

**York County Heritage Trust
Manuscript Collection**

**MSS 12476
General William Buel Franklin Collection
1838-1995**

OVERVIEW OF THE COLLECTION

Object ID No: 12476

Title: General William Buel Franklin Collection

Creator: William Buel Franklin

Dates: 1838-1903

Media: Papers, books, photographs

Quantity: 3.67 linear feet

BIOGRAPHY OF WILLIAM BUEL FRANKLIN

William B. Franklin was born on February 27, 1823 in York, Pennsylvania. He was the oldest son of Walter S. Franklin, a Clerk of the United States House of Representatives, and Sarah Buel Franklin, who had six children, five boys and one girl. He married Anna L. Clarke in 1852.

Franklin was appointed to the United States Military Academy at West Point in 1839 and graduated first in his class in 1843. Following graduation, Franklin was appointed to the United States Army Corps of Topographical Engineers, spending two years with the Stephen W. Kearny Expedition before serving in the Mexican-American War. He then served as a professor at West Point for three years before being appointed to the Light House Board on the north Atlantic Coast, eventually becoming the supervisor of the Board in 1857. In 1859 he was appointed as the engineer supervising construction on the United States Capitol Dome and Post Office Extension, and then as the supervising architect for the Treasury Building just before the beginning of the Civil War.

During the Civil War, Franklin moved through the ranks quickly, eventually earning his highest rank of Major General on July 4, 1862. He was appointed the commander of the Sixth Corps of the Army of the Potomac, which he led in the Peninsula Campaign. Franklin led the Left Grand Division at the Battle of Fredericksburg. Following the Union's defeat at the Battle of Fredericksburg, most of the responsibility for the loss was put on Franklin, and he later testified before the U.S. Congress Joint Committee on the Conduct of the War about the battle. Franklin's image was badly damaged following the defeat at Fredericksburg and the ensuing political upheaval, and he was later transferred to the Department of the Gulf where he commanded the Nineteenth Corp and served in the Red River Campaign. He was wounded in the leg in Louisiana, captured and escaped a day later. The wound limited his service for the remainder of the War.

In 1866, Franklin moved to Hartford, Connecticut and became the Vice President of the Colt Firearms Manufacturing Company, remaining in that position until 1888. He then served as vice president of a Hartford insurance company, and was named a U.S. Commissioner General for the Paris Exposition of 1889. During his years in Connecticut, he was a prominent civic leader,

serving on many boards and commissions. Franklin was the President of the Board of Managers of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers from 1880 to 1899, and he supervised construction of the Connecticut State Capitol Building. Franklin died on March 8, 1903 in Hartford, Connecticut and is buried in York, Pennsylvania at Prospect Hill Cemetery.

SCOPE AND CONTENTS OF THE COLLECTION

The manuscript component of the collection primarily consists of letters written by or to Franklin. Many of Franklin's diaries, journals, letters and dispatches written during the Civil War are included. Much of the Civil War era and post-Civil War era correspondence, as well as other items, are regarding the Battle of Fredericksburg. The letters include correspondence from or to: George B. McClellan, George Meade, William J. Sewell, Winfield Scott Hancock, Henry W. Halleck, Ambrose E. Burnside, Fitz John Porter, William S. Rosecrans, William F. "Baldy" Smith, the Comte de Paris, William H. Swift, Thomas E.G. Ransom, Walter F. Atlee, and Anna L. Franklin. Additionally, there are letters between Franklin and his professors at West Point, letters regarding his retirement from the Soldier's Home, letters regarding a possible position as President of Columbia College, letters regarding a possible sale of firearms to the Turkish government, and letters regarding Franklin's personal finances after the Civil War.

The collection also includes newspaper clippings; manuscripts on the Civil War, the Kearny Expedition and the Mexican-American War; items related to the Paris Exposition of 1889; items related to the Rock Island Bridge Commission; items related to Franklin's various civic activities in Hartford; information on the Clarke family; and documents from the construction of Franklin's house in Hartford, Connecticut.

There are a small number of books owned by Franklin, as well as a small number of photographs of Franklin and family members.

ORGANIZATION OF THE COLLECTION

The General William Buel Franklin Collection consists of three series: papers, books and photographs. Series I, the papers, are arranged by topic. Series II, the books, are arranged alphabetically. Series III, the photographs, are arranged by subject.

Series I: Papers contains correspondence written by or to Franklin, many written during the Civil War or after the War regarding the Battle of Fredericksburg; diaries, journals and dispatches written by Franklin during the Civil War; newspaper clippings and miscellaneous pamphlets related to Franklin or the Battle of Fredericksburg; and miscellaneous personal papers of Franklin.

Series II: Books belonging to Franklin.

Series III: Photographs, primarily of Franklin throughout his life, and his family.

SEE ALSO

From First to Last: The Life of Major General William B. Franklin by Mark A. Snell, object ID nos. 26438B and 26439B (2 copies).

In Memoriam: William Buel Franklin, February 27, 1823; March 8, 1903, object ID nos. 02449B and 00859B (2 copies)

Memorial of Sarah Buel Franklin, died December 12, 1882, object ID no. 01205B

Memories of a Rear-Admiral Who Has Served For More Than Half a Century in the Navy of the United States by S.R. Franklin, object ID no. 08133B

General William B. Franklin and the Operations of the Left Wing at the Battle of Fredericksburg, December 13, 1862 by Jacob L. Greene, object ID no. 30371B

Map of the Battle of Fredericksburg, originally in a folder inside the lower cover of the above book

Framed letter from William B. Franklin to General L. Thomas regarding his assignment following the Battle of Fredericksburg

Photograph of Major General William B. Franklin, c. 1863, object ID nos. 10797.029P and 10797.030P (2 copies)

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DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE COLLECTION

SERIES I: MANUSCRIPTS

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1	12476.001	General information	July 14, 2001
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1	12476.004	Clarke family papers	1838 – 1850
1	12476.005	Church treasurer's records from the Parish of the Good Shepherd, Hartford, Connecticut	1878
1	12476.006	Receipt for cemetery plot in Portland, Maine	May 21, 1856

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1	12476.007	Receipt for taxes on land owned by Franklin in Iowa – Mexican War bounty land	January 14, 1860
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1	12476.009	Manuscript of article “Rear Guard Fighting” for Century Magazine	1862 – 1870
1	12476.010	Miscellaneous post-war correspondence related to Franklin’s personal finances	1847 – 1885
1	12476.011	Post-war newspaper clippings	1870 – 1903
1	12476.012	Newspaper article about McClellan statue	1861 – 1895
1	12476.013	Newspaper article about Franklin, “Prominent Hartford Man”	1862 – 1903
1	12476.014	Philadelphia Inquirer article – Franklin’s farewell address to the Left Guard	1862 – 1894
1	12476.015	Post-war newspaper clippings	1890 – 1997
1	12476.016	William B. Franklin’s obituary	1898 – 1903
1	12476.017	Miscellaneous engravings of Franklin	
1	12476.018	Society of the Cincinnati	1897 – 1902
1	12476.019	Papers on Continental Congress	
	12476.020	William B. Franklin’s retirement from the Soldier’s Home	1897 - 1903
2	12476.021	Letter to Jacob L. Greene	September 30, 1900
2	12476.022	Confederate invasion of York, PA	1913 – 1920
2	12476.023	Letter from William J. Sewell to Anna L. Franklin	May 5, 1898
2	12476.024	Letter from Winfield Scott Hancock	1885 – 1995
2	12476.025	Letter regarding the Church of the Good Shepherd	1880
2	12476.026	Miscellaneous correspondence	1838 – 1903
2	12476.027	Correspondence from Thomas E.G. Ransom	June, 1864
2	12476.028	Letters sent to Capt. William H. Swift	1847 – 1862
2	12476.029	Correspondence regarding William B. Franklin in William Swift’s papers	1856 – 1861
2	12476.030	Miscellaneous correspondence	1861
2	12476.031	Letters from U.S. military academy professors	1861
2	12476.032	Letters from William B. Franklin to Walter Atlee	1863 – 1864
2	12476.033	Miscellaneous Fredericksburg correspondence	1862 – 1866
2	12476.034	Letters regarding possible position for William B. Franklin as president of Columbia College	1864 – 1884
2	12476.035	Letters about the Fredericksburg pamphlet	1863 – 1902
2	12476.036	Letters to William B. Franklin regarding Fredericksburg	1863
2	12476.037	Correspondence with Henry W. Halleck and Ambrose E. Burnside concerning Fredericksburg	1863 – 1866
2	12476.038	Correspondence from M.G. Daniel Butterfield to William B. Franklin	April 24, 1863

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2	12476.039	Correspondence from William B. Franklin to Anna L. Franklin (from Louisiana)	1863 – 1865
2	12476.040	Second Edition of William B. Franklin’s Reply to the Joint Committee of Congress on the Conduct of the War of the First Battle of Fredericksburg	1867
2	12476.041	Letters from William B. Franklin to Anna L. Franklin from his European business trip	November 1869 – February 1870
2	12476.042	Correspondence regarding the Light House Board	1859 – 1902
2	12476.043	Letter from Henry Haglee to William B. Franklin	December 21, 1885
2	12476.044	Correspondence from Winfield Scott Hancock to William B. Franklin	1880 – 1886
2	12476.045	Correspondence to William B. Franklin from General William S. Rosecrans	1884
2	12476.046	Miscellaneous correspondence	1878 – 1885
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2	12476.053	Correspondence concerning the Comte de Paris’ “The Civil War in America”	1876
2	12476.054	Dedication address by William B. Franklin at the unveiling of the McClellan equestrian statue and related correspondence	1891 – 1894
2	12476.055	Correspondence from the editorial department at The Century Magazine, New York, to William B. Franklin	1885
2	12476.056	Correspondence – Hartford, Connecticut	1890 – 1897
2	12476.057	Invitation to City of New York by Mayor of New York	1897
2	12476.058	Correspondence from F.H. Paine to William B. Franklin on European matters	1873 – 1887
2	12476.059	Correspondence from Emily M. Brace	1899
2	12476.060	Correspondence from Henry Kyd Douglass	1900
2	12476.061	Extract from a letter to Admiral Samuel B. Franklin regarding William B. Franklin	1898 – 1901
2	12476.062	William B. Franklin’s memories of York, Pennsylvania	
2	12476.063	Miscellaneous correspondence about William B. Franklin	1952 – 1853
3	12476.064	Diary of William B. Franklin	1864
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3	12476.070	Biography of Aaron Burr	
3	12476.071	Notebook of Civil War dispatches/letters written by William B. Franklin	1863 – 1864
3	12476.072	Notebook	1870s
3	12476.073	Early Civil War journals of William B. Franklin	1861
3	12476.074	William B. Franklin's passport	June 10, 1872
3	12476.075	William B. Franklin's autograph	September, 1879
3	12476.076	Manuscript of William B. Franklin's account of his escape after being captured by Confederate Major Henry Gilmore in 1864	1864 – 1903
3	12476.077	William B. Franklin's account of the War with Mexico and the history of Texas	
3	12476.078	William B. Franklin's account of the Kearny Expedition to South Pass on the Santa Fe Trail	
3	12476.079	Letters to William B. Franklin regarding the Battle of Fredericksburg	1859 – 1863
3	12476.080	General McClellan's and General Grant's management	1893 – 1895
3	12476.081	Military Review of the Campaign in Virginia and Maryland	
4	12476.082	Letter from William F. Smith to Century Magazine	
4	12476.083	Memorial biography of William P. Trowbridge	
4	12476.084	William B. Franklin's commissions with the United States Army	1845 – 1901
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4	12476.086	Correspondence concerning Franklin's assignment to the Rock Island Bridge Commission	1858 – 1859
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4	12476.088	Miscellaneous documents	1887
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4	12476.091	Dispatches from 1861 and 1862, Seven Days Battle	1861 – 1862
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4	12476.096	Order to William B. Franklin to report to General Banks	June, 1863
4	12476.097	Correspondence and orders relating to William B. Franklin's relief from command in the Army of the Potomac	1862 – 1863
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4	12476.099	Correspondence from the Red River Campaign	October 22, 1863
4	12476.100	War record copies	1864
4	12476.101	Historical sketch of Major General Nathaniel P. Banks	1864
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4	12476.106	Letter from the Military Order of the Loyal Legion on William B. Franklin's death	1885 – 1903
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4	12476.108	Account books	1849 – 1888
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4	12476.111	Article "Gen. William B. Franklin and the Operations of the Left Wing at the Battle of Fredericksburg"	1900
4	12476.112	Miscellaneous envelopes	1890 – 1903
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5	12476.115	Miscellaneous newspaper articles	1867 – 1896
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5	12476.117	William B. Franklin's accounts of the beginning of the Civil War	
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5	12476.126	Letters from George B. McClellan	1833 – 1884
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6	12476.141	Miscellaneous correspondence	1858 – 1903
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6	12476.143	Letters from Thomas E. Ransom	June 1864
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6	12476.160	Letters from Winfield S. Hancock	1880 – 1886
6	12476.161	Correspondence from William S. Rosecrans	1884
6	12476.162	Miscellaneous correspondence	1878 – 1885
6	12476.163	Correspondence from Darius N. Couch	1881 – 1887
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6	12476.171	Correspondence from the editorial department of the Century Magazine	1885
6	12476.172	Correspondence c. 1890s	1890 – 1901
6	12476.173	Invitation to transfer of Grant's Tomb	1897
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12476.228	Book: The Captain's Dog	1888
12476.229	Book: Catalogue of the Exhibit of the American Book Trade	1889
12476.230	Book: Institution of the Society of the Cincinnati	1863, 1870
12476.231	Periodical: The Junior Munsey	July 1900
12476.232	Book: The Life of Samuel Johnson	1840, 1848
12476.233	Book: The Peninsular Campaign	1864, 1876
12476.234	Book: Voyage de Mgr Le Comte de Pairs	1891

SERIES III: PHOTOGRAPHS

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12476.003P	Brevet Major General William Buel Franklin	c. 1864
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12476.005P	William Buel Franklin	c. 1860
12476.006P	William Buel Franklin	c. 1860
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12476.008P	General William Buel Franklin	c. 1863
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12476.010P	William Buel Franklin	c. 1860
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12476.015P	General William Buel Franklin	c. 1892
12476.016P	General William Buel Franklin	c. 1889
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12476.018P	Sarah Buel Franklin	c. 1860
12476.019P	Anna Louise Clarke Franklin	c. 1880
12476.020P	General William Buel Franklin	c. 1882
12476.021P	Statue of William Prescott	
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12476.023P	General Don Carlos Buell	c. 1863
12476.024P	Sarah Buel Franklin	
12476.025P	General William Buel Franklin	c. 1863
12476.026P	General William Buel Franklin	c. 1863
12476.027P	General William Buel Franklin	c. 1863
12476.028P	William Buel Franklin	c. 1886
12476.029P	William Buel Franklin	c. 1886
12476.030P	Brevet General William Buel Franklin	c. 1900
44230P	Daguerreotype of William B. Franklin	c. 1852
44231P	Daguerreotype of Anna Louisa Clarke Franklin	c. 1852