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## Collection Overview

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## Administrative Information

### Preferred Citation

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## Descriptive Entry

This accession contains unpublished manuscripts by George P. Merrill and related materials. The Merrill manuscripts contain information on the history of the Department of Geology, United States National Museum. Other manuscripts document the Division of Mineralogy and Petrology.

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## Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

### Subjects:

Geologists  
Geology

### Types of Materials:

Manuscripts

### Names:

Merrill, George P. (Georger Perkins), 1854-1929  
United States National Museum. Department of Geology

## Container Listing

### Box 1

- Box 1 of 1                      Historical Sketch of the Division of Geology, George P. Merrill, Presented July 31, 1906 (36 pages)
- Box 1 of 1                      An Historical Account of the Department of Geology in the U.S. National Museum, George P. Merrill, circa 1925, B. Mason, (130 pages - page 122 missing)
- Box 1 of 1                      The Building, George P. Merrill? (12 pages of hand script with 7 page typescript version)
- Box 1 of 1                      F. P. Dewey, October 1, 1889, Economic Geology. Manuscript incomplete and in poor condition. Pages 1-2, 11-33, 35-41, 48, 70-77, unnumbered fragment, 91-122, 125-134.
- Box 1 of 1                      Metallurgy, Frederick P. Dewey (resigned October 1889), October 1, 1889 (101 pages)
- Box 1 of 1                      Division of Mineralogy and Petrology, United States National Museum, A Record of its Arrangement and Activities, J. E. Pogue, May 10, 1913 (20 pages). With memorandum to G. P. Merrill of May 14, 1913.
- Box 1 of 1                      History of the Division of Mineralogy from 1859-1906, Wirt Tassin (18 pages). Second copy pages 37-51 is a continuation of Merrill's 1906 Report.
- Box 1 of 1                      Miscellaneous Documents from File "G. P. Merrill et. al., Manuscript History of the Department of Geology" (2 folders)
- Box 1 of 1                      Rock Weathering, Action Organic Matter, undated [Accession 15-304]
- Box 1 of 1                      CO<sub>2</sub> in Atmosphere and Limestone, 1889 (appeared in a Geological and Chemical Society publication, April 18, 1889) [Accession 15-304]