to William Sharswood;

Philadelphia, A.L.S. 2p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning the disposal of a
library and the possible gift of books to St.John's library.

Hosmer, Jean, 1842-1890

March 5, [1866]

8x5

Letter to [William Sharswood];

Louisville, A.L.S. 2p. (see W.Sharswood Letters...; 1865-1867.) Friendly letter.

Haldeman, Samuel Stehman, 1812-1880

March 13, 1866

7x4-1/2

Letter to [William Sharswood];

A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning a visit with Dr. Barnard.

Haldeman, Samuel Stehman, 1812-1880

March 20, 1866

7x4-1/2

Letter to William Sharswood, Philadelphia;

A.L.S.with initials. 2p.and add. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning Barnard's
visit.

**Putnam, F. W., (Frederic Ward),
1839-1915**

March 26, 1866

8x5

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood,
Philadelphia;

Salem, Mass., A.L.S. 2p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning the Essex institute
and mineralogy.

Correspondence

Hosmer, Jean, 1842-1890	March 26, [1866]	7-1/2x5
Letter to [William Sharswood]; Nashville, A.L.S. 2p. (see W.Sharswood Letters...; 1865-1867.) Friendly letter.		
Haldeman, J. S.	April 19, 1866	7-1/4x4-1/2
Letter to [William Sharswood]; Harrisburg, A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Thanks him for publications.		
Haldeman, Samuel Stehman, 1812-1880	April 23, 1866	7x4-1/2
Letter to William Sharswood; A.L.S. 2p. (see W.Sharswood Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning Barnard's visit.		
Haldeman, Samuel Stehman, 1812-1880	April 27, 1866	4x2-1/2
Letter to [William Sharswood]; A.L.S.with monogram. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Is going abroad and does not care for letters when travelling.		
Haldeman, Samuel Stehman, 1812-1880	May 12, 1866	8x6-1/2
Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood; A.L.S.with initials. 1p.and add. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Is going abroad next week.		
Brewer, N.	May 29, 1866	10x8
Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood, Philadelphia; Annapolis, A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning a proposed gift of scientific apparatus for St. John's college.		
Everett, William, 1839-1910	May 31, 1866	8x5
Letter to [William Sharswood]; Boston, A.L.S. 2p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Wishes the publication sent him had turned up.		
Everett, William, 1839-1910	June 6, 1866	8x5

Correspondence

Letter to [William] Sharswood;

Winchester, Mass., A.L.S. 4p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning their publications. Concerning St.John's college.

Graham, Mary

June 19, 1866

7-3/4x5

Letter to [William Sharswood];

Columbia, S.C., A.L.S. 2p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867). Asks for publications pertaining to John L. LeConte.

LeConte, Josephine

June 25, 1866

8x5, 2-1/2x5

Letter to [William Sharswood];

Columbia, S.C., A.L.S.with initials. 5p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Thanks for his publication. Concerning Reconstruction.

Dickson, Samuel Henry, 1798-1872

June 28, 1866

8x5

Letter to W[illiam] Sharswood;

Philadelphia, A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Will see him if he still wishes to visit.

**LeConte, John L., (John Lawrence),
1825-1883**

June 30, 1866

8x5

Letter to William Sharswood, Philadelphia;

Philadelphia, A.L.S. 2p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning sources of printed material about him. Refers to A.D.Bache.

Everett, William, 1839-1910

July 5, 1866

7x4-1/2

Letter to [William] Sharswood;

Boston, A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood Letters...; 1865-1867.) Has corresponded with Barnard. Concerning publications.

Haldeman, J. S.

July 20, 1866

7x4-1/2

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood,
Philadelphia;

Correspondence

Harrisburg, A.L.S. 3p. (see W.Sharswood Letters...; 1865-1867.) Thinks that through his friend's influence, he can get the post of Secretary of the Legation in Stockholm.

McNarra, Edward

July 27, 1866

8x5

Letter to W[illiam] Sharswood;

Washington, A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning a possible diplomatic post.

Thayer, W. D.

July 31, 1866

7-1/2x4-1/2

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood,
Philadelphia;

A.L.S. 1P. (see W. Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning Legal matters.

Everett, William, 1839-1910

Aug. 1, 1866

8x5-1/4

Letter to [William Sharswood];

Boston, A.L.S. 3p. (see W.Sharswood Letters...; 1865-1867.) Friendly letter. Does not wish his college "triumphs" noted.

Haldeman, Samuel Stehman, 1812-1880

Aug. 6, 1866

7x4-1/4

Letter to [William] Sharswood;

A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood Letters...; 1865-1867.) Has received his letters. Did not think he had gone abroad.

**Boker, George H. (George Henry),
1823-1890**

Aug. 9, 1866

7-3/4x5

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood;

A.L.S. 3p. (see W.Sharswood Letters...; 1865-1867.) Thanks for his publication.

Bianconi(?), Jo. Jos.

Aug. 18, 1866

8-1/4x5-1/4

Letter to Guilielmo [William] Sharswood;

L. 4p. In Italian. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.)

Barden, Edward E.

Aug. 23, 1866

8x5

Letter to [William Sharswood];

Correspondence

Rockport, Mass., A.L.S. 2p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning minerals and Tufts college.

**De Bow, J. D. B. (James Dunwoody
Brownson), 1820-1867** Aug. 23, 1866 8x5

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood,
Philadelphia;

Nashville, A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Does not pay for articles he publishes.

Haldeman, Samuel Stehman, 1812-1880 Aug. 28, 1866 7-1/4x4-3/4

Letter to [William Sharswood];

Columbia, Penna., A.L.S. 3p. (see W. Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning his future. Would not publish his correspondence with St.John's college.

**De Bow, J. D. B. (James Dunwoody
Brownson), 1820-1867** Sept. 10, 1866 7-1/2x5

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood,
Philadelphia;

Nashville, A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letter...; 1865-1867.) Cannot purchase his article.

Barden, Edward E. Sept. 14, 1866 8x5

Letter to [William Sharswood];

Rockport, Mass., A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Will be very happy to exchange minealogical specimens.

Haldeman, Samuel Stehman, 1812-1880 Sept. 20, 1866 6-1/2x4-1/2

Letter to [William Sharswood];

A.L.S. 3p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning his plans for teaching. Concerning possible publication by Sharswood in Vienna.

Barden, Edward E. Oct. 2, 1866 8x5

Correspondence

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood,
Philadelphia;

Rockport, Mass., A.L.S. 2p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Is sending him a box of mineralogical specimens from Rockport.

Haldeman, Samuel Stehman, 1812-1880 Oct. 2, 1866 6-1/2x4-1/4

Letter to [William Sharswood];

A.L.S. 2p. (see W. Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning his research and publications.

Haldeman, Samuel Stehman, 1812-1880 Nov. 23, 1866 5-1/2x4

Letter to William Sharswood;

A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood Letters...; 1865-1867.) Will be in Philadelphia Monday or Tuesday.

Putnam, F. W., (Frederic Ward), Dec. 14, 1866 8x5
1839-1915

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood,
Philadelphia;

Salem, Mass., A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Asks if he has received publication yet. Would like list of German names.

Bourne, John Feb. 19, 1867 9x7

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood,
Philadelphia;

London, A.L.S. 3p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Thanks for his publication. Friendly letter.

Vienna. Nationalbibliothek March 19, 1867 10-1/4x8-1/4

Letter to [William Sharswood];

Vienna, L. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Thanks for package of books.

Shephard, Charles Upham, 1804-1886 March 21, 1867 7-1/4x4-3/4

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood;

Amherst, A.L.S. 2p. (see W. Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning minerals.

Correspondence

Allibone, S. Austin (Samuel Austin), April 10, 1867 7-3/4x5
1816-1889

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood,
 Philadelphia;

A.L.S. 1p.and add. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Is not stereotyped after letter O.

Hosmer, Jean, 1842-1890 May 15, 1867 8x5

Letter to [William Sharswood];

Bloomington, Ill., A.L.S. 3p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Wonders at his long silence.
 Thought she might act in Philadelphia.

Smith, John Ford May 16, 1867 8x5

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood;

A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) No more explorers can be taken along.

Hosmer, Jean, 1842-1890 June 1, 1867 8x5-1/4

Letter to [William Sharswood];

Louisville, Ky., A.L.S. 2p. (see W.Sharswood Letters...; 1865-1867.) Goes to Buffalo for two
 months.

White, Charles Abiathar, 1826-1910 June 10, 1867 8x5

Letter to [William Sharswood];

Boston, A.L.S. 1p. (see W. Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Cannot supply report requested.

Rungabe, A. R. June 25, 1867 9x5-1/2

Letter to [William Sharswood];

Washington, L. 2p. In French. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Thanks for his publication.
 Friendly letter.

Jefferis, William W. June 26, 1867 8x5

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood;

West Chester, A.L.S. 3p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning mineralogy.

Correspondence

Beckel, Charles F.	July 12, 1867	10x8
Letter to William Sharswood;		
Bethlehem, A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Forwards photograph.		
Sanborn, Francis G.	July 25, 1867	8x5
Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood, Philadelphia;		
Boston, A.L.S. 2p.and add. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning his collection of insects which were meant for J.L.LeConte's study.		
Hosmer, Jean, 1842-1890	Aug. 12, [1867]	8-1/4x5
Letter to [William Sharswood];		
Buffalo, A.L.S. 3p. (see W.Sharswood Letters...; 1865-1867.) Friendly letter. Begins acting tours next month.		
LeConte, John, 1818-1891	Sept. 1, 1867	10x8, 6x8
Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood, Philadelphia;		
Columbia, S.C. A.L.S. 5p. (see W. Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning Reconstruction.		
Franchenstein, baron de	Sept. 20, 1867	7x5-1/4
Letter to [William Sharswood];		
A.L.S. 2p. (see W.Sharswood Letters. . .; 1865-1867.) Suggests that he write the American legation in Vienna.		
Hosmer, Jean, 1842-1890	Sept. 20, [1867]	7-1/2x5
Letter to [William Sharswood];		
Buffalo, A.L.S. 3p. (see W.Sharswood Letters...; 1865-1867.) Friendly letter. Concerning plays.		
Haldeman, Samuel Stehman, 1812-1880	Sept. 21, 1867	8x5-1/4
Letter to William Sharswood;		

Correspondence

Columbia, Penna., A.L.S. 2p. Mutilated. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867) Concerning a possible college of chemistry.

LeConte, John, 1818-1891

Sept. 22, 1867

10x8

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood,
Philadelphia;

Columbia, S.C., A.L.S. 4p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning education in the U.S.

Hay, John, 1838-1905

Oct. 29, 1867

7-3/4x5

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood;

Vienna, A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood Letters...; 1865-1867.) Has forwarded note as requested.

Ames, Fred L.

Nov. 6, 1867

8x5

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood,
Philadelphia;

A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharwood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Has forwarded letter.

Browne, John Ross, 1817-1875

Nov. 7, 1867

10x7-3/4

Letter to William Sharswood, Philadelphia;

Washington, A.L.S. 4p. (see W.Sharswood. Letter...; 1865-1867.) Concerning chemistry and mining schools

Haldeman, Samuel Stehman, 1812-1880

Nov. 7, 1867

6-1/2x4-1/4

Letter to William Sharswood;

Columbia, Penna., A.L.S. 1p. (see W. Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) States when he will be in and describes how to arrive at his home.

Smith, R. S. (Richard Somers), 1813-1877

Nov. 13, 1867

8x5

Letter to [William] Sharswood,
Philadelphia;

A.L.S. 1p.and add. (see W. Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Enjoyed the use of music.

Toomy, Henry

Nov. 13, 1867

10-1/4x8-1/4

Correspondence

Letter to William Sharswood, Philadelphia;

Munich, A.L.S. 1p. (see W. Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Forwarded publication as requested.

Browne, John Ross, 1817-1875

Nov. 20, 1867

10x7-3/4

Letter to W[illia]m Sharswood,
Philadelphia;

Washington, A.L.S. 2p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning the establishment of a mining school.

Munich. Bayerische Staatsbibliothek

Nov. 29, 1867

8-3/4x5-1/2

Letter to [William Sharswood];

L.S.: Lipowsky. 1p. In German. (see W. Sharswood. Letters ...; 1865-1867.) ----Copy. Thanks for his publication.

Morris, M. H.

March 28

5-1/4x3-1/2

Letter to W[illiam] Sharswood;

A.L.S. 2p. (see W.Shars wood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning Charles T. Jackson.

Lander, Mrs.

Oct. 10

7x4-1/2

Letter to [William] Sharswood;

Philadelphia, A.L.in 3rd.P. 1p. (see W. Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning his publication.

Allen, George, 1808-1876

undated

5-1/2x3-1/2

Letter to [William] Sharswood;

Sunday morning. A.L.S. 2p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Will not introduce him to a priest.

Allen, George, 1808-1876

undated

5-1/2x3-1/2

Letter to [William] Sharswood;

Sunday evening. A.L.S.with initials. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Will send his carte-de-visite when they are printed.

Correspondence

Allen, George, 1808-1876

undated

5-1/2x3-1/2

Letter to [William] Sharswood;

Monday evening. A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Will leave the volume with the maid so that he can get it when he wishes.

Allen, George, 1808-1876

undated

5-1/2x3-1/2

Letter to [William] Sharswood;

Tuesday morning. A.L.S. 1p. (see W. Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Concerning publications.

Allen, George, 1808-1876

undated

Letter to [William] Sharswood;

Saturday PM. A.L.S.

Burton(?), J. G.

undated

8x5

Letter to [William Sharswood].

L. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Cannot comply with his request.

Corson, Hiram, 1828-1911

undated

8x5-1/4

Letter to William P.[sic] Sharswood;

Annapolis. A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood Letters...; 1865-1867.) Has been ill and will not arrive in Philadelphia for another week.

Hosmer, Jean, 1842-1890

undated

8x5

Letter to [William] Sharswood;

Tuesday morning. A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1765-1867.) Cannot be with him as planned.

Hosmer, Jean, 1842-1890

undated

7-1/2x5

Letter to W[illiam] Sharswood;

Tuesday, A.M. A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood Letters...; 1865-1867.) Thanks for his gift.

Hosmer, Jean, 1842-1890

undated

7-1/2x5

Letter to W[illiam] Sharswood.

Correspondence

A.L.in 3rd.P. 1p.and add. (see W.Sharswood. Letters...; 1865-1867.) Cannot be with him this afternoon.

Pearce, James

undated

7x4-1/2

Letter to [William Sharswood];

Monday. A.L.S. 1p. (see W.Sharswood Letters...; 1865-1867.) Has returned the borrowed play.
