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Box	Folder	Items	Description
1	1	1	Essays by D. Howard Moreau on 19th century writers. 26 pp.
	2	1	D. Howard Moreau "Our 125th Birthday"
	3	2	D. Howard Moreau Correspondence Letter from Rhea, no further id, Feb. 11, 1962 Pamphlet - <u>Agricultural and Economic Development</u> by G.J.A. Terra
	4	2	D. Howard Moreau Correspondence Letter from Raymond B. Drake, Aug. 28, 1962 (The Daniel Morgan Foundation) By-laws of the Morgan Foundation.
	5	4	D, Howard Moreau Correspondence From William R. Reading, 1958 "The New Jersey Genesis", 1966 (form letter) Maud L. Wilson, 1962 Marvin Stone Saxe, 1962
	6	3	D. Howard Moreau Correspondence From William B. Widnall, 2 items, 1962. Librarian of Congress to Widnall, 1962
	7	2	D. Howard Moreau Correspondence From Robert M. Lunny, 1961. + notes on the life of The Rev. George Scudder Mott.
	8	1	D. Howard Moreau Correspondence Letter from Winifred W. Godown, n.d.
	9	3	Miscellaneous Note from H.S to H.E.D., n.d. "Thank You" note, n.d., no id. Page 4 of an editorial + handwritten prayer on back, n.d., no id.
	10	1	Manuscript, n.d., no id. "Early New Jersey Newspapers" (17 pp., pp. 1-2 missing.)
	11	1	Regional High School debate Correspondence Letter "To the Editor" from George I. Bushfield, March 20, 1954. (Quoting A.L. Johnson, (Union) County Superintendent of School)
	12	1	Regional High School debate Correspondence Letter to ? from A. Alvarez, March 28, 1954. No further id.
	13	5	Regional High School debate Correspondence Letter from Ryman Herr to Howard Moreau, March 29, 1954. Moreau to Herr, March 30, 1954. Herr to Moreau, March 31, 1954. Moreau to Herr, March 31, 1954 Herr to Moreau, April 1, 1954

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1	14	3	Regional High School debate Letter "To the Editor of the Democrat", April 12, 1954 by John Haver "To the Editor", n.d. by John R. Haver Definition of the name "Haver". March 29, 1954 by George Stoppard.
	15	1	Regional High School debate Correspondence Letter to Mrs Housel, n.d., no further id.
	16	1	Regional High School debate Letter (?) to Parent-Teacher Association, n.d., no further id. (Signature indecipherable) Memorandum - Howard to Clyde, n.d.
	17	1	Regional High School debate "A Report" "Does the Proposed Regional High School Make Sense to Readington Township?" N.d. by John Armstrong William J. Layden George I. Bushfield Mrs John C. Perry Howard Drinkwater John R. Potts Albert L. Hagen Reeve Schley, Jr. Mrs Mary Hagen Richard S. Schamp Sven Knudsen Walter Sutphen
	18	1	Regional High School debate Comments on Haver letter, n.d., no id.
	19	1	Regional High School, debate Minutes of a meeting, March 5 at Trenton. No further id.
	20	1	Regional High School debate "Some Quickie Suggestions", n.d., no id.
	21	1	Regional High School debate Draft of an editorial (?) n.d., no id. "The Regional High School Question"
	22	2	Regional High School debate Cost Analysis by Hunt & Gregory, Architects, March 19, 1954 + covering letter
	23	2	Regional High School debate. Table of North Hunterdon school's pupils, n.d. + memorandum to Howard from Carpy, n.d., no further id.
	24	6	Regional High School debate Miscellaneous Memoranda Proof sheets
	25	3	Hubert G. Schmidt - Manuscripts for his column "Historically Speaking" #2 - Comments on his book <u>Rural Hunterdon</u> on " <u>Historical Collections of New Jersey, 1844</u> " Musconetcong Docket of Peter Brunner Lucas vs Williams Perry vs Linneberger Kline vs Vanburen #3 - Parker Papers Hunterdon Palce Names

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1	25 (continued)		Hunterdon Place Names Delaware Quequaacommissicong Creek Hakikahake Creek The Mystery of Aaron T. Lucas #4 - Hickory Tavern Hunterdon Place Names Raritan Holland Brook Kingwood
	26	2	The Mystery of Aaron T. Lucas (continued) Hubert G. Schmidt - Manuscripts for column #6- (copy A) - Hill's Manual Hunterdon Place Names Lamington Mullen Hill Flemington John Wurtz & Co, #6 - (copy B) - The Parker Papers Again Hunterdon Place Names Raritan Holland's Brook Kingwood Anthony Wurtz & Co., (continued)
	27	5	(For further information on these, see notes ^{ON} in the inventory) Hubert G. Schmidt - Manuscripts for column. #8 - A 1790 Land Auction Hunterdon Place Names Nishisakawick Capoolong John Wurtz & Co. (Continued) # 10 - Worthless Horse James Parker John Cooley Public Vendue - Parker Tract Noah Barton # 11 - The Farm Diary of James H. Blackwell John Wurtz & Co. (Continued) # 12 - An Early Rental Agreement The Blackwell Diary # 13 - The Blackwell Diary

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1	28	5	<p>Hubert G. Schmidt - Manuscripts for column.</p> <p>#14 - Farm Prices, 1794. An Early Threshing Machine Early March - A Bad Flood (Blackwell diary?)</p> <p>#17 - Frenchtown Store, 1797. Hunterdon Place Names Musconetcong Hakihokake Lockatong Locktown</p> <p>#17 - May, 1846, on the Blackwell Farm</p> <p>#18 - A Hunterdon County Book (Cornelius Wilson Larison) A Century Ago on the Blackwell Farm</p> <p>#18 (sic) - Westward Ho! (a personal note) The Tenting School A Century Ago on the Blackwell Farm</p> <p>#19 - Buying and Selling at Frenchtown in 1797. Flemington Junction a Century Ago This Week. (Blackwell diary)</p>
	29	5	<p>Hubert G. Schmidt - Manuscripts for column.</p> <p>#21 - A Century Ago on the Blackwell Farm The Tenting School on Cushetunk Mountain + letter from Hiram E. Deats (comment on #21.)</p> <p>#36 - Cornelius W. Larison (page missing)</p> <p>#40 - Blackwell Diary, 1846. Larison's History of Ringoes - 1889 (Continued)</p> <p>#42 - Blackwell Diary, 1846. Hunterdon County Superstitions An Angel Story</p> <p>#43 - A Frenchtown Witch A Witch at Everitsstown And at Croton Beliefs Regarding Witches Blackwell Diary, 1846.</p>
	30	5	<p>Hubert G. Schmidt - Manuscripts for column.</p> <p>#44 - Blackwell Diary, 1846. Signs and Portents Other Superstitions</p> <p>#45 - Blackwell Diary, 1846 Hunterdon Place Names Lambertville Thanksgiving</p> <p>#47 - Blackwell's Diary, 1846. Old Time Winter The Lady's Guide</p> <p>#48 - The American Christmas Christmas in Hunterdon County Blackwell's Diary</p> <p>#49 - Christmas in Hunterdon County (Continued) The New Year Blackwell's Diary</p>

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1	31	5	Hubert G. Schmidt - Manuscripts for column. #50 - An Interesting Communication Christmas Eve: Frenchtown, 1872. Blackwell's Diary #51 - Hunterdon Place Names Potersville Croton Blackwell's Diary #52 - Pioneer Doctors and Medical Practices Letter from Blue River (XXXXXXXXXX) Blackwell's Diary, 1847 #53 - Letter from Blue River (Concluded) The Frontier in 1849 Early Hunterdon Diseases #54 - A Civil War Certificate Malignant Malaria Blackwell's Diary, 1847
	32	5	Hubert G. Schmidt - Manuscripts for column. #55 - Early Hunterdon Germans Peter Young More About Malaria Blackwell's Diary, 1847 #57 - Hacklebarney, or Budd's Forge Medicinal Plants A Century ago At Blackwell's Farm #58 - A Clinton Program, 1902 Hankinson Family Reunion Blackwell's Farm, 1847 #64 - The Feeder Canal Blackwell's Farm, 1847 #65 - More About Yellow Fever Blackwell's Farm, 1847
	33	5	Hubert G. Schmidt - Manuscripts for column. #84 - Patent Medicines #85 - Schenck's Pulmonic Syrup A Booming Business #88 - More About Barleysheaf The Eath's Three Kingdoms #91 - Larison's "Elements of Orthoepy" #92 - AFlemingtonian in Ohio + a me ^m orandum
	34	5	Hubert G. Schmidt - Manuscripts for column. #99 - Memories of Dr. C.W. Larison #100 - The Art of Bleeding #101 - The Complete Farmer, 1842 Style (XXXXXXXXXX) #102 - The Complete Farmer, 1842 Style (Concluded) #104 - Hunterdon Sports and Games

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1	35	6	Hubert G. Schmidt - Manuscripts for column. #106 - Games of a Century Ago (Continued) #109 - Children's Sports After the Civil War (1 page, rest missing) #110 = Sports From Old Days - The Shoot Old Standbys Artificial Targets #111 - The "Noble Act" #112 - Horse Racing in Hunterdon County (page missing) #113 - Croquet: Sometimes Called Backyard Golf
	36	5	Hubert G. Schmidt - Manuscripts for column. #114 - The Velocipede #115 - The Sport of "Rincturating" (roller skating) Tobacco Spitting And Bustle Sizes #118 - Hunterdon County Customs, 1787 #120 - The Old-Fashioned Debating Society #126 - The Bottom Rounds Seashore In Winter
	37	5	Hubert G. Schmidt - Manuscripts for column. #127 - Military Companies #128 - Military Companies (Continued) #129 - Regimental and Brigade Orders #130 - "The Discipline of Soldiers" #138 - Military Companies in 1860
	38	7	Hubert G. Schmidt - Manuscripts for column. #139 - A Nation In Arms #141 - Hunterdon County in the Civil War #143 - "War Begun...75,000 Men Ordered" #144 - Early Days of War #145 - From Fort Sumpter to Bull Run #149 - Rough-shod Politics, 1861 While McClelland Drilled #150 - Hunterdon County and the Civil War. (Begins with a personal note)
	39	7	Hubert G. Schmidt - Manuscripts for column. No dates, or no numbers. A - Hunterdon County Superstitions Witchcraft In Readington (+ letter from H.E. Deats to Schmidt) B - More About Readington History C - Readington History D - Ringoes in March, 1889 Hunterdon Place Names John Wurtz & Co. (Continued) E - Advice To Immigrants F - Hunterdon County Place Names Larison's History of Ringoes, 1889 (Continued)
	40	5	Hubert G. Schmidt - Manuscripts for column. G - Hunterdon Place Names Sulphur And Molasses Spring In 1847 (Blackwell's diary) (+ letter to Schmidt to H.E. Deats; Deats reply.)

(Note that the items in this folder are in the order found) *and folders 40, 41 + 42*

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1	40 (continued)		<p>H - Johnson's <u>Rural Economy</u> Thomas Capner to S.W. Johnson Advice to Farmers Blackwell's Farm, 1847</p> <p>I - Hunterdon Place Names The New Pipe Organ At Clinton Influenza And Colds</p> <p>J - The Yellow Fever Scare Blackwell's Farm, 1847</p> <p>K - Hunterdon Place Names The Apgar Family Country Trade, Frenchtown, 1797-1798 Blackwell's Diary, 1846 (+ letter of H.E. Deats to Schmidt. memorandum, n.d., no id.</p>
	41	6	<p>Hubert G. Schmidt - Manuscripts for column.</p> <p>L - A Century Ago On Blackwell's Farm Going Home With The Girls Good Neighbors</p> <p>M - Blackwell's Farm A Century Ago - Harvest Time The Fourth of July in Great Grandfather's Day</p> <p>N - Blackwell's Diary - Harvest in 1846 Independence Day Celebrations</p> <p>O - Blackwell's Farm A Century Ago - Cheap Meat Independence Day Celebrations Dr. Larison's Class at Cushetunk, 1882</p> <p>P - Flemington Junction, 1846 [Blackwell's diary] Decline Of Independence Day</p> <p>Q - Busy Days At Blackwell's Decline of the Fourth (Continued) The Menagerie Comes To Town</p>
	42	7	<p>Hubert G. Schmidt - Manuscripts for column.</p> <p>R - A Century Ago On Blackwell's Farm The Changing Fourth (CONCLUDED) New Items</p> <p>S - Blackwell's Farm Diary - Wet Weather The Changing Fourth (Concluded) Janeway And Broughten</p> <p>T - Blackwell's Diary, 1846 The Country Store</p> <p>U - Blackwell's Diary, 1846 Divorce A Century Ago Breach of Promise Legislative Divorcees Few Divorces</p> <p>V - Blackwell's Diary, 1846 The Silk Craze (continued)</p>

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1	42 (continued)		W - Blackwell's Diary, 1846 A Personal Note American Folk Traits
	43	2	X - Blackwell's Diary, 1846 Larison's "History of Ringoes", 1889 (Continued)
	44	5	Elizabeth Van Fleet Vosseller Manuscripts - Lindbergh Comes to the Village (2 copies - one marked "by a Villager") Lambert Boeman Letter from John P. Read, Brig. Gen., to Col. Herr, 1962 Sketches of Major Boeman 1 from First Brigade, First Division, Sixth Army Corps, 1864 1 from Lambert Boeman Post. G.A.R., Flemington, n.d. Copy of inscription on grave stone Commission as Captain (photo copy)
	45	3	Bush-Genealogical data From inside cover of a book - <u>Persuasion to Early Piety</u> (See separate sheet for further information on the book) 2 merit awards to Samuel Willson, n.d. (Also found in above book)
	46	1	Hauptman Trial Proof sheets (?), pictures of the trial.
	47	18	<u>The Hunterdon Republican</u> Capital shares certificates. (Bound together)

Notes

The Collection has been sorted according to the principles of the Society of American Archives, and the Association for State and Local History. The first and most important principle is to keep the original order.

The Collection contains no personal material on D. Howard Moreau; all of it is in connection with his duties as editor and publisher of the Hunterdon Democrat.

Hubert G. Schmidt wrote a weekly column for the Democrat for 150 weeks. In the Collection are carbon copies of the original manuscripts. Marginal notes in Schmidt's hand indicate that they were first sent to H. E. Deats, possibly for correction. There are 87 manuscripts that are missing from the numbered sequence, and 24 that were not numbered. For convenience in identifying and indexing, these 24 have been given a letter, A to X. The rest are missing.

There are two manuscripts marked #6, which have been designated as "Copy A" and "Copy B", again - for indexing purposes. To add to the confusion, one copy has p. 2 of # 4, and repeats "Raritan", "Holland Brook", and "Kingwood" that appears in #6, copy B. (See p. 3 of the inventory.)

A manuscript usually consisted of three pages. Less may indicate it is incomplete.

Where a bundle requires more than one folder, it is marked "Bundle - Folders 10-15"; for example. The number of items marked on each folder indicates the number of items in that folder, not the number of items in the bundle.