Summary

Title: John William Hill correspondence and miscellany
Date: 1854-1879
Size: .1 linear feet (1 folder)

Abstract: Collection consists mainly of correspondence between British-born American painter John William (J.W.) Hill and various friends and family members, including Gordon Lester Ford and his wife, Emily Ellsworth (Fowler) Ford. Letters discuss social and family matters, as well as the creation and sale of his work. Also included are canceled checks, receipts, order slips from the Brooklyn Art Association, a biographical note, and clippings, largely related to Hill's death in 1879

Access: Advance notice required.

Physical Location: MssCol 4447

Preferred citation: John William Hill correspondence and miscellany, Manuscripts and Archives Division, The New York Public Library

Custodial History
Material was originally received as part of the Ford collection.

Key Terms

Occupations
Artists

Genre/Physical Characteristic
Clippings
Notes

**Names**
Ford, Emily Ellsworth (Fowler), 1826-1893
Ford, Gordon Lester, 1823-1891
Hill, J. W. (John William), 1812-1879
Ford collection