

# Yale Divinity School Library Special Collections

## Baptist Missionary Society Archives

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#### I. Minutes of the Society, 1792-1914

Reel	
1	Oct 1792 - Apr 1799 (also includes accounts Nov 1792 - Jul 1799)
1	Aug 1799 - Apr 1805 (also includes accounts Jul 1799 - Nov 1805)
1	Jun 1815 - Jun 1820
1	Sep 1824 - Oct 1825 (also includes accounts Oct 1817 - Jul 1820)
1	Oct 1819 - Nov 1837 (A-E)
2	Dec 1837 - Apr 1853 (F-L)
3	May 1853 - Oct 1872 (M-Q)
4	Oct 1872 - Apr 1884 (R-V)
5	May 1884 - Oct 1890 (W-Z)
6	Oct 1890 - Jan 1896 (AA-EE)
7	Jan 1896 - Dec 1902 (FF-JJ)
8	General Baptist Missionary Society; 1816-1861
8	General Committee
8	1903-1909

9	1910-1914	
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[II. Minutes of Society Committees, 1793-1914 \(Reels 10-19\)](#)

Reel	Finance
10	Feb 1793 - Jun 1890
11	Sep 1890 - Mar 1901
12	Apr 1901 - May 1909
13	Jun 1909 - Dec 1914
14	Candidate Board; 1861-1914
15	Eastern; 1857-1887
16	India and Ceylon; 1887-1914
17	China; 1884-1914
17	Western
18	Feb 1850 - Mar 1892
19	Mar 1892 - Nov 1914

[III. Home Office Correspondence, 1792-1914 \(Reels 20-34\)](#)

	Home Office Correspondence
20	Andrew Fuller
20	Correspondence, miscellaneous
20	Fuller to Sutcliff; 1790-1814
20	Fuller to Carey, Marshman, Ward, etc.; 1794-1815
21	to and from Fuller; 1793-1815
21	Fuller to several people; 1791-1813
21	East India Correspondence; 1807-1813
21	Fuller's Note Book; 1783-1795

21	Miscellaneous manuscripts, copies of letters found at Kettering
21	Miscellaneous collection of letters and papers; 1793-1834
21	Miscellaneous papers and correspondence; 1797-1854
21	Memoranda of Legacies to BMS
21	Minutes Book and Accounts of Hants and Wiltshire Association to the BMS
21	Record of subscriptions and donations to the Baptist Mission in India, in Salisbury and neighboring places
21	John Wastfield, Journal; 1797-1798
21	J. Gutteridge, papers about persecution arising from the Act of Assembly 1802, Jamaica; 1804
21	Correspondence and printed papers mostly to J. Gutteridge (of Committee of Dissenters) on working of Toleration Act in Jamaica; 1804-1811
21	J. Gutteridge, bound volume of miscellaneous letters; 1812-1831
21	Saffery to Dyer; 1822
21	Burls to Fuller; 1801
21	William Burls (BMS Treasurer, 1819-1821), miscellaneous correspondence; 1812-1827
21	J. C. Gotch (and Burls), correspondence; 1815-1823
21	Letter from Morris to Sutcliffe; 1809
21	Sutcliffe, correspondence; 1800-1818
21	Letter to Krishna Pal from Committee; 1801
21	W. B. Gurney (BMS Treasurer, 1835-1855), correspondence; 1842-1854
22	John Ryland
22	Correspondence, miscellaneous; 1815-1825
22	Letters from Ryland to Sutcliff; 1773-1811
22	John Dyer, correspondence, miscellaneous; 1817-1841
23	Joseph Angus, correspondence, miscellaneous; 1840-1849

23	The "Coventry Letters," miscellaneous letters from the Hines, Sharps, and Franklins; 1830s - 1850s
23	Frederick Trestrail
23	Correspondence, miscellaneous; 1849-1870
23	Notes on Mission; 1854-1857
24	Edward Bean Underhill
24	Correspondence, accounts, miscellaneous; 1849-1876
24	Miscellaneous papers about Baptist Zenana Mission mainly dated during Dr. Underhill's period
25	Bound volumes of letters; 1841-1879
26	Letters, essays, and speeches by Underhill; 1841-1892
26	Historical and other essays by Underhill
26	Essay extracts of Underhill; 1846-1854
26	Underhill's notes on Baptists, largely Anabaptists up to approximately 1600
26	Underhill's Journal; 1850-1863
26	Underhill's speeches and addresses on the disturbances at Morant Bay, Jamaica; 1865-1867
27	Correspondence with the Rev. D. J. East of Jamaica; 1852-1895
27	Letters from various fields collected by Dr. Underhill; 1842-1855
27	Letters and papers relating to the Secretaryship of the BMS of Dr. Underhill; 1849-1876
27	Letters to the Rev. J. Wenger; 1849-1878
28	Extracts made by Dr. Underhill from miscellaneous writings; 1550-1872
28	Miscellaneous letters and papers; 1796-1856
28	Jamaica Affairs, Newspaper cuttings from various papers arranged by Dr. Underhill
28	1865-1867
29	1831-1867
29	Cuttings from <i>Missionary Herald</i>

29		Hayti; c. 1860
29		Inagua, Bahamas; 1862
29		Calabar, Jamaica; 1862
29		Jamaica (Sundries); 1858-1862
29		Savanna Grande; c. 1860
29		Amboises Bay, Africa; c. 1862
29		Cameroons and Bimbia, Africa; 1862-1863
29		Ceylon (Sri Lanka); 1858-1863
29	A. H. Baynes; 1871-1906	
30	Personal Papers	
30	West Indies	
30	India and Ceylon	
30	China	
31	Cameroons	
31	Congo	
32	Congo	
32	Letters from Arthington	
33	Correspondence; 1864-1877	
33	Scrap and Student's Notes; 1847-1860	
34	Miscellaneous Correspondence	
34	Sutcliff Papers, original letters; 1736-1779 and 1800-1829	
34	Mr. Fawcett, original letters; 1773-1804	
34	Mr. Morris, original letters; 1790-1802	
34	Rev. Edward Steane, D.D., original letters; 1794-1844	

34	Uncatalogued Material--Narrative of proceedings of a General Assembly of Elders, Messengers, and Ministering Brethren of diverse Baptist Churches in England and Walse; 1693
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- [IV. Missionary Journals and Correspondence, 1792-1914 \(Reels 35-90\)](#)

	Southeast Asia (including India and Ceylon)
35	William Adam; 1817-1821
35	Isaac Allen; 1863-1892
35	Carapiet Chater Aratoon; 1809-1857
35	S. Bareiro; 1830-1848
35	John Drew Bate; 1865-1897
35	R. Bayne; 1837-1840
35	R. Bion; 1851-1882
35	James Biss; 1803-1807
35	Mrs. Hannah Biss; 1803-1844
35	Ram Bashoo
35	D. P. Broadway; 1857-1892
35	Daniel Brunsdon; 1798-1801
35	Lucy Brunsdon; 1829
35	J. C. DeBruyn; 1812-1817
35	W. Buckingham; 1827-1831
35	Eustace Carey; 1811-1824
35	Felix Carey; 1802-1814
35	Jabez Carey; 1813-1830
35	Carey, Marshman, and Ward, combined correspondence; 1799-1827
36	William Carey, Journal; 1793-1795
36	William Carey, Bengali Grammar

36		William Carey; 1792-1834
36		Copies of correspondence involving pioneer missionaries in India, including Carye, Marshman, Ward, and Thomas
36		William Carey, folio containing typescript copies of original letters
36		to Ryland and Sutcliff, held at College Road Chapel, Northampton; 1792-1834
37		William Carey, Jr.; 1808-1853
37		Kangalee and other Indian Evangelists (Journals sent by W. Carey, Jr., to his father); 1812-1815
37		John Chamberlain; 1802-1821
37		Prem Chand; 1880-1914
37		James Chater; 1806-1829
37		W. A. Claxton; 1859-1860
37		H. G. Emenide St. Dalmas; 1872-1877
37		Ebenezer Daniel; 1830-1839
37		Krishnoo Das; 1808-1813
37		R. J. Ellis; 1860-1877
37		Bruce Etherington; 1899-1907
37		Charles Evans; 1819-1826
37		Thomas Evans; 1854-1885
37		I. Fernandez; 1804-1830
37		J. C. Fink; 1821-1856
37		John Fountain; 1796-1800
37		Mrs. Ann Grant (Later Mrs. John Chamberlain)
37		William Grant; 1799

37	J. G. Gregson; 1858-1879
37	J. Harle; 1821-1822
38	W. A. Hobbs; 1858-1876
38	W. R. James; 1877-1910
38	John Johannes; 1820-1864
38	William Johns; 1810-1813
38	Daniel Jones; 1874-1908
38	Adoniram Judson; 1814
38	George Kerry; 1856-1897
38	William Kirkpatrick; 1824-1829
38	Gungga Narayan Lal
38	John Lawson; 1810-1825
38	Dr. John Leechman; 1832-1837
38	Owen Leonard; 1812-1848
38	C. B. Lewis; 1845-1878
38	Alexander Burgh Lish; 1832-1852
38	Arthur Long; 1893-1909
38	John Mack; 1821-1845
38	L. Mackintosh; 1812-1858
38	Richard Mardon; 1803-1812
38	John Clarke Marshman; 1833-1877
39	Joshua and Hannah Marshman; 1799-1837
40	T. Martin; 1853-1897
40	K. Mohant; 1845-1864



40		Francis De Monte; 1833-1859
40		William Moore; 1803-1844
40		John Chamberlain Page; 1841-1876
41		Krishna Pal
41		J. Parry; 1832-1858
41		John and Amelia Parsons; 1840-1869
41		Henry Peacock; 1810-1820
41		George Pearce; 1826-1874
41		J. Peggs; 1821-1850
41		James Penney; 1816-1839
41		John Peter; 1809-1820
41		Robert Robinson; 1853-1901
41		William Robinson; 1806-1853
41		G. H. Rouse; 1860-1908
42		Joshua Rowe; 1803-1824
42		John Sale; 1848-1875
42		Goolzar Shah; 1871-1886
42		Singh Petumber
42		John Sircar; 1833-1898
42		James Smith; 1852-1898
42		W. Smith; 1813-1859
42		H. Smylie; 1829-1855
42		Robert Spurgeon; 1873-1909
42		W. B. Symes; 1838-1839

42		James Thomas; 1826-1858
43		Dr. John Thomas; 1792-1801
43		William Thomas; 1813-1870
43		J. T. Thompson; 1812-1850
43		J. Trafford; 1853-1879
43		Thomas Trowt; 1814-1816
43		Frederick D. Waldock; 1862-1898
43		Nathaniel Ward; 1821-1826
		William Ward
44		Correspondence and Diaries; 1798-1823
45		Transcripts of Diaries; 1799-1811
		John Wenger; 1839-1880
46		Correspondence
47		Correspondence, some in French and German
48		Letters, Autobiography, and Journals
49		Miscellaneous Sermons and Addresses, Lecture Notes
50		Lecture Notes, Printed Material
50		J. Williams; 1859-1880
50		R. Williams; 1839-1859
50		William Yates; 1814-1839
	India: Women Missionaries (not included elsewhere)	
50		Mrs. Mary Ellis (Widow of R. J. Ellis); 1865-1911
50		Mrs. Ellen Etherington; 1862-1884
	India--Serampore	

51		Uncatalogued letters and papers; 1779-1897
51		Papers relating to Serampore College; 1822-1891
51		Miscellaneous notes on various matters including account of moneys subscribed for oriental translations; 1792-1835
51		Statement relative to administration of funds entrusted to Serampore missionaries; 1820
52		Circular letters; 1807-1815
52		Serampore Pamphlets; 1813-1830
53		Serampore Pamphlets; 1813-1836
53		Periodical accounts; 1827-1833
53		Serampore College Reports; 1828-1834
53		Serampore Controversy
53		Comprehensive volume of papers; 1826-1838
54		Letter to J. B. Wilson, Treasurer of BMS; 1828
54		Supplement to the vindication of the Calcutta Baptist Missionaries; 1831
54		BMS Committee Papers on Serampore matters; 1827-1831
54		Public address by Robert Hall on renewal of East India Company Charter; 1813
54		Letter from Dr. Marshman to Rev. Dr. Steadman; 1830
54		Papers on the question recently agitated in the BMS relative to Serampore; 1828
54		Miscellaneous articles about the efficacy of Missions and about various translations
	China	
55		Miss Beckinsale; 1898-1913
55		H. Dixon; 1880-1900
55		Dr. George K. Edwards; 1914-1919
55		G. B. Farthing; 1886-1900

55		Francis James; 1882-1892
55		Dr. Herbert S. Jenkins; 1904-1913
55		A. G. Jones; 1876-1905
56		A. G. Jones; 1876-1905 (continued)
56		E. F. Kindon; 1864-1867
56		R. F. Laughton; 1862-1870
56		Miss M. Lewis; 1912-1914
		Timothy Richard
57		1869-1914
58		Family correspondence; 1869-1914
59		Family correspondence; 1869-1914 (continued)
59		Diaries; 1888-1903
60		Diaries; 1888-1903 (continued)
	West Indies	
	Jamaica	
61		Thomas F. Abbott; 1831-1847
61		James Coultart; 1817-1836
61		Walter Dendy; 1831-1881
61		David J. East; 1851-1892
61		George P. Evans; 1843-1848
61		Thomas Hands; 1842-1852
61		Edward Hewett; 1842-1883
61		James Hume; 1843-1865
61		Thomas Knibb; 1821-1824

61			William Knibb; 1824-1845 (biography, journals, letters)
61			Benjamin Millard; 1840-1872
61			Samuel Oughton; 1836-1866
62			J. M. Phillippo; 1819-1879 (autobiography, letters, legal opinions)
62			James Reid; 1836-1879
62			George Rouse; 1839-1849
62			John Rowe; 1813-1816
62			William Teall; 1843-1890
62			Joshua Tinson; 1822-1850
62			James H. Wood; 1842-1848
		British Honduras	
63			Joseph Bourne; 1822-1834
63			J. P. Buttfield; 1844-1848
63			Alexander Henderson; 1835-1846
63			John Kingdon; 1831-1850
		Bahama Islands	
63			J. Burton; 1827-1838
63			H. Capern; 1840-1857
63			J. Davey; 1855-1878
63			W. Littlewood; 1841-1878
		Trinidad	
63			W. H. Gamble; 1856-1888
63			J. Law; 1845-1870
63			W. Williams; 1874-1894

		Dominican Republic	
63			Richard E. Gammon; 1875-1903
63			Isaac Pegg; 1869-1872
		Haiti	
63			Francis Cajou
63			Madame L. J. Cajou
63			V. R. Domond
63			Alexander Von Papengouth; 1879-1888
		Miscellaneous uncatalogued correspondence	
64		Daniel Wilshere; 1878-1892	
65		Daniel Wilshere; 1878-1892 (continued)	
66		Daniel Wilshere; 1878-1892 (continued)	
67		Statistics and Printed Matter	
67		Deeds and Documents relative to Trusteeships; 1800-1854	
67		Copies of extracts of letters from BMS missionaries	
67		Miscellaneous reports, deputations to Jamaica; 1838-1901	
67		Jamaica Almanack; 1826 and 1840	
		Miscellaneous Publications	
68			1830-1867
69			1833-1877
70			1841-1920
		West Africa	
		Sierra Leone	
71			James Rodway; 1795-1796

		The Cameroons and Fernando Po
71		John Clarke; 1829-1852 (letters and journals)
71		Carrie Comber; 1880-1885
71		Joseph Diboll; 1854-1865
72		J. J. Fuller; 1850-1888
72		Alexander Innes; 1858-1860
72		Joseph Merrick; 1843-1849
72		Francis Pinnock; 1857-1879
72		Dr. George Prince; 1840-1848
72		Alfred Saker; 1843-1877
72		Samuel Silvey; 1882-1889
72		Robert Smith; 1860-1876
73		George Thomson, a businessman who worked with the mission; 1867-1878
74		George Thomson (continued)
74		Q. W. Thomson (miscellaneous account books)
74		Miscellaneous Cameroons papers
74		Letters about Spanish occupation of Fernando Po
		Congo (Zaire) and Angola
		Dr. William Holman Bentley; 1879-1905
75		Diaries
76		Correspondence with A. H. Baynes, others
77		Autobiography, log books, manuscript of Kixi Congo vocabulary, personal papers, and sketch books
78		John E. Biggs; 1885-1887

78			Rev. J. S. Bowskill; 1913-1914 (papers about the rising in the Portuguese Congo)
78			P. C. Comber; 1885-1892
78			T. J. Comber; 1875-1887
78			William Douglas
			George Grenfell; 1874-1906
79			Letter books; 1881-1888
80			Letter books; 1888-1896
81			Letter books; 1896-1896
82			Letter books; 1897-1906
83			Letters to A. H. Baynes; 1875-1905
84			Letters to A. H. Baynes; 1896-1905
85			Miscellaneous letters, financial, and legal papers
85			Financial and legal papers
86			Correspondence about Lunda Expedition
86			Survey Books; 1885-1892
86			Survey books of Lunda Expedition; 1891-1905
86			John Hartland; 1878-1883
87			Letters and letter books
88			Letters to his family
89			M. Richards
89			Albert E. Scrivener; 1886-1916
89			Cassie Silvey; 1887-1893
89			Walter H. Stapleton; 1889-1906
89			Albert E. Wherret



89			W. H. White; 1889-1897
89			Uncatalogued letters and papers; 1882-1904
89			Correspondence on Congo Polygamy; 1898-1900
89	Europe		
90		France	
90			V. E. Bouhon; 1863-1886
90			I. Jenkins; ca. 1868
90		Norway	
90			G. Hubert; 1863-1884
90			F. Sjordahl; ca. 1880
90		Miscellaneous papers and documents	
90		Italy	
90			James Wall; 1876-1902
90			Mrs. J. Wall; 1888-1906
90			W. K. Landels; 1879-1916
90			John Landels; 1879
90			Robert Walker; 1909-1900
90			E. Shaw; 1909
90			W. Shipley; 1909-1912
90			J. Campbell Wall; 1916-1925
90			Mrs. Lecoat; 1879
90			Rev. Dr. George B. Taylor; 1908-1900
90			P. E. Jahier; 1879
90			Miscellaneous papers and documents

