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Mary Sturgis Correspondence

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Biographical Note: Mary Greene (Hubbard) Sturgis was the second wife of Russell Sturgis a merchant banker of Boston and London who was involved in the China trade. Mary was born in 1806 and died in 1837. Her son was John Hubbard Sturgis who studied architect design in England and Europe. He returned to Boston and designed the Museum of Fine Arts at its first location in what is now Copley Square as well as a number of town houses in the Back Bay.

Scope and Contents Note: The collection consists of 8 letters, six of which are numbered (1, 2, 4, 8, 17, 18) and two which are not. They are written to Russell Sturgis from Mary Sturgis.

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