

**Collection:** G.H. Worden Collection

**Accession Number:** 2014.01

## Finding Aid

**Date Range:** 1844- 1891

**Bulk Date:** 1867-1879

**Creator:** PCHS

**Number and type of containers:** 1 Flip-top box

**Size:** 1 Flip-top box, 10.25 x 12.25 x 5

**Storage Location:** PCHS Library and Archives

**Aid Created By:** James Iozia, intern and Heather Garside, Curator

**Scope and Content:** This collection consists of official legal documents, most of which are deeds, but which also includes mortgages, leases, bonds, certificates etc. Almost all of these documents are handwritten, with the exception of one.

Townships and cities mentioned in these documents include New York City N.Y., Paterson N.J., Manchester N.J., Acquacknonk N.J., Scranton P.A., Philadelphia P.A., and Washington N.J.

Organizations mentioned in one or more of the documents in this collection include the Society for Establishing Useful Manufactures, the Second Presbyterian Church of Paterson, and the Paterson Savings Institution.

Surnames frequently seen within these documents include Doremus, Ryerson, Vreeland, Van Riper, Goetschius, Gregson, and Chadwick.

**Series:** Upon beginning this finding aid, the collection did not seem to be organized in any recognizable order. Therefore, the documents were reorganized in ascending date order. The collection now consists of nine folders, each with approximately ten documents inside. These folders are named and labelled to indicate the dates of the documents contained.