

**Series 14. Elizabeth Brown Chew (1863-1958), 1867-1958, undated, (Boxes 597-624)**

**A. Accounts**

This subseries primarily contains records of Elizabeth Brown Chew's personal account with Girard Trust, documented through account statements and checkbook stubs. Among the more unique items include records of how Elizabeth spent checks she cashed from 1933 to 1936 and papers pertaining to the settling of the estates for David Sands Brown and Mary J. B. Chew. There are also reports from the treasurer of the Radnor Realty Company and records of Elizabeth's investments and contributions through the law office of Scott & Burton. Additional material includes a variety of bills and receipts; scattered records property tax records, and miscellaneous material, among which is a 1921 treasurer's report from the Gloucester Land Company. This subseries also contains one volume in Box 605: a scrapbook in which Elizabeth placed her tax bills from the years 1901 to 1926.

Account book	(1956)		Box 597	Ff 1
Bills and receipts	(1921-1945, undated)		Box 597	Ff 2
David Sands Brown estate – financial papers	(1886-1942)		Box 597	Ff 3
Cash spent	(1933-1936) – folder 1		Box 597	Ff 4
Cash spent	(1933-1936) – folder 2		Box 597	Ff 5
Mary J. B. Chew estate – financial papers	(1927-1929)		Box 597	Ff 6
Correspondence	(1941, 1944-1946, 1948-1953)		Box 597	Ff 7
Girard Trust – personal finances	(1929-1940)		Box 597	Ff 8-10
Girard Trust – personal finances	(1938-1940)		Box 598	Ff 1-2
Girard Trust checkbook	(1943-1944)		Box 598	Ff 3
Girard Trust – reports of assets	(1940, 1945, 1946)		Box 598	Ff 4
Ground rents	(1924, 1937)		Box 598	Ff 5
Items removed from Girard Trust checkbook (Box 598)	(1943-1944) – folder 1		Box 598	Ff 6
Items removed from Girard Trust checkbook (Box 598)	(1944) – folder 2		Box 598	Ff 7
Items removed from tax bills scrapbook (Box 605)	(1907-1926)		Box 598	Ff 8

Miscellaneous	(1921-1934, undated)		Box 598	Ff 9
Property taxes/assessments	(1923-1924, 1952)		Box 599	Ff 1
Radnor Realty Company treasurer's reports	(1921-1924)		Box 599	Ff 2
Scott & Burton	(1928-1939)		Box 599	Ff 3
Tax bills scrapbook	(1901-1926)		Box 605	

### B. Chew Trust

This subseries consists solely of copies of reports and statements from and pertaining to the Chew Trust between roughly 1922 and 1942. During this time, family members acting as agents for the trust included Oswald Chew, Benjamin Chew, Elizabeth Brown Chew, Anne Sophia Penn Chew Alston, and David Sands Brown Chew. The reports reveal, in relative detail, discussion between various family members concerning, in particular, land transactions. The statements spell out, in financial terms, the trust's incomes, expenses, and investments (in real estate and other companies).

Reports & statements	(1922-1933)		Box 599	Ff 4-9
Reports & statements	(1934-1942)		Box 600	Ff 1-9

### C. Cliveden

This small subseries consists of seven folders and two volumes. Among the scant materials are a few bills and receipts for repairs to Cliveden's interiors; a small group of miscellaneous correspondence; two folders of clippings relaying stories about the house, its history, and the Chew family generally; a few inventories of the house's furnishings, as well as some of Elizabeth's own possessions; and a folder of invoices and correspondence from the early 1950s when the house underwent renovations. There are also two guestbooks (Boxes 606 & 607) in which Elizabeth kept track of all of Cliveden's visitors from 1922 to 1960.

Bills and receipts	(1932, 1937, 1945)		Box 601	Ff 1
Clippings	(1913-1953)		Box 601	Ff 2
Clippings [formerly a scrapbook]	(1926-1931)		Box 601	Ff 3
Correspondence	(1932-1952)		Box 601	Ff 4
Guestbook	(1922-1935)		Box 606	
Guestbook	(1934-1960)		Box 607	
Inventories	(1917-1960)		Box 601	Ff 5
Items removed from Box 607 [Guestbook, 1934-1960]	(1940, 1941, 1949, undated)		Box 601	Ff 6
Renovations	(1953)		Box 601	Ff 7

#### D. Correspondence

In this subseries are letters received by Elizabeth Brown Chew from the late 1870s to the mid 1950s. There are several groups of letters from various family members, notably her mother, Mary Johnson Brown Chew, and sister, Anne Sophia Penn Chew Alston. In such letters, researchers will find few insights outside of general observations about family and friends. Although contained with one letter from Jeannie L. Chew of Falls Church, Virginia, is a brief family tree showing her descendants, who branched off from the recognized line at Benjamin Chew's (1671-1700) older brother Samuel (1660-1781).

Among the non-family members is an interesting selection of letters signed by an individual using the initials "C. K. B," who apparently was quite fond of Elizabeth. "Will you ever come to know how really precious you are to me?" he asked in a letter dated November 25, 1892. Beyond his professions of love, this gentleman seemed to be well-versed in Philadelphia's societal and political happenings. In these few letters he offered keen insights into several current events of the late 1800s, including the 118<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Philadelphia First Troop, which he attended, and the 1892 presidential election. On 3 May 1893, he discussed Boies Penrose's possible run for mayor of Philadelphia." Boies is talked of as the next mayor of Philadelphia," he noted, "but there are many others who are ambitious in this direction too, + as the nomination is a long ways off yet, many changes make[sic] take place in the shuffling of the political cards."

Researchers will find several letters from various individuals that date from Elizabeth's time in London around 1913. Groups of letters from family and friends have been accordingly filed under those individuals. Single letters have been arranged together and filed as "miscellaneous [letters] to EBC in London."

Anne Sophia Penn Chew [Alston] to EBC	(1880-1928, undated)		Box 601	Ff 8
C. K. B to EBC	(1892-1893)		Box 601	Ff 9
Martha Breed to EBC	(1937)		Box 601	Ff 10
Martha Morris Brown to EBC	(1913, undated)		Box 601	Ff 11
Alice Butler to EBC	(1913, undated)		Box 601	Ff 12
Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Chew to EBC	(Jan., Feb. 1950)		Box 601	Ff 13
Benjamin Chew to EBC	(Nov. 14, 1935)		Box 601	Ff 14
David Sands Brown Chew to EBC	(1876, 1913)		Box 601	Ff 15
Jeannie L. Chew to EBC	(Apr.-June 1952)		Box 601	Ff 16
Mary Johnson Brown Chew to EBC	(1875-1913, undated)		Box 601	Ff 17
Oswald Chew to EBC	(June 16, 1947)		Box 601	Ff 18
Samuel Chew to EBC	(Aug. 1878)		Box 601	Ff 19
Walter Christie to EBC	(June 6, 1930)		Box 601	Ff 20

M. E. Coles to EBC	(1914, 1915)		Box 601	Ff 21
A. H. Cresson to EBC	(Mar. 13, 1896)		Box 601	Ff 22
Joseph Downs to EBC	(Jan. 10, 1951)		Box 601	Ff 23
Henry Wilder Foote to EBC	(Feb. 9, 1949)		Box 601	Ff 24
Andrew Hepburn to EBC	(Oct. 23, 1953)		Box 601	Ff 25
Edward Hocker to EBC	(Aug. 20, 1927)		Box 601	Ff 26
William R. Howard to EBC	(1888)		Box 601	Ff 27
Martha M. Johnson to EBC	(Aug. 5, 1881)		Box 601	Ff 28
Donald Miller to EBC	(Aug. 16, 1952)		Box 601	Ff 29
Miscellaneous	(1871-1893, 1903, undated)		Box 601	Ff 30
Miscellaneous to EBC in London	(1913)		Box 602	Ff 1
Edward DeVeaux Morrell to EBC	(1875)		Box 602	Ff 2
Harrison S. Morris to EBC	(June 25, 1928)		Box 602	Ff 3
H. A. Ogden to EBC	(Oct. 4, 1927)		Box 602	Ff 4
James Rodney to EBC	(Sept. 3, 1889)		Box 602	Ff 5
David Chew Stephenson to EBC	(1953-1954, undated)		Box 602	Ff 6
William Sawitzky to EBC	(Apr. 21, 1934)		Box 602	Ff 7
Valley Green Inn Association to EBC	(July 28, 1932)		Box 602	Ff 8
Edward Valpy to EBC	(1900, 1904)		Box 602	Ff 9
David Van Pelt to EBC	(Feb. 21, 1949)		Box 602	Ff 10
Wayne Iron Works to EBC	(May 16, 1932)		Box 602	Ff 11
Western Union Telegraph Co. to EBC	(July 26, 1928)		Box 602	Ff 12
S. Davis Wilson to EBC	(July 9, 1937)		Box 602	Ff 13
Owen Wister to EBC	(Apr. 4, 1938)		Box 602	Ff 14
“Women of the Vicinity” to EBC	(Apr. 14, 1932)	[Complaint letter]	Box 602	Ff 15

### **E. Diaries, calendars, scrapbooks**

At the beginning of this subseries are several small diaries Elizabeth kept between 1882 and 1928 (several years are missing). In them, she recounted each day’s events in entries that ranged from brief, “The Shobers—lots of fun, very nice—” [July 7, 1883], to detailed, “Anne, Robbie, + I [in town?] in morn – I missed my train coming out – Anne to Mrs. Wisters – Robby + I were going

[ride?] but it rained – talking + reading in library” [Oct. 2, 1887]. This series also contains a postcard album and two scrapbooks, one of which contains early twentieth century inventories of items at both Cliveden and 1716 Walnut Street. Loose material from diaries, album, and scrapbooks have been foldered and removed to Box 602.

Pocket Diaries	(1882-1885)		Box 608	
Diaries	(1887-1890)		Box 609	
Diaries	(1891, 1893)		Box 610	
Diaries and prayer book	(1867, 1892, 1898)		Box 611	
Diaries/calendars	(1912-1913)		Box 612	
Diary	(1928)		Box 613	
Items removed from Box 613 [Diary, 1928]	(1928, undated)		Box 602	Ff 16
Items removed from Box 614 [Postcard album, 1906]	(1911, undated)		Box 602	Ff 17
Items removed from Box 615 [Scrapbook, ca. 1876-1887]	(1886-1889, undated)		Box 602	Ff 18
Items removed from Box 616 [Scrapbook, ca. 1902-1938]	(ca. 1915-1938, undated)		Box 602	Ff 19
Personal calendar	(1932)		Box 602	Ff 20
Postcard album	(1906)		Box 614	
Scrapbook	(ca. 1876-1887)		Box 615	
Scrapbook	(ca. 1902-1958)	[Includes inventories of Cliveden and 1716 Walnut St.]	Box 616	

## F. Miscellaneous

Among the material in this subseries are several of Elizabeth’s address books, ephemera, miscellaneous legal papers, a record book of cricket matches, bible study notes, and a book of inventories of the Chew’s residence at 1716 Walnut Street. There is also a folder of copies of agreements and correspondence between members of the Chew family and Burton Alva Konkle, who produced a biography of Benjamin Chew (1722-1810) in 1932. Other highlights in the subseries include three folders of clippings from the 1860s to the 1950s, in which are reported a range of local and national events, as well as various occurrences (marriages, deaths, etc.) in the Chews’ lives.

Address book	(ca. 1895)		Box 619	
Address book	(ca. 1910)		Box 618	

Address book	(December 1911)		Box 620	
Address book	(ca. 1930)		Box 621	
Brochure—Société des Voyages et Hôtels...au Maroc, en Algérie, en Tunisie, au Sahara	(1926-1927)		Box 603	Ff 1
Chew biography project – Burton A. Konkle	(1924-1950)		Box 603	Ff 2
Clippings – Chews and related families	(1916-1958, undated)		Box 603	Ff 3
Clippings – local and regional events	(1896-1932, undated)		Box 603	Ff 4
Clippings – national and international events	(ca. 1867-1869)		Box 603	Ff 5
Items removed from Box 622 [Inventory book, 1893-1902]	(1889, 1927, undated)		Box 603	Ff 6
Items removed from Box 623 [Records of cricket matches, 1878-1885]	(ca. 1878-1885, undated)		Box 603	Ff 7
Inventory book – 1716 Walnut Street	(1893-1902)		Box 622	
Legal	(1922-1953)		Box 603	Ff 8
London ephemera	(1913, undated)		Box 603	Ff 9
Miscellaneous	(ca. 1889-1952, undated) – folder 1		Box 603	Ff 10-11
New Testament scripture study notes	(undated)		Box 617	
Portfolio w/ loose papers and ephemera	(1881, 1903, 1908, undated)		Box 604	
Printed material	(1873-1958, undated)		Box 603	Ff 12
Records of cricket matches	(1878-1885)		Box 623	
Records of dinner invitations	(1902-1913)		Box 624	

**Series 15. Oswald Chew (1880-1950), 1887-1953, undated, (Boxes 625-630)**

**A. Accounts**

This subseries consists almost solely of checkbooks in which are records Oswald's accounts with Girard Trust Company and the Pennsylvania Company. Although he may have collected most of these records while working with the Chew Estate Office, they have been placed together in this subseries because that delineation is unclear. Many of the Girard Trust checks were commissions paid to real estate agents or dues to repairmen in connection with various properties owned by the Chews, such as Maidstone, Willow Spring, and Boathouse (Marion, MA). However the Pennsylvania Company however, appear to be of a more personal nature, with most of them having gone to membership dues and general purchases.

First Camden National Bank (w/ John T. Chew)	(September 1943-April 1951)		Box 628	
Girard Trust checkbook	(February 1939-March 1941)		Box 628	
Girard Trust checkbook	(March 1941-May 1942)		Box 628	
Girard Trust checkbook	(June 1942-May 1944)		Box 628	
Girard Trust checkbook	(May 1944-July 1946)		Box 628	
Girard Trust checkbook	(July 1946-September 1949)		Box 628	
Girard Trust checkbook	(October-November 1949)		Box 628	
Girard Trust Company	(1946-1949)		Box 625	ff. 1
Pennsylvania Company checkbook	(April 1940-January 1941)		Box 628	
Pennsylvania Company checkbook	(January-October 1941)		Box 628	
Pennsylvania Company checkbook	(October 1941-June 1942)		Box 629	
Pennsylvania Company checkbook	(June 1942-March 1943)		Box 629	
Pennsylvania Company checkbook	(March-December 1943)		Box 629	

Pennsylvania Company checkbook	December 1943-July 1944)		Box 629	
Pennsylvania Company checkbook	(July 1944-March 1945)		Box 629	
Pennsylvania Company checkbook	(March-December 1945)		Box 629	
Pennsylvania Company checkbook	(December 1945-July 1946)		Box 629	
Pennsylvania Company checkbook	(July 1946-February 1947)		Box 630	
Pennsylvania Company checkbook	(October 1947-March 1948)		Box 630	
Pennsylvania Company checkbook	(March-November 1948)		Box 630	
Pennsylvania Company checkbook	(November 1948-August 1949)		Box 630	
Pennsylvania Company checkbook	(August-December 1949)		Box 630	
Marion, Massachusetts accounts	(1948)		Box 625	ff. 2

## B. Cliveden property

Material in this subseries shows the evolution and sale of Cliveden's property mostly during the 1930s and 1940s. The Cliveden estate once covered a wide swath of land in Germantown, Philadelphia, from Chew Avenue to Germantown Avenue, north and south and Upsal (now East Upsal) Street to Duval (now East Duval) Street, east to west. Beginning in about the 1880s, the family began selling of various portions of the land. Oswald's papers specifically highlight land dealing on Duval, Magnolia, and Johnson streets; and more generally, show how a few plots were renovated, sold, and built into a playground, apartment complex, and public park. There are legal and financial records, correspondence from lawyers and contactors, a few clippings, and folder of maps showing how and between who the land was divided.

Clippings	(1910, 1940)		Box 625	ff. 3
Correspondence	(1921-1953)	[bulk 1930-1946]	Box 625	ff. 4
Duval Street lots	(1939-1940, 1948, 1950, undated)		Box 625	ff. 5



Legal (deeds, affidavit, bonds, and mortgages)	(1900, 1928, 1939, 1948, undated)		Box 625	ff. 6
Magnolia and Johnson streets lot	(1945-1946)		Box 625	ff. 7
Maps and blueprints (fragile!)	(1897, ca. 1930, undated)		Box 625	ff. 8
Miscellaneous bills, receipts, and other financial records	(1930-1947)		Box 625	ff. 9
Miscellaneous notes	(ca. 1930-ca. 1940)		Box 625	ff. 10
Playground lot at Morton, Johnson, Magnolia, and Duval streets	(1947-1948)		Box 625	ff. 11

### C. Correspondence and miscellaneous

Most of the material in this series pertains to the Chew family's donation of papers to the Historical Society of Pennsylvania (HSP) in the 1940s. In addition to general forms and correspondence between family members about the terms of the donation, there is also a copy of an essay on Cliveden written by Elizabeth Brown Chew in 1937, various inventories of the papers (those generated by the family, as well as those given to HSP), and a copy of a memo written by Hampton L. Carson of HSP in 1923 regarding the papers of Chief Justice Benjamin Chew. There is also a copy of "recommendations for organizing the Chew papers." The author of the recommendation is unknown; however, there is a reference to the Independence National Historic Park, indicating that they may have been written by a related staff member.

Beyond this small group of materials, this subseries also contains a folder of family letters, a mostly empty Radnor Realty stock certificate book, and Oswald Chew's Croix de Guerre award for his service to France during World War I.

Chew papers at HSP – essay on Cliveden, Chew family genealogy	(1937, undated)		Box 626	ff. 1
Chew papers at HSP – family correspondence and authorization forms	(1943, 1946, 1947)		Box 626	ff. 2
Chew papers at HSP – lists of material to be given generated from the family	(1935, 1947, undated)		Box 626	ff. 3
Chew papers at HSP – memorandum and recommendations	(1923, undated)		Box 626	ff. 4

Chew papers at HSP – miscellaneous	(1933, 1935, 1941, undated)		Box 626	ff. 5
Chew papers at HSP – receipts and inventories	(1947)		Box 626	ff. 6
Croix de Guerre award for gallantry	(1918)		Box 626	ff. 7
Family letters	(1887, 1910-1915, undated)		Box 626	ff. 8
Miscellaneous	(1899, 1929, 1966, undated)		Box 626	ff. 9
Radnor Realty stock certificate book	(1940-1943)		Box 626	ff. 10

#### **D. Estate**

In this subseries are papers from three family estates in which Oswald Chew was involved: his brother, Benjamin Chew (1878-1938); his sister, Elizabeth Brown Chew (and others); and his father, Samuel Chew (1832-1887). Oswald's papers concerning Benjamin Chew's estate consist of correspondence from various legal and accounting offices that primarily document the sale of lands and securities. There is also one folder of letters from the Chew Estate Office, as well as a few letters from Oswald to Benjamin's widow, Anne T. Chew. Additionally, in Box 626 folder 17, there are papers concerning the commercial and railroad development of lands associated with the family's "Vanor" estate.

Following these papers are two folders of material from the Towson National Bank (Maryland). The Towson account was apparently passed down through several family members (including Mary J. B. Chew, David Sands Brown Chew, and Anne Sophia Penn Chew Alston) until it was overseen by Oswald as the acting family agent. There is one folder of account statements and miscellaneous financial papers, as well as a checkbook.

The final group of materials consists of papers pertaining to the Samuel Chew estate. Most of the material is financial in nature and primarily documents the estate's assets and expenditures during the 1920s and the early 1940s. There is also a small selection of mostly legal and financial correspondence, inventories of the estate, various administrative documents conceding the distribution of the estate, and copies of Samuel Chew's will. In addition, there are typed notes from the diary of David S. B. Chew from October 1927 to February 1928, which were probably garnered because they contained information on the estate, including financial transactions and land interests. Related materials can be found in series 24, Chew Estate Office.

Benjamin Chew (1878-1938) estate – Barnes, Biddle & Myers correspondence	(1938-1939)		Box 626	ff. 11
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Benjamin Chew (1878-1938) estate – Chew estate Office correspondence	(1938-1941)		Box 626	ff. 12
Benjamin Chew (1878-1938) estate – Duane, Morris & Heckscher correspondence	(1938-1940)		Box 626	ff. 13
Benjamin Chew (1878-1938) estate – Girard Trust Company correspondence	(1925, 1938- 1943)		Box 626	ff. 14
Benjamin Chew (1878-1938) estate – Montgomery & McCracken correspondence	(1938-1939, 1940)		Box 626	ff. 15
Benjamin Chew (1878-1938) estate – Oswald Chew to Anne T. Chew	(1938-1939, 1942)		Box 626	ff. 16
Benjamin Chew (1878-1938) estate – Radnor estate, commercial property, railroad	(1938, 1939)		Box 626	ff. 17
Benjamin Chew (1878-1938) estate – Scott & Burton correspondence	(1938-1939, 1940, undated)		Box 626	ff. 18
Miscellaneous – Towson National Bank checkbook	(June 1931- September 1946)		Box 627	ff. 1
Miscellaneous – Towson National Bank accounts	(1935-1944)		Box 627	ff. 2
Samuel Chew (1832-1887) estate—accounts and lists of securities	(ca. 1927- ca.1929, n.d)		Box 627	ff. 3
Samuel Chew (1832-1887) estate – Adjudication	(1929)		Box 627	ff. 4
Samuel Chew (1832-1887) estate – Administrative documents concerning distribution of the estate	(1925-1930, undated)		Box 627	ff. 5
Samuel Chew (1832-1887) estate – Bank statements	(1936-1941, bulk 1937-1940)		Box 627	ff. 6
Samuel Chew (1832-1887) estate – Correspondence	(1926, 1940- 1941, undated)		Box 627	ff. 7
Samuel Chew (1832-1887) estate – Girard Trust quarterly statements	(1925-1927)		Box 627	ff. 8

Samuel Chew (1832-1887) estate – Inventories and appraisals	(1927-1928)		Box 627	ff. 9
Samuel Chew (1832-1887) estate – Miscellaneous	(ca. 1920, 1940-1941, undated)		Box 627	ff. 10
Samuel Chew (1832-1887) estate – Notes from the diary of David S. B. Chew, October 1927-February 1928	March 20, 1929		Box 627	ff. 11
Samuel Chew (1832-1887) estate – Opinions concerning 1923 ground rent deed to Samuel D. and Jacob D. Lit	(1925)		Box 627	ff. 12
Samuel Chew (1832-1887) estate – Receipts & disbursements/ principal statements	(1925, 1928, 1941, 1944)		Box 627	ff. 13
Samuel Chew (1832-1887) estate – Schedules of distribution	(1941, undated)		Box 627	ff. 14
Samuel Chew (1832-1887) estate – Wills [copies]	(undated)		Box 627	ff. 15

**Series 16. David Sands Brown Chew (1866-1934), 1800-1953, undated, (Boxes 631-648)**

David Sands Brown Chew was the eldest son of Mary Johnson Brown and Samuel Chew. After graduating from the University of Pennsylvania Law School, Chew established his own private practice in Philadelphia, where he became involved in city politics. He was a member of the First Troop of Philadelphia City Cavalry, and a long time member of the Pennsylvania National Guard.

This series consists of three boxes and fifteen volumes and primarily covers three aspects of David Sands Brown Chew's life: business interests, life in the military, and political involvement with the Republican Party in Philadelphia. A smaller group of materials document David's personal life, which include journals, genealogical research, school papers, scrapbooks, printed materials, and newspaper clippings.

The accounts records contain documents related to David Sands Brown Chew's involvement with some of his grandfather's companies (Gloucester Iron Works, Ancona Printing, and Gingham Mills). David's business papers pertain to Radnor Realty, a real estate company he ran out of the Commercial Trust Building in Philadelphia. Papers related to his interests in the development of the Delaware River wharves can be found in Box 645, Folder 5 (Business papers-dredging). The majority of his papers related to business matters are in the volumes, which include journals, minutes, record books, transfer books, checkbooks, stock reports, and ledgers related to the Radnor Realty Company.

Correspondence during the years 1870 to 1889 is mostly between David Sands Brown Chew and family members (his mother Mary Johnson Brown, sister Anne Sophia Penn Chew, and brother Samuel Chew). Letters from years 1890 to 1899 describe business matters and issues related to the Chew estate.

The military files depict in detail various duties performed by Major Chew while serving as ordinance officer, chairman of military transportation, quartermaster, and acting inspector of rifle practice (First Brigade, National Guard, Philadelphia). The political files contain documents related to David Sands Brown Chew's political activism; materials in this group document his membership in Philadelphia's 8<sup>th</sup> Ward Republican Party and his role as financial officer for Republican senator Boies Penrose. There are also letters related to his service as both a councilman for the city of Philadelphia and as a member of the State House of Representatives in Harrisburg.

Accounts--Financial report--cash statement	(1905)		Box 645	ff.1
Accounts--Financial report--Treasure's report [Gloucester Iron Works]	(1906)		Box 645	ff.2
Accounts--Stock	(1852-1902)		Box 645	ff.3
Business papers--Brochure--Radnor Realty Co.--Willow Burn [Villa Nova]	(undated)		Box 645	ff.4

Business papers--Dredging	(1896-1898, undated)		Box 645	ff.5
Correspondence	(1870-1918, undated)		Box 645	ff.6-10
Estate--Real Estate in the Chew Trust	(1934)		Box 645	ff.11
Legal--Ordinances and resolutions	(1895, undated)		Box 645	ff.12
Legal--The Trades League of Philadelphia	(1897)		Box 645	ff.13
Memos and notes--calculations, newspaper clippings, documents related to wharves	(1894-1898, undated)	[include copies of newspaper clippings, original discarded due to brittleness]	Box 645	ff.14
Military files	(1895-1901)		Box 645	ff.15-20
Military files	(1895-1931)		Box 646	ff.1-6
Military files--First Troop Philadelphia City Cavalry	(1889-1930)		Box 646	ff.7
Genealogy	(1895, undated)		Box 646	ff.8
Journals	(1883-1884)		Box 646	ff.9
Political files	(1894-1931, undated)		Box 646	ff.10-13
Political files	(1894-1931, undated)		Box 648	ff.1-4
Political files--certifications	(1895-1898)		Box 648	ff.5
Political files--Engravings--Stewart, Penrose [political candidates]	(1906, undated)		Box 648	ff.6
Political files—Republican Party, 8 <sup>th</sup> Ward	(1897)		Box 648	ff.7
Volumes--Trustees Improvement—Journal	(1922-1937)	[items have been removed]	Box 631	

Volumes--Items removed from Box 631 [Trustees Improvement—Journal]	(1922-1937)		Box 648	ff.8
Volumes--Trustees Improvement/Radnor Realty Co.--Ledger	(1922-1936)	[items have been removed]	Box 632	
Volumes--Items removed from Box 632 [Trustees Improvement/Radnor Realty Co.—Ledger]	(1922-1936)		Box 648	ff.9
Volumes--Trustees Improvement/Radnor Realty Co.--Cashbook	(1922-1937)	[items have been removed]	Box 633	
Volumes--Items removed from Box 633[Trustees Improvement/Radnor Realty Co.—Cashbook]	(1922-1937)		Box 648	ff.10
Volumes--Radnor Realty Co.--Cashbook	(1923-1934)	[items have been removed]	Box 634	
Volumes--Items removed from Box 634[Radnor Realty Co.—Cashbook]	(1923-1934)		Box 648	ff.11
Volumes--Radnor Realty Co.--Ledger	(1937-1948)	[items have been removed]	Box 635	
Volumes--Items removed from Box 635[Radnor Realty Co.—Ledger]	(1937-1948)		Box 648	ff.12
Volumes--Radnor Realty Co.--Ledger	(1912-1923)	[items have been removed]	Box 636	
Volumes--Items removed from Box 636 [Radnor Realty Co.—Ledger]	(1912-1923)		Box 648	ff.13
Volumes--Radnor Realty Co.--Ledger	(1923-1937)	[items have been removed]	Box 637	
Volumes--Items removed from Box 637 [Radnor Realty Co.—Ledger]	(1923-1937)		Box 648	ff.14
Volumes--Commercial Trust Company--Checkbook	(1922-1938)	[items have been removed]	Box 647	
Volumes--Items removed from Box 647 [Radnor Realty Co.—Ledger]	(1922-1937)		Box 648	ff.15
Volumes--Radnor Realty Co.--Minutes	(1917-1947)		Box 638	

Volumes--Radnor Realty Co.-- Journal	(1934-1948)	[items have been removed]	Box 639	
Volumes--Items removed from Box 639 [Radnor Realty Co.— Ledger]	(1934-1948)		Box 648	ff.16
Volumes--Radnor Realty Co.-- Record Book/Transfer Book/Stockholders ledger	(1912-1943)	[items have been removed]	Box 640	
Volumes--Items removed from Box 640 [Radnor Realty Co.-- Record Book/Transfer Book/Stockholders ledger]	(1912-1943)		Box 648	ff.17
Volumes--Radnor Realty Co.-- Cashbook	(1912-1923)		Box 641	
Volumes--Radnor Realty Co.-- Cashbook	(1934-1943)	[items have been removed]	Box 642	
Volumes--Items removed from Box 642 [Radnor Realty Co.— Cashbook]	(1934-1943)		Box 648	ff.18
Volumes--Radnor Realty Co.-- Cashbook	(1944-1948)		Box 643	
Volumes--Stock certificate books-- Gloucester Land Company/ Radnor Realty Co.	(1912-1953)		Box 644	
Miscellaneous--“The Daily Pennsylvanian” [January 5 <sup>th</sup> ]	(1886)		Box 648	ff.19
Miscellaneous--Printed materials-- Benjamin Chew’s will, “The Red Rover”, Alexander Hamilton’s confidential letter to Robert Morris	(1888, undated)		Box 648	ff.20
Miscellaneous--Program--Annual Ball--David S.B. Chew Club	(1898)		Box 648	ff.21
Miscellaneous--School papers	(1886-1875)	[University of Pennsylvania]	Box 648	ff.22
Miscellaneous--Scrapbook	(1883-1886)		Box 648	ff.23
Miscellaneous--Topographical map of property in Radnor Township	(1920)	<b>[oversize]</b> Milton R. Yerkes, C.E.	Flat file	208



Miscellaneous--Topographical map of property of David S. Brown Chew [Radnor Township, Delaware County]	(1920)	<b>[oversize]</b> Milton R. Yerkes, C.E.	Flat file	212
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## Series 17. Other Family Members, 1734-1983, undated, (Boxes 649-696)

### A. Benjamin Chew of Epsom (1830-1885)

Benjamin Chew of Epsom was one of the sons of Henry B. Chew and Harriet Ridgley. From 1864 to 1865, he worked for his father in various Pennsylvania counties; he was in charge of overseeing the surveying process of lands belonging to Benjamin Chew Jr.'s estate, as well as finding potential buyers for them. Business strategies are discussed throughout the correspondence between father and son, notably there are some letters that discussed the discovery of coal in Crawford, Fulton and other Pennsylvania counties.

Pocket diaries from years 1857 to 1884 contain notes and appointments, both business and personal. Some folders house memos, notes, and maps concerning real estate ventures in Chicago, and investments with an iron and coal company in Ohio. The accounts section contains documents about personal expenses (shoes, wine, etc), receipts, and statements related to taxes in Baltimore, Philadelphia, and Germantown Township; and papers with details about bank accounts and stock matters. Most of the correspondence is either between Benjamin Chew of Epsom and agents for the Chew estate, or with Chew family members. The volumes in this subseries consist of journals and diaries with detailed entries about business affairs and personal appointments.

Among the papers not related to business matters, there is a folder with documents related to Freemasonry, including rules and bylaws, and a registry of lodges in the state of Pennsylvania.

Accounts--Burk and Zell	(1872-1878)		Box 649	ff.1
Accounts--Coal [Philadelphia, Amieville]	(1861-1883, undated)		Box 649	ff.2
Accounts--Estate, stocks, securities	(1871, undated)		Box 649	ff.3
Accounts--Germantown Township--Poor tax	(1872-1885)		Box 649	ff.4
Accounts--booklet and papers in account with Robert Hare Powell	(1870)		Box 649	ff.5
Accounts--horses and carriages	(1871-1881)		Box 649	ff.6
Accounts--Mageosh and Carnahan [tailors]	(1873-1877, undated)		Box 649	ff.7
Accounts--account books with Merchant National bank	(1866, undated)		Box 649	ff.8
Accounts--Milligan and Carnahan [tailors]	(1866-1871, undated)		Box 649	ff.9
Accounts--Personal--shoes, shirts, hats, jewelry, wine, cigars, etc.	(1869-1885)		Box 649	ff.10
Accounts--Taxes--Baltimore County	(1877-1883)		Box 649	ff.11

Accounts--Taxes--Philadelphia	(1870-1882)		Box 649	ff.12
Accounts--Samuel Chew, Ann S.P.Chew, bonds, receipts	(1866-1883, undated)		Box 649	ff.13
Accounts--miscellaneous	(1867-1884)		Box 649	ff.14
Account book	(1861-1866)	[loose items have been removed]	Box 652	
Items removed from Box 652 [Account book]	(1861-1866)	[contains copies of newspaper clippings, originals discarded due to brittleness]	Box 650	ff.23
Checkbook No.2--PA Company for Insurances on Lives and Granting Annuities	(1871-1882)	[loose items have been removed]	Box 651	
Items removed from Box 651 [Checkbook No.2--PA Company for Insurances on Lives and Granting Annuities]	(1871-1882)	[contains copies of newspaper clippings, originals discarded due to brittleness]	Box 650	ff.24
Codicil to will	(1883)		Box 649	ff.15
Correspondence--Mary Johnson Brown Chew to Benjamin Chew	(1870-1884, undated)		Box 649	ff.16
Correspondence--Henry Buhl to Benjamin Chew	(1877)		Box 649	ff.17
Correspondence--Anne S.P. Chew to Benjamin Chew	(1860-1873, undated)		Box 649	ff.18
Correspondence--Benjamin Chew, Robert McDonald, R.C. McMurtrie	(1867-1888)	[re: land transactions]	Box 649	ff.19
Correspondence--Benjamin Chew to his father Henry B. Chew	(1865-1866)		Box 649	ff.20
Correspondence--Benjamin Chew to Samuel Chew	(1867-1872)		Box 649	ff.21
Correspondence--Benjamin Chew to Yoshida Kiyooanis [Japanese delegation]	(1875)		Box 649	ff.22
Correspondence--Bessie (Elizabeth B.) Chew to Benjamin Chew	(1870, undated)		Box 649	ff.23
Correspondence--Charles Ridgely Chew to Benjamin Chew	(1866-1874)		Box 649	ff.24

Correspondence--Elizabeth A. Chew to Benjamin Chew	(1869-1877, undated)		Box 649	ff.25
Correspondence--Harriet Chew to Benjamin Chew	(1878-1884)		Box 649	ff.26
Correspondence--Hattie R. Chew to Benjamin Chew	(1878-1884, undated)		Box 649	ff.27
Correspondence--Henry B. Chew to his son Benjamin Chew	(1853-1865)		Box 649	ff.28
Correspondence--Henry B. Chew to his uncle Benjamin Chew	(1871-1878)		Box 649	ff.29
Correspondence--Samuel Chew to Benjamin Chew	(1858-1878, undated)		Box 649	ff.30
Correspondence--William Grason to Benjamin Chew	(1877-1882, undated)		Box 650	ff.1
Correspondence--Alex Green to Benjamin Chew	(1875-1885)		Box 650	ff.2
Correspondence--Robert Hare Powell to Benjamin Chew	(1866-1879)		Box 650	ff.3
Correspondence--W.W. Holloway to Robert Hare Powell	(1866)		Box 650	ff.4
Correspondence--Kate [niece] to Benjamin Chew	(1875-1880, undated)		Box 650	ff.5
Correspondence--J.J. Purcell to Benjamin Chew	(1866-1868)		Box 650	ff.6
Correspondence--outgoing	(1861-1882, undated)		Box 650	ff.7
Correspondence--miscellaneous family members to Benjamin Chew	(1860-1885, undated)		Box 650	ff.8
Correspondence--Third party	(1865-1883, undated)		Box 650	ff.9
Correspondence--Miscellaneous [A-Z] to Benjamin Chew	(1861-1885, undated)		Box 650	ff.10
Drawings and sketches	(undated)	<b>[oversize]</b>	Flat file	67
Ephemera	(1866-1880, undated)		Box 650	ff.11
Freemasonry--Registers, Rules, By-laws, Mason's Freemasonry Explained	(1865-1870)		Box 650	ff.12

Illustrations--religious buildings	(undated)		Box 650	ff.13
Journal	(1868-1869)	[plus loose items]	Box 650	ff.14
Journal	(1870-1871)	[plus loose items]	Box 650	ff.15
Journals	(1880-1881)		Box 653	
Journals	(1882-1883)		Box 654	
Lease--Benjamin Chew to Francis Marion Bayne	(1872)		Box 650	ff.16
Maps and ground plan--Chicago	(undated)	<b>[oversize]</b>	Flat file	78
Memos and Notes	(1879, undated)		Box 650	ff.17
Notices--Germantown Relief Society, Constitutional Convention	(1877, undated)		Box 650	ff.18
Papers related to Powelton Coal and Iron Company [Cleveland, Ohio]	(1865-1867)		Box 650	ff.19
Passport	(1870)	<b>[oversize]</b>	Flat file	69
Pocket diary	(1857)		Box 650	ff.20
Pocket diary	(1867)	[loose items have been removed]	Box 655	
Items removed from Box 655 [Pocket diary]	(1867)		Box 650	ff.25
Pocket diaries	(1868-1869)		Box 656	
Pocket diaries	(1870-1871)		Box 657	
Pocket diaries	(1872-1874)	<b>[items cleaned for mold]</b>	Box 658	
Pocket diaries	(1875-1876)	<b>[items cleaned for mold]</b>	Box 659	
Pocket diary	(1877)		Box 660	
Pocket diary	(1878-1879)		Box 661	
Pocket diary	(1884)		Box 662	
Pocket diaries	(1864-1865)		Box 663	
Report of the Surveyor General--Crawford County	(1869)		Box 650	ff.21
"The Tourist's Guide to Warwick and Neighbourhood"	(1870)		Box 650	ff.22

## B. Benjamin Chew Jr. (1914-1972)

Benjamin Chew Jr. was the son of Benjamin Chew (1878-1938) and Anne Thompson and brother of Samuel Chew (1915-1989). He lived in Cliveden and sorted large portions of the family papers. He was also very active in investment ventures with both up-and-coming and established corporations, and was involved with several local charitable organizations and social clubs.

Documents housed under the title A.J. Drexel Cup Tournament reflect Benjamin Chew's work as treasurer for a group of golf enthusiasts sponsoring a tournament to raise funds for a new golf course called Gulph Mills in King of Prussia. The account portion of the subseries contain bills and receipts for personal expenses, and documents related to accounts of Chew family members including papers related to the estate of Elizabeth Brown Chew. Benjamin Chew Jr. also kept financial records pertaining to the estate of Mary J. B. Chew and Martha M. Brown and the estates of Anne Chew, Arthur R. Spencer, and Caroline B. Thompson. The remaining accounts-related documents deal with tax matters and stock investments (Girard Trust Company, Hooper's Bay Ltd., Gloucester Land Co., Boulder Mine Company, and Somat Corporation).

Benjamin Chew's personal papers are related to Cliveden, subjects of interest to the Chew family, and his life in the military. His correspondence consists mostly of interchanges with parties interested in visiting Cliveden, researchers wanting access to papers housed in the mansion, or inquiries about the possibility of acquiring the collection. Other papers of particular interest are notes about genealogical research, biographical notes on various family members, papers related to Cliveden furniture and coaches, newspaper clippings, inventories of books, documents about Richard Allen, the Mischianza, and notes and drafts of speeches about Cliveden. Also housed in this subseries are printed documents of the Civil Defense produced by the United States Government Printing Office.

A.J. Drexel Cup Tournament	(1941-19462)		Box 664	ff.1-8
Accounts--bills and receipts	(1928-1971, undated)		Box 664	ff.9
Accounts--Girard Bank [Chew Family accounts; Elizabeth B. Chew's Estate]	(1971)		Box 664	ff.10
Accounts-stock	(1970)		Box 664	ff.11
Accounts--taxes	(1938-1949)		Box 664	ff.12
Assorted papers--re: Maryland/Pennsylvania boundary lines	(1903-1971, undated)		Box 664	ff.13
Biographical note--Benjamin Chew, Chief Justice--Eminent Philadelphians	(undated)		Box 664	ff.14
Biographical notes--"The Chew Family in America"	(1961)		Box 664	ff.15

Bombay Hook [National Wildlife Refuge]	(undated)		Box 665	ff.1
Boulder Mine Company	(1940-1956)		Box 665	ff.2
Chewton lots	(1830-1959)		Box 665	ff.3
“Cliveden and its furniture”-- article by Nicholas B. Wainwright [draft]	(1969)		Box 665	ff.4
Cliveden furnishings	(1961-1962, undated)		Box 665	ff.5
Coaches	(1907-1959)		Box 665	ff.6
Color transparency--Anne C. Galloway’s portrait	(1966)		Box 665	ff.7
Correspondence--American Philosophical Society to Benjamin Chew	(1961)		Box 665	ff.8
Correspondence--between Jean Smith and Benjamin Chew	(1959-1960)		Box 665	ff.9
Correspondence--Beverly Chew to Benjamin Chew	(1961)		Box 665	ff.10
Correspondence--David Stockwell to Benjamin Chew	(1960-1961)		Box 665	ff.11
Correspondence--Elizabeth B. Thomson to Benjamin Chew	(1961-1969)		Box 665	ff.12
Correspondence--Eloise Chew Brooks to Benjamin Chew	(1961-1962)		Box 665	ff.13
Correspondence--General Services Administration to Benjamin Chew	(1969)	[re: National Historical Publication]	Box 665	ff.14
Correspondence--George L. van Bibber to Benjamin Chew	(1960)		Box 665	ff.15
Correspondence--Independence National Historical Park to Benjamin Chew	(1961)		Box 665	ff.16
Correspondence--miscellaneous to Benjamin Chew	(1938-1972, undated)		Box 665	ff.17
Correspondence--Nicholas B. Wainwright [Historical Society of Pennsylvania] to Benjamin Chew	(1963-1966)		Box 665	ff.18
Correspondence--outgoing	(1950-1960)		Box 665	ff.19

Correspondence--Regimental Museum [England] to Benjamin Chew	(1960-1961)		Box 665	ff.20
Correspondence--third party	(1945-1963)		Box 665	ff.21
Correspondence--William B. Howard to Benjamin Chew	(1961-1962)		Box 665	ff.22
Correspondence--William H. Pierson [Carnegie Study of the Arts of US] to Benjamin Chew	(1958-1959)		Box 665	ff.23
Diploma: "The Medical Field Service School" U. S. Army	(1942)	<b>[oversize]</b>	Flat file	79
Estate of Anne Chew	(1945-1951)		Box 665	ff.24
Estate of Arthur R. Spencer	(1934-1937)		Box 665	ff.25
Estate of Caroline B. Thompson	(1950)		Box 665	ff.26
Extracts from book "The Chew Family of Virginia and Maryland 1622-1910"	(1961)		Box 665	ff.27
Foerderer Tract Committee	(1972)		Box 665	ff.28
Genealogy	(1937-1965, undated)		Box 665	ff.29
Girard Trust Company	(1938-1950)		Box 666	ff.1-8
Girard Trust Company	(1950)	[re: George Thompson, The Elder]	Box 666	ff.9
Girard Trust Corn Exchange Bank	(1944-1951)		Box 666	ff.10
Girard Trust Corn Exchange Bank--Checkcontrol budget analysis book	(1954)		Box 666	ff.11
Gloucester Land Co.	(1950-1968, undated)		Box 666	ff.12-14
Hooper's Bay Ltd.	(1959-1966, undated)		Box 667	ff.1-3
Inventory of books in library	(undated)		Box 667	ff.4
Military records	(1938-1946)		Box 667	ff.5
Military records	(1943-1945)		Box 667	ff.6
Military records [Army Reserve]	(1948-1962)		Box 668	ff.1



Miscellaneous--“Contemporary Broadside Edition of Declaration of Independence”	(1949-1962)		Box 668	ff.2
Miscellaneous--“History of Harris Family, Salem, NJ”	(undated)		Box 668	ff.3
Miscellaneous--assorted papers	(1958-1961, undated)		Box 668	ff.4
Miscellaneous--copy of map	(1937)	["Itinerary of General Washington in Montgomery County 1777-1778"]	Box 668	ff.5
Miscellaneous--pamphlets, brochures	(1965-1971, undated)		Box 668	ff.6
Newspaper clippings-Cliveden	(1901-1970, undated)		Box 668	ff.7
Notes about the family papers	(1963, undated)		Box 668	ff.8
Papers related to Katherine McFadden	(1907-1950)		Box 668	ff.9
Papers related to Mischianza	(1894)		Box 668	ff.10
Papers related to Richard Allen	(1958-1960)		Box 668	ff.11
Power of attorney--Benjamin Chew to Anne Chew	(1944)		Box 668	ff.12
Princeton University	(1961-1972)		Box 668	ff.13
Printed materials --US Government Printing Office--Civil Defense	(1951)		Box 668	ff.14
Receipts and assorted papers--hi-fi sound equipment	(undated)		Box 668	ff.15
Somat Corporation--brochures/promotional materials	(1957, undated)		Box 668	ff.16
Somat Corporation--correspondence	(1951-1963)		Box 669	ff.1
Somat Corporation--Financial statements	(1957-1965)		Box 669	ff.2
Somat Corporation--Legal documents	(1955-1962)		Box 669	ff.3
Somat Corporation--notices to stockholders	(1955-1966)		Box 669	ff.4

Speech given at a Cliveden symposium [draft and notes]	(undated)		Box 669	ff.5
St. Peter's Church [including ground plan]	(1965, undated)		Box 669	ff.6
Trust Estate of Mary J. B. Chew and Martha M. Brown	(1951-1961, undated)		Box 669	ff.7-11
"Views of Philadelphia 1750-1770"--Antiques [magazine]	(undated)		Box 669	ff.12
Diaries	(1936-1956)		Box 670	
Diaries	(1957-1971)		Box 671	
"A Country House for Mr. Benjamin Chew Jr.—Red Rose Farms, Bryn Mawr"	[undated]	<b>[oversize]</b> gouache on paper, mounted on board	Flat file	72

### C. Katherine (Banning) Chew (1770-1855)

Katherine Chew's accounts consist only of one folder of receipts for goods and services. Most of these receipts are for groceries and household goods, including ice, coal, and cloth. Also included are two receipts for payment of wages to Christine Moyer and a listing of a 152-piece set of china purchased by Mrs. Chew from R. Tyndale in 1835.

The greater part of the incoming correspondence is from family members; however there are letters from friends such as Margaretta Sergeant. Most of the letters convey news about her family (their health and activities) and news about mutual friends and neighbors. The letters include warm expressions of affection and expressions of anxiety about Chew family illnesses and sympathy for the deaths of Chew family members. The remaining incoming letters are from members of societies, merchants, servants, and lawyers; there are also invitations and responses to invitations, letters of sympathy, requests for settlement of bills, reports on friends' health, etc. Outgoing correspondence is scant and routine, except for pleas to officials seeking to stop them from taking two of her sons into custody for unpaid debts. In 1845 and again in 1847, Katherine Banning Chew sent notes to a Mr. Ash asking that he take her security for payment of her sons' debts and requesting his assurances that they will not be arrested. The estate portion of this subseries contains letters to her children (most notably to Eliza, William, and Henry). Most of these are undated and are highly emotional, emphasizing her distress and her position as an aggrieved widow and mother. There are also several drafts and copies of letters to her grandchildren, and to her solicitors.

Accounts-Bills and receipts	(1812-1860, undated)		Box 672	ff.1
Correspondence-Henry Banning to K. Chew	(1793-1813, undated)		Box 672	ff.2
Correspondence-Jeremiah Banning to K. Chew	(1793-1798)		Box 672	ff.3

Correspondence-Harriet (Chew) Carroll to K. Chew	(1822, undated)		Box 672	ff.4
Correspondence-Anna Sophia Penn Chew (1805-1892) to K. Chew	(1845-1853, undated)		Box 672	ff.5
Correspondence-Anthony B. Chew to K. Chew	(1829-1835, undated)		Box 672	ff.6
Correspondence-Benjamin Chew, Jr. to K. Chew	(1789-1794)		Box 672	ff.7
Correspondence-Benjamin Chew, Jr. to K. Chew	(1795-1800)		Box 672	ff.8
Correspondence-Benjamin Chew, Jr. to K. Chew	(1801-1806)		Box 672	ff.9
Correspondence-Benjamin Chew, Jr. to K. Chew	(1807-1827)		Box 672	ff.10
Correspondence-Benjamin Chew, Jr. to K. Chew	(undated)		Box 672	ff.11
Correspondence-Benjamin Chew III to K. Chew	(1822-1842)		Box 673	ff.1
Correspondence-Benjamin Chew IV to K. Chew	(1846-1852, undated)		Box 673	ff.2
Correspondence-Charles Ridgely Chew to K. Chew	(1842-1847, undated)		Box 673	ff.3
Correspondence-Elizabeth Ann (Ralston) Chew to K. Chew	(1842, undated)		Box 673	ff.4
Correspondence-Henry Banning Chew to K. Chew	(1826-1841)		Box 673	ff.5
Correspondence-Henry Banning Chew to K. Chew	(1842)		Box 673	ff.6
Correspondence-Henry Banning Chew to K. Chew	(1843-1847, undated)		Box 673	ff.7
Correspondence-John Chew (1797-1815) to K. Chew	(1805-1814)		Box 673	ff.8
Correspondence-Joseph Turner Chew to K. Chew	(1822-1834)		Box 673	ff.9
Correspondence-K. Chew to Anna Sophia Penn Chew	(1842)	[includes lock of hair]	Box 673	ff.10
Correspondence-K. Chew to various recipients	(1838-1847, undated)		Box 673	ff.11

Correspondence-Samuel Chew (1795-1841) to K. Chew	(1807-1837, undated)		Box 673	ff.12
Correspondence-Samuel Chew (1832-1887) to K. Chew	(1842-1848, undated)		Box 673	ff.13
Correspondence-William White Chew to K. Chew	(1813-1848, undated)		Box 673	ff.14
Correspondence-Benjamin Chew Mason to K. Chew	(1838-1846)		Box 674	ff.1
Correspondence-Eliza (Chew) Mason to K. Chew	(1833-1845)		Box 674	ff.2
Correspondence-Eliza (Chew) Mason to K. Chew	(1846-1847)		Box 674	ff.3
Correspondence-Eliza (Chew) Mason to K. Chew	(1848-1851)		Box 674	ff.4
Correspondence-Eliza (Chew) Mason to K. Chew	(undated)		Box 674	ff.5
Correspondence-James Murray Mason to K. Chew	(1847-1849)		Box 674	ff.6
Correspondence-Katherine Chew Mason to K. Chew	(undated)		Box 674	ff.7
Correspondence-Margaretta Sergeant to K. Chew	(1828-1844, undated)		Box 674	ff.8
Correspondence-Miscellaneous Chew and Banning family members to K. Chew	(1792-1846, undated)		Box 674	ff.9
Correspondence-Miscellaneous A-M	(1793-1853)		Box 674	ff.10
Correspondence-Miscellaneous N-W	(1791-1850)		Box 674	ff.11
Correspondence-Unidentified correspondence to K. Chew	(1788-1844, undated)		Box 674	ff.12
Estates-Drafts of correspondence and statements by Katherine Chew and Orphan's Court transcripts of correspondence and statements	(1844-1856, undated)		Box 675	ff. 1
Estates-Drafts of correspondence, statements, and notes by Katherine Chew related to Benjamin Chew Jr.'s estate	(1844-1856, undated)		Box 675	ff. 2-4

Miscellaneous-Drafts of Manager's Report for Female Bible Society	(1828, undated)		Box 675	ff. 5
Miscellaneous-Recipe book	(1842, undated)		Box 675	ff. 6
Miscellaneous-Loose items removed from Folder 6 [Recipe book]	(1842, undated)		Box 675	ff. 7
Miscellaneous-Miscellaneous documents	(1837-1863, undated)		Box 675	ff. 8

#### **D. Anthony Banning Chew**

The materials in the accounts records include receipts for household goods; articles of clothing, tobacco, home appliances; building materials and horse tack; receipts concerning various debts; lottery tickets; and bank notes; room and board from various hotels across the country; a hired horse and carriage; and medicinal prescriptions.

Anthony B. Chew's correspondence begins in 1829, when he set off to start working on what would later be known as the Horseshoe Farm. The farm was located in Butler County and built under the supervision of Anthony and Benjamin Chew III, with assistance from their father Benjamin Chew Jr.

Anthony's letters revolved around business affairs concerning Horseshoe Farm and the people under his charge. Letters with Benjamin Chew III are related to the building and upkeep of Horseshoe Farm and management of their property in Butler and Beaver counties. Anthony had been granted Power of Attorney over Butler and Beaver Counties by Benjamin Chew Jr., and had worked as an agent for his father. Benjamin Chew III felt that Anthony had been mismanaging the land and took over the management of the counties. For most of Anthony's adult life he lived in Pittsburgh and Butler County, but traveled to Baltimore, Cincinnati and New Orleans, among other places. Much to his father's disappointment he fell into debt, and relied heavily on Benjamin Chew Jr. to give him money to pay off creditors. Anthony was also a known alcoholic. Letters from his father are filled with advice and concern, as well as disappointment and anxiety over Anthony's life choices. In letters to his father, Anthony often asked for advice or money.

Materials files under Essays, School Notes and Writings include poetry and essays written by Anthony B. Chew as well as detailed class notes, diagrams, and textbooks from his time at the University of Pennsylvania. Papers included in the Legal section are land papers, court summonses, and a rough draft of Anthony B. Chew's Will.

Accounts-Bank book	(1852)		Box 676	ff.1
Accounts-Bank of Pittsburgh	(undated)		Box 676	ff.2
Accounts-Henry B. Bruner	(1852-1853)		Box 676	ff.3
Accounts-David Barnum	(1831-1838)		Box 676	ff.4
Accounts-Christian Buhl	(1830-1835)		Box 676	ff.5
Accounts-John M. Burns	(1830-1831)		Box 676	ff.6

Accounts-Cash Books	(1830-1835)		Box 676	ff.7
Accounts-S.P. Church	(1832-1833)		Box 676	ff.8
Accounts-B. Darlington	(1830-1831)		Box 676	ff.9
Accounts-Office of Discount and Deposit, B.U.S.	(1831, 1851)		Box 676	ff.10
Accounts-Rees Evans	(1831, 1835)		Box 676	ff.11
Accounts-Exchange Hotel	(1832-1836)		Box 676	ff.12
Accounts-H. Gilbert	(1832)		Box 676	ff.13
Accounts-M. Holmes	(1830-1832)		Box 676	ff.14
Accounts-Joseph Kirker	(1830-1833)		Box 676	ff.15
Accounts-John Little	(1830-1832)		Box 676	ff.16
Accounts-John Lightner	(1830-1832)		Box 676	ff.17
Accounts-Lottery Ticket Receipts	(1831-1832)		Box 676	ff.18
Accounts-Mansion House	(1837)		Box 676	ff.19
Accounts-A.N. McDowell	(1831-1832)		Box 676	ff.20
Accounts-Miscellaneous A-D	(1830-1852)		Box 676	ff.21
Accounts-Miscellaneous E-H	(1830-1853)		Box 676	ff.22
Accounts-Miscellaneous J-M	(1830-1851)		Box 676	ff.23
Accounts-Miscellaneous N-S	(1830-1853)		Box 676	ff.24
Accounts-Miscellaneous T-Y	(1830-1850)		Box 676	ff.25
Accounts-Miscellaneous Unknown	[undated]		Box 676	ff.26
Accounts-B.E. Moore	(1847-1850)		Box 676	ff.27
Accounts-W. Nellis	(1831-1832)		Box 676	ff.28
Accounts-Jacob Nice	(1852-1853)		Box 676	ff.29
Accounts-Prescriptions	[undated]		Box 676	ff.30
Accounts-William Purviance	(1831-1840)		Box 676	ff.31
Accounts-Sampson Richard	(1830-1835)		Box 676	ff.32
Accounts-Henry John Squire	(1846-1853)		Box 676	ff.33
Accounts-Charles C. Watson & Sons	(1831-1844)		Box 676	ff.34
Accounts-T.S. Williams M.D.	(1847-1853)		Box 676	ff.35
Accounts-Jacob Winder	(1841-1844)		Box 676	ff.36
Correspondence-José M. Arroyo to Anthony B. Chew	(1830-1835)		Box 677	ff.1

Correspondence-R. Butler Brice to Anthony B. Chew	(1844-1845)		Box 677	ff.2
Correspondence-Christian Buhl to Anthony B. Chew	(1831-1832)		Box 677	ff.3
Correspondence-Anne Sophia Chew to Anthony Banning Chew	(1829-1847, undated)		Box 677	ff.4
Correspondence-Anthony B. Chew to José M. Arroyo	(1832-1836)		Box 677	ff.5
Correspondence-Anthony B. Chew to Christian Buhl	(1831-1834)		Box 677	ff.6
Correspondence-Anthony B Chew to Anne Sophia Chew	(1833-1835)		Box 677	ff.7
Correspondence-Anthony B. Chew to Benjamin & Katherine B. Chew	(1830-1832)		Box 677	ff.8
Correspondence-Anthony B. Chew to Benjamin & Katherine B. Chew	(1833-1835)		Box 677	ff.9
Correspondence-Anthony B. Chew to Benjamin Chew III	(1831-1835)		Box 677	ff.10
Correspondence-Anthony B. Chew to Harriet Ridgely Chew	(1830)		Box 677	ff.11
Correspondence-Anthony B. Chew to Henry B. Chew	(1831)		Box 677	ff.12
Correspondence-Anthony B. Chew to Joseph T. Chew	(1831-1833)		Box 677	ff.13
Correspondence-Anthony B. Chew to A.N. McDowell	(1832-1833)		Box 677	ff.14
Correspondence-Anthony B. Chew to Miscellaneous	(1830-1840, undated)		Box 677	ff.15
Correspondence-Anthony B. Chew to Sampson Richard	(1831-1833)		Box 677	ff.16
Correspondence-Benjamin & Katherine B. Chew to Anthony B. Chew	(1829)		Box 677	ff.17
Correspondence-Benjamin & Katherine B. Chew to Anthony B. Chew	(1830)		Box 677	ff.18

Correspondence-Benjamin & Katherine B. Chew to Anthony B. Chew	(1831)		Box 678	ff.1
Correspondence-Benjamin & Katherine B. Chew to Anthony B. Chew	(1832)		Box 678	ff.2
Correspondence-Benjamin & Katherine B. Chew to Anthony B. Chew	(1833)		Box 678	ff.3
Correspondence-Benjamin & Katherine B. Chew to Anthony B. Chew	(1834-1837)		Box 678	ff.4
Correspondence-Benjamin Chew III to Anthony B. Chew	(1829-1847, undated)		Box 678	ff.5
Correspondence-Henry Banning Chew to Anthony B. Chew	(1831)		Box 678	ff.6
Correspondence Joseph Turner Chew to Anthony B. Chew	(1825-1833, undated)		Box 678	ff.7
Correspondence-Katherine B. Chew to Anthony B. Chew	(1844-185?)		Box 679	ff.1
Correspondence-Katherine B. Chew to Anthony B. Chew	(undated)		Box 679	ff.2
Correspondence-William White Chew to Anthony B. Chew	(1831)		Box 679	ff.3
Correspondence-William Duane Jr. to Anthony B. Chew	(1833)		Box 679	ff.4
Correspondence-Charles Duval to Anthony B. Chew	(1841, undated)		Box 679	ff.5
Correspondence-George Fox to Anthony B. Chew	(1838-1839)		Box 679	ff.6
Correspondence-Benjamin Chew Mason to Anthony B. Chew	(undated)		Box 679	ff.7
Correspondence-Eliza Mason to Anthony B. Chew	(undated)		Box 679	ff.8
Correspondence-A.N. McDowell to Anthony B. Chew	(1833-1835)		Box 679	ff.9
Correspondence-Miscellaneous A-J to Anthony B. Chew	(1830-1851, undated)		Box 679	ff.10



Correspondence-Miscellaneous K-W to Anthony B. Chew	(1830-1854, undated)		Box 679	ff.11
Correspondence-Miscellaneous Unknown to Anthony B. Chew	(1831-1854, undated)		Box 679	ff.12
Correspondence-William Purviance to Anthony B. Chew	(1834-1837)		Box 679	ff.13
Correspondence-Sampson Richard to Anthony B. Chew	(1827-1836, undated)		Box 679	ff.14
Correspondence-J. Stuart Riddle to Anthony B. Chew	(1843)		Box 679	ff.15
Essays, School Notes and Writings-Commencement Address	(1825)		Box 680	ff.1
Essays, School Notes and Writings-Compendium of Natural Philosophy	(1825)		Box 680	ff.2
Essays, School Notes and Writings-Copy of Letter to Editor	(1836)		Box 680	ff.3
Essays, School Notes and Writings-Essay, Barclay on Training	(undated)		Box 680	ff.4
Essays, School Notes and Writings-Eulogy for Joseph T. Chew	(1835)		Box 680	ff.5
Essays, School Notes and Writings-Exercises on the Article Definite	(undated)		Box 680	ff.6
Essays, School Notes and Writings-Original Essays	(undated)		Box 680	ff.7
Essays, School Notes and Writings-Miscellaneous Class Notes	(undated)		Box 680	ff.8
Essays, School Notes and Writings-Miscellaneous Poetry	(undated)		Box 680	ff.9
Essays, School Notes and Writings-Spherical Geometry Class Notes	(undated)		Box 680	ff.10
Essays, School Notes and Writings-Volume First Practical Geometry, New Table of Latitude and Departure	(undated)		Box 680	ff.11

Essays, School Notes and Writings Volume Second Trigonometry,- Tables of Natural Sines and Tangents	(undated)		Box 680	ff.12
Legal-Anthony B. Chew Granted Power of Attorney for Butler & Beaver Counties	(1830)		Box 680	ff.13
Legal-Articles of Agreement between Anthony B. Chew & Abraham Kelly	(1833)		Box 680	ff.14
Legal-Court Summonses	(1831-1846)		Box 680	ff.15
Legal-Rough Draft of Articles of Agreement for Sale of Property (unspecified )	(1831)		Box 680	ff.16
Legal-Rough Draft of Will	(1845)		Box 680	ff.17
Miscellaneous-Commencement program [University of Pennsylvania]	(1825)		Box 680	ff.18
Miscellaneous-Funeral Announcement	(1854)		Box 680	ff.19
Miscellaneous-Meeting of the Philomathean Society Notice	(1829)		Box 680	ff.20
Miscellaneous-Newspaper Clipping	(undated)		Box 680	ff.21
Miscellaneous-Notes for Anthony B. Chew by Benjamin Chew III concerning Butler & Beaver Counties	(1830)		Box 680	ff.22
Miscellaneous-Silhouette of Anthony B. Chew	(undated)		Box 680	ff.23
Miscellaneous-Song [to Alice]	(1841)		Box 680	ff.24

### **E. John Chew (1741-1807)**

John Chew was the younger brother of Chief Justice Benjamin Chew. He lived –at least in the latter part of his life– in Chestertown and Baltimore, Maryland, where he worked as a shopkeeper and later as a merchant. He was active in the international marketplace, mainly as a trader of wheat and flour though not very successful. His letters include repeated statements of despair and resignation regarding his business failures.

The bulk of the subseries consists of letters received from Benjamin Chew and Benjamin Chew Jr., spanning a period from 1783 to Chew’s death in 1807. The communications cover a wide range of topics; from personal and family matters, to health issues, as well as business dealings. In one

dispatch, Benjamin Chew discusses a fever epidemic and the practice of bleeding advocated by Dr. Benjamin Rush. Of particular note are the numerous observations offered by Benjamin Chew Jr. into the national and international politics of the time. These references are often made with regard to how events might affect the price of wheat.

Account book	(1786-1788)	[ in box]	Box 681	ff.1
Accounts	(1767-1787)		Box 681	ff.2
Accounts	(1789-1805, undated)		Box 681	ff.3
Accounts--Appraisals & inventories	(1809)		Box 681	ff.4
Accounts--Memos & notes	(1809-1811)		Box 681	ff.5
Accounts--Miscellaneous	(1807-1811)		Box 681	ff.6
Accounts--Property sales	(1807-1809)		Box 681	ff.7
Agreement--John Chew and Abel James	(1783)		Box 681	ff.8
Bonds & Agreements	(1792-1809, undated)		Box 681	ff.9
Correspondence	(1808-1818)		Box 681	ff.10
Correspondence—James Cheston to John Chew	(1804-1806)		Box 681	ff.11
Correspondence—Benjamin Chew to John Chew	(1783-1785, undated)		Box 681	ff.12
Correspondence—Benjamin Chew to John Chew	(1796-1799)		Box 681	ff.13
Correspondence—Benjamin Chew to John Chew	(1800)		Box 681	ff.14
Correspondence—Benjamin Chew to John Chew	(1800-1807, undated)		Box 681	ff.15
Correspondence—Benjamin Chew Jr. to John Chew	(1789-1795)		Box 681	ff.16
Correspondence—Benjamin Chew Jr. to John Chew	(1796-1797)		Box 681	ff.17
Correspondence—Benjamin Chew Jr. to John Chew	(1798-1799)		Box 681	ff.18
Correspondence—Benjamin Chew Jr. to John Chew	(1800-1801)		Box 681	ff.19
Correspondence—Benjamin Chew Jr. to John Chew	(1802-1805)		Box 682	ff.1

Correspondence—Benjamin Chew Jr. to John Chew	(1806-1807)		Box 682	ff.2
Correspondence—Benjamin Chew Jr. to John Chew	[undated]		Box 682	ff.3
Correspondence—John Chew to Benjamin Chew	(1790-1807, undated)		Box 682	ff.4
Correspondence—John Chew to Misc.	(1794-1802)		Box 682	ff.5
Correspondence—Samuel Chew to John Chew	(1796-1807)		Box 682	ff.6
Correspondence—Misc.	(1798, undated)		Box 682	ff.7
Correspondence—Misc. to John Chew	(1787-1804, undated)		Box 682	ff.8
Legal—bond dispute	(1787-1796)	[Geddes, Massey, Cheston, Reed]	Box 682	ff.9
Legal documents	(1808-1811)		Box 682	ff.10
Memo—John Chew	(1797)		Box 682	ff.11

#### **F. Joseph Turner Chew (1806-1835)**

Consisting primarily of correspondence, this subseries illuminates Joseph Turner Chew's relationships with his family. His father's letters express feelings of disappointment in his son's actions and decisions. His fathers' disapproval increased when he found out about Joseph's marriage in 1833, which Benjamin Chew Jr. had pointedly discouraged. In the last few years of Joseph's life, their correspondence was tense and related primarily to the business of Horseshoe farm. In letters to Joseph T. Chew from other members of his family, the topics range from local gossip and family affairs, to business. His sister Anne's letters were mostly filled with local news, such as the birth of Eliza's children, the death of a neighbor, and epidemics of illness such as cholera or influenza. Benjamin Chew III wrote about business, while Anthony B. Chew's letters were more personal.

Joseph T. Chew's accounts, which were mainly made up of receipts, show his increasing debt to various people, including Christian Buhl. Most of the receipts are for everyday items such as tea, tobacco, bacon, oats, flour, etc. Others are for a rented horse and gig, postage, books, and boarding. Christian Buhl, introduced to Joseph through his father Benjamin Chew Jr., oversaw many orders and accounts dealing with the everyday items. There are a group of receipts for military items, including uniform parts, supplies, and weapons. These items are from his time in the Pennsylvania Artillery and the Hundred Forty-First Regiment (1828-1829). There are also other documents and correspondence associated with Joseph T. Chew's military experience.

Accounts--Christian Buhl	(1834-1835)		Box 683	ff 1
Accounts--Paid By Benjamin Chew Jr.	(1825-1835)		Box 683	ff 2

Accounts--Princeton	(1823-1825)		Box 683	ff 3
Accounts--Miscellaneous A-L	(1824-1835)		Box 683	ff 4
Accounts--Miscellaneous M-W	(1825-1834)		Box 683	ff 5
Accounts & correspondence	(1830-1840)		Box 683	ff 6
Correspondence--J. Robert Black to Joseph T. Chew	(1830)		Box 683	ff 7
Correspondence--Anne Sophia Chew to Joseph T. Chew	(1823-1833)		Box 683	ff 8
Correspondence--Anthony B. Chew to Joseph T. Chew	(1831-1833)		Box 683	ff 9
Correspondence--Benjamin & Katherine B. Chew to Joseph T. Chew	(1823-1824)		Box 683	ff 10
Correspondence—Benjamin & Katherine B. Chew to Joseph T. Chew	(1825-1826)		Box 683	ff 11
Correspondence—Benjamin & Katherine B. Chew to Joseph T. Chew	(1829-1830)		Box 683	ff 12
Correspondence—Benjamin & Katherine B. Chew to Joseph T. Chew	(1831)		Box 683	ff 13
Correspondence—Benjamin & Katherine B. Chew to Joseph T. Chew	(1832-1834)		Box 683	ff 14
Correspondence—Benjamin Chew III to Joseph T. Chew	(1830-1831)		Box 684	ff 1
Correspondence—Katherine B. Chew to Joseph T. Chew	[undated]		Box 684	ff 2
Correspondence—Joseph T. Chew to Miscellaneous	(1830)		Box 684	ff 3
Correspondence—William White Chew to Joseph T. Chew	(1830)		Box 684	ff 4
Correspondence—Charles W. Johnson to Joseph T. Chew	(1829-1831)		Box 684	ff 5
Correspondence—Eliza M. Mason to Joseph T. Chew	(1824-1833, undated)		Box 684	ff 6
Correspondence—Mason Family members to Joseph T. Chew	(1823-1826)		Box 684	ff 7

Correspondence—A. McDowell to Joseph T. Chew	(1833)		Box 684	ff 8
Correspondence—Miscellaneous to Joseph T. Chew	(1825-1832)		Box 684	ff 9
Correspondence—Nicklin Family to Joseph T. Chew	(1825-1831)		Box 684	ff 10
Correspondence—Henry Ralston to Joseph T. Chew	(1825-1826)		Box 684	ff 11
Correspondence—P.M. Witherspoon to Joseph T. Chew	(1829)		Box 684	ff 12
Hundred Forty First Regiment Second Brigade, First Division, P.M./ The Pennsylvania Artillery	(1828-1829)		Box 684	ff 13

### G. Anne Sophia Penn Chew Alston

Anne Sophia Penn Chew Alston (1862-1931) was the eldest child of Samuel and Mary Chew. She moved to Cairo, Egypt after marrying Vere Speke Alston in 1898. Among her papers are letters (many between Anne and Chew family members), notes on genealogical research, school notebooks, an inventory of books belonging to the Alstons, diaries, notes and booklets in French, and papers related to various organizations such as Society of Colonial Dames and Guild of Health. There are clippings from English, American, French, and Egyptian newspapers, as well as a letter book related to her wedding.

Application for Society of Colonial Dames	[undated]	<b>[oversize]</b>	Flat file	80
Booklet in French	(1893)		Box 685	ff.1
Colonial Dames	(1896, undated)		Box 685	ff.2
Correspondence--Mary Johnson Brown to Anne Sophia Penn Chew Alston	(1913-1924, undated)		Box 685	ff.3
Correspondence--Anne Sophia Penn Chew Alston to various family members	(1875-1912, undated)		Box 685	ff.4
Correspondence--Anne Sophia Penn Chew Alston [outgoing]	(1919, undated)		Box 685	ff.5
Correspondence--Oswald Chew to Anne Sophia Penn Chew Alston	(1917-1928, undated)		Box 685	ff.6
Correspondence--Samuel Chew to Anne Sophia Penn Chew Alston	(1907-1915, undated)		Box 685	ff.7

Correspondence--Owen Wister to Anne Sophia Penn Chew Alston	(1911-1928)		Box 685	ff.8
Correspondence--miscellaneous to Anne Sophia Penn Chew Alston	(1887, undated)		Box 685	ff.9
Diary [in Rome]	(1892)		Box 685	ff.10
Egyptian newspaper	(undated)		Box 685	ff.11
Genealogy	(1895, 1896, undated)		Box 685	ff.12
Guild of Health [pamphlets]	(1921-1925)		Box 685	ff.13
Inventory--List of books in Alston Family Library	(1919)	[in small box]	Box 685	ff.14
Letter book	(1898)	[items have been removed]	Box 686	
Items removed from Box 686 [Letter book]	(1898)		Box 685	ff.15
Newspaper clippings [in French]	(undated)		Box 685	ff.16
Newspaper clippings--wedding announcement	(1898)		Box 685	ff.17
Newspaper clippings--wedding announcement [The Egyptian Gazette-September 27, 1898]	(1898)		Box 685	ff.18
Newspaper clippings--miscellaneous	(undated)		Box 685	ff.19
Notes	(undated)		Box 685	ff.20
Postcards [blank, Egypt]	(n.d)		Box 685	ff.21
School notebooks [in French]	(1878-1879)		Box 685	ff.22
Wedding notebook	(ca.1898)		Box 685	ff.23

#### **H. Samuel Chew (1915-1989)**

Samuel Chew was one of the sons of Benjamin Chew (1878-1938) and Anne Thompson. Married to Barbara Dale Williams, he inherited Cliveden after Samuel Chew's death in 1919 and with his brother Benjamin Chew Jr. (1914-1972) sorted most of the family papers.

The majority of the documents in this subseries are related to Cliveden and organizations in the Germantown neighborhood around the mansion. Samuel Chew and his wife Barbara renewed Cliveden and entertained visitors and groups interested in seeing the house; Chew also owned an advertisement agency and converted Cliveden's stable into his office. Items in this subseries include copies of articles on Cliveden published by various magazines (*Antiques*, *Vogue*, *Interior Design*, and *National Geographic*) as well as correspondence between Samuel Chew and different organizations interested in the mansion (Germantown Academy, Germantown Historical Society, The

Philadelphia Museum, and Radcliff College). Of particular interest is the correspondence between Samuel Chew and the U.S. Department of Interior's National Park Service regarding the transfer of Cliveden to that government agency. A folder with thank-you letters from Cliveden visitors and a guestbook are also part of this subseries.

Acknowledgement of gift-- Colonial Williamsburg--coach and phaeton ironwork	(1970)		Box 687	ff.1
"Cliveden and its Furniture"-- article by Nicholas B. Wainwright [draft]	(1969)		Box 687	ff.2
"Living with antiques" [Cliveden]-- article by Alice Winchester for Antiques [magazine]	(1959)		Box 687	ff.3
Brochures--Chew and Company-- Advertising	(undated)	[3 copies]	Box 687	ff.4
Business card file	(1963)	[in small box]	Box 687	ff.5
Business papers--Gloucester Land Co.	(1959-1961)		Box 687	ff.6
Correspondence--between Samuel Chew and Antiques [magazine]	(1959-1962)		Box 687	ff.7
Correspondence--between Samuel Chew and D.C. Heath and Co.	(1961)		Box 687	ff.8
Correspondence--between Samuel Chew and Germantown Academy	(1959)		Box 687	ff.9
Correspondence--between Samuel Chew and Independence National Historic Park	(1961)	[re: Mary B. Chew manuscript collection]	Box 687	ff.10
Correspondence--between Samuel Chew and Interior Design [magazine]	(1959-1960)		Box 687	ff.11
Correspondence--between Samuel Chew and National Geographic Magazine	(1960)		Box 687	ff.12
Correspondence--between Samuel Chew and National Park Service [National Historic Landmark Program]	(1961)		Box 687	ff.13
Correspondence--between Samuel Chew and Nicholas B. Wainwright [Historical Society of PA]	(1959-1962)		Box 687	ff.14



Correspondence--between Samuel Chew and the Germantown Historical Society	(1959-1962)		Box 687	ff.15
Correspondence--between Samuel Chew and The Philadelphia Museum	(1958-1964)		Box 687	ff.16
Correspondence--between Samuel Chew and The Women's Archive [Radcliff College]	(1960-1963)		Box 687	ff.17
Correspondence--between Samuel Chew and Vogue [magazine]	(1959)		Box 687	ff.18
Correspondence--miscellaneous to Samuel Chew	(1957-1966, undated)		Box 687	ff.19
Correspondence--Pepper, Hamilton and Scheetz [Law offices] to Samuel Chew	(1961)	[re: Estate of Elizabeth B. Chow]	Box 687	ff.20
Correspondence--Samuel Chew [outgoing]	(1952-1961)		Box 687	ff.21
Correspondence--Thank you letters [Cliveden visitors]	(1959-1970, undated)		Box 687	ff.22
Guestbook--Cliveden	(1960-1970)	[in box]	Box 688	ff.1
Magazine clipping [coaches and phaetons]	(undated)		Box 688	ff.2
Memos and notes	(undated)		Box 688	ff.3
Newspaper clippings--carriage house arson [Cliveden]	(1970)		Box 688	ff.4
Newspaper clippings--Cliveden	(1959-1968, undated)		Box 688	ff.5
Newspaper clippings--Dr. Thomas Brooks/Burton Gilliland	(1955-1961)		Box 688	ff.6
Newspaper clippings--miscellaneous	(1961-1965, undated)		Box 688	ff.7
Newspaper clippings--new office opening [Chew's advertising agency]	(1959)		Box 688	ff.8
Newspaper clippings--Upsala Foundation	(1960)		Box 688	ff.9

Papers related to "The Concord German Immigration Tricentennial"	(1982-1983)		Box 688	ff.10
Personal papers--The Garrison Club	(1962-1964, undated)		Box 688	ff.11
Schedule--alterations and additions to Cliveden--J.S. Cornell and son, Inc.	(1959)		Box 688	ff.12
Stationery--Chew and Company--Advertising	(undated)		Box 688	ff.13
Miscellaneous--brochures--Germantown Week Celebrations	(1969, undated)		Box 688	ff.14
Miscellaneous--The Playgoer--The Magazine of the Theatre	(undated)	[cover includes reproduction of Cliveden]	Box 688	ff.15
Miscellaneous--Walpole Society/American Association for State and Local History/House plan/magazine clipping	(1962, undated)		Box 688	ff.16

### I. Catherine Chew

Catherine Chew was one of Benjamin Chew Jr.'s unmarried sisters. He acted as her attorney and oversaw her affairs until his death. The majority of the documents in this subseries consist of bills and receipts for personal expenses, but there is also a folder of letters.

Accounts--bills and receipts	(1809-1815)		Box 689	ff.1
Accounts--bills and receipts	(1818-1821)		Box 689	ff.2
Accounts--bills and receipts	(1826-1827)		Box 689	ff.3
Accounts--bills and receipts	(1828-1829)		Box 689	ff.4
Correspondence	(1814, undated)		Box 689	ff.5

### J. Charles Ridgely Chew

Charles Ridgely Chew was the son of Henry Banning Chew and Harriet Ridgely. This subseries contain only a few letters, several receipts, and a letter book related to his estate.

Accounts--receipt	(1854)		Box 689	ff.6
Correspondence--Elizabeth Ann Chew to Charles Ridgely Chew	(1866)		Box 689	ff.7
Correspondence--Charles Ridgely Chew to Harriet Ridgely	(undated)		Box 689	ff.8

Estate of Charles Ridgely Chew-- land sale	(1876)		Box 689	ff.9
Estate of Charles Ridgely Chew-- letter book	(1875-1886)	[in box]	Box 689	ff.10

### **K. Elizabeth A. (Ralston) Chew**

Elizabeth A. Ralston Chew was Henry Banning Chew's second wife. This subseries primarily contains accounts between Elizabeth Ralston and the attorney in charge of Robert Ralston's estate, and correspondence with her brothers, husband, and daughter.

Accounts--Bills and receipts	(1840-1855)		Box 689	ff.11
Accounts--Elizabeth A. (Ralston) Chew account with the Ralston Trustees	(1812-1850)		Box 689	ff.12
Accounts--Elizabeth A. (Ralston) Chew account with the Ralston Trustees	(1851-1855)		Box 689	ff.13
Accounts--Elizabeth A. (Ralston) Chew account with the Ralston Trustees	(1856-1861)		Box 689	ff.14
Accounts--stock	(1830-1861, undated)		Box 689	ff.15
Correspondence	(1820-1851)		Box 689	ff.16-19
Correspondence	(1852-1958, undated)		Box 690	ff.1-4
Genealogy	(1853)		Box 690	ff.5
Lists of silver-plate	(undated)		Box 690	ff.6
Will, codicils, release of dower	(1855-1858)		Box 690	ff.7
Miscellaneous--newspaper clippings, booklet, note, pencil drawing	(undated)		Box 690	ff.8

### **L. Elizabeth Oswald Chew**

Elizabeth Oswald Chew was the niece of Joseph Turner and in 1757 became Benjamin Chew Sr.'s second wife. This subseries contains accounts related to her expenses and statements and receipts of monies received by the trustees of Benjamin Chew's estate. Copies and drafts of her will are also part of the subseries. Most correspondence is between husband and wife with a folder of letters between Elizabeth Oswald and her son Benjamin Chew Jr; her son is also the author of various lists of people attending her funeral. A newspaper clipping of her obituary and Benjamin Chew Jr.'s handwritten account of her death are also included.

Accounts--Appraisals & inventories	(1819)		Box 690	ff.9
Accounts--bills and receipts	(1784-1819)		Box 690	ff.10
Accounts--Miscellaneous	(1819, undated)		Box 690	ff.11
Accounts--Legacies paid to family members	(1819)		Box 690	ff.12
Bonds & Agreements	(1810-1813)		Box 690	ff.13
Cash book	(1791-1793)		Box 690	ff.14
Cash book	(1815-1818)		Box 690	ff.15
Correspondence--Benjamin Chew to Elizabeth Oswald Chew	(1757-1786, undated)		Box 690	ff.16
Correspondence--Benjamin Chew Jr. to Elizabeth Oswald Chew	(1784-1810, undated)		Box 690	ff. 17
Correspondence--letter from Benjamin Chew Jr. to Elizabeth Oswald Chew	(undated)	[oversize] [encapsulated]	Flat file	70
Correspondence--miscellaneous to Elizabeth Oswald Chew	(1765-1817)		Box 690	ff.18
Correspondence, memos, & notes	(1819, undated)		Box 690	ff.19
Funeral lists	(1819, undated)		Box 690	ff. 20
Obituary & death account	(1819)		Box 690	ff. 21
Receipt book	(1810)		Box 690	ff. 22
Will & drafts	(1816-1819, undated)		Box 690	ff. 23

### **M. Harriet Chew Carroll (1775-1861)**

The eighth of nine children born to Benjamin Chew and his second wife Elizabeth Oswald, Harriet Chew reached adolescence just as the first Washington administration occupied Philadelphia. Considered a part of the "Republican Court," she was said to be a favorite of the first United States president, visiting with him during a portrait sitting so as to "give his face its most agreeable expression." Harriet Chew married Charles Carroll Jr. (also know as Charles Carroll of Homewood), son of Charles Carroll of Carrollton, the only Roman Catholic signer of the Declaration of Independence and, at the time, one of the wealthiest men in America.

This subseries consists mainly of agreements, correspondence, and wills related to the union between Harriet Chew and Charles Carroll Jr., with documents describing the courtship and family life of the couple, as well as their eventual marital split. Items of particular note include a sequence of communications between Benjamin Chew and Charles Carroll of Carrollton, stipulating the terms on which each would consent to the wished-for “arrangement” between their respective children.

Also of interest is a group of letters documenting the case of Charity Castle (Box 691, ff. 7). This case involved the Act for the Gradual Abolition of Slavery of 1780, which granted freedom to any slave brought into Pennsylvania and retained there for six months. Castle, a slave who Harriet Chew Carroll brought with her to Philadelphia when she separated from her husband, claimed her freedom after spending more than six months in Pennsylvania. Documentation includes a letter between Benjamin Chew Jr. and Charles Carroll of Carrollton describing Castle’s reluctance to return to Homewood and another communication explaining that she could not be taken out of the state due to a severe accident. Among the remaining contents is a deposition attesting to the circumstances of the case, a doctor’s opinion advising against moving the injured woman, and legal opinions submitted on the part of lawyers William Lewis and William Rawle. Additional material related to this case may be found in the correspondence between Benjamin Chew Jr. and the Carrolls in Series 4.

Correspondence—Charles Carroll, Jr. to Benjamin Chew	(1800-1805, undated)		Box 691	ff.1
Correspondence—Charles Carroll, Jr. to Benjamin Chew, Jr.	(1806-1814, undated)		Box 691	ff.2
Correspondence—Misc.	(1797-1820, undated)		Box 691	ff.3
Draft of Charles Carroll, Jr.’s will	(1806)		Box 691	ff.4
Drawing of a tombstone for Harriet Chew Carroll’s son Benjamin	(1807)		Box 691	ff.5
Documents related to Harriet Chew Carroll’s inheritance from her father’s estate	(1821-1836)		Box 691	ff.6
Documents related to the case of the slave, Charity Castle	(1814)	see Series 4 for related material	Box 691	ff.7
Draft Articles of Agreement—Transferring the services of a slave from Harriet Carroll to David Wane	(1817)		Box 691	ff.8
Marriage negotiations and agreement—Charles Carroll Jr. and Harriet Chew	(1800)		Box 691	ff.9
Will and Codicils—Charles Carroll of Carrollton	(1825-1831)		Box 691	ff.10

### **N. Henrietta Chew**

Henrietta Chew was one of Benjamin Chew, Jr.'s unmarried sisters. He acted as her attorney and oversaw her affairs until his death. In a codicil to her will dated 1845, Henrietta revoked the bequest of her father's gold watch that she had made to Benjamin Chew III, presumably due to the family argument he had recently instigated by disputing Benjamin Jr.'s will. In the same codicil, Henrietta named her nephew John P. Montgomery sole executor of her will.

Accounts--bills and receipts	(1800-1843, undated)		Box 691	ff.11
Correspondence	(1801-1847, undated)		Box 691	ff.12
Will and codicils	(1840-1847)		Box 691	ff.13

### **O. Anna Maria Chew**

Anna Maria Chew was one of Benjamin Chew Jr.'s sisters. At her death in 1812, Col. John Howard (husband to her sister Margaret "Peggy" Chew) was appointed administrator of her estate. All documents in this subseries pertain to her estate.

Certifications--Letters of Administration	(1852-1872)		Box 691	ff.14
Estate of Ann Maria Chew--accounts, correspondence	(1815-1828, undated)		Box 691	ff.15
Will	(1812)		Box 691	ff.16

### **P. Benjamin Chew (1878-1938)**

The brother of David Sands Brown, Samuel Chew (d.1919) and Anne Sophia Penn Chew Alston, Benjamin Chew married Anne Thompson and was the father, among others, of Anne Chew Barringer, Benjamin Chew Jr. (1914-1972) and Samuel Chew (1915-1989). This subseries consists of a journal, miscellaneous correspondence, and ephemera.

Correspondence	(1884-1919, undated)		Box 691	ff.17
Ephemera--minstrel show program, prayer book, ink drawing	(1893, undated)		Box 691	ff.18
Ephemera--Dance program	(1894)		Box 691	ff.19
Journal	(1891-1892)	[in small box]	Box 691	ff.20

**Q. Henry B. Chew [son of Charles Ridgely Chew]**

This small subseries consists of business papers related to an oil lease, and miscellaneous accounts and correspondence.

Accounts--receipt	(1882)		Box 691	ff.21
Business papers--oil lease	(1876)		Box 691	ff.22
Correspondence--John Carr to Henry B. Chew	(1888, undated)		Box 691	ff.23

**R. Maria Chew**

Maria Chew was one of Benjamin Chew, Jr.'s unmarried sisters. He acted as her attorney and oversaw her affairs until his death. This subseries consists of one folder of letters between Maria Chew and other Chew family members.

Correspondence	(1788-1838, undated)		Box 691	ff.24
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**S. John Chew (1797-1815)**

The majority of the documents in this subseries are letters between John Chew and his parents, to his friend Alexander Coxe, and other miscellaneous correspondence. A diploma from the University of Pennsylvania is also included.

Accounts, correspondence, & notes	(1815-1817)		Box 692	ff.1
Correspondence--Katherine Banning Chew to John Chew	(1814-1815)		Box 692	ff.2
Correspondence--Benjamin Chew Jr. to John Chew	(1814-1815)		Box 692	ff.3
Correspondence--John Chew to Alexander Coxe	(1814-1815)		Box 692	ff.4
Correspondence--miscellaneous to John Chew	(1814, undated)		Box 692	ff.5
Diploma—University of Pennsylvania	(1812)		Flat file	71

**T. Henry B. Chew Jr.**

This subseries reflect the early years of the son of Henry B. Chew (Series VII). Papers in the subseries are primarily related to his years in school with scant correspondence that includes a letter mentioning an illness that took him at twenty years old.

Correspondence--Anne Sophia Penn Chew to Henry B. Chew Jr.	(1853)		Box 692	ff.6
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Correspondence--Henry B. Chew Sr. to Mrs. Henry B. Chew	(1855)	[re: Henry B. Chew Jr.'s illness]	Box 692	ff.7
Correspondence--Samuel Chew to Henry B. Chew Jr.	(1853-1855)		Box 692	ff.8
Correspondence--students of Dickinson College to Henry B. Chew Sr.	(1853)		Box 692	ff.9
Drawing--pencil sketch	(1847)		Box 692	ff.10
Notebook--Math [Dickinson College]	(undated)		Box 692	ff.11
Papers related to medical school	(1854-1855)		Box 692	ff.12

### U. Anne Chew Barringer

Anne Chew Barringer was the sister of Benjamin Chew Jr. (1914-1872) and Samuel Chew (1915-1989). She helped both of them sort the family papers. The documents in this subseries reflect her interest in the family's genealogy and the history of Cliveden.

Correspondence--Athenaeum of Philadelphia to Anne Chew Barringer	(1959)		Box 692	ff.13
Genealogy--Chew Family charts	(undated)		Box 692	ff.14
Genealogy--Memo [clothing from Cliveden for the National Trust of Historic Preservation]	(1972)		Box 692	ff.15
Genealogy--notes about the Chew Family	(undated)		Box 692	ff.16
Genealogy--owners of Cliveden	(undated)		Box 692	ff. 17
Inventory--family papers	(undated)		Box 692	ff.18

### V. Barbara Dale Williams

Barbara Dale Williams was Samuel Chew's (1915-1989) first wife. She helped with the renewing efforts at Cliveden and coordinated and hosted visits to the mansion. This subseries contains letters and papers about genealogical research.

Correspondence	(1959-1962)		Box 692	ff.19
Genealogy--Chew Family	(1962)		Box 692	ff.20

### W. Banning Family

Members of the Banning family included in this subseries are Jeremiah Banning, Henry Banning, and their father Anthony Banning (d. 1787), who lived in Talbot County, Maryland and was also the father of Katherine (Banning) Chew (wife of Benjamin Chew Jr.).



Most of the materials in the Banning family subseries are accounts and correspondence related to their business dealings. There are numerous receipts, invoices, bills of exchange, and statements, as well as a small account book containing brief entries of payments. The accounts of Banning, Spencer, & Banning provide detailed information on goods shipped from London by merchants Capel & Osgood Hanbury in 1769, which included clothing, spices, medicines, textiles, fishing equipment, stationary, glass & stoneware, books, gunpowder, wine, cutlery, and anchors.

Most of the Banning's correspondence deals with business matters from 1787 to 1789, around the time of Anthony Banning's death. In these letters, Jeremiah and the other executors of the Anthony Banning's estate communicate with various individuals, including James Scott and John Lloyd, in order to resolve Anthony Banning's business affairs. There is also some correspondence between family members, including some letters from Katherine B. Chew to her beloved uncle Jeremiah. In these letters, Katherine discusses events in the family and expresses feelings of sadness at Jeremiah's failure to write to her; Benjamin also wrote to Jeremiah about family life and about business affairs.

This subseries also contains a copy of Henry Banning's 1778 appointment as captain of a Maryland battalion of militia as part of the war for independence.

Accounts- Account Book	(1783-1786)		Box 693	ff 1
Accounts- Items removed from Account Book	[undated]		Box 693	ff 2
Accounts- Bills of Exchange	(1766-1775)		Box 693	ff 3
Accounts- Items shipped by Capel & Osgood Hanbury	(Jan.-March 1769)	[Invoices for Banning, Spencer, & Banning]	Box 693	ff 4
Accounts- Items shipped by Capel & Osgood Hanbury	(March 1769, undated)	[Invoices for Banning, Spencer, & Banning]	Box 693	ff 5
Accounts- Miscellaneous	(1762-1789, undated)		Box 693	ff 6
Captain's Commission- Henry Banning	(1778)		Box 693	ff 7
Correspondence- Benjamin Chew to Jeremiah Banning	(1789-1795)		Box 693	ff 8
Correspondence between Administrators of Anthony Banning Estate and John Lloyd	(1788-1789)		Box 693	ff 9
Correspondence between Administrators of Anthony Banning Estate and Miscellaneous	(1788, undated)		Box 693	ff 10
Correspondence between Anthony Banning and Miscellaneous	(1787-1788, undated)		Box 693	ff 11

Correspondence – C. and O. Hanbury to Banning, Spencer, & Banning	(1769)		Box 693	ff 12
Correspondence- James Scott to Jeremiah Banning	(1788)		Box 693	ff 13
Correspondence- Miscellaneous to Jeremiah Banning	(1788-1789, undated)	[Contains letters from Katherine B. Chew]	Box 693	ff 14
Correspondence- Miscellaneous	(1779-1806)		Box 693	ff 15

### **X. Mason Family**

Eliza Margaretta Chew (1798-1874) was the sixth child of Benjamin Chew Jr. and Katherine Banning Chew. She married James Murray Mason (1798-1871), the grandson of the American statesman, George Mason IV, who was active in Virginia and national politics during the Revolutionary period. The younger Mason served as both a U.S. representative and senator from Virginia in the years preceding the Civil War. At the time of the War, he sided with the Confederacy and was expelled from the Senate.

The bulk of this subseries consists of personal correspondence between members of the Mason family, along with assorted letters from other relatives, associates, and friends. Almost all of the letters date from 1835 and 1860. There are also letters from family members and others that contain request for patronage and other favors.

Accounts—James M. Mason and Eliza M. Mason	(1834-1880, undated)		Box 694	ff 1
Correspondence—Eliza M. Mason to James M. Mason	(1845-1859)		Box 694	ff 2
Correspondence—Eliza M. Mason to Misc.	(1854-1871)		Box 694	ff 3
Correspondence—Misc.	(1844-1885, undated)		Box 694	ff 4
Correspondence—Misc. to Eliza M. Mason	(1817-1865)		Box 694	ff 5
Correspondence—Misc. to Eliza M. Mason	[undated]		Box 694	ff 6
Correspondence—Misc. to James M. Mason	(1835-1850)		Box 694	ff 7
Correspondence—Misc. to James M. Mason	(1855-1860, undated)		Box 694	ff 8
Correspondence—Misc. to Virginia Mason	(1859-1881)	[Daughter of James and Eliza Mason]	Box 694	ff 9

Ephemera—The American Ladies Pocket Book: 1820	(1820)		Box 694	ff 10
Ephemera	(1847, undated)	Newspaper clipping, periodical title page	Box 694	ff 11
Notes—James M. Mason	[undated]		Box 694	ff 12
Pamphlet—Speech of Hon. J. M. Mason of Jefferson County in the House of Delegates of West VA	(1875)		Box 694	ff 13

### Y. Maxcy Family

Virgil Maxcy married Mary Galloway, daughter of John Galloway and Sarah Chew, of Tulip Hill. He served as US Minister for Belgium in the 1840's and appointed Benjamin Chew Jr. as his attorney. Maxcy was also one of President John Taylor's cabinet members that died in the explosion of the cannon named "Peacemaker" on board the USS Princeton during a demonstration in Washington. This subseries feature letters between Mary (Galloway) Maxcy, Benjamin Chew Jr. and Catherine Chew, and a power of attorney from Virgil Maxcy naming Benjamin Chew Jr. his counsel at law.

Correspondence--Benjamin Chew Jr. to Mary Maxcy	(1826-1828)		Box 694	ff.14
Correspondence--Benjamin Chew Jr. to Virgil Maxcy	(1815-1826)		Box 694	ff.15
Correspondence--Catherine Chew to Mary Maxcy	(1819-1826)		Box 694	ff. 16
Power of attorney, notes	(1822, undated)		Box 694	ff.17

### Z. Nicklin Family

Juliana Chew married Phillip Nicklin in 1793; their daughter Sophia Chew Nicklin married George Mifflin Dallas, the son of Alexander J. Dallas, US Secretary of the Treasury (1814-1816) and Vice-President of the US (1845-1849). Along with her brother Benjamin Chew Jr., Juliana Nicklin served as administrator of Philip Nicklin's estate. Philip Nicklin had a business partnership with Robert Griffith and after his death, disputes concerning money Nicklin and Griffith owed to Benjamin Chew, Sr. and Benjamin Chew, Jr. developed into several legal cases. This subseries houses correspondence related to family, estate, and legal matters concerning the family.

Account--Juliana Nicklin in account with S. Chaudron	(1811)		Box 694	ff.18
Correspondence--between Benjamin Chew Jr. and Juliana Nicklin	(1817-1838)		Box 694	ff. 19
Correspondence--Sophia Chew Dallas to Juliana Nicklin	(undated)		Box 694	ff. 20

Correspondence--Theodore Houlbrooke to Phillip Nicklin	(1800-1806)		Box 694	ff. 21
Correspondence--between John C. Montgomery and Juliana Nicklin	(1814-1817)		Box 694	ff. 22
Correspondence--Elizabeth Nicklin to Phillip Nicklin	(1791-1804)		Box 694	ff.23
Correspondence--William White Chew to Juliana Nicklin	(1837-1838)		Box 694	ff. 24
Correspondence--miscellaneous to Juliana Nicklin	(1792-1840, undated)		Box 694	ff. 25
Correspondence--miscellaneous to Phillip Nicklin	(1796-1806)		Box 694	ff. 26
Ledger	(1801)	[in small box]	Box 694	ff. 27
List of invitations to the funeral of Elizabeth Chew	(undated)		Box 694	ff. 28

#### **AA. Galloway Family**

Benjamin Chew Jr.'s half-sister Sarah Chew was married to John Galloway; their daughter Mary Galloway was Virgil Maxcy's wife. This subseries consists of correspondence between family members, statements of estate estimates, and documents related to inheritance disputes.

Bonds and agreements	(1787)		Box 695	ff 1
Correspondence--Benjamin Chew to Samuel Galloway	(1759-1776)		Box 695	ff 2
Correspondence--Benjamin Chew to Sarah Galloway	(1795-1804)		Box 695	ff 3
Correspondence--Benjamin Chew Jr. to Sarah Galloway	(1789-1819)		Box 695	ff 4
Correspondence--Catherine Chew to Sarah Galloway	(1819)		Box 695	ff 5
Correspondence--Harriet Chew to Sarah Galloway and Mary Galloway	(1794-1798)		Box 695	ff 6
Correspondence--Maria Chew to Sarah Galloway	(1818-1819)		Box 695	ff 7
Correspondence--Samuel Chew to John Galloway	(1734)		Box 695	ff 8
Correspondence--Sam Galloway to Captain Robert Wilson [Master of the Baltimore]	(1755)		Box 695	ff 9

Correspondence--Sarah Galloway to John Galloway	(1786-1789, undated)		Box 695	ff 10
Correspondence--Sarah Galloway to Mary Galloway	(1809, undated)		Box 695	ff 11
Correspondence--unknown sender	(undated)		Box 695	ff 12
Correspondence--miscellaneous to Samuel Galloway	(1754-1763)		Box 695	ff 13
Correspondence--miscellaneous to John Galloway	(1786-1808)		Box 695	ff 14
Estimate of estate	(undated)		Box 695	ff 15
Papers related to Joseph Galloway's inheritance dispute	(1785, undated)		Box 695	ff 16
Will & drafts, obituary, & memos	(1818-1831)		Box 695	ff 17

### **BB. Phillips Family**

Sophia Philips was Benjamin Chew Jr.'s sister. After the death of her husband, Henry Philips, in 1800, Benjamin Jr. acted as her attorney and guardian, and oversaw her finances and affairs until her death in 1841. He also assisted her in drafting her will. This subseries feature business accounts by Henry Phillips, miscellaneous correspondence, and copies of Sophia Phillips' will.

Accounts--Henry Phillips in account with James Phillips	(1799-1800)		Box 695	ff. 18
Account - James Fraquair	(1810)	[re: tomb & grave work]	Box 695	ff. 19
Accounts--Merchandise--Cape Francois	(1800)		Box 695	ff. 20
Correspondence	(1792-1831, undated)		Box 695	ff. 21
Will & codicil drafts	(1812, undated)		Box 695	ff. 22

### **CC. Frisby Family**

Peregrine Frisby was Samuel Chew's (1737-1809) father-in-law. Besides miscellaneous correspondence and receipts, this small subseries contain documents with references to Swanpoint plantation in Maryland.

Account Book	(1753-1789)	[in small box] [includes mention of Swanpoint]	Box 695	ff. 23
Items removed from Account Book (1753-1789)	(1753-1789)	[includes mention of Swanpoint]	Box 695	ff.24

Accounts--receipts	(1762-1769, undated)		Box 695	ff. 25
Correspondence	(1767-1768)		Box 695	ff. 26
Will--Anna Maria (Frisby) Chew	(1808)		Box 695	ff. 27

#### **DD. Tilghman Family**

This subseries is comprised of letters between Edward Tilghman (married to Benjamin Chew's sister Elizabeth) and various correspondents.

Correspondence--M. Buchanan to Edward Tilghman	(1810-1811)		Box 695	ff. 28
Correspondence--Benjamin Chew to Edward Tilghman	(1772-1804)		Box 695	ff. 29
Correspondence--Benjamin Chew Jr. to Edward Tilghman	(1773-1797)		Box 695	ff. 30
Correspondence--John D. Lewis to Edward Tilghman	(1815-1821)		Box 695	ff. 31
Correspondence--Edward Tilghman to "Betsy" Chew	(1772-1773)		Box 695	ff. 32
Correspondence--miscellaneous to Edward Tilghman	(1741-1814)		Box 695	ff. 33

#### **EE. Miscellaneous**

This subseries is comprised of small groups of documents related to members of the Chew family or other persons with connections to the family, including Alexander Murray, Alexander Wilcocks, Harriet Ridgely, J. Dorsey, and James and John Howard, John Ambler, and Margaret (Peggy) Chew Howard.

Alexander Murray--Correspondence	(1818-1822)		Box 696	ff 1
Alexander Murray--Extracts from diary	(1822)		Box 696	ff 2
Alexander Wilcocks--Correspondence	(1793-1804)		Box 696	ff 3
Harriet Ridgely--Correspondence	(1890)		Box 696	ff 4
J. Dorsey--Correspondence	(1872-1884, undated)		Box 696	ff 5
James, John and Margaret Howard--Correspondence, receipts and notes	(1788-1832, undated)		Box 696	ff 6

John Ambler--Correspondence	(1854)		Box 696	ff 7
Margaret (Peggy) Chew--notebook	(undated)		Box 696	ff 8

**Series 18. Cliveden, 1639-1960, undated, (Boxes 697-703)**

The Cliveden series offers a history of the mansion that Benjamin Chew built in Germantown, which the Chew family used as a summer home, and to escape the epidemics of yellow fever in the city. Deeds and accounts comprise the majority of the documents in the series; almost the entire history of the mansion is covered, from estimates of construction costs in the 1760's to transfers of property titles in the 1930's. Included are deeds and papers related to the sale of the Cliveden estate by Benjamin Chew to Blair McClenachan after the end of the Revolutionary War, as well as documents pertaining to Benjamin Chew's repurchase of the property. Other deeds describe the selling or leasing of Cliveden lots after the family finances took a bad turn around the 1850's.

Since Cliveden was also a farm, a portion of the account papers detail different aspects of harvest operations (potatoes, rye, oat, wheat), including information on wages paid to laborers and bills and receipts for services, repairs, and goods needed at the farm. Other accounts are related to Anne Sophia Penn Chew's role as administrator of William White Chew's and Anthony B. Chew's estates, and financial documents produced by John Keyser and A.D. Cash, attorney and agent, respectively, for Henry B. Chew and Samuel Chew, executors of Benjamin Chew's estate.

The correspondence describes two main aspects of the development of Cliveden: daily administration affairs and estate administration. Most details about ordinary daily events at Cliveden are found in Anne Sophia Penn Chew's letters. Topics discussed in letters range from money matters, repairs, and her own difficulties restoring and maintaining the house, to her role in selling and leasing some of the Cliveden lots when the estate endured financial trouble in the second half of the nineteenth century. Letters between Henry B. Chew, James M .Mason and A.D. Cash deal almost exclusively with decisions about Cliveden in the context of their job as executors or administrators of Benjamin Chew's estate.

Broadsides include not only advertisements for public sale of ground lots but also examples of notices published by Benjamin Chew III against the executors when he was disputing their right to administer Benjamin Chew Jr.'s estate.

Miscellaneous documents in the series include lists and inventories of Cliveden furnishings, and papers related to repairs made to the building throughout the years. There is also a folder with photographs of Benjamin Chew's coaches, and letters from representatives of organizations, Ford Company among others, interested in such vehicles.

Another interesting side of the development of Cliveden can be seen through the many surveys, ground plans, architectural designs and floor plans featured in the series. These depict the mansion in various forms: Cliveden with its surrounding streets, divided in lots owned or leased by different people, designs for the house rooms, and proposals for doors and windows.

Accounts--A.D. Cash	(1854-1861, undated)	[agent for Benjamin Chew's Estate]	Box 697	ff 1
Accounts--advertising, plumbers, lumber, coal, repairs; other expenses	(1857-1871)		Box 697	ff 2



Accounts--Anne S.P. Chew as administrator of Anthony B. Chew's Estate	(1868-1869)		Box 697	ff 3
Accounts--Anne S.P. Chew as Executrix of William W. Chew's Estate	(1868-1873)		Box 697	ff 4
Accounts--Anne S.P. Chew--Bills, receipts and calculations	(1856-1878, undated)		Box 697	ff 5
Accounts--appraisal of lots	(1871, undated)		Box 697	ff 6
Accounts--Benjamin Chew in account with Henry Nickum; other Cliveden expenses	(1815-1817)		Box 697	ff 7
Accounts--calculations	(1867-1868, undated)		Box 697	ff 8
Accounts--calf, wages; Benjamin Chew in account with Henry Nickum; with Sam Johnson; with Jacob Rittenhouse	(1823-1827)		Box 697	ff 9
Accounts--Construction of Cliveden--Bills and receipts	(1764-1767)		Box 697	ff 10
Accounts--Construction of Cliveden--Bills and receipts	(1768-1797)		Box 697	ff 11
Accounts--Construction of Cliveden--Estimates of costs	(1764-1767, undated)		Box 697	ff 12
Accounts--Expenses	(undated)		Box 697	ff 13
Accounts--Expenses--Booklet	(1855-1856)		Box 703	
Accounts--harvest wages, hickory, coal, wheat, other expenses	(1800-1808)		Box 697	ff 14
Accounts--hay, calf, crops, mowing, other expenses	(1809-1813)		Box 697	ff 15
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