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Processing Information:

Acc. 1991.15: Approximately 40 letters of Charles Mills Sheldon, foreign correspondent in Cuba, Spain, Sudan, Egypt, and India, 1896-1906. Plus an undetermined number of photographs taken in these places. Given in memory of his father Charles Mills Sheldon and in memory of their son Capt. Charles Mills Sheldon, class of 1958.

Acc. 1992.64: Items relating to the journalistic career of Charles Sheldon chiefly relating to his Cuban experience including reports on the campaign. Biographical material on Charles Sheldon.

Acc. 1993.33: Typescript of quotes about journalist Charles Sheldon in books about the Spanish American War; biographical material on Sheldon; "Recollections of the First Ten Years of My Life" by Sheldon, 1913. Original in the possession of Jean Sheldon of "Recollections".

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Biographical Information:

Charles Mills Sheldon (1866-1928) of London, England was an illustrator and war correspondent. His work carried him to the Sudan (1896), Cuba (1898), the Spanish-American War, Egypt (1902) during the opening of the Assouan Dam, Durbar India (1903), and Spain (1906) during the royal wedding and attempted assassination of Edward VII of Great Britain. Further information about this individual or organization may be available in the Special Collections Research Center Wiki:

http://scdbwiki.swem.wm.edu/wiki/index.php/Charles_Mills_Sheldon.

Scope and Contents

Correspondence, clippings, photographs, and papers of Charles Mills Sheldon (1866-1928), British illustrator and war correspondent. Letters were written primarily to his wife, Grace, of London, and often contain detailed descriptions of his experiences abroad. Some of the topics discussed in his correspondence include the Sudan (1896), Cuba (1898), the Spanish-American War, Egypt during the opening of the Aswan Dam (1902), the Durbar in India (1903), and Spain (1906) during the royal wedding and attempted assassination of Alfonso XIII of Spain and Princess Victoria Eugenie of Battenberg, niece of Edward VII of Great Britain. Included are a biography of Sheldon, typescripts of his letters, newspaper articles and clippings, and photographs (1896-1913) of assignment areas (particularly Egypt and the Sudan) and Sheldon himself.

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Correspondence

Photographs

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Description of Subordinate Components

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Unit ID id145843

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Unit Date 1886

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

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Extent 1

Scope and Contents

Accounts of Kitchener's first campaign up the Nile to avenge the death of General George Gordon in Khartoum at the hands of the Mahdi. This first phase ended on the capture of Dongola and was completed by a second expedition in 1898.

Newspaper, The Tantallon Chronicle

Unit ID id145844

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350103

Unit Date 1895 June 24

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Extent 0 See container summaryFolder

Extent 2

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents From the "the cruise of the "Tantallon Castle" on the occasion of the opening of the Baltic Canal" with shipboard articles and lists of guests of Sir Donald Currie, K.C., M.G., M.P. for the opening including Charles Sheldon, Esq.

Correspondence**Unit ID** id145845**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/350104**Unit Date** 1896 January 17- 1896 May 18**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 3 (Folder)**W.D. Ross, London, England, to Charles Sheldon, Esq., Cape Town South Africa.****Unit ID** id145847**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/350144**Unit Date** 1896 January 17**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 3 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Congratulations on Sheldon's dispatch to South Africa as representative of Black and White magazine; details and terms of Sheldon's contract.

Charles Mills Sheldon, Delagoa Bay, Portuguese East Africa, to Grace Sheldon, London, England.**Unit ID** id145850**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/350145**Unit Date** 1896 March 31**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 3 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Explanation of how got telegram to go to Sudan and how got boat for passage, trip on Steamer on the Crocodile River described; natives of the area described; commentary on "missionary negro" and untouched negro and work that is done; "I am, at present, absolutely in the dark as to what is transpiring and shall not learn until I get to Suez. I dare say."

Charles Mills Sheldon, Cairo, Egypt to Gracie Sheldon, London, England.**Unit ID** id145851**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/350146**Unit Date** 1896 May 4**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 3 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Preparations for Sudan mentioned, description of trip up the west coast of Africa, including Beirn, Mozambique, Dar-el-Salaam, Zanzibar, Aden, and his stay in Cairo.

Charles Mills Sheldon, Wady Halfa, Egypt, to Grace Sheldon, London, England.**Unit ID** id145852**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/350147**Unit Date** 1896 May 18**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 3 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Expressions of how pleased to have received a letter and news of home; details of journey south, with special mention of Lord Athlumney; description of his house and surrounding area in Halfa and a few daily activities.

Correspondence**Unit ID** id145853**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/350105**Unit Date** 1896 June 8- 1896 August 20**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 4 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Some typescripts added from Acc. 1994.13.

Charles Mills Sheldon, Firket, Dongola, to Grace Sheldon, London, England.**Unit ID** id145855**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/350148**Unit Date** 1896 June 8**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 4 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

First battle with the Dervishes detailed; his predictions of what will happen with the expedition.

Charles Mills Sheldon, Kosheh, Sudan?, to Grace Sheldon, London, England.**Unit ID** id145856**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/350149**Unit Date** 1896 August 6**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 4 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Account of what had passed since his last letter; cholera epidemic mentioned; usually bad weather pattern; acquired another correspondence position; news about the death of a friend; references about home.

Charles Mills Sheldon, Kosheh, Sudan?, to "Gracie" Sheldon, London, England.**Unit ID** id145857**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/350150**Unit Date** 1896 August 20**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 4 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Preparations being made to move; horses at camp described; descriptions of view out door of hut; reference made to his sketches; "partner", Berman sic. detailed.

Correspondence**Unit ID** id145858**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/350106**Unit Date** 1896 August 30 - 1896 September 20**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 5 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Some typescripts added from Acc. 1994.13.

Charles Mills Sheldon, Kosheh Camp, Sudan?, to Grace Sheldon, London, England.

Unit ID id145859

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350151

Unit Date 1896 August 30

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Mention of storm wiping about 12 miles of railroad and wires and delay of expedition; description of storm and damage; army "scattered along a line a hundred miles long" and vulnerable to Dervish attack; hopes of home.

Charles Mills Sheldon, Kosheh, Sudan?, to Grace Sheldon, London, England.

Unit ID id145860

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350152

Unit Date 1896 September 5

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Account of an overnight trip down river to Firket Mountain with Beaman; Commentary on Egyptians; account of climb up mountain; "We had all thought that there had been Dervishes on the mountain the morning of the fight, but I saw now that this would have been impossible."

Charles Mills Sheldon, Hafir, to Grace Sheldon, London, England.

Unit ID id145861

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350153

Unit Date 1896 September 20

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Arrival at Kerma welcomed by native Berberine population; fighting with Dervishes soon after arrival; account of moving army en route to Dongola.

Newspaper Clippings

Unit ID id145862

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350107

Unit Date 1896-1902

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Newspaper clipping about the Nile Expedition into the Sudan by the British

Unit ID id145864

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350154

Unit Date 1896

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Three newspaper clippings on The General Press Cutting Association, Ltd. Paper about Charles Mills Sheldon.

Unit ID id145865

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350155

Unit Date 1896-1902

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

2 photographs.

Correspondence

Unit ID id145866

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350108

Unit Date 1898 April 18- 1898 June 6

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Typescripts added from Acc. 1994.40.

W.D. Ross, London, England, to C.M. Sheldon, Esq., London, England.

Unit ID id145867

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350156

Unit Date 1898 April 18

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Notice from Black and White magazine that Charles Mills Sheldon is to be their Special Representative "in the campaign now preceding between America and Spain."

W.D. Ross, London, England to William M. Osborne, London, England.

Unit ID id145869

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350157

Unit Date 1898 April 18

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Voucher of authority for Charles Mills Sheldon to act as Special Representative for Black and White Magazine during the Spanish-American War; sealed with a certificate from the Consulate-General of the United States of America, for Great Britain and Ireland.

War Correspondent's Pass for Charles M. Sheldon.

Unit ID id146109

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350158

Unit Date 1898 April 30

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Signed by Rititegel?, Secretary of War and J.D. Miley, 1st Lieut., 5th arty, A.D.C.

"Charley" Charles Mills Sheldon, Tampa, Fla., to Grace Sheldon, London, England.

Unit ID id146110

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350159

Unit Date 1898 May 16

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Complaint that there is "idleness and procrastination" and "seems as though the war would never get into progress"; expedition sailed for Cuba to land near Havana; moving out of hotel to join the fourth regiment in camp.

"Charley" Charles Mills Sheldon, on board troopship "Concho" off the Tortugas, to Grace Sheldon, London, England.

Unit ID id146111

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350160

Unit Date 1898 June 15

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Fleet gathered together and underway; "At least we were commencing a new page in the world's history"; descriptions of some officers' life on board.

"Charley" Charles Mills Sheldon, on board the "Concho" to Grace Sheldon, London, England.

Unit ID id146112

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350161

Unit Date 1898 June 16

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Personal thoughts; (June 17th) descriptions of traveling at sea with the fleet; (June 22nd?) arrival at Santiago and preparations made for landing; next day description of Santiago and blockade fleets from ship; fort bombarded by American battleships; orders to retreat; (dated June 21st?) fifth in line to land.

Correspondence

Unit ID id146113

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350109

Unit Date 1898 June 23 - 1898 July 4

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Typescripts added from Acc. 1994.40.

"Charley" Charles Mills Sheldon, Cuba, to Grace Sheldon, London, England.

Unit ID id146114

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350162

Unit Date 1898 June 23

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Details of fighting before landing; "I only succeeded in getting ashore yesterday noon, after the fight in which the "Rough Riders" lost about twenty men killed."

Charles Mills Sheldon, on Board "Siboney", to Grace Sheldon, London, England.

Unit ID id146120

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350163

Unit Date 1898 June 24

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Description of landing ashore; account of things saw while looking for 4th Infantry; details of life with the army. Ms (no original letter; from a notebook)

"Charley" Charles Mills Sheldon, outside Santiago, Cuba to Grace Sheldon, London, England.

Unit ID id146121

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350164

Unit Date 1898 June 27

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Have been on the move marching for four days; "I was not in the fight with the "Rough Riders" the other day as we were not allowed to land till after that happened."

"Charley" Charles Mills Sheldon, outside Santiago, Cuba to Grace Sheldon.

Unit ID id146122

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350165

Unit Date 1898 June 27

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Account of landing on Cuba with Mac Pherson; description of the weather and the area; "This is about as tough campaigning as any army ever went through.

"Charley" Charles Mills Sheldon, 5 miles out of Santiago Cuba, to Grace Sheldon, London, England.

Unit ID id146126

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350166

Unit Date 1898 July 5

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Complaints that Spanish underestimated, have inadequate supplies and incapable leadership; news of Sampson destroying Spanish fleets; details of fighting; details of eating and sleeping conditions; sketch of map.

Correspondence

Unit ID id146127

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350110

Unit Date 1898 July 10- 1898 October 29

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Typescripts added from Acc. 1994.40.

"Charley" Charles Mills Sheldon, Cuba, to Grace Sheldon, London, England

Unit ID id146128

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350167

Unit Date 1898 July 10

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Details of conditions; description of the predicament of 15-18 thousand women and children who evacuated Santiago; reports of yellow fever; rumors about Spanish surrenderings.

"Charley" Charles Mills Sheldon, Santiago, Cuba, to Grace Sheldon, London, England.

Unit ID id146133

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350168

Unit Date 1898 July 17

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Details of the surrender of Santiago; description of the city; hopes to go to Tampa and undergo quarantine for yellow fever before going on to Porto Rico; prediction that Spain will make peace before Porto Rico expedition starts.

"Charley" Charles Mills Sheldon, on board S.S. "Aransas", Carribean Sea, to Grace Sheldon, London, England.

Unit ID id146538

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350169

Unit Date 1898 July 24

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

On board first boat could get out of Santiago, on way to Tampa; people of influence on board such as a Russian prince, a captain from Sweden, and John Jacob Astor; passed the remains of the wrecked ship; to be quarantined midstream in Tampa seven days; news that Porto Rican expedition started.

Colonel Wingate, Director Military Intelligence, Cairo, Egypt, to Charles Mills Sheldon, Esq.

Unit ID id146539

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350170

Unit Date 1898 October 29

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Medal award letter for involvement "in the military operations in the Sudan in 1896."

Newspaper Articles about the Spanish-American War

Unit ID id146540

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350111

Unit Date 1898 April 30- 1898 October

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Newspaper articles about the Spanish-American War

Unit ID id146541

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350171

Unit Date 1898 April 30- 1898 October

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

9 items. 1 photograph.

Correspondence

Unit ID id146542

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350112

Unit Date 1902 November 25- 1902 December 7

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Typescripts added from Acc. 1994.13.

"Charley" Charles Mills Sheldon, in the Mediterranean, S.S. Isis, to Grace Sheldon, London, England.

Unit ID id146543

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350172

Unit Date 1902 November 25

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Description of passengers on board steamer, comments on the passing of wedding anniversary.

"Charley" Charles Mills Sheldon, Cairo, Egypt, to Grace Sheldon, London, England.

Unit ID id146544

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350173

Unit Date 1902 November 27

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Description of Cairo, accounts of people met that day; sentiments and affections.

"Charley" Charles Mills Sheldon, Assouan, Egypt, to Grace Sheldon, London, England.

Unit ID id146545

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350174

Unit Date 1902 December 7

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Description of Assouan; account of last days in Cairo; visit to dam works; references to news from home; comments on how photographs are turning out.

Charles Mills Sheldon, Assouan, Egypt, to Grace, Sheldon, London, England

Unit ID id146546

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350175

Unit Date 1902 December 7

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Sentiments of home life, details of past few days and people acquainted with; (12 Dec.) rehearsal of the dam where spent time with the sidar and his friends; account of actual opening day of the dam; complaints about railroad in Egypt, (rest of letter lost).

Correspondence

Unit ID id146547

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350113

Unit Date 1902 December 17- 1902 December 24

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Typescripts added from Acc. 1994.13.

"Charley" Charles Mills Sheldon, Port Said, Egypt, to Grace Sheldon, London, England.

Unit ID id146548

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350176

Unit Date 1902 December 17

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Account of reaching ship; description of Duke and Duchess of Marlborough on Board; mention of ships at Fort Said.

"Charley" Charles Mills Sheldon, Midway in Suez Canal, SS Arabia, to Grace Sheldon. London, England.

Unit ID id146549

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350177

Unit Date 1902 December 17

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Comments on scenery and shipmates on board; references to events at home, commentary on women; reference to meeting old servant from Sudan, Sulieman Taka, now Hadji Sulieman.

"Charley" Charles Mills Sheldon, The Red Sea, S.S. Arabia, to Grace Sheldon, London, England

Unit ID id146550

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350178

Unit Date 1902 December 19

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Descriptions of other passengers; details of Duke and Duchess of Marlborough (sketches of both); noted fatigue of traveling at sea; mention of continueing work in India for "B & W" (Black and White magazine).

"Charley" Charles Mills Sheldon, S.S. Arabia, to Grace Sheldon, London, England.

Unit ID id146551

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350179

Unit Date 1902 December 24

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Nostalgic thoughts of home and personal messages.

Correspondence**Unit ID** id146552**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/350114**Unit Date** 1903 January 3- 1903 January 20**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 13 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Typescripts added from Acc. 1994.13.

"Charley" Charles Mills Sheldon, Delhi, India, to Grace Sheldon, London, England.**Unit ID** id146553**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/350180**Unit Date** 1903 January 3**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 13 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents Details of functions attending everyday, such as; the Investment at the Devani Arn ?, dining with the Viceroy, ball at Devani Arn ?, show of old army; mentions of conversation with Colonel Rhodes; government furnished him "with a queer vehicle called a 'tonga'"; update on work done.

"Charley" Charles Mills Sheldon, Delhi, India, to Grace Sheldon, London, England.**Unit ID** id146554**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/350181**Unit Date** 1903 January 10**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 13 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Last function was official departure of viceregal party; excursion taken around ruins of Delhi; finishing up work and preparations to move on to Bombay; advice to send 6 pounds and descriptions to a Mr. Grossman to buy two turquoise necklaces; mention of other places plan to visit.

"Charley" Charles Mills Sheldon, Jeypur, India, to Grace Sheldon, London, England.**Unit ID** id146555**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/350182**Unit Date** 1903 January 20**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 13 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Experience of Indian hotel life; train rides from Agra to Jeypur; description of Jeypur and natives; references to home.

Correspondence, Charles Mills Sheldon on a trip across Canada by rail to his wife in England**Unit ID** id146589**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/350115**Unit Date** 1913 July 1- 1913 September 7**Mixed Materials** 1 (Box)**Container** 14 (Folder)

Correspondence

Unit ID id146556

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350116

Unit Date 1906 June 1- 1906 June 2

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Typescripts added from Acc. 1994.13.

"Charles" Charles Mills Sheldon, Madrid, Spain, to Grace Sheldon, London, England.

Unit ID id146557

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350183

Unit Date 1906 June 1

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Description of the destruction from the attempted assassination of King and Queen of Spain on their wedding day.

"Charley" Charles Mills Sheldon, Madrid, Spain, to Grace Sheldon, London, England.

Unit ID id146558

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350184

Unit Date 1906 June 2

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Commentary on the "State Bull Fight" with some royalty present.

Correspondence from Robert H. Dole

Unit ID id146559

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350117

Unit Date 1927 February 24

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents Robert H. Dole, East Lansing, Michigan, to Charles Mills Sheldon, London, England. Thanks sent for stamps Charles Mills Sheldon sent; description of his house in Michigan and comparison to English houses.

Memorials to Charles Mills Sheldon

Unit ID id146560

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350118

Unit Date 1928 March 24- 1928 April 14

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

The African World memorial to Charles Mills Sheldon highlighting his life and work.

Unit ID id146561

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350185

Unit Date 1928 March 24

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

NWS

The Children's Newspaper article on the death of Charles Mills Sheldon.

Unit ID id146562

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350186

Unit Date 1928 April 14

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

NWS 12 pp.

Correspondence and Newspaper Clippings

Unit ID id146563

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350119

Unit Date Undated

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Newspaper clipping about Charles Mills Sheldon observing the landing of Jabez at South Hampton

Unit ID id146564

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350187

Unit Date Undated

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Reginald Wingate, London, England, to Mr. Weinthal, The Palace, Khartoum, Sudan.

Unit ID id146565

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350188

Unit Date Undated

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Expression of thanks for a drawing done by Charles Mills Sheldon and given to Reginal Wingate who write Mr. Weinthal to thank him and Sheldon for the gift.

Letter from Thomas J. Lipton, London, England, to Charles Mills Sheldon, no place

Unit ID id222518

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350120

Unit Date 1898 January 7

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 19 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Letter from Lipton thanking Sheldon for the gift of the Durgola War Drum and sending wishes for the New Year.

Typescript of "Recollections of the First Ten Years of My Life" and Chapter 11 "Boyhood in Des Moines" by Charles Mills Sheldon

Unit ID id146576

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350121

Unit Date 1866-1976

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Scope and Contents "Recollections of the First Ten Years of My Life" 1866-1876 (10 pages) Chapter 11 "Boyhood in Des Moines" (6 pages) Typescripts added from Acc. 1993.33.

Charles M. Sheldon "On acquiring a fleet ship models"

Unit ID id146584

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350122

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Original ms. 8 pp and typescript 3 pp. Addition, from Acc. 1994.13.

Typescripts of Quotes about Charles Mills Sheldon in books about the Spanish-American War

Unit ID id218331

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350123

Unit Date undated

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Typescripts added from Acc. 1993.33.

Letter from Bathurst Price ?, Fort Sheridan, U.S. Military Post established in 1887 in Illinois on Lake Michigan, to Charles Mills Sheldon, no place

Unit ID id146585

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350124

Unit Date 1891 December 30

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

4 pp. ALS. Contains reminiscences about the condition of the men during the battles in Santiago, Cuba. Also typescript (2 pp.) Addition, from Acc. 1994.13.

Copies of illustrations by Charles Mills Sheldon for the English periodical Black and White

Unit ID id146591

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350125

Unit Date 1895 October 5-1896 December 19

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Addition, Acc. 1996.12.

Copies of illustrations by Charles Mills Sheldon for the English periodical The War Illustrated

Unit ID id146592

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350126

Unit Date 1915 January 3-1916 June 24

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Addition, Acc. 1996.12.

Manuscript of book of letters of Charles Mills Sheldon (1866-1928), English journalist, illustrator, and foreign correspondent.

Unit ID id146593

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350127

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Typescripts of letters with illustrations. One volume of unnumbered pages (over 100 pages). Addition, from Acc. 1998.20.

Manuscript of book of letters of Charles Mills Sheldon (1866-1928), English journalist, illustrator, and foreign correspondent.

Unit ID id146594

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350128

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Typescripts of letters with illustrations. One volume of unnumbered pages (over 100 pages). Addition, from Acc. 1998.20.

Manuscript of book of letters of Charles Mills Sheldon (1866-1928), English journalist, illustrator, and foreign correspondent.

Unit ID id146595

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350129

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Typescripts of letters with illustrations. One volume of unnumbered pages (over 100 pages). Addition, from Acc. 1998.20.

Manuscript of book of letters of Charles Mills Sheldon (1866-1928), English journalist, illustrator, and foreign correspondent.

Unit ID id146596

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350130

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

Typescripts of letters with illustrations. One volume of unnumbered pages (over 100 pages). Addition, from Acc. 1998.20.

Eight photographs of Charles Mills Sheldon's trip across Canada by rail

Unit ID id146588

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350131

Unit Date 1913

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

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Cairo, Egypt, Photographs of City and People taken by Charles Mills Sheldon.

Unit ID id146566

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350132

Unit Date 1896

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

12 photographs

Egypt and Sudan. Military scenes taken by Charles Mills Sheldon.

Unit ID id146567

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350133

Unit Date 1896

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 13 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

26 photographs.

Egypt and Sudan. Native scenes by Charles Mills Sheldon.

Unit ID id146568

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350134

Unit Date 1896

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 14 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

12 photographs.

Sudan. Military scenes taken by Charles Mills Sheldon.

Unit ID id146569

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350135

Unit Date 1896

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

31 photographs.

Egypt and Cairo. Native scenes taken by Charles Mills Sheldon.

Unit ID id220142

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350136

Unit Date 1896

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

Cairo, Egypt. City scenes taken by Charles Mills Sheldon.

Unit ID id146570

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350137

Unit Date 1902

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

5 photographs.

Assouan, Egypt. Opening of the Assouan Dam taken by Charles Mills Sheldon.

Unit ID id146571

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350138

Unit Date 1902

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

28 photographs.

Egypt. Military scenes by Charles Mills Sheldon.

Unit ID id146572

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350139

Unit Date 1902

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 19 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

6 photographs.

Egypt. Natives and scenery taken by Charles Mills Sheldon.

Unit ID id146573

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350140

Unit Date 1902

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 20 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

26 photographs.

India. Native scenes taken by Charles Mills Sheldon

Unit ID id146574

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/350141

Unit Date 1903?

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 21 (Folder)

Scope and Contents

6 photographs.

Photographs of Charles Mills Sheldon in Cuba**Unit ID** id146577**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/350142**Unit Date** 1898**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Container** 22 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents 5" x 7", 4"x6" , black and white. Additions from Acc. 1994.13.

Civil War Photographs and Letter**Unit ID** id221115**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/350143**Unit Date** 1862, 1965**Mixed Materials** 2 (Box)**Container** 23 (Folder)**Scope and Contents**

Scope and Contents U.S. Civil War photograph, 7 5/8"x 9 5/8" of officers of the 19th Brigade of the New York National Guard at Sherburne, N.Y. in 1862. Included in the photograph is "Uncle Frank" Franklin P. Garland, brother of Fannie (Garland) Fitch of Sherburne, N.Y. who was killed at the Battle of Gettysburg. Includes 1965 letter from National Archives. Addition from Acc. 1994.13.