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Creators

George Innis (1822-1903)
Oliver H. Booth (1823-1896)
Laura T. H. Varick (1834-1925)
Matthew Vassar (1792-1868)
John F. Winslow (1810-1892)

Extent

1.5 ft

Dates

Inclusive: 1795-1977
Bulk: 1870-1911

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Languages

English

Scope and Content

The collection consists of Poughkeepsie ephemera. The most significant grouping concerns Eastman Business College, including 9 stamps and 46 promissory notes. Also included are items related to the Riverview Academy and letters from Matthew Vassar. Much of the remaining material revolves around Poughkeepsian social and civil organizations, such as fire and railroad companies.

Historical Note

Eastman Business College

Founded in 1859 by its namesake Harvey G. Eastman, Eastman Business College was one of the premier academic institutions in the United States. Students quickly began flocking to the school; by 1865 there were already 1,700 attendees. The array of college currency present in this collection was an integral part of an Eastman education, students practiced conducting business with these bills on school grounds, primarily in classrooms. Mock banks and railroads were being run by 1897, providing students hands-on experience. Practical applications of skills such as these made the college stand out, as most other institutions of the time focused on teaching theory. As of 1911, 50,000 students had graduated with an Eastman Business College degree. The school began to struggle following the onset of the Great Depression, closing only two years after its start, in 1931.

Riverview Military Academy

Founded by Otis Bisbee in 1867, Riverview Military Academy was another educational institution in the city of Poughkeepsie. The school offered teenage boys a formal military-style education, a very popular option at the time. Its initial student body included the entirety of the Poughkeepsie Collegiate School, which had just been sold. Bisbee had tried to acquire the Collegiate School, but was unable to match the highest bidder, leading to the creation of Riverview across the street. Financial troubles began in 1913, with it being reported that thousands of dollars from the teacher's salaries were unpaid. Eight years later, in 1921, the school was forced to close its doors. The Vassar Christian Association purchased it, and the building became the Lincoln Center. It was eventually demolished in the 1960s, today there are soccer fields where the academy once stood.

Poughkeepsie Fire Companies

Poughkeepsie's first fire company was established in 1800, only a single year after it became a village. This company, Protection Co. No. 1, was eventually reorganized in 1826, leading to multiple offshoot companies, including Phoenix Hose Co. The first foreman of the department was Oliver Booth, who played a major role in the creation of Phoenix Co and by 1852 he was the chief of Poughkeepsie's fire department. Like the Phoenix Hose Co., a new company was organized following the closing of another, the Howard Hose Co. The newly formed O.H. Booth Hose Co. took the name of the then chief. The closing of the Howard Hose Co. had resulted

from turbulence between it and other companies. Booth saw the importance of nurturing a sense of comradery between the companies, leading to the frequent events they would hold and invite each other to.

George Innis

George Innis was born on July 7, 1822. At the age of 16, George took over his late father's dye business, Gifford Sherman and Innis, becoming an affluent businessman. From 1863 to 1868 George served three terms as mayor. Following his final term in office, he returned to his company but continued to be active in other roles, including president of the Fallkill Bank and as a trustee for Vassar College. He died on November 26, 1903.

Poughkeepsie & Eastern Railroad Co.

The newly formed Poughkeepsie & Eastern Railroad Co. began buying up land for the new Poughkeepsie-Pleasant Valley rail line in 1869, which reached completion in 1872. The company faced financial struggles immediately and went through a variety of different names. Following a period of expansion it became known as the N.Y & Massachusetts Railroad for a short time, before reverting to the Poughkeepsie & Eastern Railroad Co. again in 1893. In 1907 the company was bought by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co. (which also bought the Dutchess County Railroad Company), and the Poughkeepsie and Eastern Railroad would never return in name again. None of the lines operated by the company are in use today.

Provenance

The Collection was donated to the Dutchess County Historical Society by Paul South in 2008.

Subject Headings

Education - Riverview Academy

Education - Eastman Business College

People - Matthew Vassar

People - George Innis

People - Oliver H. Booth

Transportation - Poughkeepsie & Eastern Railroad Company

History - Poughkeepsie Fire Department

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2008.South.78	Legal notice, Poughkeepsie Savings Bank vs N.Y. and Massachusetts Railroad Co., 1892.	5 February, 1892
2008.South.79	Letter from Russell Sage to unknown recipient, 1895. Re: Legal action, Poughkeepsie & Eastern Railway Co.	23 August, 1895
2008.South.93	Photograph of the interior of John A. Miller Tires & Tubes, 523 Main St., Poughkeepsie, NY, nd.	No date
2008.South.94	Handout from the City of Poughkeepsie Board of Health covering rules for dairy stables, nd.	No date
2008.South.95	Fireman's street railroad pass, nd.	No date
2008.South.96	Petition signed by the Livingstons, Woolsets, Platts, Schoneks, 1799. Re: Henry Livingston Estate of Poughkeepsie.	1799
2008.South.97	Legal document from Joshua Lansbury vs Thomas Gage, 1795.	19 September, 1795
2008.South.115.1-3	Three checks from the First National Bank of Eastman Business College, nd.	No date
2008.South.116.1-5	\$1, \$2, \$10, \$20, \$50, promissory notes issued by Eastman Business College, nd.	No date
2008.South.117	\$1, \$2, \$5, \$10, \$20, promissory notes issued by Eastman Business College, nd.	No date
2008.South.118	\$2 promissory note issued by the Eastman Business College Bank, nd.	No date

2008.South.119	\$5 promissory note issued by the Farmers and Manufacturers Bank, Poughkeepsie, NY, 1892.	26 July, 1862
2008.South.120	\$50 promissory note issued by the Eastman Business College Bank, nd.	No date
2008.South.121	\$2 promissory note issued by the Eastman Business College Bank, nd.	No date
2008.South.122	\$50 promissory note issued by the Eastman Business College Bank, nd. Re: Woman engraving.	No date
2008.South.123	\$10 promissory note issued by the Eastman Business College Bank, nd. Re: Dog engraving.	No date
2008.South.124	Ribbon from the Dutchess County Fair cattle competition, 1902.	1902
2008.South.125	Two first place ribbons from the Dutchess County Fair poultry competition, 1913-1914.	1913; 1914
2008.South.146	Program for the 4th Annual Dinner organized by the Gridiron Club, 1911.	29 April, 1911
2008.South.147	Book, History of the Volunteer Fire Department of Dutchess County, 1902.	1902
2008.South.148	Record, Christman in Poughkeepsie, nd.	No date
2008.South.149	Blank stock certificate for shares in Dutchess Security & Sound Systems, nd.	No date
2008.South.150	Life insurance policy held by George Innis, 1889.	6 December, 1889
2008.South.151	Program for the 5th Annual Dinner, organized by the Dutchess County Lincoln Society, 1909.	12 February, 1909
2008.South.152	Souvenir book from a Firemen's Tournament, 1897.	1897
2008.South.153	Will of Elias Westervelt, Poughkeepsie, NY, 1847.	18 August, 1847
2008.South.154	Letter from Henry D. Kimbark to unknown recipient, 1883.	2 April, 1883
2008.South.155	Photograph of a photograph being taken of nine scullers on the Hudson River, Regatta Week, 1947.	June, 1947
2008.South.156	Membership pledge of George Innis to the Church Building Fund, Poughkeepsie, NY, 1877.	25 April, 1877

2008.South.157	Stationary produced by Phoenix Hose Co. No. 1, nd.	No date
2008.South.158	Program for a public rehearsal by Cottage Hill Seminary, Poughkeepsie, NY, 1869.	4 June, 1869
2008.South.159	Map of Poughkeepsie parks and trolleys, produced by the A. V. Haight Company, 1910.	1910
2008.South.160.1-10	Correspondences, Matthew Vassar, 1866-1877. Re: Miscellaneous.	3 April, 1877; 16 December, 1867; 8 April, 1877; 15 July, 1875; 8 April, 1877; 27 December, 1867; 4 October, 1866; 4 March, 1868;
2008.South.161.1-2	Check and statement from the Farmers & Manufacturers National Bank, 1899.	27 July, 1899
2008.South.162.1-3	Voting tickets from the 1886 Poughkeepsie election, 1886; Letter to residents	1886
2008.South.163.1-4	Note & Backup from Gifford Sherman & Co., nd.	No date
2008.South.164	Financial records and letter, 1869. Re: George Innis	1869; March 8, 1869
2008.South.165.1-9	Correspondences, Matthew Vassar Jr., 1868-1877.	12 August, 1869; 30 April, 1877; 2 April, 1866, 23 May, 1870, 25 April, 1868; 20 October, 1871; May 9 1870
2008.South.166	Letter from J. M. Taylor to Mrs. Innis, Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, NY, nd. Re: Sympathy.	No date
2008.South.167.1-6	Correspondences, Gifford, Sherman, and Innis, 1880-1889.	14 April, 1881; 21 February, 1884; January 14, 1880; February 4, 1889; 13 May, 1884; 30 July, 1884
2008.South.168.1-11	International correspondences, Gifford, Sherman, and Innis, 1881.	29 June, 1881; 23 May, 1881; 14 March, 1881; 21 April, 1881; 4 April, 1881; 26 April, 1881; 9 April,

		1881; 1 July, 1881; 1 July, 1881; 31 July, 1881; 27 May, 1881;
2008.South.169	Ten receipts from Wm. O. Mailler & Co. to E. Sutton, Newburgh, NY, 1886-1887.	1886-1887
2008.South.170	Letter from E. A. Van Kleeck to C. John, 1881.	19 August, 1881
2008.South.171	Letter from Henry L. Yang to Dolly, 1896.	7 April, 1896
2008.South.172	Tax receipt for the Vassar family, 1877.	12 February, 1877
2008.South.200	Brochure for the Poughkeepsie Female Collegiate Institute written by Rev. C. D. Rice, Poughkeepsie, NY, 1862-1863.	1862-1863
2008.South.201	Program for the Poughkeepsie High School Fiftieth Commencement Exercises, Poughkeepsie High School Auditorium, Poughkeepsie, NY, 1922.	28 June, 1922
2008.South.202	Fan from Schrauth's Ice Cream, Poughkeepsie, NY, nd. Re: Flapper girls	No date
2008.South.203	Letter from P. W. Reese & Caroline Reese to Earl Upton, 13620 E Oat St., Whittier, CA, 1977.	21 August, 1977
2008.South.204	Unused blotter from Luckey Platt, nd. Re: Saint Patrick's day promotion.	No date
2008.South.205	Receipt book for Luckey Platt, Poughkeepsie, NY, nd. Re: Blank	No date
2008.South.206.1-2	Two sales flyers for Luckey Platt, Poughkeepsie, NY, nd.	No date
2008.South.207.1-2	Two \$2 promissory notes issued by Luckey Platt, Poughkeepsie, NY, nd.	No date
2008.South.208	Brochure for the Luckey Platt annual storewide harvest sale, NY, nd.	22-24 September, unknown year
2008.South.209.1-2	Two handouts for the Luckey Platt top secret discount sale, Poughkeepsie, NY; Fishkill, NY; Pleasant Valley, NY; nd.	13-15 November, unknown year; 28-29 May, unknown year
2008.South.210	Postcard promoting the Luckey Platt semi-annual home sale, Poughkeepsie, NY, nd.	27-29 June, unknown year

2008.South.223	Estate of John F. Winslow, Poughkeepsie, NY, 1892.	10 March, 1892
2008.South.224	Program for William W. Smith's memorial service, First Presbyterian Church, Poughkeepsie, NY, 1913.	23 November, 1913
2008.South.225	Map of the Ann Ackerman Lot, Fishkill, NY, nd.	No date
2008.South.226	Deed from the Fishkill Iron Co. to Jeremiah Mead & Morris Mead, 1839.	5 April, 1839.
2008.South.227	Minute book of the City of Poughkeepsie Common Council, Poughkeepsie, NY, 1911.	30 June, 1911
2008.South.228	Booklet, Rules and Regulations Adopted by the Water Commissioners of the City of Poughkeepsie in Relation to Water and Sewers, Poughkeepsie, NY, 1873.	1873
2008.South.229	Booklet, Poughkeepsie Rules and By-Laws of Common Council, Public Offices and Officers, Poughkeepsie, NY, 1912.	1912
2008.South.230	Annual report, 145th Annual Report of the First Presbyterian Church of Poughkeepsie for the Year 1895, First Presbyterian Church, Poughkeepsie, NY, 1895.	20 June, 1895
2008.South.231	Pendant from the Odd Fellows State Convention, Poughkeepsie, NY, 1913.	1913
2008.South.232	Booklet, Poughkeepsie Rules and By-Laws of Common Council, Public Offices and Officers, Poughkeepsie, NY, 1913.	1913.
2008.South.233	Deed from Aaron Shook to Lydia Cramer, Dutchess County, NY, 1879.	31 March, 1879
2008.South.234	Catalogue, Catalogue and Prospectus of Eastman and the New York Business Institute by Clement C. Gaines, Mt. Morris Bank Building, 81 East 125th St., New York, NY, 1910.	1910
2008.South.235	Photograph of a Luckey Platt horse team and carriage at the Decoration Day Parade, 1895	1895
2008.South.236	Silhouette of Matthew Vassar, nd.	No date
2008.South.237	Program, Women's Missionary Society of First Presbyterian Church, Poughkeepsie, NY, 1910-1911.	1910-1911
2008.South.238	Pamphlet of Public Officers and Boards, City Hall, 1915.	1915

2008.South.239	Pamphlet for the University Club, Poughkeepsie, NY, 1929-1930	1929-1930
2008.South.266.1-2	Program and photograph, The Dramatic Club of Riverview Academy Presents "Mr. Kelley From Kalamazoo", the Masonic Temple, Poughkeepsie, NY, 1916.	7 March, 1916
2008.South.267	Program, Hudson Valley Horticultural Society First Annual Meeting, the Vassar Institute, Poughkeepsie, NY, 1897.	11-12 March, 1897
2008.South.268	Catalogue for Riverview Academy, Riverview, Poughkeepsie, NY, 1909.	1909
2008.South.269	Catalogue for Riverview Academy, Riverview, Poughkeepsie, NY, 1912.	1912
2008.South.270	Catalogue for Riverview Academy, Riverview, Poughkeepsie, NY, 1915-1916.	1915-1916
2008.South.288	Portrait of Matthew Vassar, nd.	No date