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Finding Aid for the Letters to Albert Syze,  
1888-1894

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**RESTRICTIONS**

No restrictions

**ABSTRACT**

Collection consists primarily of letters directed to Albert Syze, a Quaker who attended Haverford College in the late 19<sup>th</sup> century. Of interest is geographic areas for placement of missionaries by various yearly meetings.

**BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE**

Albert Syze, 1867-?, attended Friends Academy, Union Springs, N.Y. He entered Haverford College in 1894 and left in his freshman year. He was a farmer, clergyman and minister in the Society of Friends. He married Laura Huckins in 1901.

**SUBJECT HEADINGS**

**SCOPE AND CONTENTS OF THE COLLECTION**

Letter writers include: Phoebe Aydelotte, Fred Burgess, Lottie Farquhar, D.L. Mekeel and Phoebe Mekeel and discuss Haverford College and yearly meetings and areas of their missionary work.

**DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE COLLECTION**

Letters include:

Aydelotte, Phoebe S., Fall River MA, 1-23-1894. [hears of interest in foreign missions at Union Springs; Mahallah Jay & *Christian Worker*; yearly meetings and areas of their missionary work: Indiana Y.M. & Western YM - Mexico, Ohio YM - China, Philadelphia YM - Japan, Iowa YM - Jamaica, Kansas YM - Alaska, New England YM - Ramallah & among Indians]

Burgess, Fred. Highland, N.Y., 6-3-1894. [re RM Jones at Oakwood --well-loved; Earlham good, Haverford better, but costly]

Farquhar, Lottie M. San Jose, CA, April 1,. 1888.

Mekeel, D.L. (student at Haverford College, class of 1892) Haverford, PA, Jan. 1888-March, 1888 ( 3 items). [re navy yard ships, Mekeel as YMCA convention delegate from H.C., Chester , PA description (1-31-88); train cars being built for use in South America (2-26-88); trains blocked for 2-3 days (3-25-88)]

Mekeel, Phoebe Anna. Yorktown Heights, N.Y., Apr. 1889 - Feb. 1893. (2 items). [re the *Worker* including letter from Mrs. [J. Rendel] Harris