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**WATSON & PAUL BUSINESS RECORDS**

1792-1807

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Series I. Correspondence (1794-1807)  
Series II. Financial Documents (1792-1805)

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**Abstract**

The Watson & Paul Business Records contains correspondence and financial documents relating to Philadelphia firm's trade arrangements with a variety of local and national vendors and merchants, as well as those in Europe and the West and East Indies

**Administrative Information****Restrictions to Access**

The collection is open to researchers. It is on deposit at the Historical Society of Pennsylvania, and should be accessed through the Society's reading room at 1300 Locust Street, Philadelphia, PA. Visit their website, <http://www.hsp.org/>, for reading room hours.

**Acquisition Information**

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**Processing Information**

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## Online Catalog Headings

### Subject Names

Watson, John, d. 1811  
Paul, James, 1770-1839  
Paul, Thomas, 1760-1802  
David & Philip Grim (Firm)  
Grim, David, merchant  
Grim, Philip, d. 1821  
Robert & Peter Bruce (Firm)  
Bruce, Robert, d. 1796

### Subject Topics

Watson & Paul--Records and correspondence.  
Merchants--Pennsylvania--Philadelphia--Archives  
Merchants--New York--New York.  
Yellow fever--Maryland--Baltimore.  
Yellow fever--New York--New York.  
United States--Commerce--West Indies--History--19th century--Sources.  
United States--Commerce--China-- History--19th century--Sources.  
United States--Commerce--India-- History--19th century--Sources.

### Document Types

Commercial correspondence.  
Receipts (financial records).  
Invoices.  
Bills of lading.  
Bills of exchange.  
Bank notes.  
Letters.

## Related Collections

The Paul Family Papers (Collection 2033) at the Historical Society of Pennsylvania holds the papers of Thomas Paul, and other material about the New Jersey branch of the Paul family.

## Biographical/Historical Notes

The Watson & Paul firm was the partnership formed by two brothers-in-law, James Paul (1770-1839) and John Watson (died 1811). Paul was the last of ten children born to John and Sidney

Paul, and was raised in the Indian King, a renowned inn managed by the Paul family on High (now Market) Street in Philadelphia. Three of Paul's siblings died in infancy, and two sisters and his widowed mother perished in the yellow fever epidemic of 1793. James Paul and John Watson, the husband of Paul's sister Hannah, were appointed administrators of Sidney Paul's estate; soon after, the men closed the Indian King and became partners in the commission merchant business.

Watson & Paul's first appearance in the city directories was in 1797, where they were listed as "merchants, South Wharves, south side of Chesnut St" (their warehouse at 24 South Wharves was featured on a plan facing page 37 in Abraham Ritter's 1860 volume, *Philadelphia and Her Merchants*). The Watson & Paul firm remained listed in the directories on the Chestnut Street Wharf, which they bought in 1804, or at 24 South Wharves through the death of John Watson. Little else is known about Watson except for his marriage to Hannah Paul in April 1793; an obituary in the November 28, 1811, issue of *Poulson's American Daily Advertiser* simply described him as a "former Merchant of this city" who had died in Burlington, NJ, a few days before.

James Paul had married Elizabeth Rodman (1774-1835) of Burlington in 1797, and the couple, with their twelve children, resided on North Fifth Street across from the Christ Church burial ground. Both Paul and his wife had been raised in the Society of Friends; Paul remained a Quaker until his participation in the suppression of the 1794 Whiskey Rebellion in western Pennsylvania. Upon his return to Philadelphia, he was read out of the Society, and eventually became affiliated with the First Presbyterian Church. James Paul remained in the directories as a merchant until the last decade of his life, when he appeared as a "gentleman" with a home address of 176 South Third St. The Paul family held ownership of the Chestnut Street Wharf until 1847.

A second Paul family member figuring in the Watson & Paul Business Records is James Paul's older brother, Thomas (1760-1802). Also raised in the Indian King, he had at first been in business with another brother-in-law, Cornelius Comegys (husband of Ann Paul), trading as Comegys & Paul. Later, yet another brother-in-law, Joseph Atkinson (husband of Susanna Paul), joined that firm to create Comegys, Paul, & Co. (not to be confused with Comegys Paul & Co. – without a comma – which was the firm operated by Thomas Paul's son Comegys Paul (1785-1851)). The material in this collection deals only with Thomas Paul's later years, when he was headquartered in Belvidere, a town located in Warren County, New Jersey, along the Delaware River.

Further biographical information on the Paul family can be found in Henry Paul's genealogy, *Joseph Paull of Ilminster, Somerset, England, and Some of His Descendants who have resided in Philadelphia, Penna.* (1933).

## Collection Overview

The Watson & Paul Business Records spans the period from 1792-1807 and primarily contains correspondence and financial documents relating to their trade arrangements with a variety of local and national vendors and merchants, as well as those in Europe and the West and East Indies. As Watson & Paul were involved in the carrying trade (bringing products from the East and West Indies and reselling them to Europeans), the files hold bills of lading, some landing certificates, invoices, and many prices current, in addition to the correspondence with merchants and suppliers, all of which gives a detailed view of the business of shipping at the time. The collection is divided into two series: Correspondence; and Financial Documents.

Series I, Correspondence (1794-1807) holds letters written to the Watson & Paul firm confirming business agreements, giving details of the goods and specifics of their transportation and value, and occasional news of the growing and harvesting conditions, states of the market, local politics, and weather.

In America, Watson & Paul dealt with merchants and farmers from New York to Charleston who supplied mostly agricultural products to the firm. Typical of the vendors was William Hartshorn Jr. of Norfolk, Virginia, from whom Watson & Paul procured 186 kegs and 14 barrels of hog's lard between March and June 1801. One local New Jersey merchant, Jonathan Hill, reveals a more typical exchange of trade in a letter from 1798: "I have sent 158 bbls By Saml Kikendall he will Expect you to pay him the Frt which I would be glad you would do if in your power – give him a back load of Plaister with one Bble Tar and half Bus. Red Clover Seed, send a bill with the prices of the articles."

The papers in this series may or may not represent the complete commercial relationship between Watson & Paul and any of the merchants found in the files. Some merchants, such as Joseph Byrnes of Charleston, are represented by just a few letters advertising their goods and services. In contrast, the New York firm of David & Philip Grim, merchants located on Old-Slip, has five folders that hold more than eighty letters demonstrating a more extensive business association. The correspondence, bills of lading, and ship invoices show the company shipping cargo pork, prime beef, whale oil, and pickled shad, among other goods, to Philadelphia, and answering Watson & Paul's request for plaster of Paris, salmon, and gin. The Grims also report on the state of the markets in New York, as well as passing on other news of interest such as a fire at a nearby bake house, and the November 1796 suicide of a fellow merchant (and Watson & Paul supplier) Robert Bruce, who hung himself in his store ("this was the end of as good a man, by reputation as any person in the City").

Among Watson & Paul's international relationships were those with merchants John Darrieux and Caleb Newbold, who shipped a dozen boxes of indigo and fifty-nine bales of fabrics on consignment from Calcutta to Philadelphia in 1806. From Canton in 1805 came chests of Hyson tea sent by Charles Ross, and by John Field, fifteen boxes each of enameled cups and saucers,

and 800 tortoise shell combs. From Buchanan & Bickham, on the Isle of France (now Mauritius), came 470 chests of tea in August 1807. In the fall of that year, Watson & Paul shipped on consignment four bales of "India goods" to Hollingsworth & Boyd in Guadeloupe, with the instructions that they should "please dispose of them to the best advantage and remit us the Proceeds in Coffee if it comports for our Interest." This transaction is recorded in a set of notarized papers, still tied through with their green silk ribbon, that includes invoices, correspondence, a bill of lading and a landing certificate, as well as the mailing wrapper in which they were transmitted. Another letter in the Hollingsworth & Boyd file, dated March 1, 1807, retains the sample of printed cotton fabric that the firm enclosed with their letter to Watson & Paul. In a few cases, particularly with the international vendors, the paperwork shows merchandise being shipped to Watson & Paul along with two other firms in Philadelphia, Levi Hollingsworth & Son, and Coates & Randolph, but Watson & Paul's relationship with those two firms is otherwise unexplored.

Less typical in the collection is a letter from Anthony Filippi of Philadelphia, who enclosed a prices current sheet and a letter of recommendation on behalf of the Italian firm I. B. Filippi & Co., of Genoa.

Not surprisingly, some of the correspondents mention their concern over the yellow fever epidemics sweeping the mid-Atlantic cities for five years during this period. Thomas Tenant wrote an account of the deaths in Baltimore in 1797, ending with the statement, "So much for the Yellow fever. We are willing to never se [*sic*] or hear of it again." The following year, Abraham Falconar wrote that Baltimore "never was more healthy at this season of the year, & hope the contagious Fever will escape us, with anxious desire that you & yours may escape the dreadful malady" which was then devastating Philadelphia. A July 29, 1799, letter from the Grimms in New York, announced the arrival of yellow fever in that city: "'tis suppose it was brought to this place by the Ship *General Wayne* from the Havana, it is traced from that ship."

Other woes concerned other writers, particularly those in Europe. Charles Vogel of Hamburg enclosed circulars, his prices current sheets, and reports of sales of merchandise including fabrics and tea sent to him by Watson & Paul, but he also included many comments about trade being hindered by the Napoleonic Wars, blockades of the Elbe, news of possible truces, and gratitude for his American contacts. In February 1807, he wrote that because of "...the interdicted trade with G. Britain and the dreadful conflagrations in the Danish West India Islands, indeed our whole dependence is confined to the Supplies we may receive from the United States."

Correspondence reveals that Watson & Paul shipped coffee, cotton, and other goods from Philadelphia to the Antwerp firm of J. Ridgway Mertens & Co. Its founder was Philadelphia merchant Jacob Ridgway, father of the Library Company of Philadelphia's great benefactor Phoebe Ridgway Rush, and a partner in the Philadelphia firm of Smith & Ridgway. Jacob Ridgway (1768-1843) had moved to Europe to protect Smith & Ridgway's shipping interests

during the Napoleonic Wars and stayed to become the United States Consul at Antwerp; during that time he formed J. Ridgway Mertens & Co. The company's folder holds a number of annotated prices current sheets, and, like Charles Vogel, letters with commentary on the state of the economy during wartime, including an acknowledgement in May 1806 that "The war with Prussia & England must however operate in favor of produce & the American Trade – as it cuts off large supplies which used to be carried in Prussian vessels from England."

The Watson & Paul Business Records reveals little of the relationship between the firm's two partners themselves, outside of two sets of letters written by James Paul to John Watson during Paul's business trips to New York in 1797 and 1799. Correspondence to the firm from Thomas Paul (addressed to "Dear Brothers") is more substantive, with fifteen letters recording Paul's regular need for financial assistance, as well as details of the merchandise in which they were trading. In February 1799, he requested his brother's help in placing an advertisement to sell "lotts suitable for a Summers retreat from Philadelphia." Elizabeth Stadleman Paul (1764 -1828), the widow of Thomas Paul (1760-1802), kept her husband's businesses going with the assistance of John Kinney Jr. One letter indicating this is found at the end of the Thomas Paul folder: writing under Elizabeth Paul's name, Kinney said that "We [changed by Kinney from "I"] send you seven Casks of flaxseed and some pig Iron" and asked in return for two boxes of 8 by 10 window glass, some black lutestring [a silk fabric], and "one piece of Handsome Swansdown [wool and silk fabric] for Waistcoating & one Journal & Ledger the size Mr. James Paul can Determin." Kinney, of Knowlton Mills, in Warren County, New Jersey, was independently sending pork, flour, lard, and ham to Watson & Paul during the same time period.

While there are many manuscript listings of current prices contained in the letters, printed prices current forms were sent to Watson & Paul by the following merchants: Joseph Byrnes (Charleston, SC, 1801); Byrnes, Cachard & Co. (Marseilles, 1806); Cachard, Belknap & Hodge (Marseilles, 1807); Daniel Crommelin & Sons (Amsterdam, 1805); Earle & Attwood (Cape Francois, Saint-Domingue, 1801); Grant Webb & Co. (Leghorn, 1806-1807); I. B. Filippi & Co. (Genoa, 1806); J. Ridgway Mertens & Co. (Antwerp, 1806-1807); James McMurtrie (Amsterdam & Isle of France, 1807); and Charles T. Vogel (Hamburg, 1806-1807), and can be found in their folders.

Series II, Financial Documents (1792-1805) holds records of moneys owed and paid by and to the Watson & Paul firm. It is arranged in four subseries: Invoices; Contract; Bank Notes; and Bills of Exchange, all of which record various financial activities of the company between 1792 and 1803. The invoices in this series were presented from suppliers not represented in the correspondence files of Series I (invoices are filed with the correspondence in that series). The merchants in Series II are Philadelphia vendors and craftspeople, or have no address listed.

The Invoices subseries is divided into seven sections: Freight, Fees, and Fines; Merchandise; Personal; Postage; Rent and Storage; Services; and Subscriptions and Advertising. The first folder holds invoices for shipping freight, and document prices paid for the movement of goods

in 1794 and 1795. Several of the invoices are from the owners of sailing vessels, while others are from local carriers; one paper notes a fee paid to the Collector of the Port of Philadelphia and another, a fine the firm received for casks "not being branded according to Law."

Invoices for Merchandise primarily document the hundreds of barrels and hogsheads of agricultural products purchased by Watson & Paul, including pork, flour, mackerel, ham, rum, and molasses. There are also many invoices for sundries such as hinges, nails, hair powder, candles, and soap. The invoices are arranged and foldered alphabetically by vendor. With one exception, the chemist and druggist John Hart who used a printed form, all invoices for merchandise are handwritten slips of paper.

Personal invoices are for items such as boots, shoes, clothing, and a desk bought at auction; this folder holds also a receipt for sets of Windsor chairs and a settee made for the Paul family in 1794 by noted furniture maker William Cox (died 1811). The Postage folder holds three small slips recording the daily totals for postage paid by the firm from February to May in 1795.

Services includes invoices from carpenters, coopers, packers, picklers, strappers, weighers, and measurers, as well as craftspeople providing paving, laundry, and various repair services to the merchants. Subscriptions and Advertising completes the Invoices subseries. It holds two printed receipts from Zachariah Poulson for his *American Daily Advertiser*, and invoices for the firm's advertising of hams, gin, and other cargo, as well as houses and lots for sale.

The single Contract in that subseries binds James Paul and Joseph Thomas in a financial arrangement with three other men; it is an incomplete document, missing the lower right corner where the names were signed.

The Bank Notes subseries holds slips of paper exchanged directly for funds drawn on the Bank of North America and the Bank of Pennsylvania. They cover the years 1794-1802, and with just a few exceptions, are printed forms filled in with manuscript inscriptions. The Bills of Exchange subseries holds manuscript notes of credit issued between two parties (which were often then circulated to other parties) and later exchanged for currency. They cover the years 1792 through 1805, but lack bills for the year 1797.



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## SERIES I. CORRESPONDENCE

1794-1807

Arranged alphabetically by correspondent.

Allenby, William Charles  
 See: William Wood, Jr.

1	1	Alexander Cranston & Co., New York	1807
	2	Baker, Thomas, Cape Francois, Saint-Domingue [Haiti]	1796
		Bainbridge, Ansley & Co., London See: James McMurtrie	
	3	Bernard, John, Bordeaux	1797 Jan 17
	4	Blackiston, George M., Baltimore	1806 Dec 8
	5	Blackiston & Richardson, Baltimore	1799-1801
	6	Bruce, Robert & Peter, New York	1796
		Bruce & Thomson, New York See: Robert & Peter Bruce	
	7	Byrnes, Joseph, Charleston, SC	1798-1801
	8	Byrnes, Cachard & Co., Marseilles	1806, 1807
		Buchanan & Bickham, Isle of France [Mauritius] See: James McMurtrie	
	9	Cachard, Belknap & Hodge, Marseilles	1807 Sep 23
	10	Chamberlain, J. G., Calcutta	1805 Oct 13
	11	Christopher Heckewelder & Co., Hope, NJ	1802
		Clapier, Louis See: Thomas Rodman	
	12	Clark, Robert, Cape Francois, Saint-Domingue [Haiti]	1798 Feb 17
	13	Combes, Nathan, Lambertton, NJ	1794

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[1]	14	Comegys, Cornelius, Georgetown Crossroads & Baltimore	1794-1804
	15	Comegys & Christfield, Georgetown Crossroads, MD	1796 Nov 18
	16	Commercial Agency of the United States of America, Paris	1804 May 31
	17	Connell, John, Antigua and Havana	1806
	18	Daniel Crommelin & Sons, Amsterdam	1805 Nov 27
	19	Daniel LaTourette & Co., Amwell, NJ	1796-1801
	20	Darrieux, John, Calcutta	1806
	21	David Smith & Co., New York	1799
		Demill, Peter See: David Smith & Co.	
	22	Demund, Joseph, Marksborough, NJ	1799
		Dugan, Anthony See: Grant Webb & Co.	
	23	Earle & Attwood, Cape Francois, Saint-Domingue [Haiti]	1801
		Evans, Griffith, Philadelphia See: Medford & Co.	
	24	Falconar, Abraham, Baltimore	1797-1801
	25	Falconar & Blackiston, Baltimore	1794 Nov 29
	26	Fergusson Robertson & Co., Alexandria, VA	1797 Dec 29
	27	Field, John, Canton	1805 Nov 7
	28	Filippi, Anthony, Philadelphia	1806-1807
	29	Gallaher, James & W., Belvidere, NJ	1798 Apr 18
	30	Gill, John, Baltimore	1796

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## SERIES I. CORRESPONDENCE, cont.

		Grant, Sibbald & Balfour See: Grant Webb & Co.	
[1]	31	Grant Webb & Co., Leghorn [Livorno]	1806-1807
	32	Griggs, Joseph, Philadelphia	1795 Jun 19
	33-37	Grim, David & Philip, New York	1796-1806
	38	Gundacker, John, Lancaster, PA	1806 Aug 23
2	39	Hall, William, Boston	1799
	40	Hartshorn, William, Jr., Norfolk, VA	1801-1802
	41	Heron, Nathaniel, Norfolk, VA	1802
	42	Hilary Baker & Co., Philadelphia	1806 Aug 14
	43	Hill, Daniel Jr., Antigua	1807
	44	Hill, Jonathan, Haynesborough, NJ  Hollingsworth, John, Jr., Philadelphia See: Daniel Hill, Jr.	1798-1801
	45	Hollingsworth, Robert, Pointe-à-Pitre [Guadeloupe]	1806
	46	Hollingsworth & Boyd, Pointe-à-Pitre [Guadeloupe]	1807
		Hope & Co., Amsterdam See: James McMurtrie	
		I. B. Filippi & Co., Genoa See: Anthony Filippi	
	47-48	J. Ridgway Mertens & Co., Antwerp	1806-1807
	49	John Kinney Jr. & Co., Knowlton Mills, NJ See also: Thomas Paul	1794-1802
	50	Johnson, Jonathan, Johnsonburg [NJ?]	1799

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## SERIES I. CORRESPONDENCE, cont.

		LaTourette, John See: Daniel LaTourette & Co.	
[2]	51	Leech, Thomas, Havana	1806
	52	Leedom, Richard	1797-1798
	53	Leven Powell, Jr. & Co., Alexandria, VA	1796-1797
		Levi Hollingsworth & Co., Philadelphia See: Robert Hollingsworth	
		Lewis, Mordecai See: Thomas Rodman	
	54	Linebach, Frederick, Hope, NJ	1798-1800
	55	Lloyd, Hugh	1796 Nov 14
	56	Lowry, Joseph	1801 Apr 16
	57	Lynch, William, St. Thomas & St. Croix	1806
	58	McKee, William, Delaware	1796 Nov 1
	59	McMurtrie, James, Amsterdam & Isle of France [Mauritius] See also: Robert & John Oliver	1807
		Mason, Thomas, Antigua See: Daniel Hill, Jr.	
	60	Medford & Co., London	1801
	61	Montgomery & Newbold, Coopers Ferry, NJ	1798 Oct 11
		Newbold, Caleb, Calcutta See John Darrieux	
	62	Newbold & Smith, London	1799 Sep 6
	63	Oliver, Robert & John, Baltimore	1807 Mar 10
	64	Painter & Atkinson, Flemington, NJ	1799

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SERIES I. CORRESPONDENCE, cont.

[2]	65	Palmer & Edwards	1796 Nov 16
		Paul, Elizabeth, Belvidere, NJ See: Thomas Paul	
	66	Paul, James, Newark & New York	1797, 1799
	67	Paul, Thomas, Belvidere, NJ	1794-1802
		Pool, John See: Pool & Sutphin	
	68	Pool & Sutphin, Raritan Landing, NJ	1796-1799
		Powell, Cuthbert See: Leven Powell, Jr., & Co.	
	69	Prall, John, Jr., Amwell, NJ	1796-1802
3	70	Rhodes, William, Washington	1796, 1798
	71	Rodman, Thomas, Baltimore, Calcutta, Madras	1805, 1807
	72	Ross, Charles, Canton	1805
		Sampson, George, Baltimore See: William Wood	
	73	Schott, John P., Jr., St. Thomas	1807 Jun 13
	74	Seal & Hayes, Wilmington	1801-1802
	75	Sharp, Robert and John, New York	1806
	76	Smith, Isaac, Washington	1798 Apr 14
		Skipwith, Fulwar, Paris See: Commercial Agency of the United States of America	
		Smith, John C. See: Charles Ross	
	77	Starr, Isaac, Jr., Wilmington	1799

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SERIES I. CORRESPONDENCE, cont.

[3]	78	Stephens, Stephen, Alexandria, VA	1797 Dec 12
	79	Sterling, James, Burlington, NJ	1802, 1806
	80	Strong & Earle, Baltimore	1801 Aug 21
	81	Tenant, Thomas, Baltimore	1797
	82	Thomas Storm & Son, New York	1797 Oct 21
	83	Thomson, Mark, Marksborough, NJ	1799
		Turner, William, London See: Medford & Co.	
	84-85	Vogel, Charles T., Hamburg	1806-1807, undated
	86	Wallace, William, Tortola	1807 Jun 11
	87	Warner, John & William, Wilmington	1801
	88	Watson, Joseph, New York	1801 Jun 17
	89	White, John, New York	1797 Dec 16
	90	Wood, William, Jr., Baltimore	1796-1798

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## SERIES II. FINANCIAL DOCUMENTS

1792-1805

Arranged in four subseries: Invoices; Contract; Bank Notes; and Bills of Exchange.

## Invoices

4	91	Freight, fees, and fines	1794-1795
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## Merchandise

	92	Andrew Summers Jr. & Co.	1803 Apr 27
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	93	Bach, John	1802 Mar 22
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	94	Bartholomew & Dorsey	1794-1795
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	95	Beck, Paul Jr.	1794-1795
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	96	Bell, William	1794 May 6
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	97	Benningham, Jacob	1803
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	98	Brown, William	1794 Apr 10
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	99	Bunting & Thomas	1795 Jun 2
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	100	Care, Philip	1794
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	101	Clark, Joseph	1794-1795
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	102	Clause, Henry	1794-1795
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	103	Clement & Taylor	1795 Mar 13
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	104	Coats, Thomas	1794 Mar 17
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	105	Cranston Alexander & Smith	1804 Dec 15
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	106	Dawes, Rumford & Abijah	1802 May 17
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	107	Douglas, Andrew	1794
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	108	E. Smith & Co.	1795 Apr 18
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	109	Edwards, Samuel	1794-1795
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## Invoices, cont.

## Merchandise, cont.

[4]	110	Ellis & Sterling	1795
	111	Ely, Hugh	1794 Feb 24
	112	Folwell, William	1794 Jul 25
	113	French, Charles	1794 Jul 2
	114	Fries, John	1794-1795
	115	Gilpin, Joseph	1794 Aug 5
	116	Handy, E.	1796 Apr 6
	117	Harlan, Joshua	1794 Jun 7
	118	Hart John	1794 Sep 10
	119	Hartshorne Large & Co.	1794 Feb 26
	120	Haworth, John	1795 May 30
	121	Hodgson, Thomas	1794-1795
	122	Homes, Barzillai	1799 Apr 23
	123	Hopkins, Richard	1794 Jan 17
	124	Hopkins & Howell	1794 Apr 12
	125	Humphrys, Abel	1803 May 23
	126	James & Clibborn	1795 May 23
	127	James Smith & Son	1803
	128	Jehu Hollingsworth & Co.	1803 Jun 16
	129	Jeremiah Peirsol & Co.	1794



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## SERIES II. FINANCIAL DOCUMENTS, cont.

## Invoices, cont.

## Merchandise, cont.

[4]	130	Jones, Isaac	1794 Feb 14
	131	Joseph Thomas & Co.	1801
	132	Kennedy, Andrew	1794 Apr 4
	133	Ketland, Thomas & John	1794 Jul 2
	134	Kikendall, A.	1794, 1796
	135	Lane & Godfrey	1794-1795
	136	Leedom, Benjamin & Joseph	1794
	137	Lownes, Caleb	1795 Mar 23
	138	McKean & Van Emburgh	1794
	139	McLeod, John	1795
		Main, Jacob See: A. Kikendall	
	140	Macy, Jonathan	1799 Apr 10
	141	Mendenhall, Adam	1794-1795
	142	Micklejohn, John	1794, 1799
	143	Milnor, Joseph	1803
	144	Montgomery, John & William	1794 Mar 24
	145	Montgomery & Newbold	1795 May 11
	146	Norman, Jacob	1794 Mar 6
	147	North & Haskins	1795 Jun 3
	148	Norton, Thomas	1794

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## SERIES II. FINANCIAL DOCUMENTS, cont.

## Invoices, cont.

## Merchandise, cont.

[4]	149	Parry, Thomas	1794
	150	Perot, Elliston and John	1802 Jul 3
	151	Peter & Stevenson	1795
	152	Pettit & Bayard	1795 Sep 16
	153	Price, Edward	1794
	154	Ritchie, Robert	1803 May 7
	155	Robert & Jones	1800 Jun 35
	156	Samuel Wetherill & Sons	1794-1795
	157	Schneider, John	1974
	158	Schofield, Samuel	1803 Jan 20
	159	Servoss, Jacob	1794 Jun 5
	160	Sheaf, William	1795
	161	Smith, Willet	1802 Mar 17
	162	Smith & Rodman	1799 Apr 25
	163	Sparks, Lloyd	1795, 1800
	164	Starr & Thomas	1802 Jan 18
	165	Stille, John, Jr.	1800 Jun 21
	166	Stine, Jacob	1795 May 29
	167	Taylor & Gaskill	1794-1795
	168	Thompson, John	1794 May 5

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## Merchandise, cont.

[4]	169	Topliff, William	1794
	170	Tunis Annesley & Co.	1794 May 10
	171	Vowell, John & Thomas	1798 Dec 29
	172	Welsh, John	1795 Jun 5
	173	Whitehead, John & James	1794
	174	Willing, Richard	1803 Apr 7
	175	Willis & Yardley	1795
	176	Yarnall, Ellis	1794
	177	Personal	1794-1803
	178	Postage	1795 Feb-May
	179	Rent and storage	1794-1795
	180	Services	1794-1803
	181	Subscriptions and advertising	1795-1803
	182	Contract	1792 Aug 1

## Bank notes

5	183	Drawn 1794	1794
	184	Drawn 1795	1795
	185-188	Drawn 1796	1796
	189-192	Drawn 1797	1797
	193	Drawn 1798	1798

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[5]	194	Drawn 1799-1802	1799-1802
	195	Undated	undated
	196	Check book stubs	1795-1797

## Bills of Exchange

6	197	Issued 1792-93	1792-1793
	198-201	Issued 1794	1794
	202-207	Issued 1795	1795
	208-211	Issued 1796	1796
	212	Issued 1798-1805	1798-1805