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Joseph Ellwood Macomber correspondence
1842-1867

OVERVIEW OF THE COLLECTION

Number: 094-02

Title: Joseph Ellwood Macomber correspondence

Creator: Macomber, Joseph
                 Hathaway, Margaret Macomber
                 Hathaway, Lorenzo

Dates: 1842-1867

Quantity: 1 folder (.8 linear feet)

ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Acquisition: Unknown.

Accruals: No accruals are expected.

Custodial history: Unknown.

Processed by: The collection was processed by Janaya Kizzie in 2012 as part of the RI
                    Manuscript Collection. Reprocessed as distinct collection by Kate Wells in
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Conservation: Not applicable.

Language: Materials are in English.

RIGHTS AND ACCESS

Access: This collection is open under the rules and regulations of the Providence
                    Public Library, Special Collections department.

Preferred Citation: Researchers are requested to use the following citation format:
                    Joseph Ellwood Macomber correspondence, Special Collections,
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INFORMATION FOR RESEARCHERS

Separated material   None.

Published description   Not applicable.

Location of originals   Not applicable.

Location of copies   Not applicable.

Publication note   Not applicable.

Subject headings   Macomber family.
Antislavery movements.
Quakers - Rhode Island.
Correspondence. lcgft

SEE ALSO
MSS 9001-M, Joseph Ellwood Macomber letter, Rhode Island Historical Society

HISTORICAL NOTE
Joseph Ellwood Macomber (1822-1906) was born in Vermont and moved to Rhode Island sometime before 1842. He lived the rest of his life in Portsmouth, Rhode Island as a farmer. He was a member of the Society of Friends.

SCOPE AND CONTENTS OF THE COLLECTION
The collection includes letters from family members to Joseph Ellwood Macomber from 1842-1867. The letters are primarily updates about friends and family matters, but several also contain references to abolitionist and temperance movements.

ORGANIZATION OF THE COLLECTION

Letters are arranged in a single folder.