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Guide to the

**Letters from Samuel S. Elder to Katherine K. Peebles**

1861-1867

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## Summary

**Creator:** Elder, Samuel S., d. 1885

**Title:** Letters from Samuel S. Elder to Katherine K. Peebles

**Date:** 1861-1867

**Size:** .1 linear feet (1 volume)

**Abstract:** Twenty-six letters from Samuel S. Elder, Major, 1st Artillery Regiment, U. S. Army, to Mrs. Katherine K. Peebles (Mrs. Robert H.), dated January 1861-November 1864 and 1867 and sent to Peebles in New Castle, Pennsylvania. Letters discuss matters related to the Peebles family and their activities in and around New Castle, as well as military matters, chiefly in the northern Virginia campaigns of the American Civil War

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## Key Terms

### Geographic Names

New Castle (Pa.) -- Social life and customs -- 19th century

United States -- History -- Civil War, 1861-1865 -- Campaigns

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### Names

Elder, Samuel S., d. 1885

Peebles, Katherine K

Peoples family