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Morrill, Justin S., 1810-1898.
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WANDERINGS AND SCRIBBLINGS is a photocopy.
Congressman, financier.

Summary: Correspondence, drafts of speeches, pamphlets and other printed material, mainly relating to the Civil War and Reconstruction; the status of freed blacks; the tariff and international trade; passage of the Land Grant College Act; and other public questions; scrapbook contains a photocopy of Morrill's WANDERINGS AND SCRIBBLINGS, OR A JOURNAL OF A JOURNEY SOUTH AND WEST IN MAY, JUNE AND JULY, A.D. 1841; a scrapbook of obituary notices; a scrapbook and other items relating to the 75th anniversary of the Land Grant College Act, 1937; and photographs and other personal items. Correspondents include George Brown, Schuyler Colfax, John H. Freeman, James A. Garfield, Horace Greeley, Benjamin Harrison, Rutherford B. Hayes, William Dean Howells, Nellie Grant Sartoris, Jacob Gould Schurman, and John Sherman.

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2. Colfax, Schuyler, 1823-1885.
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4. Garfield, James A. (James Abram), 1831-1881.
5. Greeley, Horace, 1811-1872.
6. Harrison, Benjamin, 1833-1901.
7. Hayes, Rutherford Birchard, 1822-1893.
8. Howells, William Dean, 1837-1920.
9. Morrill, Justin S., 1810-1898. Wanderings and scribblings, or a journal of a journey south and west in May, June and July, A.D. 1841.
10. Sartoris, Nellie Grant.
11. Schurman, Jacob Gould, 1854-1942.
12. Sherman, John, 1823-1900.
13. Afro-Americans.
14. Commerce.
15. Freedmen.
16. Education--New York (State)
17. Land grants for education.
18. Tariff.
19. Voyages and travels.
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	5	1860	"Address at St. Johnsbury, Vt. on the Culture of Man and some of the requisite means."
	6	1861	Speech, notes, Act (H.R. 338)
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	10	1865	Correspondence, newspaper clippings, address
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2	7	1880-81	Correspondence, "Catalogue of the Private Library of Justin S. Morrill", notes, Act (H.R. 4592)
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	10	1883	Correspondence, newspaper clippings, drafts and Remarks
3	1	1884	January-April: Correspondence, Statement
	2	1884	August-December: Correspondence, speeches
	3	1885-1886 March	Correspondence, "Remarks on the Death of General Grant," speech
	4	1886	April-December: Correspondence, newspaper clipping, poem, telegram
	5	1887	January-August, undated: Correspondence, address, "Commemorative Addresses. 1862-1887. Massachusetts Agricultural College."
	6	1888-89	Correspondence, addresses, political tract
	7	1890-91	Correspondence, including letter from President Harrison (signed), newspaper clippings, remarks, Congressional Record, poem
	8	1892-93	Correspondence, Resolution (S.R. 24), poem, newspaper clippings, article, Bills (S. 553, 572, 1280), address, pamphlet
	9	1894	January-June: Correspondence, Bill (S. 1460), Resolution (S.R. 62), Amendment (S. 341), poem, remarks, Bill (S. 2135)
	10	1894	July-December: Correspondence, Tariff Act, address
4	1	1895	Correspondence, Bill (S.2569), poems, newspaper clippings, remarks

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	3	1897-99	Correspondence, newspaper clippings, Bill (S.1876), remarks
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	5	April 16, 1910-1912	Correspondence
	6-10		Tariff and Foreign Trade - copies, rough drafts, and notes for speeches
5	1		Hawaiian Islands: Clayton-Bulwer Treaty of 1850
	2		Party Platform and Records
	3-4		Education and Schools
	5		Fine Arts and Architecture address
	6-11		Notes and speeches, miscellany
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		1898	Miscellaneous family papers Ruth S. Morrill funeral service Receipts Calling cards Mounted clippings
9	1	1884	Cornell University Class of 1884 "Morrill Memorial Medal"
9	2	1899	Proceedings of the Association of American Colleges and Agricultural Experiment Stations
	3	1936	Land Grant College Radio Hour, August 19
	4	1888	"Energy and Vision" by S.P. Langley
	5-6		Clippings
	7		Smithsonian Institution certificate
	8		Portfolio
	9		Leather
10		1841	Scrapbook "Wanderings and Scribblings"
11			Publications by and pertaining to Morrill

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Unless other wise stated, the letters are addressed to
Justin S. Morrill.

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This copy is to be kept with PAPERS.

- 1859 Oct. 3 Giddings, Joshua, Jefferson, Ohio. Walton forwarded note. Unable to pay him visit. A. L. S.
- 1860 March 20 Sumner, Charles— Washington, D. C. Calls attention to enclosed letter. A. L. S.
- 1860 July 21 Fairbanks, Trastus Ft. Johnsbury, [Vt.]; Urges Sen. Morrill to accept nomination again. L. S.
- 1862 Nov. 18 Greely, Horace New York. Newspaper advertisements can best stand taxation; also capable of bearing tax of 3 mills per pound on paper. Should have some retrenchment, especially of (mileage?) A. L. S. Two copies
- 1862 Dec. 5 Brewer, Gardner Boston, Mass. No recent foreign prices current of woollens obtainable; has sent to New York for them. Encloses two of April, 1859. Will send suggestions for form of amendment to Tariff Bill. Son is examiner in appraisers department in New York. Interesting appraisers in result of marking up of invoices might profit government. Appraisers easily purchased by importers. L. S. 3 p.
- 1862 Dec. 10 Raymond, H. J. New York. To Hon. M. G. Spaulding. Letter introducing Messrs. Pratt, Graham, Hobley, and Jackson, interested in reducing taxes on manufacture of hoop skirts and material. A. L. S. (Letter sent on by Spaulding to Sen. Morrill; postscript added.)
- 1862 Dec. 29 Medill, L. Chicago, Ill. Asks why banks escape taxation when newspapers are so heavily taxed. A. L. S.
- 1863 Jan. 1 Lathrop, L. H. Washington, D. C. Pass for Sen. Morrill and family through lines of defense of Washington. N. S.
- 1863 Jan. 28 Bontwell, Geo. S. Washington, D. C. Letter introducing Messrs. Wilson and Ramsey, gold beaters from New York. Will present views on effect of excise tax. A. L. S.
- 1863 Feb. 25 Bontwell, Geo. S. Presents circumstances of Butler and Carpenter, under contract to furnish stamps to government. Contract unfavorable to them, but work satisfactory. A. L. S.
- 1863 March 23 Homens, J. Smith Washington, D. C. Requests order on distributing clerk for documents for treasury department. A. L. S.
- 1863 May 2 Colfax, Schuyler Washington, D. C. Protests Morrill's refusal to run for reelection. A. L. S.
- 1863 May 27 Janvier, Francis S. Washington, D. C. Sends copies of "The Sleeping Sentinel." Encloses copy of latest poem. Congratulations on again receiving nomination. A. L. S.
- 1863 Sept. 4 Sloughter, Chas. E. At request of Gen. Davis, recommends Lt. E. D. White for position in regular service. L. S.
- 1864 May 23 Seward, W. H. Washington, D. C. Letter introducing state senator Ezra Cornell. L. S.
- 1864 May 25 Lewis, A. P. (?) Washington, D. C. To John Baxter, U. S. Congress. Body of ~~Sergeant~~ Barker embalmed this morning. Unless steps are taken to send it to Vermont, will be buried that morning. A. L. S.
- 1864 June 4 Morrill, Justin S. To Hon. Porter Baxter. Withdrawal from Congress; entitled to rest after eight years service. Result of work lies in tariff, internal revenue, and land college bills. Physically incapable of continuing; personal affairs need attention; capable men to succeed him. Will not refuse to serve if elected; does not wish election. A. L. S. (autograph copy of part of letter to Baxter.) 3 p.

- 1864 July 21 Stevens, Thaddeus Washington, D. C. Too ill to stay in House of Representatives. A. L. S.
- 1864 Sept. 22 Raymond, H. J. New York. Has written to Billings at his suggestion. Agrees with estimate of his ability. L. S.
- 1864 Dec. 15 Morrill, Justin S.; Edmunds, Geo. F.; Smith, Worthington; Poland, Luke P.; Willard, C. W. Washington, D. C. To Hon. Columbus Delano, Committee of internal revenue. Recommend appointment of Rollin J. Jones of Cornwall, Vt. as collector of internal revenue for first congressional district of state. L. S.
- 1865 May 29 Baxter, P. Requests Sen. Morrill to look into affairs of deceased mother's estate. Shares in Chelsea bank. Administrator of estate since her death. Shabby trick to send letter to Caledonia; has been deserted after being persuaded to go to Congress. A. L. S.
- 1865 Nov. 30 Corley, S. Lexington, S. C. To Hon. Schuyler, Colfax. Protests admission of South Carolina delegates, particularly McGowan, to House of Representatives as secessionists, not truly representative of districts. McGowan beat him in election because only 40 or 50 votes out of possible 2000 were polled. Loyal people thought it useless to send delegate to Congress before it had voted to receive them. Served against wishes under McGowan, knows him unfit to represent loyal men in Congress. A. L. S. 4 p.
- 1865 Dec. 1 Lipscomb, Martin Meredith Henrico Co., Va. To Schuyler Colfax, Washington, D. C. Opposed to secession, voted against ordinance and Jefferson Davis. Opposed victorious secessionist candidate, B. Johnston Barber for seat in Congress. Wishes Colfax to protest his seat. Pres. Johnson pardoning all rebels. Has proof of statements. A. L. S. 2 p.
- 1865 Dec. 1 Union League of Virginia Watson, Gillex F.; Humphreys, J. M.; Lewellen, J. M.; Richmond, Va. To Schuyler, Colfax. Union League appointed to inform leading men on fitness of Virginia for representation in Congress. People not ready for representation. Gov. Fairpoint deserted after having granted political favors. Federal authority must prevent state government reversion to same class which destroyed it in 1862. Popular vote electing rebel men to office; for example, unanimity of vote for Stuart in Staunton, and Connor in Winchester district. Since restoration of civil courts in Gloucester, about 100 people have been indicted for offenses committed during war. Slave code of Va. needs amending; free men need protection. Military rule necessary for another year. L. S. 4 p.
- 1865 Dec. 20 Rwes, Alex. L. Charlottesville, Va. To Hon. Thaddeus Stevens. Necessary to encourage cause of loyalty in state. Confederate leaders elected to highest offices in state. West Virginia should be united again with Virginia. People of Virginia should draw up new constitution; no one eligible to participate who cannot take test oath of July 1862. Property or intelligence qualification to remove necessity of distinction of color. A. L. S. 4 p.

- 1865
Dec. 21 Elliott, T. Richmond, Va. To Hon. Thaddeus Stephens
As Richmond clerk, knows public sentiment. Elevation of
negro to equality with white man is subterfuge to secure
withdrawal of military. Real object to secure self
government, abolish Negro Bureau, exterminate negro.
Present law allows officers to search negro homes for
fire arms. Negro harms no one, but if molested, will
defend himself. Expect proclamation by Pres. Johnson that
rebellion is ended; recommending admittance of delegates
from south to Congress; hopes this will not be allowed.
A. L. S. 6 p.
- 1866
Jan 27 Watson, A. Richmond, Va. To Chairman of committee on
reconstruction. Encloses certificate from R. C. Douglass -
union man, went with state at secession. Certificate
fixes status of Seger, applicant for seat in Congress from
Virginia. Many delegates to Congress unsatisfactory to
union men. (Certificate enclosed.) A. L. S. 2 p.
- 1866
Jan 27 Brown, Geo. T. Washington, D. C. To Hon. J. M. Howard,
committee on reconstruction. List of people from
Alexandria summoned to appear before committee. A. L. S.
- 1866
Jan 30 Brown, Geo. T. Washington, D. C. To Hon. J. M. Howard
C. H. Howard summoned to appear before committee. A. L. S.
- 1866
Jan 30 Freeman, John H. Lexington, Va. To Hon. Thaddeus
Stevens. Major R. C. Redmond competent witness for committee.
Many in Virginia not satisfied that confederacy is ended.
Rebel officers fill important county offices; loyal men
unable to secure office; hostility still exists. Withdrawal
of military would endanger safety of union men. A. L. S. 2 p.
- 1866
Jan 31 Brown, Geo. T. Washington, D. C. To Hon. J. M. Howard
Committee on reconstruction. Dr. J. J. Henshaw, Watkins
James, and Rev. N. B. Dunning summoned to appear before
committee. A. L. S.
- 1866
Jan 31 Crapsy, Edw. Washington, D. C. To Hon. S. Shellabarger
Names of men able to tell about public sentiment in
Virginia, - James T. Lowellen, Algernon S. Gray, Judge
E. J. Joyner, of Richmond, Virginia. A. L. S.
- 1866
February Roberts, Jonathan Fairfax County, Va. To J. M. Howard
Former witness before committee. Gov. Pierpont admitted
to legislative session at Richmond any member who had
resigned his seat while legislature was in session at
Alexandria. Act disqualifying officers under confederacy
from voting repealed; also power to alter act given to
next general assembly. Members active participants in
rebellion; general assembly controls Virginia; will ostracise
Union men unless U. S. government intervenes. A. L. S. 2 p.
- 1866
Feb 2 Tucker, Geo. Alexandria, Va. To Hon. J. M. Howard.
Calhoun, William, and Crane, of Virginia should appear
before committee on reconstruction. A. L. S.
- 1866
Feb. 2 Brown, Geo. T. Washington, D. C. To Hon. J. M. Howard
J. T. Alvord and Col. E. Whittlesey summoned to appear
before committee. A. L. S.

- 1866 Feb. 4 Pollock, A. Winchester, Va. To Hon. Jacob M. Howard
Quotes Virginia code on how cases are removed from county court to circuit court; also on election of county justices. Richard Parker, judge of circuit court until arrival of Union army, shown by charges to be rebel sympathizer. Union men have no chance of fair trial in any cases concerning confederate money; should remove such cases to U. S. court. Provisional government should supplant present one of secessionists. Union men virtually disfranchised; hold no offices. Without military, none would be safe. Many anxious for war with France, would help Maximilian beat Yankees. A. L. S. 4 p.
- 1866 Feb. 6 Crapsey, Edw. Washington To Hon. Jacob M. Howard.
Statement of affairs in Virginia. Former army correspondent for Philadelphia Inquirer, now with Richmond Republic, aiding fight against secessionists. Secessionists, Unionists, Refugees Unionists, - three parties in state. In fall elections Unionists carried five, Secessionists three districts. Judge W. J. Joynes, J. J. E. Ellis, A. S. Gray, I. W. Lewellen, Joseph Segar, of Virginia should be called before committee. A. L. S. 3 p.
- 1866 Feb 7. Van Lew, F. L. Richmond, Va. To Committee on reconstruction.
Danger of again being engulfed in secession; government guilty of treason; Jackson and Lee household heroes. Secessionists gain all favors and power while unionists and negroes suffer persecution. Appeals for help to Congress. A. L. S. 8 p.
- 1866 Feb. 15 White, Horace Chicago Failure of committee of ways and means to secure use of Canadian canals as part of Reciprocity treaty. (See Morrill letter to Horace White, Feb. 20, 1866.) A. L. S.
- 1866 Feb. 16 Botts, John M. Washington, D. C. Senator should continue course of inquiry toward gentleman who is to undergo examination. Question whether he took oath. New York Herald correspondent after Lee's surrender published interview in which Lee said that resources of South were not exhausted. Intimated that if Davis and rebel leaders were treated leniently, latent resources might be revealed. Suggests asking about contents of communication, present belts. Also knowledge of anyone desiring war with a foreign power who would take part against U. S. A. L. S. 2 p.
- 1866 Feb. 20 Morrill, Justin S. Washington, D. C. To Horace White, Chicago, Ill. New England manufactureres do not wish termination of reciprocity treaty with Canada. (Answer to Horace White letter of Feb. 15, 1866.) Will vote for canal only on American side of Falls. A. L. S. 3 p.
- 1866 Feb. 28 Foster, C. H. Murfreesboro, N. C. To Wm. D. Kelley Washington, D. C. Suggests appointment of pension agent for each southern state where men entered union services. Many destitute widows and relatives of dead soldiers need pensions. Has been forwarding many applications but cannot reach all of them. Congress should take action for them. A. L. S. (Enclosed in C. W. Foster letter of March 18, 1866.

- 1866 Mar. 28 Foster, C. H. Murfreesboro, N. C. To Wm. D. Kelley Washington, D. C.; Hopes he can use enclosed letter. Act of confederate legislature furnishes artificial legs and arms to rebel soldiers, but not Union men. Money provided by state treasury to which both contribute alike. (See enclosed letter, of Feb 28, 1866) A. L. S. 2 p.
- 1866 July 25 Blaine, J. G. Augusta, Maine Expects accusation for violating privileges of the House. Asks support. Telegram
- 1866 Oct. 25 Blaine, J. G. Augusta, Maine Puzzled about chairman of Ways and Means. Hooper unfit; also Garfield and Conkling lack necessary qualifications. Bontwell best choice; Colfax to become speaker; give up chairmanship to west. Schenck best choice if he could control his temper. Senatorial elections in Vermont best possible for party harmony. A. L. S. Copy. 3 p.
- MOVED TO 1866 Nov. 4 Frye, Wm. F. Washington, D. C. Comments on Selfconsciousness of Noted Persons. A. L. S.
- 1867 Feb. 6 Train, Geo. Francis New York, New York. Acknowledges receipt of pamphlet on speech. Hopes Congress will heed its counsels, but present legislation indicates otherwise. A. L. S.
- 1867 Feb. 20 Johnson, Pres. and Mrs. Washington, D. C.; Invitation to dinner. E. W.
- 1867 May 2 Morgan, E. O. New York. To John A. Dix, Paris, France. Letter introducing Senator Morrill. A. L. S.
- 1867 May 4 Garfield, J. A. Hiram, Ohio Accepts invitation to be Sen. Morrill's traveling companion abroad; partly promised to go with Allison and Wells. Has refused to run for governor of Ohio. A. L. S.
- 1867 Nov. 20 Bryant, W. C. Roslyn, L. I. Acknowledges receipt of white blackberry plants. A. L. S.
- 1867 Nov. 22 Seward, F. W. Washington, D. C. Asks Sen. Morrill to call at his department. L.S.
- 1870 Jan. 16 Greeley, Horace New York Would make suggested work bad reading. Thinks Stuart Mill heavy, commonplace, too full of non-essentials. May try bigger work; seemed best to be sharp; keep to points actively disputed. A. L. S.
- 1870 Feb. 20 Duncan, R. H. New England Chemical Co. Copperas Hill, Vt. Proposed bill to abolish duty on imported sulphur will ruin their business. A. L. S. 7 p.
- 1870 May 1 Greeley, Horace New York Doubts if fight on tariff can be avoided. Leaders mean to destroy Republican party. Watch Trumbull's course in Senate; many would like to see national debt repudiated; considers Garfield failure of session. A. L. S. 2 p.
- 1870 Aug. 6 Smith, Washington C. St. Albans, Vt.; Wishes speech for county agricultural fair at Sheldon. Part of Mississippi Valley RR to be opened at fair. A. L. S.
- 1871 Jan. 31 Fish, Hamilton Washington, D. C. Thorough examination of antecedents relative to colonization of negroes in Hayti made; subject under control of Dept. of Interior. Letters addressed to Seward by C. K. Tuckerman of N. Y. transferred to that department. A. L. S. 3 p

- 1871 Sherman, John Washington, D. C. Mistake in giving
Nov. 9 notice of meeting. A. L. S.
- 1872 Fish, Hamilton Washington, D. C. Encloses copy of
Feb. 7 report of Her Majesty's Diplomatic and Consular agents
abroad on condition of industrial classes and purchase
power of money in various countries. Requests that
copy be returned. L. S.
- 1872 Fisk, J. S. Victoria, Texas Desires to take part in
Nov. 13 Texas politics; election of Grant, public and party
opinion; plan to make "Advocate" a Republican journal. 4 p.
- 1873 Morrill, J. S. Washington, D. C. To Calvin Blodgett,
Feb. 8 Burlington, Vt. Resumption of specie payment will cause
temporary inconvenience but lasting benefits. Breach of
faith to allow anything but coin to be received for
custom duties; effect, otherwise, to send abroad the specie
in the country. Would mean reduction of tariff to extent
of premium on gold. Denies attempting to make money
out of knowledge of Congressional activities. Copy
- 1873 Poore, Ben. Perley Newburyport Pleased to receive visit
Sept. 17 from senator; will meet him at Parker House in Boston. A. L. S.
- 1873 White, Andrew, D. Ithaca, N. Y. Speech on relation of
Dec. 10 government of education; on industrial and scientific
education; Morrill Land Grant Bill; conditions in various
colleges of Cornell University. L. S. 12 p.
- 1874 Read, Daniel University of State of Missouri, Columbia, Mo.
Jan. 16 Fight for Morrill bill not given up; prepared paper to
send to interested institutions and members of Congress. A. L. S.
- 1874 Bennett, James, S. Gordon New York Herald, New York. Wishes
Nov. 17 letter for publication on financial policy which next
session of congress should adopt. A. L. S.
- 1876 Garfield, J. A. Presence of ladies at Pres. White's
April 12 lecture. Meeting of House same day. A. L. S.
- 1876 Peck, Governor A., Jericho, Vt. Proposed change in
Sept. 12 height of Judge Collamer's statue. A. L. S.
- 1877 Morrill, Justin S. Strafford, Vt. To the president,
May 28 [R. B. Hayes,] President will not be alarmed by Philadelphia
pamphleteer, Henry Carey Baird, in regard to inflation.
Former champions of paper money now supporting silver.
Remonetization of silver on basis of 15 to 1 means utter
demonetization of gold. Mining stock speculators, et al.
actively promoting silver standard; silver afloat a
nuisance. Silver production double; demand almost ceased;
excess thrown on market, value reduced; will continue unless
leading nations decide to control coinage; U. S. alone
cannot do it. Silver policy means heavy reduction of revenue
and protection, blow to public credit. If business interests
can be protected four years more, they will be safe from
party assaults, etc. Advises president not to make any potentially
embarrassing promises. Reduction of number of pension
agencies salutary reform; fee law bait for crooked agents,
should be amended. Combine southern district pension agencies;
one agency to each state. Preliminary draft 3 p.

- 1877 Aug. 22 Garfield, J. A. Mentor, Ohio Returned from Canada trip. Contending with financial opinions; situation this fall critical, issue uncertain. L. S.
- 1877 Sept. 5 Wheeler, W. A. Malone, New York. Explains inability to visit Morrills. A. L. S.
- 1877 Dec. 12 Stannard, F. H. Burlington, Vt. To Gen. W. J. Sherman. Asking assistance for father, Gen. Stannard, who has lost all money and standing. (On back of letter is note from Sherman to Sen. Morrill asking him to look into case.) A. L. S.
- 1878 May 21 Sherman, John Washington, D. C. Expediency of passing House bill 4663; contraction of currency; feeling of western states. L. S.
- 1878 fr Sept 11 00 Sherman, John Washington, D. C. Discouraging news from Maine. People determined to have irredeemable money; sound currency ideas will have to be postponed. Hopes furor will not endanger his position. Willing to resign position to establish currency on sound basis. Effect of Maine New England elections uncertain. A. L. S.
- 1878 Sept 27 Edmunds, Geo. F. Burlington, Vt. Hopes to meet him at W. General opinion gives Morrill victory. A. L. S.
- 1878 Oct. 1 Edmunds, Geo. F. Rutland, Vt. Is at court. Care to go Vermont and let all see for themselves; general belief that he is ahead. A. L. S.
- 1879 Jan. 9 Sherman, John Treasury Department, (Washington, D. C.) Pending bill for reduction of taxes; silver bill absorbs more revenue than amount of silver coin that can be circulated. L. S.
- 1879 Dec. 27 Sherman, John Washington, D. C. Encloses official letter on refunding. Suggests giving copy to press. L.S.
- 1880 April 12 Baxter, Mr. & Mrs. M. L. Inability to attend birthday reception. A. L.
- 1880 April 14 Cox, Mr. & Mrs. S. S. Unable to attend birthday reception. A. L.
- 1880 April 14 Clifford, Justice & Mrs. Washington, D. C. Unable to attend birthday reception. A. L.
- 1880 April 15 Hayes, Mrs. Rutherford B. (Washington, D. C.) Thanks for flowers and visit. A. N. S. Copy.
- 1881 May 13 Les Duc, W. G. Washington, D. C. Comments on pet magnolia of Senator Morrill's. L. S.
- 1881 June 22 Casey, T. L. Washington, D. C. To Mr. S. G. Mead. Design for exterior of Washington Monument; construction of monument. (Enclosed in W. D. Howell letter of May 6, 1886.) A. L. S.
- 1881 Sept 20 Bright, R. J. Washington, D. C. Requested to attend funeral of the president. Telegram.
- 1882 Feb. 14 Tyler, J. M. Comments on Self Consciousness of Noted Persons . A. L. S.
- 1882 Feb. 14 Joyce, Mrs. E. H. Washington, D. C. Comments on Self Consciousness of Noted Persons. A. L. S.

- 1882 Feb. 15 Dorr, Julia C. R. Rutland, Vt. Comments on Self Consciousness, etc. A. L. S.
- 1882 Feb. 14 Dawes, Anna L. Comments on Self Consciousness, etc. A. L. S.
- 1882 Feb. 16 Byard, F. F. Washington, D. C. Comments on Self Consciousness, etc. A. L. S.
- 1882 Feb. 17 Smith, A. E. B. St. Albans, Vt. Comments on Self Consciousness, etc. A. L. S.
- 1882 Feb. 19 Allison, Mrs. Mary B. Washington, D. C. Comments on Self Consciousness, etc. A. L. S.
- 1882 Feb. 20 Dorr, Julia C. R. Rutland, Vt. Requests information on last year's inauguration for "Garfield Day" meeting. A. L. S.
- 1882 Feb. 20 Aldis, Mary F. ~~Katx20~~ Comments on Self Consciousness, etc. A. L. S.
- 1882 Feb. 21 Morrill, L. G. Pollard, [Vt.] Comments on Self Consciousness, etc. A. L. S.
- 1882 Feb. 21 Baxter, Francis Burlington, Vt. Comment on Self Consciousness, etc. A. L. S.
- 1882 Feb. 22 Housbair, H. O. Boston, Mass. Comments on Self Consciousness, etc. A. L. S.
- 1882 Feb. 28 Hendee, Mrs. G. W. Morrisville, Vt. Comments on Self Consciousness, etc. A. L. S.
- 1882 March 3 Denison, D. C. Royalton, Vt. Comments on Self Consciousness, etc. A. L. S.
- 1882 March 9 Fulinghrydin, Frank J. Department of state, Washington, D. C. Letter introducing Baron Fava; sending copy of memorandum on bi-mettalic coinage union. A. L. S.
- 1882 March 26 Woodbridge, W. F. Comments on Self Consciousness, Etc. A. L. S.
- 1882 March 27 Hayes, John L. Boston, Mass. National Association of Wool Manufacturers. Relates incident of poet Longfellow. A. L. S.
- 1882 March 27 Dana, C. L. New York City Pleased to receive book, Self Consciousness, Dr. G. M. Beard would like copy. Expects to get married next month. Sees he is making it lively for democrats. A. L. S.
- 1882, March 30 Edmunds, Susan M. Comments on Self Consciousness A. L. S.
- 1882 April 5 Hayes, Lucy E. Fremont, Ohio Comments on Self Consciousness. A. L. S.
- 1882 April 11 Gregg, Wm. L. Boston, Mass. Request for copy of Self Consciousness. A. L. S.
- 1882 April 14 Chummer, [Mrs.] Mary Washington, D. C. Sends birthday greetings. A. L. S.
- 1882 April 20 Colby, James F. New Haven, Conn. Request for copy of Self Consciousness. A. L. S.
- 1882 May 5 Stimson, R. M. Marietta College, Ohio Request for copy of Self Consciousness. A. L. S.
- 1882 May 26 Dawes, Anna L. Washington, D. C. Leaving for north. Requests picture. A. L. S.

- 1882
May 29 Wait, M. R. [Washington, D. C.] To Mrs. C. W. Ferriss Returns Morrill book and speeches. Feeling of personal strength necessary to success. (Enclosed in Ferriss letter of May 30, 1882.) A. L. S.
- 1882
[May 30] Ferriss, Cornelia W. [Washington, D. C.] Encloses note from chief justice [M. R. Wait]. Wishes its return for souvenir. (See Wait letter of May 29, 1882.) A. L. S.
- 1882
May 31 Morrill, J. S. Washington, D. C. To Mrs. Ferriss. Appreciated being allowed to read Judge Wait's note. Returns it. A. L. S. Preliminary draft.
- 1882
July 17 Morrill, J. S. Washington, D. C. To Geo. F. Edmunds, Burlington, Vt. Condolences upon death of daughter. A. L. S. preliminary draft.
- 1882
July 31/82 White, Andrew D. Ithaca, N. Y. Comments on Self Consciousness. Receipt of speeches on tariff and education. Beginning course in history and political science at university. L. S. 3p.
- 1883
October 22 Milliken, Dav. L. Boston, Mass. Wish speech for Robinson-Anti-Butler rally. (Campaign for governor.) A. L. S.
- 1883
Nov. 5 Reid, Whitelaw New York Tribune Confident that there was no warrant for Conkling's boast. Went over list of Republican candidates with Chauncey M. Depew. Conkling has six, not twenty. Hopes his correspondent will get early account of proposed financial measures. L. S. 2p.
- [1884,
March 12 Boyer, S. S. Chicago, Ill. Industrial convention proposed. Enthusiastic response from industries. Near Republican convention. Opportunity to bring interests of farmer, manufacturer, and capitilist together. Wish speech. Date of woal convention changed to meet with industrial convention. (See Morrill letter to S. S. Boyer) March 16, 1884.) 7p. A-L-5
- 1884
March 16 Morrill, J. S. Washington, D. C. To S. S. Boyer, Chicago, Ill. Unable to attend industrial convention; Morrion Tariff bill requires his presence. Suggestions for other speakers. Preliminary draft.
- 1884
April 9, 1 Barber, Major & Mrs. Accept invitation to Morrill birthday reception. A. L.
- 1884
April 9 Phillips, Fred. J. Washington, D. C. President and sister, Mrs. McElroy accept invitation to Morrill birthday party. L. S.
- 1884
April 10 Yest, Sen. & Mrs. Unable to attend Morrill birthday celebration. A. N.
- 1884
April 13 Bayard, Sen. J. F. Washington, D. C. Sends present, match box, and birthday greetings. A. L. S.
- 1884
April 14 Van Wyck, Sen & Mrs. Unable to accept invitation to birthday reception. A. N.
- 1884
April 14 Wilson, Col. John M. and Mrs. Accept invitation to Morrill birthday party. A. N.
- 1884
April 14 Wales, George W. Burlington, Vt. Unable to attend Morrill birthday party. A. L. S.
- 1884
April 14 Rockwell, Col. & Mrs. Accept invitation to Morrill birthday party. A. N.

- 1884 ✓ Pendleton, G. H. Washington, D. C. Unable to attend
 April 14 Morrill birthday party. A. L. S.
- 1884 Packer, Dr. P. and Mrs. Unable to accept invitation to ✓
 April 14 Morrill birthday party. A. L.
- 1884 Alvord, General & Mrs. Unable to attend Morrill birthday ✓
 April 14 party. A. N.
- 1884 Anthony, Unable to attend Morrill birthday ✓
 April 14 party. A. L.
- 1884 Corcoran, W. W. Washington, D. C. Unable to attend ✓
 April 14 Morrill birthday party. A. L. S.
- 1884 Cox, Mr. & Mrs. S. S. Send present. Unable to accept
 April 14 invitation to Morrill birthday party. A. N. S. ✓
- 1884 Gullom, Sen. & Mrs. Unable to attend Morrill birthday ✓
 April 14 party. A. L.
- 1884 Eaton, Hon. & Mrs. W. B. Unable to attend Morrill birthday ✓
 April 14 party. A. L.
- 1884 Hutchinson, Mr. & Mrs. Wm. Washington, D. C. Unable
 April 14 to attend Morrill birthday party. A. L. ✓
- 1884 King, Horatio Birthday poetry. A. D. S. ✓
- April 14
- 1884 Lindsley, Julia C. Parents unable to be present at ✓
 April 14 Morrill birthday party. A. L. S.
- 1884 Miller, Justice & Mrs. Accept invitation to Morrill ✓
 April 14 birthday party. A. L.
- 1884 McKnight, Rob't Pittsburgh, Pa. Sends birthday ✓
 April 14 greetings. A. L. S.
- 1884 Dana, C. L. New York City. Sends birthday greetings. ✓
 April 28 A. L. S.
- 1884
- Aug. 19 Edmunds, Geo. F. Burlington, Vt. Nothing to put in way
 of political party; should not put witness on stand whose
 answers might be unpleasant. His abstention from speaking
 will probably be misunderstood, but might do greater harm
 in speaking without candor. Unable to go to Strafford; must
 be in Syracuse on 27th to argue telephone case; last until
 24th. Then Supreme Court is 2nd Monday in October; must be
 present. A. L. S. 3 p.
- 1884 Edmunds, Geo. F. Burlington, Vt. Expects him, Mrs. Morrill,
 Aug. 30 and Miss Swan next Friday. A. L. S.
- 1884 Reid, Whitelaw New York Will try to impress danger from
 Sept. 2 prohibition vote in Ohio on National Committee. Hopes to
 have useful letter from Dr. Storrs on subject. Considering
 preparing document for conscientious prohibitionists. Since
 Maine vote, Ohio only possible cloud. A. L. S. 2 p.
- 1884 Burchard, H. C. Bureau of the Mint, Treasury Department,
 Dec. 27 Washington, D. C. To Hugh McCulloch. Expenses of
 circulation of standard dollars and silver coins. (Enclosed
 in McCulloch letter of Dec. 29, 1884.) A. L. S. Copy
- 1884 McCulloch, Hugh Secretary of the Treasury, Washington, D. C.
 Dec. 29 Report on expenses of circulating silver; profits of coinage;
 cost of monetary convention. (Accompanying letter(copy)
 from Burchard, Dec. 27, 1884.) 4, 5

- 1885 Morton, L. P. Paris, France Remittance for cost of medals. Will return homoon arrival of successor. A. L. S.
- 1885 April 4 Sunderland, B. Birthday poetry. A. D. S.
- 1885 April 14 Morrill, J. S. Washington, D. C. To Dr. Sunderland. Thanks for poetry. A. L. S.
- 1885 April 15 Morrill, J. S. To Horatio King. Thanks for poetry. A. L. S.
- 1886 April 15 Hayes, R. B. Fremont, Ohio. Congratulations on silver speech. A. L. S.
- 1886 Jan. 22 Schurz, C. New York City. Thanks for able speech in senate on silver question. Plans to take part in the discussion; wishes copies of silver speeches made in senate; also copy of report of Secretary of the Treasury. A. L. S.
- 1886 Jan. 22 Lamont, Daniel S. Washington, D. C. President requests Sen. Morrill to call on him in the forenoon. N. S.
- 1886 March 15 Corcoran, W. Unable to attend birthday party. A. L.
- 1886 April 12 Sherman, Gen. & Mrs. St. Louis, Mo. Acknowledge complimentary invitation to birthday party. A. L.
- 1886 April 12 King, Horatio Birthday poetry. Two copies.
- 1886 April 14 Phillips, W. W. Augusta, Maine. Sends birthday greetings. Western Union Telegram
- 1886 April 14 Poore, Ben. Perley Washington, D. C. Unable to attend birthday party. A. L. S.
- 1886 April 14 Hayes, R. B. Fremont, Ohio. Unable to attend birthday party. Prospect of Congressional Library building. A. L. S.
- 1886 April 19 Milder, Marshall P. Dorchester, Mass. Secretary of Massachusetts Horticultural society has sent reports of society since 1830. Encloses two late talks; see reforms in nomenclature of fruits. A. L. S.
- 1886 April 27 Howells, W. D. Boston, Mass. Comments on Self Consciousness; encloses letter. (See T. L. Casey letter of June 22, 1881.)
- ★ 1886 May 6 Morrill, Justin S. Mr. Howells waited until he could offer book to Ticknor & Co. in person; will surely publish it; manuscript safely protected. Preliminary draft. SEE BELOW
- 1886 May 6 Howells, W. D. Boston, Mass. Comments on Self Consciousness. A. L. S.
- 1886 May 11 Morrill, J. S. To W. D. Howells, Boston, Mass. Coments on Self Consciousness. A. L. Fair copy.
- 1886 May 14 Morrill, J. S. Washington, D. C. To W. D. Howells, Boston, Mass. Requests him to give second edition of Self Consciousness to publishers. A. L. Fair copy
- 1886 May 18 Ticknor & Co. Boston, Mass. Received manuscript of Self Consciousness; take up question of publication at once. A. L. S.
- 1886 May 21 Cleveland, Grover, and Miss Frances Folsom Marriage announcement. E. N.
- 1886 June 2 Morrill, J. S. To the President, Grover Cleveland, Wedding congratulations. A. N. S. Copy. (NOT IN MORRILL'S HAND).
- 1886 June 9

★ PARTIAL COPIES IN MORRILL'S HAND OF W. D. HOWELL'S, MAY 6, 1886, LETTER AND THE MAY 21, 1886, LETTER FROM TICKNOR + CO.

- 1886 Ticknor & Co. Boston, Mass. Self Consciousness accepted
June 23 by publishers. A. L. S.
- 1886 Ticknor & Co. Boston, Mass. Comments on Self-Consciousness.
June 29 Hope to see him in Boston if he can arrange the trip. A. L.
- 1886 Durfee, Benj Washington, D. C. Manderson read Morrill's
June 30 speech well; respectable quorum of senate present. Sen.
Payne occupied Morrill seat. Conger, Blair, Everts, Butler,
Palmer, McMillan, Callam, etc. congratulated him at close of
speech. Sends original manuscript. A. L. S.
- 1886 Ernst, C. W. The Beacon Boston, Mass. Encloses newspaper
October 16 review of Self Consciousness, etc. pleased to write it;
grateful to him for supporting tariff views. Senator
Allison's interchangeable currency bill a happy compromise;
Sherman's bill preferable, but other has support of silver
men. People think Long will succeed Dawes; hopes they are
mistaken. (Newspaper clippings enclosed) A. L. S.
- 1886 Ticknor & Co. Boston, Mass. Comments on Self Consciousness.
October 16a. L. S.
- 1886 Grant, William W. Bouton, Vt. Comments on Self-Consciousness.
October 26 A. L. S.
- 1886 Hoar, Geo. F. Worcester, Mass. Comments on Self-Conscious-
Oct. 31 ness. A. L. S.
- 1886 Houghton, H. O. Boston, Mass. Comments on Self Consciousness.
Nov. 2 A. L. S.
- 1886 Morrill, J. S. To Ticknor & Co. Boston, Mass. Comments
Nov. 2 on Self-Consciousness. Copy.
- 1886 Warton, Joseph Camden, N. J. Comments on Self Consciousness.
Nov. 4 A. L. S.
- 1886 Edwards, Geo. F. Comments on Self Consciousness. A. L. S.
Nov. 7
- 1886 Ticknor & Co. Boston, Mass. Comments on Self Consciousness.
Nov. 12 Free copies. A. L. S.
- 1886 Logan, Mary S. Washington, D. C. Comments on Self Consciousness.
Nov. 16 A. L. S.
- 1886 Waite, M. R. Comments on Self Consciousness. A. L. S.
Nov. 20
- 1886 Hayes, John L. Cambridge, Mass. Comments on Self Conscious-
Nov. 18 ness. A. L. S.
- 1886 Voorhees, D. E. Washington, D. C. Comments on Self-Con-
Nov. 21 sciousness. A. L. S.
- 1886 Poore, Ben Perley Washington, D. C. Comments on Self
Nov. 22 Consciousness. A. L. S.
- 1886 Hayes, John L. Boston, Mass. Comments on Self-Consciousness.
Dec. 2 Sending latest bulletin on labor. A. L. S.
- 1886 Barstow, John L. Shelburne Comments on Self Consciousness.
Dec. 18 A. L. S.
- 1886 Jones, A. H. Philadelphia, Pa. Requests copy of last
Dec. 27 speech on tariff. Comments on Self Consciousness. A. L. S.
- 1887 Cox, S. S. Washington D. C. Comments on Self Consciousness.
Jan 8 A. L. S.
- 1887 Cleveland, Grover Washington, D. C. Invitation to call
Mar 12 on Mrs. Cleveland. A. L. S.

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Comments on Self Consciousness.

- 1887 Morrill, J. S. Washington, D. C. To Pres. Cleveland.
March 12 Accept invitation to call on Mrs. Cleveland. Copy.
- 1887 Washburn, Mr. & Mrs. W. D. Washington, D. C. Unable
April 14 to attend Morrill birthday party. A. L.
- 1887 Bontwell, Geo. S. Groton, N. Y. Comment on Self
April 18 Consciousness. A. L. S.
- 1887 Cleveland, Frances F. Washington, D. C. Requests him to
May 8 bring plans tomorrow. A. L. S.
- 1887 Cleveland, Frances F. Washington, D. C. Comments on
May 16 Self-Consciousness. A. L. S.
- 1887 Morrill, J. S. New York, N. Y. To Pres. Cleveland.
May 23 Anxious for sound management of government finance. If
imports continue to exceed exports, may result in too
great accumulation of money in treasury; will not happen
before ~~August~~ or September since 3 percent bonds will be
paid July 1. Purchase of four or four and one-half per
cent bonds unprofitable if price advances from 2 to 4
per cent. If secretary of Treasury were to pay 3 months
in advance, all anxiety would cease. A. L. S.
- 1887 Lamont, D. L. Washington, D. C. Secretary to the President.
June 14 President acknowledges receipt of letter on treasury
surplus. A. L. S.
- 1888 Morrill, J. S. To Mrs. W. A. McElvrey. Receipt of
May 24 memorial of late President Arthur. A. L.
- 1888 Morrill, J. S. To Benj. Harrison, Indianapolis, Ind.
Sept 13 Physician has ordered him to stop work. Congratulations
on nomination by Republican party; election certain. A. L. S.
- 1888 Harrison, Benj. Indianapolis, Ind. Pleased to receive
Sept 18 congratulations on nomination. Regrets ill health of
senator. L. S.
- 1890 Morrill, J. S. To Benj. Harrison Suggests John W.
Oct. 7 Foster for minister to South America. Difficult to
negotiate reciprocity treaty acceptable to Senate. A. L. S. Copy
- 1890 Harrison, Benj. Washington, D. C. Congratulations on
Oct. 15 reelection to Senate; considering suggestion about Foster. Hopes
to accomplish results under reciprocity clause of tariff
bill without making treaties with countries involved. L.S.
- 1890 Hayes, R. B. Fremont, O. Congratulations on reelection.
Dec. 31 Asks if government publications can be sent to Ohio State
University and all agricultural and mechanical colleges. A. L. S.
- 1891 Brown, Wm. L. Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, Ala.
Feb. 28 Seeking information about bust of senator for new building. L. S.
- 1891 McKinley, Wm., Jr. Washington, D. C. Unable to accept
Mar. 7 invitation to Brattleboro because of wife's ill health. A. L. S.
- 1891 King, Horatio Birthday poetry. A. L. S.
April 14
- 1891 Mawry, W. H. Birthday wishes. A. L. S.
April 14
- 1891 Morrill, J. S. Strafford, Vt. To James Barrett, Rutland, Vt.
Aug. 24 Accuracy of biography unimpeachable. Judge Harris really
competent. Father owned shop, sold scythes, etc. Uncle,
Dr. Jacob Hunt a scholar. He himself wished college education;
father unable to give it to him. Went into partnership
with Judge Harris; made bank director in 1837. A. L.

- 1892 King, Horatio Birthday poetry. E. N. Two copies.
Apr. 14
- 1892 Harrison, Benj. Washington, D. C. Condition of Mrs.
Sept. 7 Harison unsatisfactory. A. L. S.
- 1893 Hayes, Rutherford, B. family. Fremont, Ohio. Acknowledgement
Jan. 24 of sympathies on death of Hayes. E. N.
- 1894 Shippen, Rush R. Boston, Mass. Birthday greetings.
Apr. 12 A. L. S.
- 1894 Chandler, C. F. Birthday greetings. A. L. S.
Apr. 13
- 1894 Baldwin, W. H. Somerset Co., N. J. Birthday greetings.
Apr. 14 Hopes he can support protection of American industries in present crisis. Sen. Will's speech disconcerting to adherents of present administration. Protection will win. Wishes information about R. McKinley, author of A History of the Whig Party. A. L. S. 4^p
- 1894 Deuerville, F. B. Burlington, Vt. Birthday greetings.
Apr. 14 Telegram
- 1894 Brewer, Justice and Mrs. David Birthday greetings.
Apr. 14 A. L.
- 1894 King, Horatio Washington, D. C. Birthday poetry.
Apr. 14 A. D. S.
- 1894 Graham, W. O. Washington, D. C. Unable to attend birthday
Apr. 14 party. A. L. S.
- 1894 Fuller, Len. K. Birthday greetings. A. L. S.
Apr. 14
- 1894 Faucen, Henry C. Brooklyn, N. Y. Birthday greetings.
Apr. 15 L. S.
- 1894 Vest, G. G. Washington, D. C. Unable to attend birthday
Apr. 15 ~~party~~ party. A. L. S.
- 1894 McMillan, S. I. R. St. Paul, Missouri. Birthday
Apr. 16 greetings. A. L. S.
- 1894 McCulloch, Susan To Mrs. J. S. Morrill Unable to
Apr. 17 attend birthday party. A. L. S.
- 1895 Cole, Ashely Trimble Brooklyn, N. Y. Birthday greetings.
Apr. 13 A. L. S.
- 1895 King, Horatio Washington, D. C. Birthday poetry.
Apr. 14 A. D. S.
- 1895 Vesser, Alpha Patrons of Husbandry Rochester, Vt. Asks
June 3 for information on measure presented to Senate entitled "Protection to Staple Agriculture." A. L. S. 3^p.
- 1895 Morrill, J. S. Strafford, Vt. To Alpha Vesser, Rochester,
June 14 Vt. Favors bounty on cotton, sugar. Scheme impracticable.
A. L. S.
- 1895 Smith, Franklin W. and Crane, Mrs. Oliver., Saratoga Springs.
Sept. 5 Request support for plan to improve Saratoga Springs. (Accompanying document "Literary and Floral Fetes.") L. S.
- 1895 Boston Journal Boston, Mass. Thinks statement on recent
Sept. 17 action of Republican party misquoted in Boston Herald. May harm party unless corrected. Telegram.
- 1895 Morrill, J. S. Strafford, Vt. To Boston Journal. Has not
Sept. 18 seen Boston Herald. Immediate need for tariff; inexpedient for Republicans to try to obtain it with a hostile executive. Favors protection but not unnecessary or excessive protection. Records will show if he agrees with other Republicans.

Copy of telegram

- 1896 Grant, Ulysses S., Mrs. Washington, D. C. To Mrs. J. S.
Jan. 24 Morrill. Luncheon invitation. A. L.
- 1896 King, Horatio. Birthday poetry. A. L. S.
April 14
- 1896 Sunderland, B. Birthday poetry. A. L. S.
April 14
- 1896 Schurman, J. G. Ithaca, N. Y. Birthday wishes
April 14 Telegram.
- 1896 Mahan, Mary C. Acknowledge receipt of gift. Unable to
June 14 present Stuchard until next winter. A. L. S.
- 1896 Mahan, Mary C. To Miss. L. S. Swan. Unable to present
June 14 Stuchard until next winter. A. L. S.
- 1896 King, Horatio West Newton, Mass. Birthday greetings.
June 16 (Newspaper clipping enclosed) A. L. S.
- 1896 Edmunds, G. F. Philadelphia, Pa. Congratulations on
Oct. 25 reelection to Senate. A. L. S.
- 1896 Grant, Mrs. Invitation to meet Miss Sartoris. F. N.
Dec. 9
- 1897 Canfield, Jos. H. President, Ohio State University.
Mar. 9 Bust of senator unveiled at university. Telegram.
- 1897 Morrill, Justin S. Washington, D. C. To Pres. J. H.
March 12 Canfield, Columbus, Ohio. Acknowledges receipt of telegram
on unveiling of bust. A. L. S.
- 1897 Rice, J. M. The Forum New York. Mistake in price of making
Sept 30 letter facsimiles; printing of letters of Sumner and Thaddeus
Stevens. L. S.
- 1897 Rice, J. M. The Forum New York Three original letters
Oct. 27 enclosed; two have been published; expecting third article.
- 1898 Sartoris, Nellie Grant Sending petition in joint resolution;
April 5 hopes he will introduce it in senate. A. L. S.
- 1898 Sartoris, Nellie Grant Chicago, Illinois Appreciates his
April 26 attention to joint resolution restoring them to American
citizenship. A. L. S.
- 1898 Cockrell, F. M. Washington, D. C. Condolences on death of
May 13 Mrs. Morrill. A. L. S.
- 1898 Bradford, J. Boston, Mass. Speech on Hawaiian question.
July 4 A. L. S.
- 1898 Woodruff, F. E. Morristown, N. J. Comments on article
Oct. 11 by Sen. Morrill, "The Free Coinage of Silver by the United
States Alone." L. S.
- 1898 Headley, Russel Newburgh, N. J. Requests personal information
Dec. 2 on Captain Clark of the Oregon to use in biographical
article. A. L. S.
- 1898 Rhodes, Joshua Penn. Tube Works, Pittsburgh, Pa. To John
Dec. 15 H. Flagg, New York City. Surplus on July 1, 1898, \$634,000.
Not a dollar of paper out; keep bills receivable until mature.
Adding to plant; now largest in world. Last summer purchased
over \$100,000 in real estate and erected buildings on it; amounted
to \$400,000 more. Contemplate new electric power plant. Pay
usual quarterly dividend of 2 percent on Jan. 1. (On back of
this letter is note from J. H. Flagg to Sen. Morrill, dated
Dec. 21. Hopes letter will be interesting and satisfactory to
him. Standard today is 433 ex. div. Copy.

- 1898 Clark, C. E. Asheville, N. C. Expresses gratitude for
Dec. 17 introduction to president. Sending trophy of battle which
destroyed sea power of Spain. A. L. S.
- 1898 Parker, M. M. Washington, D. C. Just served notice on tenant
Dec. 21 No. 1617, 12th Street. Has paid to June 18; will owe \$161.00.
L. S.
- 1898 North, S. W. D. Boston, Mass. To James S. Morrill.
Dec. 28 Sympathies on death of Senator Morrill. T. S.
- 1899 McKinley, William, President and Mrs., To James S. Morrill
Feb. 8 Invitation to reception. F. N.
- 1899 Hull, A. L. U. of Georgia, Athens, Ga. To Jas. Morrill,
July 10 Washington, D. C. Encloses copy of resolutions adopted by
trustees on death of Sen. Morrill. N. S.
- 1899 North, S. N. D. Nanquitt, Mass. To James S. Morrill. Will be
Aug. 30 in Boston next week after Tuesday. A. L. S.
- 1906 Jason, W. C. State College, Dover Del. To Jas. Morrill.
June 11 Thanks him for sending photograph of father. A. L. S.
- 1907 Wills, J. P. Washington, D. C. To James S. Morrill.
Dec. 1 Invitation to Gridiron Club Dinner. E. N.
- 1910 Prunty, G. H. Newport, Vt. To James S. Morrill, Washington
Feb. 17 D. C. Proposed memorial services for Sen. Morrill in
Vermont. L. S.
- 1910 Sparr, Edwin E. Penn State College, Pa. To James S. Morrill,
April 5 Washington, D. C. Comments on Morrill Centenary. L. S.
- 1910 Beach, C. L. Conn. Agricultural College, Storrs, Conn. To
April 6 James S. Morrill. Comments on Morrill Centenary. L. S.
- 1910 Stone, W. E. Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana. To
April 6 James S. Morrill. Comments on Morrill Centenary. L. S.
- 1910 Thomson, F. O. Ohio State Un. Columbus, Ohio. To James
April 6 S. Morrill. Morrill Centenary. L. S.
- 1910 Schurman, J. G. Ithaca, New York. To James S. Morrill
April 7 Morrill Centenary exercises. L. S.
- 1910 Gibbs, W. D. New Hampshire College Durham, N. Y. To James
April 8 S. Morrill. Morrill Centenary. L. S.
- 1910 Fellows, Geo. E. University of Maine To James S. Morrill
Apr. 12 Morrill Centenary. L. S.
- 1910 Sparr, E. E. Penn State College To James S. Morrill
Apr. 12 Invitation to commencement exercises as speaker. L. S.
- 1910 Etlund, R. C. Cornell University, Ithaca, New York To James
Apr 18 S. Morrill. Morrill Centenary. N. S.
- 1910 Adams, C. F. U. of Arkansas, Fayetteville, Ark. To James
Apr. 19 S. Morrill. Morrill Centenary exercises. L. S.
- 1910 Schmitt, Cooper D. U. of Tennessee. Morrill Centenary
Apr. 19 L. S.
- 1910 Stone, W. E. Purdue University. To Jas. Morrill. Encloses
Apr. 19 clippings from student paper on Morrill exercises. L. S.
- 1910 Angell, James B. Ann Arbor, Mich. To James S. Morrill
Apr. 19 Morrill Centenary. A. L. S.
- 1910 Buckham, M. H. Vermont University. To James S. Morrill.
Apr 20 Wish to see galley proof of address at Montpelier before making
final printing. A. L. S.
- 1910 Sparr, Edwin E. Penn State College, Pa. To Jas. Morrill.
Apr. 20 Morrill Centenary. L. S.
- 1910 Flackshear, E. L. Prairie View, Texas. Morrill Centenary
Apr 21 exercises. E. S.

- 1910 Walcott, Charles Smithsonian Institute, Washington, D. C.
Apr. 21 To James S. Morrill, Washington, D. C. Morrill Centenary.
L. S.
- 1910 Slagle, Robert, L. South Dakota State College Brookings, S. D.
Apr. 22 To James S. Morrill Morrill Centenary. L. S.
- 1910 Frissel, H. B. Hampton Normal, Virginia To James S.
Apr. 23 Morrill. Morrill Centenary. L. S.
- 1910 Davenport, Eugene University of Illinois. To James
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- 1910 Frissel, H. B. Hampton Normal, Virginia To James S.
Apr. ? Morrill?, Invitation to anniversary exercises. E. N. S.
- 1910 Waters, H. J. Kansas State Agricultural college. To James
May 3 S. Morrill. Received papers about Sen. Morrill's life. L. S.
- 1910 Sparr, Edwin, E. Penn State College, Pa. To James S.
May 16 Morrill. Repeats invitation to be commencement speaker.
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- 1910 Cramton, Helen A. Norwich University, Northfield, Vt. To
Sept. 2 Miss L. S. Swan, Strafford, Vt. Morrill Centenary. N. S.
- 1910 Edlund, R. C. Cornell University. To Miss L. S. Swan,
Sept. 17 Strafford, Vt. Morrill Centenary. L. S.
- 1910 Gibbs, W. D. New Hampshire College, Durham, N. H. To Miss
Sept. 19 Louise S. Swan. Morrill Centenary L. S.
- 1910 Price, H. C. Ohio State University To Miss Louise S. Swan.
Sept. 20 Morrill Centenary. L. S.
- 1910 Adams, C. F. University of Arkansas. To Miss L. S. Swan.
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- 1910 Schmitt, Cooper D. University of Tennessee. To Miss Louise
Sept. 26 S. Swan. Morrill Centenary. L. S.
- 1910 Webber, N. J. Cornell University. To Miss Louise S. Swan
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- 1910 Allen, Charles E. Burlington, Vt. To Miss Louise S. Swan.
Sept. 28 Strafford, Vt. Morrill Centenary. A. L. S.
- 1910 Batterfield, Kenyon L. Massachusetts Agricultural College
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- 1910 Hean, Clarence S. University of Wisconsin. To Miss Louise
Oct. 4 S. Swan. Morrill Centenary. L. S.
- 1910 Hodgkins, Mabel New Hampshire College. To Miss Louise S.
Oct. 6 Swan. Morrill Centenary. N. S.
- 1910 Rugg, H. C. Dartmouth College, Hanover, N. H. Morrill
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- Anthony, Susan, B. National Woman Suffrage Association. Thanks Sen. Morrill for representing women of republic. A. N. S.
- Barnes, Almont Vermont. Birthday poetry. A. D. S.
- Cornell, Ezra Requests copy of educational bill as passed by Senate. A. N. S.
- 1895 Durfee Sends basket of roses. A. N. S.
- Apr. 23 Edmunds, Susan, M. To Mrs. Morrill. Sends bathing tub. A. L. S.
- Fessenden Asks what has become of Army bill.
- Dec. 3 Gage, L. J. Treasury Department, office of Secretary. Sends copy of report of treasury department?, A. N. S.
- Garowski Hopes he will defeat scheme to make Sanford full minister to Belgium. Kesson, Sanford, and Seward will try to palm proposition of conference upon the House. A. L. S.
- March 26 Grant, Ulysses S., Gen. and Mrs. Unable to accept dinner invitation. A. L.
- Apr. 9 M. A. H. Strafford, Vt. Comments on Self-Consciousness. A. L.
- March 15 Hay, John Letter introducing Col. Leavitt Hunt. A. L. S.
- Howe, Julia Ward. Invitation to literary meeting. A. L. S.
- March 24 Hayes, R. B.? Washington, D. C. Accept dinner invitation. A. L.
- 1885 King, Horatio Birthday poetry. A. L. S.
- Apr. 14 Logan, J. G. A. Washington, D. C. Unable to attend birthday party. A. L. S.
- 1910 Lovejoy, Owen To L. L. Swan. Verse. A. N. S.
- 1891 Morrill, Justin S. To C. D. Drake, Washington, D. C. Unable to attend birthday party. A. L. S.
- Apr. 7 Morrill, J. S. Received birthday poetry. A. L.
- 1897 Peabody, George Has stalls at His Majesty's Opera for Sen. Morrill and G. G. Blaine. A. N. S.
- Ca Apr. 15 Miln, J. D. Pennington, N. J. Requests copy of Self-Consciousness. L. S.
- 1867 Phye, M. Washington, D. C. Speech lacked only presence of senator. A. L. S.
- June 7 Poore, Ben Perles Saw Sun correspondent; modified dispatch. (Newspaper clipping enclosed.) A. L. S.
- 1882 Robbins, Z. C. Birthday poetry. A. D. S.
- March 3 Sartoris, Nellie G. Invitation to opera house.
- Jan. 30 U. S. Senate, employees Testimonial letter; birthday wishes; present of vase.
- April 16 Thornton, Sir. Edward and Lady British Legation. Invitation to reception for Emperor and Empress of Brazil.
- 1890 Thornton, Lady Mary British Legation. Unable to attend birthday party. A. L. S.
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1853 Treasury Department Results of division of commerce and
Oct. 20 navigation never satisfactory until last spring when changes were made. Result when published in November will give department credit. Is taking place of Secretary until his return from Ohio. A. L. S.

1854 Washington, D. C. Has his letter and one from
Aug. 11 Morey(?) Will try to make arrangement beginning Sept. 1 but neither place can be dispensed with. Honest bookkeeper great protection to government. Might be improvement in organization of affairs in Congress if greater unity were given them, but personal claims always delay such legislation. At present there are too many subdivisions; each comparatively independent; uneconomical. Hard at work on book; will be on market in two weeks. Prepared smaller affair; send it to Raymond of National Committee to be printed. Confined to 38th Congress, but contains all leading points. A. L. S.

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Senator Justin S. Morrill Speeches

(Earle Johnson's notes)

1. Discourse before the "Union Debating Society, on Self-culture, Strafford, Vt., Dec. 11, 1844. Morrill stresses the equality of man, but those who wish to achieve honor and dignity can and should resort to "self-culture." The address is replete with copious historical examples and literary and Biblical allusions.
2. Sermon - "For every man shall bear his own burden" Gal. 6:2 - A general and particular truth. In part used to illustrate the unchristian character of slavery. Written to be read in 1846.
3. Speech at Wood stock, Vt., July 4, 1857. Patriotic
4. Address at St. Johnsbury, Vt. On the Culture of Man and Some of the Requisite Means. A plea for universal education, that it is the function of the State to undertake it. 1860.
5. Speech delivered at Woodstock, Vt. On Agriculture, delivered September 27, 1860. Emphasizes the scientific character of the farm and the farmer, the complete lack of knowledge and training of most farmers in these scientific necessity. Asserts there should be agricultural schools and colleges, provides liberally the National and State governments to fulfill this need. Both the public welfare and individual prosperity will thereby be increased.
6. Speech delivered in the House of Representatives, February 18, 1861. Morrill had dissented from both majority and minority reports of the Committee established to investigate the state of the Union. Morrill adopts a compromising position toward the South.
7. Speech on Agricultural Colleges, delivered to the House, June 6, 1862. Recommends passage of the bill, first to increase the taxable resources of the country, secondly to provide additional need of military schooling, thirdly because agricultural production was falling, particularly in the old states, and finally farmers would have more fitness for their duties.
8. Speech delivered at White River Junction, July 21, 1863, on the occasion of his 5th Nomination to Congress. Mostly political.
9. Agricultural Address, delivered October, 1865. On Agriculture - specifically on the condition of Vermont farming and the duties of Vermont farmers. The favored and excellent condition of Vermont farming and the duty of its farmers to acquaint themselves with requisite knowledge of Agriculture.
10. Speech delivered at Rutland, September 27, 1866. Nationalistic in tone, deprecating the aims and policies of European States, particularly Great Britain, and extolling the American way of life, with its emphasis on the school-house, the ballot-box, and freedom and equality for all.

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11. Report of Hon. J. S. Morrill and George F. Edmunds, Commissioners for Vermont. On the National Statuary Hall. Oct. 17, 1866. Recommending Ethan Allen and Senator Collamer to represent Vermont in the National Statuary Hall.
12. Address delivered at East Montpelier, Sept. 28, 1871. On the theme - The Fine Arts - A lengthy sketch of many of the great works of sculpture, painting and architecture of the ancient and Renaissance World and the period of the enlightenment. The purpose appearing to elevate the function of the Fine Arts in adding beauty, developing honor, dignity and patriotism, invoking piety in the lives of people. A strong emphasis on idealized art.
13. Speech of April 12, 1872, in the Senate of the U. S. on The Senator from North Carolina. He asserts the principle that the legislature of a state is the sole competent authority for electing senators; the Senate of the U. S. can only judge on the facts of the case, on whether the law has been observed and not whether a candidate was eligible as ineligible to be elected by that legislature.
Morrill then supports the legal right of the Democratic candidate as the only one eligible, much to his regret, to sit in the Senate.
14. Speech delivered at Barre, Vt., June 12, 1873. "On the Opportunities and Perils of Young Men in America" He surveys all the great institutions, natural resources and natural abilities of Americans, but warns that this may make Americans feel they can get along without the educational and cultural refinements of life.
15. Speech on National Colleges - 1873. In support of a bill introduced to take 500,000,000 acres of Public land to establish a national college in each of the States and territories.
16. Speech delivered at Rutland State Fair, 1874. Read again June 5, 1877. The rural areas are the promoters of the virtues of Americanism - the cities of filth and idleness - The great problem is to prevent the trend from country to city from continuing. Agriculture must be made more attractive. A discussion of certain problems important to agriculture: against Canadian Reciprocity, for state-rights and more learning for farmers.
17. A Speech in the Senate of the United States, on April 2, 1878. The topic "Pacific Railroads." It was his argument that the U. S. government should be a liberal creditor to Railroad Companies, but that Stockholders should not be too eager for present profits. The United States should exercise its jurisdiction to see that this is carried through.
18. Speech delivered in the U. S. Senate, March 17, 1882 on the subject of a Tariff and Tax Commission. Support the need for such a commission, but maintain it. Should be only fact-finding and not bill-preparing which is the prerogative of Congress alone. Then he launches into a rebuttal of his Democratic Colleagues from Arkansas and Kentucky on the value of protection.

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19. Speech delivered in the U. S. Senate - Dec. 8, 1881. On the tariff. The case against free trade - all the great statesmen of U. S. favored protection.
20. Speech in Senate of U. S., February 16, 1883 on the Japanese Indemnity Fund. He looked with disfavor on the fund.
21. Remarks on the Presentation of a Library Building by Morrill to the Town of Strafford, Vt., Sept. 22, 1883. Personal and local remarks.
22. Speech on the Mexican treaty in October, 1884. Opposed the treaty as it stood as unconstitutional. The Senate and the Executive by the terms of the treaty were usurping the right of the House to originate revenue bills.
23. Remarks on the Death of General Grant, made in the Baptist Church, Strafford, Vt., July 26, 1885. A eulogy on the qualities of Grant as a general and a leader. Exonerates him from any personal guilt or shame by his administration.
24. "Impolicy of an Excess of Silver Coinage," Speech delivered in the Senate of the U. S., Jan. 20, 1886. Denounces any great increase in silver coinage, beyond keeping it at par with gold. To do so, he says, will drive gold out of circulation. To accept a silver monometallism would invite serious econ. troubles to the U. S.
25. Address at Amherst Ag. College, Aug. 20, 1887. Defense of placing Agriculture and mechanics along side the literary arts.
26. Address in the State House, Montpelier, Vt., October 10, 1888 - State Aid to the U. S. Landgrant Colleges. A plea for state aid to Vermont University.
27. Address on "The Policy of an Eight-Hour Day", delivered in the Senate of the U. S. on February 6, 1891. Adverse - Most Americans work 10 hours per day and if the whole world restricted itself to 8 hours per day, we would all soon starve.
28. "Erratic National Tariff Platforms of the Democracy" written for the North American Review, September, 1892. Shows how far the present Democratic party has deviated from the protectionist principles of its founders.
29. Remarks made in the Senate of the U. S. on a United States Naval Observatory, June 11, 1894. Proposed to transfer responsibility from the Navy to the government.
30. Remarks on the presentation of his Portrait by Thomas W. Wood to the Vermont Hist. Society, Oct. 6, 1894.

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31. Remarks at the Banquet of the Vermont Legislative Recession, Oct. 4, 1895. Comments against any change in selecting U. S. Senators.
32. Remarks on Senator Anthony's decease, in U. S. Senate, Jan. 19, 1895.
33. Speech delivered in the Senate, June 2, 1896. Speech against democrats and those Republicans who favor a more liberal monitary policy.
34. Remarks made upon "a proposed site for the Supreme Court of the United States," Dec. 13, 1898. Suggests the site on the East front of the Senate corresponding to that occupied by the Congressional library on the East front of the House of Representatives.
35. Speech undated, delivered after 1892 and somewhat before 1896. Against the democratic trend for a tariff for revenue only.
36. An undated speech or essay on "England and English Criticism Touching America."
37. An undated address against a speech of President Elliot of Harvard. Morrill condemns his nation of Americans studying abroad. Not delivered.
38. An undated 4th of July speech delivered at Royalton, Vt. on the subject of the History of Vermont and its founders.
39. Undated speech on labor - asserts the responsibilities of employers, and the certain values of labor organizations, Inveighs against the widespread striking and boycott tactics of labor at this time.
40. Speech, undated, on the Silver Question, against any increase in silver circulation.
41. Speech, undated, to the U. S. Senate, against the annexation of the Hawaiian Is. argues that annexation would ruin ultimate demand for statehood and the inferior people of the islands would never have an equal status in Congress with the States of Mass., Virginia etc. Moreover detrimental to American interests to take on territories outside the Continental U. S.
42. Speech, undated, on National aid to common Schools and to National Colleges.
43. Undated speech on Land Grant Colleges, somewhere in Vermont.
44. Undated address on the Fine Arts and architecture, delivered at Strafford, Vt.
45. Speech, undated, on Vermont as a state to content her people.
46. Address at Stratford, Vt. on the Earl of Chatham, the Orator, the Statesman, and the Man.

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47. Undated speech on his acceptance of a sixth term in the U. S. Senate, delivered to the General Assembly of Vt.
48. Address, undated, delivered to the Franklin Co. Ag. Society - On the position and duties of Vermont, farmers. Similar to the speech of October, 1865, if not identical.
49. Article sent to the Independent, Oct., 1872. Political - an attack on the Democratic Party.
50. An undated silver speech, in rough copy, written some time after 1890. But it appears to be different from other speeches given on the same issue.
51. An undated speech to the Senate reporting on nine bills adversely decided by the Finance Committee, some interesting remarks on important labor leaders, etc.
52. Speech to the Senate, undated, on the decease of Senator Chandler.