

# Wesleyan collection, 1748-1916

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## Descriptive Summary

**Title:** Wesleyan collection, 1748-1916  
**Call Number:** Manuscript Collection No. 101  
**Extent:** .5 linear feet (1 box), 6 oversized bound volumes (OBV), and 1 oversized paper box (OP)  
**Abstract:** Papers relating to the Wesleyan Methodist Church and Conference in Great Britain from 1748-1916, including loose correspondence of Wesleyan Conference presidents and ministers.  
**Language:** Materials entirely in English.

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## Administrative Information

### Restrictions on Access

Unrestricted access.

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### Source

Purchase, 1911.

### Citation

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## Collection Description

### Scope and Content Note

The collection consists of papers relating to the Wesleyan Methodist Church and Conference in Great Britain from 1748-1916. The papers include loose correspondence of Wesleyan Conference presidents and ministers (1748-1916); bound volumes of correspondence; and broadsides, circular letters, and other printed materials (1759-1895). Three of the bound volumes, created to document the service of each Conference president, include a biographical

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sketch, a portrait, and a representative piece of their original correspondence. Two volumes contain the same type of materials documenting various Wesleyan ministers and one volume contains a variety of material relating to John Wesley. Each volume has some sort of index or contents page in the front of the volume directing the user to the exact page number in that volume for a particular item.

**Arrangement Note**

Unprocessed collection; roughly arranged by record type.

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## Container List

### Correspondence

Box	Folder	Content
1	1	1748-1794
1	2	1795-1805
1	3	1806-1810
1	4	1812-1815
1	5	1816-1820
1	6	1821-1825
1	7	1826-1832
1	8	1833-1840
1	9	1841-1845
1	10	1846-1856
1	11	1857-1864
1	12	1865-1870
1	13	1871-1877
1	14	1878-1884
1	15	1885-1916
1	16	Undated: A-H
1	17	Undated: I-R
1	18	Undated: S-Z
OP1	1	Oversized, 1789, 1813, 1818, 1822; Indenture, 1784
1	19	Charles Wesley to Thomas Coke, undated
1	20	Joseph Hutton, March 17, 1819 - October 4, 1830
1	21	Joseph Hutton, November 11, 1831 - November 6, 1840
1	22	Joseph Hutton, January 5, 1841 - October 26, 1861, undated
1	23	Anne Loxdale, 1794-1811
1	24	Elizabeth Ritchie, 1779-1780
1	25	William Tennent to Selina Hastings, Countess of Huntington, circa 1770 [photocopy]

### Correspondence: Bound volumes

OBV1	Collection of Autographed Letters and Portraits of the Presidents of the Wesleyan Methodist Conference, 1791-1906
OBV2	Collection of Autographed Letters and Portraits of the Presidents of the British Methodist Conference, 1791-1900
OBV3	Collection of Autographed Letters and Portraits of the Presidents of the British Methodist Conference, 1901-1931
OBV4	Wesleyan Ministers Letters and Portraits [includes index]

OBV5 Wesleyan Ministers Letters and Portraits [includes index]

OBV6 Wesley, etc. [mostly printed material relating to John Wesley and others]

**Other papers**

1 26 Photographs

1 27 Records, printed materials, 1787-1895

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