

Letter

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Description:

Letter from J. B. Henry to Mary Hagner Nicholson commenting on the "fairy" setting around him; after taking a nap he and his friend jumped into the water to simulate falling from a capsized boat and later that day his sail boat capsized, giving him a second dunking with a resulting cold and sore throat; comments on the artists' colony and the Thieriot family of New Jersey; Mr. Brewster and Dr. Porter are getting along very well; compares unfavorably the British celebration to the success of the transatlantic cable to the one held in New York; pleads for more letters from her. Envelope from Bolton, NY September 1 with stamp addressed to Miss Mary H. Nicholson, Care Col. Nicholson, Annapolis, Maryland. In another hand: October 1st, My treasure. Bolton, Lake George, NY.

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Date Range: 1858/09/01

Creator: Henry, James Buchanan, 1833-1915

People: Brewster, Mr.

Henry, James Buchanan

Henry, Mary Hagner Nicholson

Porter, Dr.

Nicholson, Joseph Hopper

Thieriot, Mr.

Subjects: Personal correspondence

Letters

Search Terms: Correspondence

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Extent: 2 items, 6 pages to scan, 4.5 x 7 in. and 3 x 5.5 in.

Object Name: Letter

Language: English

Condition Notes: Cross-hatch writing.

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