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Gilbert Haven papers, 1873-1875

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Biographical Note
Gilbert Haven, Methodist bishop, author, and abolitionist, was born in Malden, Massachusetts, September 19, 1821; he died there on January 3, 1880. He entered the ministry of the Methodist Episcopal Church, N.E. Conference (1851), was elected to the episcopacy, and moved to Atlanta, Georgia (1872). He was an advocate of civil rights and was the author of six books and editor of many pamphlets and articles.

Scope and Content Note
The collection consists of a microfilm copy of the correspondence of Bishop Haven and Dr. Julius A. Skilton (U.S. Consul General in Mexico City) concerning Mexican missionary work, politics in Mexico and the United States, and social and political conditions in Atlanta, Georgia from 1873-1875.