

**Preliminary Inventory**  
**Mathematics Textbook Manuscripts, ca. 1830-50**  
**Collection Number: 1000-40**

Date: 1830-50, 1959

Number of containers: 1 volume

Brief description of collection:

The Mathematics Textbook Manuscripts consist of a handwritten mathematics textbook with a few drawings in the margins and correspondence tipped inside the cover regarding Wesleyan's acquisition of the Mathematics Textbook Manuscripts. Topics covered in the textbook include simple addition, addition of federal money, simple subtraction, subtraction of federal money, simple multiplication, application and use of multiplication, division of whole numbers, contradictions in division, compound addition, compound multiplication, compound division, reduction ascending and descending, fellowship, compound fellowship, fractions, interest, brokerage, discount, barter, loss and gain, etc.

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