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Abstract:
This is a collection of papers of the William Russell and Thomas Russell families, engaged in finance, shipping, and in land enterprises in the United States. There are letters, documents, account books, maps, and plans of lands.

The letters of George Russell to William Russell, 1794, give an account of political affairs in France and Spain, hazards to American shipping and commerce, seizure and capture of ships and goods by French war vessels, and imprisonment of crews and passengers; William Russell's letters, 1797-1798, describe his journeys and business affairs in Virginia, Maryland, Philadelphia, and New York; miscellaneous letters and statements of account, 1760-1857, to William Russell and Thomas Russell
from their agents, John Philip de Gruchy, Thomas Gibbs Morgan, J.R. Priestly, Hugh Roberts, and others, relate to land enterprises conducted by them in Maryland, Connecticut, Louisiana, Virginia, Pennsylvania, and other places; legal papers of a controversy between Fulwar Skipwith, United States consul general in France, and the Russells, 1794-1830; Thomas Russell waste book, 1799-1802; journal, 1799-1802; ledger, 1799-1801; account with the Bank of the United States, 1800-1801; certificates of stock with the Bank of the United States, 1829, 1836; journal, 1823-1839; William Russell, accounts of travel, household, mercantile enterprises, 1795-1802; waste book, 1795-1802; ledger, 1794-1815; estate account, 1818-1839; record of trade in Baton Rouge, La., 1816; list of books sold at auction by order of William Russell, 1801.

Also includes sketches of towns drawn by Thomas Russell, 1792-1802 (removed to HSP bound graphics collection); drafts of land on Loyalsoc Creek, Westmoreland, York, Lycoming, Luzerne counties, "Onions Fishery," and of lands on Lackawanna Creek, 1800-1825; family papers.

**Conditions governing access:** The collection is open for research.

**Immediate source of acquisition:** Gift of Thomas H. Russell and Mrs. Alexander Scott.

**Accession number:** None.
CATALOGUE
OF THE
RUSSELL LETTERS, PAPERS, ACCOUNTS, etc
1766-1869.

which Raymond Phineas Stearns, A.M., Ph.D., Professor of History in
the University of Illinois, has examined, classified & selected for

Presentation to The Historical Society of Pennsylvania,
1300, Locust Street, Philadelphia, U.S.A.

so that they may be permanently available to scholars etc
in the field of history on which these documents cast light.

Other Sections of the letters, papers, account books, maps
and plans of lands in America are being presented to:-
The Document Room of the Library of the British Museum,
London, & to the Public Reference Library, Ratcliffe Place,
Birmingham.

Date. Presented by:-

Thos. H. Russell, M.A.,
of St. Ives House
nr.Ringwood, Hants, and
Mrs. Alexander Scott
of 117, Hamilton Terr.,
London, N.W.,
whose great-grandfather
was WILLIAM RUSSELL, Esq.,
of Birmingham (1740-1818).
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Book of 12 Sketches by Thomas Russell.

8 Plans of Land in America.

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BUNDLE I

George Russell to William Russell - 11 Letters February to November, 1794.

7. " To William Russell Esq., Blunstones Hotel, Falmouth."

2. Same to same, July 22, 1794. Sent via Joseph Smith, Esq., of Bristol.
3. " " " Addressed to "Wootton House, Glocester" dated Feb. 21, 1794.
4. " " " Dated at Birmingham, July 30, 1794.
5. " " " " Aug. 2, " (William Russell is still at "Blunstones Hotel, Falmouth."
6. Same to same Dated at Birmingham, August 8, 1794. (ditto).
7. " " " " " 9, " "
8. " " " " " 11, " "

10. Same to same Dated at Birmingham, September 4, 1794.
11. " " " " " October 16, " and continued November 20, 1794. Relates to William Russell's capture, finances, etc. Includes extract of a letter by one Dr. Edwards in Boston to Friends in New York dated October 15, 1794. This letter is published in The Star, Thursday, Dec. 11, 1794, and tells of the capture of William Russell by the French and the destruction of his goods on the Mary by the French Squadron. Edwards was on the vessel when she was captured but was an American and, protected by an American passport, he was set free and proceeded to Boston.

BUNDLE II


1. " Remarks Upon the Statement now sent of my Account with my
Bundle II (Cont'd.)

Brother Page 55 to 61 wherein are blended some of the Items which compose my Agents Account for him in America, with my Personal Account with William & George Russell & Co. as it should stand in their Mercantile Ledger - Page 56." (Includes items from 1795 to 1799) n.d. (1799?).


3. "Rejected entries in G.R.'s (George Russell's) Account Page 3 to 6 both Dr & Cr." n.d. (c.1794)


7. "Statement of Accounts with W. & G.R. & Co. and with J.R. 1794 to 1802." "This Statement is Marked -1." Evidently the first and uncorrected copy of No.6 above.


9. Statement of George Russell "in account with Willm & Geo Russell & Co." Debits run from June 19, 1794 to March 31, 1799; credits from July 16, 1794 to Jan. 17, 1799. Deals chiefly with French and Spanish business, some American. (4 sheets)


11. An unlabelled list of accounts. Corresponds in part with Nos.8 & 9 above. Covers period 1795-1799. (23 leaves)

12. "Balances - Ledger E - October 19th 1793 - June 19, 1794 " (13 pp.)

13. Summary of Stock accounts from ledgers. n.d. (4 pp.)


15. "Copy of the additional observations entitled additional
Bundle II (Cont'd).

remarks upon the Accounts sent W R & upon his transactions for G R " n.d. (5 pp)

16." Statement sent me (Wm Russell) by G R of the monies he says I had rec'd or was deducted from my Account " n.d.


24." No.4 Statement of W.R's Acct with G R rec'd 3 Aug. 1797."  


26." The Statement of W R's Acct with Geo Russell 1797."  

27.No.1 " General Statement of Debts due to W & G R & Co. & by whom & where collected. 1797." This statement is similar to No.22; this is dated April 30, 1797.

28."Statements No.2-3-4-5-6" (1797). This is the same as II, 23.

29." B. No.7. 1797." Remittances made by W R since 19 June 1794"

30. A written statement by William Russell concerning account of Joseph Smith and B Smith's account with Company. c. 1797.


32." Note from G.R. of Bills rec'd in Decr. 1794." (since June, 19, 1794)


4. Dissolution agreement of Henry Freble & Co. 8 June, 1795.

5. Agreement between Fulwar Skipwith and William Russell.

6. Deposition of Fulwar Skipwith, dated Paris (17 June) "29 Prairial, 3d year" that William Russell has turned over money from goods at Havre, £2000 sterl. and £600; Skipwith will use the money to pay for estate at Caen. (Endorsed by Clement Biddle, Philadelphia, Notary Public, April 18, 1796, who certifies Skipwith's signature to this document for Thomas Russell.)


8. """"""""" 6 Messidor 3d year 1795 """"""""" 30 Aug., 1795.


13. "Narrative form'd by William Russell, formerly of Birmingham in England, of transactions relating to his connections with Fulwar Skipwith Esquire Consul General of the United States of America which have taken place between the year 1794 to the present month of May 1805." 11 pages and letter.
Bundle III (cont'd).


15. "Mr. Skipwiths Copy of the Paper I signed at his request at the time of settling our differences - 10 August (1805:)


17. Thomas Russell: "Narrative Sent with the Declaration of the Commissioners 20 November 1812."

18. Copy of the Declaration of the Commissioners, 20 Nov. 1812.

19. Copies of letters by Thomas Russell to above commissioners in attempt to get them to act, Paris, Nov. 1812 (Nov. 12-17, 5 letters)

22. Memo of articles "To send to be copied at Paris" concerning Skipwith case.

23. Memo of "Documents" concerning Skipwith case.


27. Copies of 4 letters:
   2. " " " " " " May 28, "
   3. Skipwith to Daniel W. Coxe, Feb. 4, 1816 (Same as in III, 26)
   4. Coxe to Skipwith, Philadelphia, April 24, 1816.


29. 2 letters:
   1. Copy of Skipwith to Daniel Coxe, March 21, 1817.

Bundle III (cont'd).

31. Statement of William Russell's affairs with Preble and Skipwith concerning debt of £1754 15 5 owed by Skipwith to George Russell.

32. Another copy of No. 31 above.

33. Memo of c. 1840's of result of Skipwith's debt to William Russell and of likelihood to recover money paid by Skipwith to fraudulent New Orleans attorney who absconded with the money.

BUNDLE IV.

"Miscellaneous Letters"


23. Frederick Russell to ? (James Russell?). 6 June, 1849.


26. " " " " " 22, "

27. Cousin to James Russell. Wotten Lodge, April 4, 1850. (Torn in half and half disappeared.)


29. " " " " " Sept. 6, "

30. " " " " " July 7, 1851.

31. Frederick Russell to ? (James Russell?). No place. 29 May, 1852.


(IV, 23-33 are all concerning sale of Middletown property and settlement of estates of George Russell and William Russell.)

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2. Same to same, Paris, Sept. 24, 1794. Also William Russell's reply No place or date (Brest).


4. Same to same. October 4, 1794.

5. " " " 5, "

6. " " " 10, " Half torn away.

7. " " " 14, "

8. " " " 18, "


10. " " " 26. Same as above without the Oct. 31 addition.

11 Same to same. Nov. 2, 1794.

12. " " " 10, " (Paris).

13. " " " 13, "

14. " " " 14, "

15. " " " 20, "

16. Fragment of a letter, no place or date, with memo on reverse of an outline of a proposed agreement between William Russell and Henry Preble to purchase the ship Mary of Portsmouth. (1794)


18. Fragment of a copy of a letter by William Russell to Preble, no date or place.

Bundle VII (cont'd).

21. " " Dec. 5, "
22. " " 10, "
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34. " " Le Havre, May 15, "
35. " " Paris. No date except "June" (1795).
36. " " June 23, 1795.
37. " " 30 "
38. " " London, Aug. 27, "

40. Copy of part of No. 39 above.

BUNDLE VIII.

Letters from William Russell to George Russell, his brother, and other papers.

Bundle VIII (cont'd).

2. William Russell to James Skey. No date (c. 1810 - after 1807).

3. Statement concerning lost goods at Le Havre. No date.


9. a-o. Begins "Letters from Wm Russell to George Russell." (copies) The first is dated March 1, 13, 18, 28, 1795, and April 27, etc. to Nov. 13, 1796.

Copies and extracts of 59 letters on 15 double sheets labelled Sa-90. Some if not all are duplicated in Letter-Book, according to pencilled notations on margins.

25 letters and extracts of letters, Jan. 2-11, 1797 - Jan. 1, 1798.
5 double sheets and one single sheet.

11. a-r. Letters 1798. William Russell to George Russell. (copies)
16 double sheets.

(copies)
Jan. 5, 1799 (continued from 11 r above) - Dec. 27, 1800.
24 double sheets and one single sheet.

14. Letter-Book: Copies of letters by William Russell to various persons. 120 pages and index. 17 April, 1795 - July, 1801. 87 letters.

BUNDLE IX.


2. Same to same, Fredericksburg, Va., Nov. 3, 1797.

3. " " " Richmond, Va., Nov. 8, 1797 (and Nov. 10).

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Bundle IX (cont'd).


5. " " " " Stafford Court House, Va., Nov. 23, "

6. " " " " Bladensburg, Md., Nov. 27, "

7. " " " " Baltimore, Md., Dec. 5, "

8. " " " " Philadelphia, Dec. 13, "

9. " " " " " 23, "

10. " " " " " 26, "

11. " " " " " 30, "

12. " " " " Jan. 3, 1798.

13. " " " " New York, " 14,

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BUNDLE X.

Six Letters and Accounts relating to lands in Pennsylvania and Virginia. 1774-97. (Eddy lands in Maryland; Accokeek lands in Virginia).

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1. Copy of Accounts of Mrs. Mary Eddy, 1775-87.

2. Extract from Account Book of Smith Son & Russell concerning accounts of Mrs. Mary Eddy, 1774-75.

   (b) Statement of debt of Eddys to Russell and Smith, 31 June, 1787. (total £736 11 10½).
   (c) Promissory note to John Bryan (?) for £500, Nov. 5, 1788, signed by Thomas and George Eddy.


BUNDLE XI.


5. Z. Walker to William Russell, Philadelphia, 16 April, 1795. (copy)

6. Thomas Cooper to William Russell, April 19, 1796. No place.


8. Hugh Roberts to Thomas Russell, c/o Mr. Sheridan, Green Hill, near Charlestown, Md., Philadelphia, June 12, 1797.


11. John Frederick Kern to Thomas Russell at Middletown. Charlestown (Md. or South Carolina?), 22 Nov., 1799.


16. Seth Johnson to Thomas Russell, New York, 12 March,

17. Same to same, New York, 21 "

18. " " " " " " " " " " 2 May,


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Bundle XI (cont'd).

20. Daniel Lakeman to Thomas Russell, Boston, Jan. 9, 1803.


23. Invitation to William Russell and Thomas Russell of Ardennes to New Years day with Mr. Beeby at Mathieu. No place or date. (Inside used by William Russell for memo of debts owed him by Mr. Joseph Priestley of Northumberland, Pa., 1797).

38. Matthew S. Russell to Thomas Russell, Middletown, Conn., Nov. 17, 1815.

39. Thomas Russell's "Form of legalising American Documents."


41. Copy of letter of Attorney to J. F. de Gruchy by Thomas Russell, Mary Russell, James Skey, Mary Skey. 4 July, 1818. (altered so that Attorney is Joseph Bayner Priestley).

42. George Boone Russell to Osgood Gee, Esq., Chatham, East Grinstead, May 26, 1820.

BUNDLE XII.


2. MS "Description of 44 tracts of land the property of William Russell Esqr." 14 sheets, unnumbered and bound. By W. Cox Ellis, Oct., 1809.


5. William Russell to James Skey: transfer of one share in Loyalsock Land Co. 24 June, 1794.

Bundle XII (cont'd).


8. "List of the 22 tracts bought of Sam'l Wallis in Company with George Roberts Esqr. & Richard Vaux, in Luzerne County."


10. "Lands in the State of Pennsylvania belonging to Mr. Wm Russell." (copied, with small alterations, from No. 9 above).

11. Precis of "Lakawanna Lands sent to Mr. Frame 1822." By Thomas Russell?

12. Packet containing papers concerning: "Wm Russell in Acct for certain Lands bought of Sam'l Wallis and relative to Bills of Exchange in Payment thereof &c."


14. "List of Sundry Papers & Deeds left with Mr Hugh Robertes, May, 1801."


16. W. Cox Ellis to William Russell (copy). No place or date. (July 13, 1816).

17. Memo by Thomas Russell concerning his father's lands in America. No date (c. 1825 or shortly before).


19. Balance, 1839, on American Lands, etc.

20. Balance, 1841, on American Lands, "


22. Sale of Butler County Lands - to 1840.

23. " " " " " - 3 sheets fastened together.
BUNDLE XIII.

87 Letters and Documents.

1. William Russell's and Thomas Russell's rough draft of instructions to Hugh Roberts, 1801.


3. " " " Hugh Roberts, Upton, 19 June, "


6. " " " " " 16 Apr., "

7. " " " J.P. De Gruchy, " " "

8. " " " Hugh Roberts, Hanley, 25 July, "


13. " " " Hugh Roberts, 29 Dec., "


19. Thomas Russell to Hugh Roberts, Hanley Castle, " " 

20. " " " William Rawle, Esq., Hanley Castle, " 5, "
Bundle XIII (cont'd).

21. Thomas Russell to Hugh Roberts, Hanley Castle, 4 and 7 Nov., 1818.

22. " " " " " " " 23 Dec., "

23. " " " De Gruchy, " " " "

24. " " " Hugh Roberts and William Rawle, Hanley Castle, 8 Feb., 1819.


27. " " " De Gruchy, Hyde, 22 Sept., "

28. " " " " Gloucester, 23 Dec., "

29. " " " " " 12 Feb., 1820.

30. " " " " " 5 April, "

31. " " " " " 21 "

32. " " " " " 3 July, "


34. " " " De Gruchy, " 4 Oct., "

35. " " " " " 20 Jan., 1821.

36. " " " " " 13 March, "

37. " " " " Hugh Roberts, " 14 "

38. " " " De Gruchy and William Rawle, Gloucester, 11-12 June, 1821 (2 letters).


41. Thomas Russell to Hugh Roberts, 20 Jan., 1822, "

42. " " " " " 3 June, "

43. " " " De Gruchy, " " " "

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Bundle XIII (cont'd).

44. Thomas Russell to Hugh Roberts and De Gruchy, 9 & 10 Nov., Gloucester. (2 letters, 10 Nov. and 9 Nov. respectively).

45. Thomas Russell to Osgood Gee, Esq., Gloucester, 27 March, 1823.

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67. " " Hugh Roberts, 2 Dec., "
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71. " " De Gruchy, 25 July, " 25 "
72. " " Hugh Roberts, 1 Nov., "
73. " " De Gruchy, 31 Jan., 1828.
74. " " Hugh Roberts, 7 March, " 7 "  R.J. Woodward, 7 "

BUNDLE XIV.

86 Packets, etc., containing 231 Letters and copies of Letters written or forwarded by J.P. De Gruchy to William and Thomas Russell respecting American Lands and Litigations.

3. a. Copy of above (No.2) together with:
c. Also encloses De Gruchy to General Minor, Northumberland, 29 Sept., 1815.
Bundle XIV (cont'd).


c. Copy of letter from Presley Nevill to Hugh Roberts, Pittsburgh, 18 Jan., 1814.


e. Copy of letter from Benjamin Bakewell to De Gruchy, Pittsburgh, 25 July, 1814.


b. Copy of Agreement for sale of West Branch (Pa.) farm to Jacob Micksell, May 14, 1814.

c. 1. Extract of letter by Hugh Roberts to De Gruchy, Pine Grove, Pa., 20 July, 1813.


d. 1. Matthew T. Russell to Hugh Roberts, Middletown, Conn., 17 April, 1813.


4. Statement of Peter Jones and Simeon Howe, appraisers of house in Northumberland, 29 March, 1813.


b. Same to same, Northumberland, 7 Nov., 1815.

c. Copy of letter from William Campbell to De Gruchy, Butler, Pa., 25 Sept., 1815.
Bundle XIV (cont'd).


b. " " " General John Minor, " 9 " "
c. John Minor to De Gruchy, Fredericksburg, Va., 27 Jan., "

15. a. Benjamin Bakewell to De Gruchy, Pittsburgh, 21 March, " (copy)
b. Fresley Nevill to Benjamin Bakewell, Pittsburgh, 15 March, 1816 (copy).
c. De Gruchy to William Russell, Northumberland, 29 April, 1816.

16. a. Ralph Bowie to De Gruchy, York, Pa., 16 April, 1816 (copy).
b. De Gruchy to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 29 April, 1816.

17. a. De Gruchy to Thomas Russell, Philadelphia, May 31 - July 13, "
b. Copy of Interrogatories to be put to witnesses in case of Onion's lands.
c. Copy of Deborah Onion Smith's Will, 23 Feb., 1767.
d. Copy of letter by De Gruchy to Ralph Bowie, Baltimore, 20 May,"


19. J. Minor to De Gruchy (copy), Fredericksburg, Va., 24 May, 1816. (with a note appended by De Gruchy, 13 July, 1816).


b. William Macfarlane to De Gruchy, Fredericksburg, Va., 26 July, 1816 (copy).


24. (Enclosures with No.23 above)
a. Fresley Nevill to De Gruchy, Pittsburgh, 28 Sept., 1816 (copy).
d. William Macfarlane to De Gruchy, Fredericksburg, Va., 6 Oct., 1816 (copy).

25. a. Statement of Taxes due on Butler County Lane (1810-16) with receipt for payment of Taxes. (copy).

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Bundle XIV (cont’d).

25. b. Receipts for money paid by Baldwin to recover lands (copy).

   b. De Gruchy to Beverley, Northumberland, Pa., 18 Jan., 1817 (copy).


29. a. Robert Stanard to J.P. De Gruchy, Fredericksburg, Va., 4 April, 1817 (copy).
   b. De Gruchy to R. Stanard, Northumberland, Pa., 30 April, 1817 (copy).

30. De Gruchy to William Macfarlane, Northumberland, Pa., 3 April, 1817 (copy).

31. Statement of Account with Jacob Mixel (Michsell), 1 April, 1817 (copy).

32. Henry Baldwin to De Gruchy, Pittsburgh, 19 May, 1817 (copy).

   b. " " " " " " 3 June, "

34. a. " " " " " Northumberland, Pa., 17 June, 1817.
   b. Robert Stanard to De Gruchy, Fredericksburg, Va., 8 May, 1817 (copy).

35. a. De Gruchy to James Hopkins, of Lancaster, Pa., Northumberland, 9 Sept., 1817 (copy).
   b. De Gruchy to Charles A. Barnitz of York, Pa., (copy).
   c. De Gruchy to Samuel Edgar of Peach Bottom Township, Pa., Northumberland, 9 Sept., 1817.

   b. Charles Barnitz to De Gruchy, York, Pa., 1 Sept., 1817.

37. De Gruchy to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, 30 April, 1818.
Bundle XIV (cont'd).

38. a. Samuel Edgar to De Gruchy, Peach Bottom Township, Pa., 17 Nov., 15 Dec., 1817 (copy).
   b. De Gruchy to Edgar, Northumberland, 29 Jan., 1818 (copy).
   c. W. Rawle to J. W. Giles of Baltimore (copy), Philadelphia, March 30, 1818.


40. De Gruchy to Thomas Russell with copies of suits pending in America, etc. 22 May, 1818.


42. De Gruchy to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, 31 Aug., 1818.

43. " " " " " 29 Sept., "

44. W. Rawle to De Gruchy, Philadelphia, 23 Sept., 1818 (copy).


46. a. William Macfarlane to De Gruchy, Fredericksburg, Va., 15 July, 1818 (copy).
   b. Robert Stanard to De Gruchy, Fredericksburg, Va., 20 Dec., 1817 (copy).
   c. Benjamin Parke to De Gruchy, Fredericksburg, Va., 27 Jan., 1818 (copy).
   d. De Gruchy to B. Parke, Northumberland, 26 Feb., 1818 (copy).
   e. " " Robert Stanard, 5 March, "
   f. Benjamin Parke to De Gruchy, Fredericksburg, Va., 20 July, 1818 (copy).

47. a. David Noble to De Gruchy, Sterling, Wayne Co., Pa., 4 Dec., " (copy).
   e. De Gruchy to M. and W. Wurts, Northumberland, 5 Jan., 1819 (copy).


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Bundle XIV (cont'd).

   b. " " " " " " 19 Nov., " (copy)

   b. " " " " " " 3 Dec., 1818 (copy)
   of No. 50 a. above).

52. a. M. and W. Wurts to De Gruchy, Philadelphia, 15 Jan., 1819 (copy)
   b. De Gruchy to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, 23 Jan., "
   c. " " " " " " 5 Jan., " (copy)
   of No. 51 a. above).


   b. William Rawle to Thomas Russell, Philadelphia, 24 May, 1819"

   b. Andrew Giles to W. Rawle, New York, 19 Jan., 1820 (copy).

56. Statement of Accounts of De Gruchy with William Russell, 20 Feb.,

57. a. William Rawle to De Gruchy, Philadelphia, 29 Nov., 1819 (copy).
   b. De Gruchy to William Rawle, Northumberland, 9 Dec., 1819
   c. Same to same, Northumberland, 9 Dec., 1819 (copy).

58. Account of cost of building a barn on West Branch Farm, 31 Oct.,
    1805 (torn in two parts).

59. Account between William Russell and J.P. De Gruchy, 4 Feb., 1804 -
    31 Dec., 1805.

60. Accounts between William Russell and J.P. De Gruchy, 31 Dec., 1805 -
    31 Dec., 1812.

   b. Jacob Cist to J.P. De Gruchy, Wilkesbarre, 29 Jan., 1820 (copy).
   c. De Gruchy to Jacob Cist, Northumberland, 3 Feb., 1820.
   d. Extract of letter by De Gruchy to William Rawle, Northumberland,
      17 Feb., 1820.
   e. William Rawle to De Gruchy, Philadelphia, 12 Feb., 1820 (copy).
   f. Fulwar Skipwith to William Rawle, St. Helena, Court House, 14
      Jan., 1820 (copy).
   g. De Gruchy to William Rawle, Northumberland, 24 Feb., 1820 (copy)
   h. De Gruchy to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, 2 March, 1820.

22.
Bundle XIV (cont'd).


63. a. J.F. De Gruchy to Ebenezer Bowman of Wilkesbarre, Pa., Northumberland, 11 March, 1820 (copy).
   b. E. Bowman to De Gruchy, Wilkesbarre, Pa., 3 March, 1820 (copy).

64. a. Robert Stanard to De Gruchy, Richmond, Va., 27 Feb., 1820 "
   b. De Gruchy to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, 9 March, "

65. De Gruchy to Robert Stanard,
   "  16 "  "  "

66. "  "  "  Thomas Russell,
   "  16 "  "  "

67. a. William Macfarlane to J.F. De Gruchy, Fredericksburg, Va., 2nd May, 1820 (copy).
   c. Macfarlane to De Gruchy, Fredericksburg, Va., 18 June, 1820 (copy).
   d. De Gruchy to William Macfarlane, Northumberland, 29 June, 1820 (copy).
   e. William Macfarlane to De Gruchy, Fredericksburg, Va., 15 July, 1820 (copy).
   f. Benjamin Parke to De Gruchy, Fredericksburg, Va., 6 July, 1820 (copy).
   g. De Gruchy to Benjamin Parke, Northumberland, Pa., 13 July, 1820 (copy).
   h. Robert Stanard to De Gruchy, Richmond, Va., 29 July, 1820 (copy).
   i. Benjamin Parke to William Macfarlane, Fredericksburg, Va., 5 Aug., 1820 (copy).
   j. De Gruchy to Benjamin Parke, Northumberland, 17 Aug., 1820 (copy).
   k. Benjamin Parke to De Gruchy, Fredericksburg, Va., 16 Sept., 1820 (copy).

68. a. Ebenezer Bowman to De Gruchy, Wilkesbarre, Pa., 23 Sept., 1820 (copy).
   b. De Gruchy to Bowman, Northumberland, 30 Sept., 1820 (copy).
   c. "  " to Thomas Russell "  Pa., 29 Oct., 1820.

69. Accokeek Co. Power of Attorney to Robert Stanard (copy), no place or date.

70. De Gruchy to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, 27 Jan., 1821.

71. a. Ebenezer Bowman to De Gruchy, Wilkesbarre, Pa., 28 June, 1821 (copy).
   b. De Gruchy to Bowman, Northumberland, 4 July, 1821 (copy).
   c. Bowman to De Gruchy, Wilkesbarre, Pa., 6 July, 1821 "

23.
Bundle XIV (cont'd).

   e. Account of sales of Lackawanna Lands, 1821 (copy).
   f. De Gruchy to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, 10 Aug., 1821.

    b. De Gruchy to William Rawle, Northumberland, Pa., 21 Dec., 1820. (copy)
    c. A. Giles to De Gruchy, New York, 15 Jan., 1821 (copy).

    b. Rawle to De Gruchy (?) (copy), no place or date.
    d. Rawle to De Gruchy (?), Philadelphia, 1 April, 1822 (copy).
    f. De Gruchy to William Rawle, Northumberland, Pa., 4 April, 1822 (copy).
    g. William Rawle to De Gruchy, Philadelphia, 7 Sept., 1821 (copy).
    h. " " " " " " 5 Oct., " "
    i. De Gruchy to William Rawle, Northumberland, 8 Oct., 1821 "
    j. Extract of letter from Rawle to De Gruchy, Philadelphia, 1 Jan., 1822.
    k. I. Turner to Morgan Dorsey and Co. of New Orleans, St. Francisville, La., 14 Oct., 1821 (copy).
    m. De Gruchy to Bowman, Northumberland, Pa., 21 March, 1822 (extract).
    n. De Gruchy to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, 10 April, 1822.

74. J. P. De Gruchy to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, 9 Sept., 1822

75. " " " " " " " Pa., 30 Dec., "

    d. De Gruchy to Rawle, Northumberland, 21 March, 1823 (copy).
    e. De Gruchy to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, 21 March, 1823.

77. a. William Macfarlane to De Gruchy, Fredericksburg, Va., 1 April, 1823 (copy).
    b. William Rawle to De Gruchy, Philadelphia, 19 April, 1823 (copy).
Bundle XIV (cont'd).

77. d. De Gruchy to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, 24 April, 1823.

   b. De Gruchy to Macfarlane, Northumberland, Pa., 3 Nov., 1823 (copy).

   b. Charles A. Barnitz to De Gruchy, York, Pa., 18 Sept., 1823 (copy).

80. De Gruchy to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, 3 Nov., 1823.

   c. " " " " Reading, Pa., 18 Oct., " 

82. a. William Rawle to De Gruchy (same as No. 81 a. above), Philadelphia, 8 Oct., 1824 (copy).
   b. De Gruchy to Thomas Russell (duplicate copy of No. 81 b. above), Northumberland, 14 Oct., 1824.
   c. Same to same (duplicate copy of No. 81 c. above), Reading, Pa., 18 Oct., 1824.
   d. William Macfarlane to De Gruchy, Fredericksburg, Va., 2 March, 1824 (copy).


84. a. " " " " Philadelphia, 19 May, 1825.
   b. William Macfarlane to De Gruchy, Fredericksburg, Va., 22 Feb., 1825 (copy).
   c. De Gruchy to William Macfarlane, Northumberland, 30 (March ?), 1825 (copy).
   d. Note by Hugh Roberts to Thomas Russell, no place, "Wednesday Morning."

85. Extract of letter by Edward Rawle to William Rawle (his father), New Orleans, 12 May, 1826.
   b. William Rawle to Edward Rawle of New Orleans, 15 June, 1826 (copy).

86. a. De Gruchy to William Rawle, Northumberland, Pa., 23 March, 1826 (copy).
Bundle XIV (cont'd).

e. William Rawle to De Gruchy, Philadelphia, 15 March, 1826 (copy).
f. De Gruchy to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 30 March, 1826.

e. De Gruchy to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, 12 Oct., 1826.

b. Copy of Agreement made by Skipwith and his wife, Louisa van den Glooster Skipwith, to turn over indebtedness of $11,500 with real property and slaves to Josiah Gray, who is to pay William Rawle on behalf of William Russell and his heirs. Sold to Gray, 23 Dec., 1819. Dated Baton Rouge, 8 Sept., 1821.

89. J.P. De Gruchy to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 17 May, 1828.

BUNDLE XV.

40 Letters to J.R. Priestley by Thomas Russell and Mary, his wife, 1844-1862.


3. Same to same, no place, 31 Oct., 1845.

4. " " " Gloucester, 16 Sept., 1845.

5. " " " Wotten Lodge, Gloucester, 20 Feb., 1846.


26.
Bundle XV (cont'd).


8. Same to same, Wotten Lodge near Gloucester, 17 Nov., 1846.

9. " " " no place, 20 Feb., 1847.

10. " " " Wotten Lodge, Gloucester, 8 Oct., "

11. " " " no place, 23 Mar., 1848.

12. " " " Wotten Lodge, 12 June, "

13. " " " 28 Aug., "


15. " " " 12 May, "

Encloses power of attorney to J.R. Priestley by Martha Skey dated Clifton, May 9, 1849 (copy).

16. Same to same, Gloucester, 15 June, 1849.

17. " " " 3 Aug., "

18. " " " no place, 4 Oct., "

19. " " " 16 Nov., "

20. " " " 29 Nov., "

21. " " " " 19 Feb., 1850.

22. " " " " 11 April, "

23. " " " " 19 Sept., "


25. " " " " " 20 Mar., "

26. " " " " " " Wotten Lodge, Gloucester, May 23, 1851.

27. " " " " " " Gloucester, 30 June, 1851.

28 " " " " " " 26 March, 1852.

29. " " " " " " 25 April, "

30. " " " " " " Matlock, 31 May, "

27.
Bundle XV (cont'd).

32. Same to same, " 9 June, "
33. " " " " 5 Dec., 1854.
34. " " " 17 Feb., "
35. " " " Derwent Lodge, 15 " 1855.
36. " " " " 12 Mar., "
37. " " " no place, 25 April, "
38. " " " Plymouth, 14 Mar., 1856
39. " " " no place, 15 Jan., "
40. " " " Derwent Lodge, 19 Mar., 1862.

BUNDLE XVI.


2. Morgan to Thomas Russell, Baton Rouge, La., 27 May, 1832.
3. Same to same, " " " 10 Aug., 1835.

BUNDLE XVII.

Miscellaneous Papers.


8. Eliza Russell to Thomas Russell, her brother, 6 May, 1766, no place (copy). (Retained by J.T. Russell)
Bundle XVII (cont'd).


10. Martha Russell (William Russell's wife) to Thomas Russell of Maryland, Showell Green, 29 Feb., 1788.


12. Same to same, Philadelphia, 12 April, 1796.


15. William Russell to John W. Chew Thomas (of Fairland, Arundell County, Maryland), Ardennes, 22 March, 1805.


17. William Russell to Mrs. Daniel Sheredine, Upton, Worcestershire, no date (1815-16 ?).

18. a. William Russell to Thomas Russell (of North East, Md.) Showell Green, 31 Jan., 1784 (copy).
   (c. Thomas Russell to Mrs. Sheredine of North East, Md. Hanley Castle, 13 March, 1816. (copy).
   (d. Mary Skey to Mrs. Sheredine of North East, Md., Hyde, 15 March, 1818 (copy).


20. William Russell to his wife at Showell Green, London (Retained by T. J. Russell)


Bundle XVIII.


29.
BUNDLE XIX.

Accounts and Papers concerning Middletown, Conn., Properties (7 documents).


BUNDLE XX.


8. Copy of Act of Maryland Assembly in favor of William Russell, Annapolis, 3 Nov., 1783 (by Thomas Russell, William's brother?).

14. William Russell's certificate of admission as honorary member of Massachusetts Society for Promoting Agriculture, 27 Nov., 1795.

16. Copy of Resolution and License of Connecticut State Assembly, Hartford, May, 1797, permitting William Russell to purchase and hold property in Connecticut: result of memorial to Assembly by William Russell, 3 May, 1797. Attached is sworn statement by Matthew T. Russell of Middletown, Conn., Notary Public, that above is true copy of Connecticut Assembly Resolution and that William Russell has lived in Middletown for several years "and hath performed the duties of a useful & valuable citizen." 22 April, 1801.
Bundle XX (cont'd).


BUNDLE XXII.


   b. " " " " H. Roberts, " " 14 " " " "
   c. " " " " William Rawle, " 14 " " " "

2. " " " " J.R. Priestley, no place, 8 Dec., " "

3. " " " " (" ?) Gloucester, 5 " " " "

4. a. " " " " R.T. Woodward, no place or date "
   b. " " " " H. Roberts, " 5 Dec., " "

5. " " " " George Green and Son of Liverpool, 24 Dec., 1828 (copy).


7. a. " " " " J.R. Priestley, 6 Jan, 1829 (copy).
   b. " " " " G.W. (?) 6 " " " "

8. " " " " R. Winter, Gloucester, 5 Jan., 1829 (copy).

9. " " " " J.R. Priestley, " 7 April, " "

10. " " " " Hugh Roberts, " 10 " " " "

11. " " " " " " no place, 18 May, 1829 (copy).

12. " " " " J.R. Priestley, " 12 " " " "

13. " " " " " " 22 July, " "


31.
Bundle XXII (cont'd).


16. " " " " " Gloucester, 20 Feb., 1830 "

17. " " " " " 12 March, " "

18. a. " " Hugh Roberts, " 26 April, " " (2 sheets).
b. " " J.R. Priestley, " 26 " " (copy).

19. Thomas Russell to Messrs. Green & Son, " 26 " "

20. " " Thomas Gibbs Morgan, " 20 May, " "

21. " " J.R. Priestley, " 22 July, " "

22. " " Hugh Roberts, " 20 Nov., " "

23. " " J.R. Priestley, " 20 " "

24. " " " " " no place, 22 Feb., 1831 "

25. " " " " " 9 July, " " (2 sheets)

26. a. " " " " " " " " " 25 Nov., " " (copy).

27. Thomas Russell to Thomas Gibbs Morgan, Gloucester, 5 Jan., 1831 (1832 ?), (copy).


29. " " " " " " " no place, 22 Feb., 1832 (copy).

30. " " " " " Gloucester, 20 June, 1832 (copy).

31. a. " " " " " " " no place, 13 Aug., 1832 (copy).
b. " " " George Green and Son, no place, 13 " 1832 (copy).
c. " " " Thomas Gibbs Morgan, Gloucester, 13 " 1832 (copy).

32. " " " J.R. Priestley, " 15 Nov., 1832 (copy).

33. " " " " " " " 5 Apl., 1833 (copy).

34. " " " Hugh Roberts, " 20 May, 1833 (copy).
Bundle XXII (cont'd).

35. a. Thomas Russell to Thomas Gibbs Morgan, no place, 20 May, 1833 (copy).
    b. " " " George Green and Sons " " 20 " 1833 (copy).


37. " " " " " " 7 Sept., " "

38. " " " " " no place, 16 Jan., 1834 "

39. " " " " " " 22 " "

40. " " " " " " 12 Apr., " "


42. Thomas Russell to J.R. Priestley, Gloucester, 29 July, 1834 (copy).

43. " " " " " 21 Jan., 1835 "

44. " " " Thomas Gibbs Morgan, " 28 May, " "

45. " " " J.R. Priestley, " 28 " " (2 sheets).

46. Same to same, Gloucester, 24 Oct., 1835 (copy).

47. " " " " 16 Feb., 1836 " (2 sheets).


52. Same to same, Gloucester, 11 Feb., 1836 (copy).

53. " " " 16 June, 1837 "

54. " " " 30 Sept., " "

55. " " " 4 Oct., " " (2 sheets).

56. " " " 10 March, 1838 "

57. Thomas Russell to Thomas Gibbs Morgan, Gloucester, 23 Aug., 1838 (copy).
Bundle XXII (cont'd).

59. Same to same                                     23 Feb., 1839 "
60. " " "                                            23 Sep., "     "
61. " " "                                            15 Feb., 1840. "
62. " " "                                            20 May, "       "
63. " " "                                            1 June, "       "
64. " " "                                            Weymouth, 30 Aug., " (2 sheets)
65. " " " Gloucester, 5-18 March, 1841 (copy)
66. " " "                                            20 April, 1842
67. " " "                                            12 Oct., 1841 "
68. " " "                                            20 Sept., 1842 "
69. " " "                                            27 Feb., 1843 "
70. " " "                                            5 Aug., "       "

71. Thomas Russell to Thomas Gibbs Morgan, Gloucester, 5 Aug., 1843 (copy).
72. " " " J.R. Priestley,                               30 March, 1844 (copy).
73. Same to same, no place, 22 April, 1844 (copy).
74. " " " Gloucester, 30 April, "
75. " " "                                            25 " 1845 "
76. " " "                                            4 July, "       

BUNDLE XXIII. 

83 Letters by Hugh Roberts to William and Thomas Russell 1800-1832

2. Same to same,                                     5 Oct., "
3. " " "                                            30 May, "

34.
Bundle XXIII (cont'd).


5. " " William " " 7 Aug., "


7. Same to same, Philadelphia, 31 Dec., 1802 (copy).

8. " " " " " 31 " 1803 (duplicate of No. 7 above).


11. Same to same, Pine Grove, Pa., 28 Jan., 1813.

    Extract of a letter by J.P. De Gruchy to Hugh Roberts, 13 July, 1816.


15. " " " " " 25 " 28 " 5 Aug., 1815.

16. " " " " " 6 Oct., 28 Aug., "

17. " " " " " 11 " 6 Oct., "


19. Same to same, Pine Grove, Pa., 4 Nov., 1815.

20. " " " " " " 4 " " (duplicate).
    " " " " " " " 29 " "

    b. " " Thomas Russell, " " 29 Nov., "
    c. " " " " " 30 Dec., "


23. a. Same to same, Pine Grove, Pa., 25 March, 1816.
    b. Hugh Roberts to Thomas Russell, Pine Grove, Pa., 25 Mar., "

35.
Bundle XXIII (cont'd).

25. " " " William Russell, Pine Grove, Pa., 28 " " 
26. " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " 15 Nov., " 
27. a. Same to same, Pine Grove, Pa., 15 Nov., 1816 (duplicate).
   b. " " " " " " " " " " " 31 Dec., " 
28. " " " " " " " " " " " 29 May, 1817 (3 sheets).
   b. " " " " " " " " " " " 4 Jan., 1817.
30. Same to same, Pine Grove, Pa., 16 July, 1817.
31. " " " " " " " " " 6 Oct., " 
33. " " " " " William Russell, " " " " " " 31 Dec., " 
34. " " " " " Thomas Russell, " " " " " 23 June, 1818.
35. " " " " " " " " " " " 25 " " 
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39. " " " " " " " " " " " 30 Nov., " 
40. a. Same to same, Pine Grove, Pa., 30 Nov., 1818 (duplicate).
   b. " " " " " " " " " " " 31 Dec., " 
41. a. " " " " " " " " 21 April 1819 (copy).
   b. " " " " " " " " 2 May, " 
42. " " " " " " " " 10 Nov., " 
43. " " " " " " " " 14 Feb., 1821.
44. " " " " " " " " 21 July, " 
45. a. " " " " " " " " 21 " " (duplicate).
   b. " " " " " " " " 7 Aug., " 
46. " " " " " " " " " " 5 Feb., 1822. 

36.
Bundle XXIII (cont'd).

47. a. Hugh Roberts to Thomas Russell, Pine Grove, Pa., 5 Feb., 1822
   (duplicate).
   b. Same to same,        "        "        " 10 April,  "

48. a. "        "        "        "        "        "      5 Feb.,  "
   (duplicate).
   b. Same to same,        "        "        " 7 Sept.,  "

49. "        "        "        "        "        "        " 6 Feb., 1823.

50. "        "        "        "        "        "        " 24 May, 1824.

51. "        "        "        "        "        "        " 22 Feb., 1825.

52. "        "        "        "        "        "        " 22 Feb., 1825.

53. a. "        "        "        "        "        "        " 22 Feb., 1825 (duplicate).
   b. "        "        "        "        "        "        " 19 Mar.,  "

54. "        "        "        "        "        "        " 21 Jan., 1826.

55. "        "        "        "        "        "        " 17 June,  "

56. "        "        "        "        "        "        " 17 July, 1827.

57. "        "        "        "        "        "        " 15 Aug.,  "

58. "        "        "        "        "        "        " 1 May,  1828.

59. "        "        "        "        "        "        " 20 Sept.,  "

60. "        "        "        "        "        "        " 31 Jan., 1829.

61. "        "        "        "        "        "        " 27 Feb.,  "

62. "        "        "        "        "        "        " 18 March,  "
   (encloses copy of letter from Henry S. Ward to Roberts, Middletown, 11
   March, 1829, telling of death at Middletown in Nov., 1828, of Matthew T.
   Russell).


64. Packet of papers containing "Hugh Roberts Accts. from 1802 to 1814 & 1821." (7 sheets).
   b. Statement of Accounts of Thomas Russell in account with Hugh
   c. Hugh Roberts to Thomas Russell, 31 Dec., 1803, with State-
      ments of accounts for 1802 to Dec. 31.

37.
Bundle XXIII (cont'd).

64.  e. Statement of Accounts of William Russell with Hugh Roberts of Philadelphia for 1805-1809.
    g. Duplicate of f.


66. Same to same, Pine Grove, Pa., 19 March, 1832.

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67. " " " " " " 27 " "
68. " " " " " " 4 April, 1807.
69. " " " " " " 25, 26 April, 1807.
70. " " " " " " 15 Dec., 1808.

BUNDLE XXVIII.

38 Letters and Papers concerning Onion's Lands and other American Properties. 1760 -1846.

1. Copy of Mortgage on Onion's lands, Baltimore County, Md., 14 May, 1760. By Joseph and Deborah Smith to William Young and Jacob Giles.

b. Articles of Agreement between Joseph Smith and Jacob Giles and William Young, Baltimore Co., Md., 2 May, 1760 (copy).

4. " " " " " North East, Md., no date.
5. " " " " " " " " " " "
6. John Weston to Thomas Russell, no place or date (Northumberland, Pa.?).

7. Ralph Bowie's Opinion concerning Onion's lands, no date or place (Northumberland, Pa.?) (c. 1805).

11. Same to same, Harford County (Pa.?), 4 March, 1801 (2 sheets).
Bundle XXVIII (cont'd.)


15. Thomas Eyre Lee to James Russell (Surgeon of Newhall St., Birm.), Newhall Street, Birmingham, 10 April, 1816.

16. Lee and Son, Solicitors, to Thomas Russell (of Hanley), Birmingham, 29 Oct., 1816.

    b. Copy of Indenture between Nathaniel Scott and J.P. De Gruchy, 23 Oct., 1815.
    d. J.P. De Gruchy to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 7 Nov., 1815.


19. Anne Sheredine to J.P. De Gruchy, Green Hill, Md., 13 April, 1817 (copy).

20. Action of Ejectment against William and James Robinson "

    b. William Rawle to J.P. De Gruchy, Philadelphia, 24 May, 1819 "

22. Same to same, York, Pa., 29 Oct., 1819.

23. a. " " 29 " (copy).
    b. " " Northumberland, Pa., 9 Dec., 1819.

    c. J.P. De Gruchy to John Bredin, Northumberland, Pa., 17 March, 1821 (copy).
    d. J.P. De Gruchy to Henry Baldwin, " 17 " 1821 (copy).
    e. Ebenezer Bowman to J.P. De Gruchy, Wilkesbarre, Pa., 24 Feb., 1821 (copy).

Bundle XXVIII (cont'd).
27. Thomas Russell to George Cooper, no place, 17 Feb., "

BUNDLE XXIX. □


2. a. J.Mathew Barnes to J.R.Priestley, Middletown, Conn., 4 June, 1843 (copy).
   b. J.R.Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 8 July, 1843.
3. Same to same, Philadelphia, Pa., 11 Jan., 1844.
4. " " " Northumberland, Pa., 18 Feb., "
5. a. Amasa Read to J.R.Priestley, Baton Rouge, La., 8 March, 1844 (copy).
6. a. Same to same, Northumberland, Pa., 26 May, 1844.
   b. J.R.Priestley to Amasa Read, Northumberland, Pa., 26 March, 1844 (copy).
   c. J.R.Priestley to Thomas Gibbs Morgan, Northumberland, Pa., 26 May, 1844 (copy).
7. a. Read and Patterson, Lawyers, to J.R.Priestley, Baton Rouge, La., 31 May, 1844 (copy).
   b. Charles A.Barnitz to J.R.Priestley, York, Pa., 13 June, 1844 (copy).
8. (2 Sheets)
   a. J.R.Priestley to John Buhler, Northumberland, Pa., no date, 1844 (copy).

43.
8. c. J.R.Priestley to Thomas Slidell of New Orleans, Northumberland, no date (30 Dec.), 1844 (copy).

9. J.R.Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 27 April, 1845.

    b. J.R.Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 9 June, 1845.


    c. Thomas Slidell to J.R.Priestley, New Orleans, La., 29 Nov., 1845 (copy).

14. a. Same to same, New Orleans, La., 3 Jan., 1846 (copy).
    b. John Buhler to Thomas Slidell, Baton Rouge, La., 1 Jan., 1846 (copy).
    c. Thomas Slidell to John Buhler, New Orleans, La., 6 Jan., 1846 (copy).


    c. J.R.Priestley to John Buhler, Northumberland, Pa., 21 March, 1846 (copy).
    d. J.R.Priestley to Thomas Slidell, Northumberland, Pa., 21 March, 1846 (copy).
    e. J.R.Priestley to Thomas Russell, " 23 " 1846.
Bundle XXIX (cont'd).

17. a. Thomas Sildell to J.R. Priestley, New Orleans, La., 3 April, 1846 (copy).
    b. Thomas Allen Clarke to J.R. Priestley, New Orleans, La., 8 April, 1846 (copy).

18. Same to same, Northumberland, Pa., 9 June, 1846.


20. Same to same, Northumberland, Pa., 10 Dec., 1846.

    b. J.R. Priestley to T.A. Clarke, Northumberland, Pa., 19 Sept., 1846 (copy).
    d. Same to same, New Orleans, La., 11 Nov., 1846 (copy).

22. a. Same to same, " " " 12 Dec., " "

    b. J.R. Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 12 Sept., 1847.

24. Same to same, Northumberland, Pa., 19 Feb., 1848.


    b. Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 10 July, 1848.


45.
Bundle XXIX (cont'd).

   b. J.R. Priestley to Whittington and Gribble, Northumberland, Pa., 14 March, 1849 (copy).

29. Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 30 June, 1849.

   b. Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 17 Sept., 1849.

31. Same to same, " " 27 Aug., 1849.

32. " " " Philadelphia, 22 Oct., "

33. a. " " " Northumberland, " 29 " "
   b. Jonathan Barnes to Priestley, no place or date (copy).

34. Copy of No. 32 above.

35. Copy of letter by James Russell to Eyre Lee, London, 19 Feb., 1850

36. Mary Russell to (?) her cousin in America, Wotten Lodge, 4 April, 1850 (copy).

37. J.R. Priestley (?) to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 11 March 1850 (copy unsigned).

38. Statement of Accounts concerning Middletown properties, 1850.

39. J.R. Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 5 Nov., 1850

40. Copy of sale of 5 acres Middletown Land for $2500, no date.

41. a. Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 22 Dec., 1849

42. J.R. Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 16 Jan., 1850

43. Same to same, Northumberland, Pa., 11 March, 1850 (2 sheets).

44. " " " " " 9 Aug., "

45. J.R. Priestley to Mary Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 11 June, 1851.

46.
Bundle XXIX (cont'd).

46. a. J.R. Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 17 Feb., 1851.
   c. Same to same, New Orleans, La., 2 Jan., 1851 (copy).


48. "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "  18 March, 1852.

49. "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "  5 May,    "

50. "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "  12    "

51. "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "  20 Jan., 1853
       (3 sheets)

52. "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "  25 May, 1853.

53. "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "  15 Dec.,   "

54. "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "  13 March, 1854.

55. "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    " Philadelphia, 24 Jan., 1855.

56. "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    " Northumberland, Pa., 20 Feb.,   "

57. "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    " Philadelphia, 15 March,   "

58. "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    " Northumberland, Pa., 14 Aug.,   "

59. Mary Russell to J.R. Priestley, Derwent Lodge, 10 Sept.,   "

60. J.R. Priestley to Mary Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 20 Oct.,   "

61. Mary Russell to J.R. Priestley, Derwent Lodge, 19 Nov.,   "

62. J.R. Priestley to Mary Russell, Northumberland,   " 22 Nov.,   "

63. "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "  21 Feb., 1856
       (2 sheets)

64. "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    " Philadelphia, 15 Dec., 1856.

65. "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    " Northumberland, Pa., 9 March, 1857.

66. "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "  15 Jan., 1858
       (3 sheets).

67. "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "    "  29 Dec., 1858.

47.
Bundle XXIX (cont'd).

69. " " " " " " " " " " 29 Dec., "
70. " " " " " " " " " " 22 Sept., 1861.
71. " " " " " " " " " " 26 Feb., 1862.
72. " " " " " " " " " " 28 Aug., 1862.
73. " " " " " " " " " " 1 Nov., "

74. Packet of papers concerning Claims against Executor (Priestley) of Russell Heirs in America, 1868 (11 sheets):
b. Receipt for §322.50 to Joseph and M.B. Priestley by L.N. Lathrope, Northumberland, Pa., 16 April, 1868.
g. Statement of account of J.R. Priestley with Amzi Wilson, 1852-1864.
h. John Skey to Mary Russell (?), Malvern, 20 April, 1869.

BUNDLE XXX.

7. Notary's and American Consul's Attestation to copy of William Russell's Will.

BUNDLE XXXI.


2. Same to same, Northumberland Pa., 10 May, 1795.

48.
Bundle XXXI (cont'd).


   c. E. Bowman to J.R. Priestley, Wilkesbarre, Pa., 8 Sept., 1828 (?) (copy) (torn).

   d. J.R. Priestley to H. Rawle, Northumberland, Pa., 1 Jan., 1829 (copy).


9. " " " " " Northumberland, Pa., 11 Mar., 1829.


    c. J.R. Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 11 Jan., 1830.
Bundle XXXI (cont'd).

   b. Thomas Russell to (?), Gloucester, 3 March, 1830 (copy).

15. a. Thomas Gibbs Morgan to J.R.Priestley, Baton Rouge, La., 7 Jan.,
       1830 (copy).
   b. J.R.Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 10 Feb.,
       1830.

16. Same to same, Northumberland, Pa., 23 June, 1830.

17. a. Morgan to Priestley, Baton Rouge, La., Feb. 23, 1830 (copy).
    b. " " " " Aug. 7 "
    c. Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 5 Sept., 1830.


19. " " " " Northumberland, Pa., 26 May, " (torn).

20. " " " " 26 Nov., "


23. John Eredin to John T.Kay, Butler, Pa., 14 Nov., 1831 (copy)
    (torn).


25. " " " " " " " " 1 Oct., "

    b. J.R.Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 14 Oct.,
       1832.

    b. J.R.Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 21 March,
       1833.

28. Same to same, Northumberland, Pa., 18 April, 1833.

29. a. Morgan to Priestley, Baton Rouge, La., 5 June, 1833 (copy).
    b. Barnitz to Priestley, York, Pa., 9 June, 1833 "
    c. J.Barnes to Priestley, Middletown, Conn., 14 May, 1833 "
    d. Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 5, 12 July,
       1833.

30. Thomas Gibbs Morgan to Thomas Russell, Baton Rouge, La., 27 July,
    1833.
Bundle XXXI (cont'd).

32. " " " " " " " " 25 Nov., "
33. " " " " " " " " 26 March, 1834.
34. " " " " " " " " 4 Dec., "
35. " " " " " " " " 20 " "
36. a. T.G. Morgan to Priestley, Baton Rouge, La., 12 Jan., 1835 (copy).
   b. Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 20 April, 1835.
37. Same to same, Northumberland, Pa., 26 Sept., 1835.
39. a. Same to same, Northumberland, Pa., 26 Nov., 1835.
   c. William Russell Skey to Thomas Russell (?), no place or date (copy).
41. a. Same to same, " " 20 May, "
   b. Morgan to Priestley, Baton Rouge, La., 12 April, 1836 (copy).
42. a. Charles A. Barnitz to Priestley, York, Pa., 10 June, 1836 "
   b. Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 9 Jan., 1837.
43. Same to same, Northumberland, Pa., 27 Jan., 1837.
44. " " " " 20 Aug., "
45. a. J. Barnes to J. Priestley, Middletown, Conn., no date.
   b. Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 14 Jan., 1838.
46. J.R. Priestley to Thomas Russell, " " 18 " "
47. " " " " " " Birmingham, 9 Mar., "
48. Draft of "Instructions to Mr. Priestley, Gloucester, 9 Apr., 1838"
49. J.R. Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, 15 July,
50. a. J. Barnes to Priestley, Middletown, Conn., 1 June, 1838 (copy).
51.
Bundle XXXI (cont'd).

50. b. T.G. Morgan to Priestley, Baton Rouge, La., 30 Oct., 1838 (copy).
    c. " " " " " " " " 30 " " " 16 " " "
    d. Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 15 Jan., 1839.
51. " " " " " " " " 22 July, "

52. a. Morgan to Priestley, Baton Rouge, La., 2 March, 1839 (copy).
    b. Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 7 April, "
53. " " " " " " " " 22 July, "

54. a. Power of Attorney to Joseph Rayner Priestley by Thomas Russell and Mary Russell and James Skey and Mary Skey, 11 May, 1829 (copy)
    b. E. Greenough to J.R. Priestley, Sunbury, 7 Nov., 1839
    c. Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 20 Nov., 1839.
55. Same to same, Northumberland, Pa., 10 Jan., 1840.
56. " " " Philadelphia, 8 May, 1840.
57. " " " Northumberland, Pa., 18 July, 1840.
58. " " " " " " 27 " " "
59. " " " " " 15 Jan., 1841.
60. " " " " " 13 Feb., "
61. " " " Philadelphia, 15 March, "

62. a. T.G. Morgan to Priestley, New Orleans, La., 21 April, 1841.
    b. Priestley to Thomas Russell, Northumberland, Pa., 22 May, 1841.
63. " " " " " " 10 Jan., 1842.
64. " " " " " " 19 Feb., "
    (2 sheets).

66. " " " " " " Northumberland, Pa., 29 Oct., 1842.
67. 11 Bills of Exchange from United States Banks, 1830's and 1840's.

BUNDLE XXXIV.


52.


30. Packet of Miscellaneous Accounts and Papers (29 sheets).

31. William Russell's Accounts on a trip in America (8 days), no date.


34. Accounts of William Russell and "my Nephew William (Sheredine)," 1798-99 (2 sheets).

35. Memorandum by William Russell, no date.


39. Leaf from William Russell's "Old Ledger Commencing July 1801."

40. Account of Sales of Books, etc., by William Russell in America in 1801 (4 sheets).

ACCOUNT BOOKS.

Account Books (cont'd).


Account XIX. Labelled "Middletown, 1799. Ledger" being miscellaneous accounts, private and mercantile, of Thomas Russell in America. May 1, 1799 - Dec. 31, 1801. Bound MS volume. 44 folios, numbered, and index.

Account XX. Labelled "Middletown, 1799. Waste Book." Being chronological statement and accounts of business performed by Thomas Russell in America and England, chiefly as agent for his uncle, George Russell. May 1, 1799 - July 1, 1802. MS bound volume, 5 folios and 47 folios, unpaged.

Account XXI. Labelled "Middletown 1799 Journal" being Thomas Russell's Journal of financial transactions in America and England, chiefly as his uncle's agent. May 1, 1799 - July 1, 1802. MS bound volume, folio. 58 numbered pages. (Duplicates information in Accounts XX and some in Accounts XIX).


Account XXIX. Labelled "Journal from 1823 to --" being Thomas Russell's Journal of Accounts. Nov. 6, 1823 - Dec., 1839. 83 folios, unpaged (continued Accounts XXIII).
MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS.

In the Bundle of Illustrations is an original book of pencil sketches of various American scenes in the late eighteenth century (about 9" x 6"). It includes:

"View of Burlington on the Delaware"
"View on the Delaware near Trenton"
"View near Kingston New Jersey"
"View of Part of the Battery & Port of New York"
"View of Brunswick Bridge, New Jersey"
"View at Ballis's (Bellows) Falls on the River Connecticut New Hampshire"
"View from the Upper Street, Middletown" (with houses numbered and inhabitants named in part)
"View of Connecticut River with part of Middletown Upper Houses"
"Part of Town & Bridge of Windsor, Vermont"
"View of New London, Connecticut"

(By Thomas Russell)

PLANS OF LAND IN AMERICA.

The Plans include:

1. "Draft of Loyalsoc Creek from the Map of Pennsylvania" (Howell's Map ?). Unsigned.


4. "Draught of Forty Four Tracts of Land in Lycoming County Surveyed September & October 1809 by W.C.Ellis." (2 copies)


6. "A Plan of different tracts of Land, Situate on Lackawana Creek near the Moosean Mountain, in Luzern County, State of Pennsyl


55.
Plans of Land in America (cont'd).