

Author: Harrington, George, -1892.
Title: Papers of George Harrington, 1849-1891 (bulk 1862-1873).
Description: 64 pieces.
1 box.
Notes: George Harrington (1815-1892), Treasury official and diplomat. Harrington served as a clerk in the Treasury Department before being appointed chief clerk under his personal friend Salmon P. Chase. During the Civil War, he served as assistant secretary of the treasury. He was Grand Marhsall at the funeral of President Lincoln. In 1865-1869 he served as minister-resident to Switzerland, and in 1870-1876 he was president of Automatic Telegraph Co., New York. Personal and professional correspondence of George Harrington, chiefly letters addressed to him. Correspondents include Salmon P. Chase, William Pitt Fessednen, Edward Bates, John J. Cisco, and others. The letters discuss U.S. financial administration during the Civil War, New York and Maryland politics, and Harrington's personal and family affairs. Also included is Harrington's draft of the program of he funeral procession of Abraham Lincoln.
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Guide to American historical manuscripts in the Huntington Library (San Marino, Calif. : H.E. Huntington Library and Art Gallery, 1979).
Subjects: Bates, Edward, 1793-1869 -- Correspondence.
Chase, Salmon P. (Salmon Portland), 1808-1873 -- Correspondence.
Cisco, John J. -- Correspondence.
Fessenden, William Pitt, 1806-1869 -- Correspondence.
Harrington, George, -1892 -- Archives.
Lincoln, Abraham, 1809-1865 -- Death and burial.
United States. Department of the Treasury -- History -- Sources.
United States. Department of the Treasury -- Officials and employees -- Correspondence.
Diplomats -- United States -- Correspondence.
Politicians -- United States -- Correspondence.
Maryland -- Politics and government -- 19th century -- Sources.
New York (State) -- Politics and government -- 19th century.
United States -- Politics and government -- 1849-1877 -- Sources.
United States -- History -- 1849-1877 -- Sources.
United States -- History -- Civil War, 1861-1865 -- Finance -- Sources.
Letters (correspondence) -- United States -- 19th century. aat
Personal papers -- United States -- 19th century. aat

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