

Register of the

Gilbert-Tymeson Family

Papers

Collection 368

Center for Adventist Research
James White Library
Andrews University
Berrien Springs, Michigan
2022
Processed by Timothy Baze

Gilbert-Tymeson Family Papers (Collection 368)

Biographies

Frederick Carnes (F. C.) Gilbert was born in 1867 in London, England. Born into a Jewish family, perhaps under the name Morris Cohen, Gilbert immigrated to the United States as a young man, and was one of the first Jewish converts to Seventh-day Adventism. Ella May Graham was born in 1865 in Mansfield, Connecticut. She was a member of the first graduating class of South Lancaster Academy in 1888. F. C. Gilbert graduated from South Lancaster Academy in 1896, and married Ella May Graham the same year. Together they had four children, Ruth (Miller), Miriam (Tymeson), William, and Louis.

F. C. Gilbert became a Seventh-day Adventist evangelist and author, and served as the secretary of the Jewish Department of the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists from 1936 until his death in 1946. Ella May served as a teacher, and died in 1944.

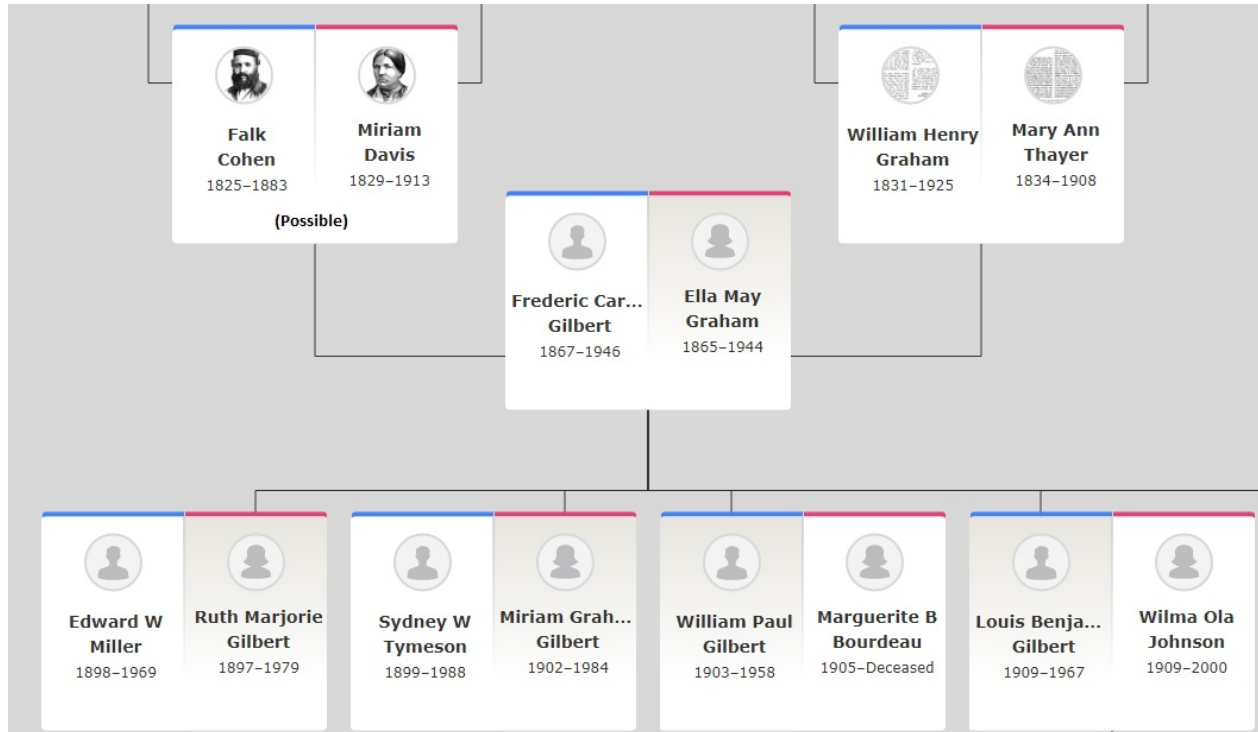
Miriam (Gilbert) Tymeson was born in 1902 in South Lancaster, Massachusetts. Sydney Tymeson was born in 1899 in New York. Both attended South Lancaster Academy, and Lancaster Junior College. Miriam completed her studies in education at Washington Missionary College. After their marriage, Sydney and Miriam both taught at Greater New York Academy, where Sydney served as principal from 1929-1932. Sydney then took a call to teach in the Business Department of Washington Missionary College, later Columbia Union College (and now Washington Adventist University), where he would serve until his retirement, spending a great majority of his time as chair of that department. Miriam taught at the Takoma Park Church school, becoming its principal in 1935. In 1937 the Takoma Park school combined with other area churches to become the first "union school," a school with multiple constituent churches. Miriam was the first principal, and served in this capacity until 1978. Miriam died in 1984 while on vacation in New London, New Hampshire. Sydney died four years later, in 1988.

To help aid the researcher in understanding this family, a family tree from www.familysearch.org is pasted below. There is more information on this site. You may need to create a free account to view some of the details.

A few explanatory notes may be helpful.

1. I was not able to independently verify the names of F. C. Gilbert's parents, nor the theory that he was born "Morris Cohen."
2. Louis Gilbert, the youngest child of F. C. & Ella May Gilbert, was married at least three times. Wilma Johnson, who appears on the tree, was the only wife he had a child with, Patricia. The details are murky, but it appears that when Wilma left Louis, Ruth (Gilbert) Miller and her husband Edward adopted Patricia, the only grandchild F. C. & Ella May had.

3. Lavina (Thayer) Graham and Sarah Jane “Jennie” Thayer were sisters of Mary Ann (Thayer) Graham, Ella May (Graham) Gilbert’s mother.



Scope

This collection contains personal documents from Miriam and Sydney Tymeson, which include many items from Miriam’s parents, F. C. & Ella May Gilbert, as well as those from a few other family members. Items in this collection include personal papers, educational materials, articles and talks, and a substantial number of photographs.

Arrangement

This collection is divided into six parts. The first four sections contain items relating to F. C. Gilbert, Ella May (Graham) Gilbert, Sydney Tymeson, and Miriam (Gilbert) Tymeson respectively. Within these sections, items begin with biographical materials, and include educational materials, items related to career/work, articles and talks by the individual, articles about the individual, and awards and honors. The fifth section contains materials on other family members, and the sixth contains copies of the photographs found in this collection.

Extent

2 Record Center Boxes [2.5 linear feet]

Provenance

This collection was originally donated to Atlantic Union College. Upon the college's closure in 2018, the Center for Adventist Research received the college's Adventist Heritage Room contents, among which was this collection. They were brought to the Center on July 17, 2020. This collection was removed from a larger group of publications and artifacts and catalogued in this present form.

Use

All users of this collection will complete the Application to Use Unpublished Records, and observe the regulation specified in the Patron's Agreement and Researcher's Code of Conduct. All records in this collection are open and available for research. Suggested citation for this collection:

Bx ____, Fld ____, Gilbert-Tymeson Family Papers (Collection 368), Center for Adventist Research, James White Library, Andrews University, Berrien Springs, MI.

Table of Contents

<u>Page</u>	<u>Contents</u>
6	I. Frederick Carnes (F. C.) and Ella May (Graham) Gilbert
6	F. C. Gilbert
6	Biographical and Personal Materials
6	Scholastic Materials
6	Publications and Talks by F. C. Gilbert
8	Career/Work Materials
9	Items F. C. Gilbert Collected
9	Ella May (Graham) Gilbert
9	Biographical and Personal Materials
10	Scholastic Materials
11	Publications by Ella May Gilbert
11	II. Sydney and Miriam (Gilbert) Tymeson
11	Sydney Tymeson
11	Biographical and Personal Materials
11	Scholastic Materials
12	Career/Work Materials
13	Talks, Speeches, and Sermons by Sydney Tymeson
14	Correspondence
15	Awards and Honors
16	Greater New York Academy
16	Miriam (Gilbert) Tymeson
16	Biographical and Personal Materials
16	Scholastic Materials
18	Work/Career Materials
19	Talks, Speeches, and Sermons by Miriam Tymeson
23	Publications by Miriam Tymeson
24	Publications about Miriam Tymeson
25	Correspondence
27	Awards and Honors
28	Items Miriam Collected
28	Retirement
29	III. Other Graham-Gilbert-Tymeson Relatives
29	Lavina (Thayer) Graham
29	William Henry and Mary Ann (Thayer) Graham
29	William Paul Gilbert
29	Ruth (Gilbert) Miller

29	IV.	Adventist History Materials
29		J. N. Andrews Materials
30		Programs by John Nevins Andrews School Students about J. N. Andrews
31	V.	Photographs
31		Adventist Historical Photographs
32		Graham-Gilbert and Sydney Tymeson Family Photographs
39		Items Removed

Gilbert-Tymeson Family Papers (Collection 368)

INVENTORY

I. Frederick Carnes (F. C.) and Ella May (Graham) Gilbert

Bx 1 Fld 1 Marriage Announcement for Fred C. Gilbert and Ella May Graham, 1896.

Bx 1 Fld 2 Vinyl Records labeled "Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Gilbert," 1947.

F. C. Gilbert

Biographical and Personal Materials

Bx 1 Fld 3 Citizenship Document, 1896.

Bx 1 Fld 4 Passport, 1923.

Bx 1 Fld 5 Metal Name Plate. No date.

Bx 1 Fld 6 Obituaries and Memorial Service Book, 1946.

Bx 1 Fld 7 Life Sketch, 1946.

Scholastic Materials

Bx 1 Fld 8 "True Pleasure," handwritten address given at Gilbert's graduation from South Lancaster Academy, 1894.

Publications and Talks by F. C. Gilbert

Bx 1 Fld 9 "Startling Case: Religious Enthusiasm Unbalances Mind of Leominster Young Lady," in the *Fitchburg Evening Mail*, Thursday, January 20, 1898. The first part of the article is presumably by the editor, the second half is a long quote from Gilbert. In the first part, Gilbert and another man, Elmer K. Cousins, is accused of harassing, persecuting, and hypnotizing a 23-year-old woman, Etta J. Marshall. The second half is Gilbert's

response, correcting what he says is misinformation, and putting the blame on the woman's parents for persecuting her. Copy.

- Bx 1 Fld 10 Illustrations from Gilbert's book, "From Judaism to Christianity," 1911.
- Bx 1 Fld 11 "The Mountains Round About Jerusalem."
This paper describes the locations and buildings near Jerusalem. No date. Written on stationery from the Hotel Baslerhof in Basel, Switzerland.
- Bx 1 Fld 12 "Historical Sketches of Advent Youth in Action," a talk given to the Sligo Missionary Volunteer Society. No date.
- Bx 1 Fld 13 "An Eye-Witness of the Japanese Earthquake of 1923," a radio broadcast by Gilbert, who witnessed the event. No date.
- Bx 1 Fld 14 "An Eyewitness' Account of the Japanese Earthquake," a radio broadcast Gilbert, who witnessed the event. No date. Different than the similar item above.
- Bx 1 Fld 15 Collection of Postcards to illustrate an unknown book. Each postcard has a chapter number on the back, however they do not match any published books we have by Gilbert. They may have been intended for his unpublished work, "Palestine and the Zionist Movement," below. A few may be personal photographs rather than postcards. No date.
- Bx 1 Fld 16 "Palestine and the Zionist Movement," likely unpublished, as the publication references dates up to 1945, and Gilbert died in 1946. This also may be the book the postcards in Box 1 Fld 15 were intended for.

- Bx 1 Fld 17 Index Cards for books donated to Atlantic Union College's library by Gilbert.
- Bx 1 Fld 18 "Divided Monarchies of Judah and Israel." This was kept with the family items in this collection. It may have been created by Gilbert, but this is not certain. No date.

Career/Work Materials

- Bx 1 Fld 19 Flyer for "Gospel Tent Meetings" in Caribou, Maine, by P. F. Bicknell and F. C. Gilbert, beginning Jul 19, 1899. The flyer has a photograph of a tent meeting.
- Bx 1 Fld 20 Invitation to gospel services at the "Gospel Tent" on the corner of North and Wahconah streets, conducted by F. C. Gilbert and D. B. Parmelee, beginning August 24, year unknown. Given the dates, possible years would be 1894, 1900, 1906, and 1917, but it could be later than this. The back of the invitation has a hand drawn sketch of the floor plan of a house.
- Bx 1 Fld 21 Invitation to gospel services by Gilbert at Odd Fellow's Hall, Mar 9. Year and location unknown. Given the dates, possible years would be 1894, 1900, 1906, and 1917, but it could be later than this.
- Bx 1 Fld 22 Statement of Account to the United States Engraving Co., Dec 24, 1906.
- Bx 1 Fld 23 Obituary for Albert Robie in the *Gleaner*, Jan 19, 1910. Robie pioneered the Avondale Health Retreat, and was visited by Gilbert (in the middle of a snowstorm) before his death. This is in the collection because it was thought that this could be a brother of F. C. That is not the case, but it does provide an interesting insight into F. C.'s ministry.

- Bx 1 Fld 24 Laborer's Report, May 1913.
- Bx 1 Fld 25 Laborer's Report, Aug 1913.
- Bx 1 Fld 26 Laborer's Report, Jul 1914.
- Bx 1 Fld 27 Laborer's Report, Aug 1914.
- Bx 1 Fld 28 Ministerial Credentials for the term beginning Jun 1, 1922, signed by W. A. Spicer, GC President, and A. G. Daniells, Secretary.
- Bx 1 Fld 29 Blank Stationary for the Jewish Department of the General Conference, with Gilbert listed as secretary, c. 1936-1946.
- Bx 1 Fld 30 Ministerial Credentials for term ending 1942.
- Bx 1 Fld 31 Ministerial Credentials for term ending 1945.
- Bx 1 Fld 32 Official Press Credentials, representing the GC Bureau of Publicity.

Items F. C. Gilbert Collected

- Bx 1 Fld 33 "To the Little Remnant Scattered Abroad," by Ellen G. Harmon, Apr 6, 1846. Reprint.
- Bx 1 Fld 34 Newspaper clippings collected by F. C. Gilbert. Common topics include reports in newspapers about Seventh-day Adventists evangelistic efforts, Judaism, the Sabbath and Sunday legislation, and spiritualism, among others.

Ella May (Graham) Gilbert

Biographical and Personal Materials

- Bx 1 Fld 35 Biography of Ella Graham Gilbert. No date. Includes a handwritten draft, and several copies, including one marked "Louie," to give to Ella May's son who was overseas serving in WWII at the time of her death.
- Bx 1 Fld 36 Diary, 1882.

- Bx 1 Fld 37 "Selections for Autograph Albums" collected by Ella May, 1885. Personal notebook that contains quotes from various sources. Read from the reverse, there are patterns for lace and other items.
- Bx 1 Fld 38 Letter from Goodloe Harper Bell, 1887. Bell talks about having to write Bible lessons, his poor health, meeting old friends, and not writing about schools so as not to disagree with Graham.
- Bx 1 Fld 39 Diary, Dec 1914 - Jun 1922. In book marked "The Two Gods" by Walter S. Cramp.
- Bx 1 Fld 40 Metal Name Plate. No date.
- Bx 1 Fld 41 Obituaries and Memorial Service Book, 1944.

Scholastic Materials

Ella May was in the first graduating class of South Lancaster Academy, graduating in 1888. These materials are present because she had them by virtue of being a student there near that time, not necessarily because they are about her.

- Bx 1 Fld 42 Constitution and By-Laws of the Academy Literary Society of South Lancaster Academy, 1887. Ella May Graham was on the committee of three that produced this document.
- Bx 1 Fld 43 Literary Programmes of the Academy Literary Society, 1887-1889.
- Bx 1 Fld 44 Class Notes with handouts. "Ella M. Graham. B. N. S." written on front. No date.
- Bx 1 Fld 45 Suggestions to the "Links" of the Endless Chain, 1889. A club report by Rowena Purdon, club president. Purdon was also in the class of 1888. From envelope labeled "Heritage Library."

Publications by Ella May Gilbert

- Bx 1 Fld 46 Handwritten article on the Chautauqua Movement and the Christian Endeavor Society, 1896.
- Bx 1 Fld 47 Graham-Thayer family history, November 28, 1921.
- Bx 1 Fld 48 "A History of South Lancaster, Massachusetts". No date.
- Bx 1 Fld 49 Article about a visit to the birthplace of Mary Lyons, the founder of the first college for women. No date.

II. Sydney and Miriam (Gilbert) Tymeson

Sydney Tymeson

Biographical and Personal Materials

- Bx 1 Fld 50 Memorial Service Programs, 1988.
- Bx 1 Fld 51 "Educator Sydney W. Tymeson dies at 89," article by Ruth Coulter in *The Journal*, Jul 18, 1988.
- Bx 1 Fld 52 Obituary in *The Washington Post*, 1988.
- Bx 1 Fld 53 "The Influence of Syd Tymeson," shared at his funeral program by J. R. Spangler, Jul 21, 1988.
- Bx 1 Fld 54 Sydney Tymeson's Life Sketch, 1988. Two copies: one typed, one handwritten.

Scholastic Materials

- Bx 1 Fld 55 *The Student Idea*, 1922. Sidney is graduate and class president. William Gilbert (Miriam's brother) is listed in the Junior class roster.
- Bx 1 Fld 56 First Grade (Teaching) Certificate, 1926.
- Bx 1 Fld 57 Life Certificate, 1929.

- Bx 1 Fld 58 Secondary Life Certificate certifying him to teach Bible, History, Bookkeeping, and Shorthand, 1932.
- Bx 1 Fld 59 Master of Commercial Science diploma from Strayer College of Accountancy, 1934.
- Bx 1 Fld 60 Master of Business Administration diploma from Boston University, 1937.

Career/Work Materials

- Bx 1 Fld 61 Letters from Washington Missionary College Presidents Harvey A. Morrison and B. G. Wilkinson reaffirming his professorship, 1938-1946.
- Bx 1 Fld 62 Letter from B. G. Wilkinson informing Sydney that the Faculty Committee voted to approve him to work on his doctoral degree for the last six months of the summer term, Jun 18, 1940.
- Bx 1 Fld 63 GC Department of Education Teacher Information Form, 1947.
- Bx 1 Fld 64 Letter from W. H. Shepherd, President of Washington Missionary College, asking Sydney to monitor the chapel for the month of May, Feb 13, 1948.
- Bx 1 Fld 65 GC Department of Education Teacher Information Form, 1950. Interesting to note that his year of baptism and year of high school graduation here are different from what he wrote on his 1947 form.
- Bx 1 Fld 66 Washington Missionary College "Confirmation of Call," Mar 23, 1961.
- Bx 1 Fld 67 Columbia Union College "Confirmation of Call," Apr 17, 1962.
- Bx 1 Fld 68 Columbia Union College "Confirmation of Call," Mar 25, 1963.

- Bx 1 Fld 69 Columbia Union College Employment Agreement, Mar 24, 1965.
- Bx 1 Fld 70 Letter from A. B. Butler, Secretary-Treasurer of the Columbia Union Conference, on the occasion of Sydney's application for sustentation, Jul 18, 1969. This is not his retirement, which would come in 1974, but perhaps a move to part time work.
- Bx 1 Fld 71 Home Study Institute Teacher Profile for an accounting class Sydney taught. No date.
- Bx 1 Fld 72 Letter from George H. Akers, President of Columbia Union College, on the occasion of Sydney's retirement, May 6, 1974.
- Bx 1 Fld 73 "Tymeson Retires," article in Columbia Union College *Sligonian*, Sep 12, 1974.
- Bx 1 Fld 74 Letter from José Chavanz Q., Business Manager of Antillean College, regarding Tymeson's retirement, Jan 31, 1975.

Talks, Speeches, and Sermons by Sydney Tymeson

Arranged alphabetically.

- Bx 1 Fld 75 "Are You a Bridge?" No date.
- Bx 1 Fld 76 "The Backyard." No date.
- Bx 1 Fld 77 "The Challenge of Youth – TODAY." No date.
- Bx 1 Fld 78 "Christian Business Principles for the Professional Man," given to the National Association of Seventh-day Adventist Dentists, Oct 27, 1950. Also includes the event brochure.
- Bx 1 Fld 79 "Dedication." No date.
- Bx 1 Fld 80 "Labels." No date.

- Bx 1 Fld 81 "Our Hands." No date.
- Bx 1 Fld 82 "The Reports of the Spies: How Faith Gives Courage." No date.
- Bx 1 Fld 83 "Ten Spies." No date.
- Bx 1 Fld 84 "Values." No date.
- Bx 1 Fld 85 "Why Go to College??" Probably Sydney. No date.
- Bx 1 Fld 86 Untitled talk on Service. No date.
- Bx 1 Fld 87 Untitled talk on value given at Columbia Union College. No date.
- Bx 1 Fld 88 Untitled Sabbath School talk. Mar 4, no year. It is likely that Sydney was a Sabbath School Superintendent at the Takoma Park Seventh-day Adventist Church.
- Bx 1 Fld 89 Untitled Sabbath School talk at the Takoma Park Seventh-day Adventist Church. Apr 4, no year.
- Bx 1 Fld 90 Note card with a quote about wheelbarrows.

Correspondence

- Bx 1 Fld 91 Letter from William H. Hackett, Administrative Assistant to Elford "Al" Cederberg, US Representative from the 10th District of Michigan, Aug 7, 1961. Hackett, a Seventh-day Adventist, asked Tymeson how to rationalize the church's opposition to federal aid to schools, and Senator Barry Goldwater's statement that Adventists were the second-largest recipient of federal property handouts of any religious group.

Bx 1 Fld 92 Letter from Frank R. Aldridge expressing congratulations on a successful ingathering operation and appreciation, Jan 3, 1965.

Bx 1 Fld 93 Letter to Dr. Geraldine Grout, editor of the *Gleaner*, requesting to receive the periodical, 1981.

Awards and Honors

Bx 1 Fld 94 Beta Alpha Psi certificate of initiation, 1936.

Bx 1 Fld 95 Outstanding Educator of America Certificate, 1971.

Bx 1 Fld 96 Certificate of Honorary Membership in the Alumni Association of Columbia Union College, Apr 8, 1973.

Bx 1 Fld 97 Medallion of Merit for Sydney Tymeson, 1974. This was kept on a chain with Miriam's medallion, but has been separated for purpose of presentation in this collection.

Bx 1 Fld 98 Award of Merit Presentation and Letter, 1974.

Bx 1 Fld 99 "Tymeson Earns Medallion of Merit," *Columbian*, Fall 1974.

Bx 1 Fld 100 Photocopy of Atlantic Union College "Committee of 100" Metal Paperweight. No date. F. C. and Ella May Gilbert, and Sydney and Miriam Tymeson were all alumni of South Lancaster Academy or Lancaster Junior College. The dates of the college's committee of 100 are unclear, but based on estimated dates, the most likely candidate for membership on the committee would be Sydney, so it is placed here in this collection. Original transferred to the Atlantic Union College Records Collection, see below.

Bx 1 Fld 101 Certificate honoring Sydney for volunteer services to Heritage Healthcare Center. No date.

Bx 1 Fld 102 Plaque recognizing Sydney for services to John Nevins Andrews School, 1988.

Greater New York Academy

Bx 1 Fld 103 "Brief History of the Beginnings of G. N. Y. A." by Merle Silloway.

Bx 1 Fld 104 Articles about Greater New York Academy in the Atlantic Union *Gleaner*, 1929-1930. Most are written by Sydney Tymeson, principal.

Bx 1 Fld 105 "GNYA Seniors" 1930 Yearbook from Greater New York Academy, Miriam's personal copy, used for advertising.

Bx 1 Fld 106 "Newsletter of G. N. Y. A. Reunion," Jul 14, 1972.

Miriam (Gilbert) Tymeson

Biographical and Personal Materials

Bx 1 Fld 107 Dossier and Biographical Sketch. No date, but the latest date mentioned is 1978.

Bx 1 Fld 108 Baptismal Certificate from South Lancaster Seventh-day Adventist Church, 1916.

Bx 1 Fld 109 Memorial Service Programs, 1984.

Scholastic Materials

Bx 1 Fld 110 Sewing and Dressmaking Course diploma from Lancaster Junior College, 1919.

Bx 1 Fld 111 "Class Roll," 1921. This is a creative piece written by Miriam introducing each of the members of her graduating class, for the Commencement Edition of the *Student Idea*.

- Bx 1 Fld 112 Photocopy of Miriam's page in *Golden Memories*, Washington Missionary College's yearbook, 1926.
- Bx 1 Fld 113 "AUC" Pin. No date. Was found with her 1919 Sewing and Dressmaking Diploma, but would have to be from 1922 at the earliest, since the college was not called Atlantic Union College until then.
- Bx 1 Fld 114 "Confession Article" by Miriam Gilbert for Journalism Class. No date.
- Bx 1 Fld 115 Bachelor of Arts diploma from Washington Missionary College, 1926.
- Bx 1 Fld 116 Normal Life Certificate, 1926.
- Bx 1 Fld 117 Secondary Life Certificate certifying her to teach Bible, History, and English, 1932.
- Bx 1 Fld 118 "A Study of the Gifted Child in the Average Classroom" by Miriam Tymeson, for her Curriculum Development Class at Potomac University, May 1958.
- Bx 1 Fld 119 Scholarship Record of Miriam Tymeson for Potomac University School of Graduate Studies, confirming her classes for the Master of Arts in Education, Jun 4, 1959. The document has a list of classes and instructors. Interestingly, it appears that one of her classes in School Finance was taught by her husband.
- Bx 1 Fld 120 Master of Arts in Education diploma from Potomac University, 1959. Also has Potomac University *Bulletin*, announcing the relocation to Berrien Springs, and certificate of graduation, summa cum laude, from Potomac University, inside.
- Bx 1 Fld 121 Administrator's Elementary Certification from Columbia Union Conference, 1961.

Work/Career Materials

Bx 1 Fld 122 Close of School Souvenir, with photograph of Miriam, teacher at Browning Normal School, and a list of her pupils, 1927.

Bx 1 Fld 123 Teacher's Contract employing Miriam as teacher for grades 4, 5, and 6 at the Takoma Park Seventh-day Adventist Church School, Apr 26, 1934.

Bx 1 Fld 124 Teacher's Contract employing Miriam as teacher for grades 5 and 6 at the Takoma Park Church School, Sep 2, 1935.

Bx 1 Fld 125 Teacher's Contract employing Miriam as teacher for grades 5 and 6 at the Takoma Park Church School, Sep 8, 1936.

Bx 1 Fld 126 Teacher's Contract employing Miriam as principal and teacher for grades 5 and 6 at the Takoma Park Church School, Sep 1937.

Bx 1 Fld 127 Teacher's Contract employing Miriam as principal and teacher for designated grades at the Takoma Park Church School, Aug 31, 1938. The contract lists its officers as Heber H. Votaw, Chairman, Mrs. Sidney W. Tymeson, Secretary, Mrs. E. J. Stipeck, Treasurer, and Mrs. Miriam G. Tymeson, Principal. It is interesting that Miriam is listed twice under different names. The following school year she is listed in the same positions, but both as Miriam Tymeson.

Bx 1 Fld 128 Teacher's Contract employing Miriam as principal and teacher for grades 6-A and 7 at the Takoma Park Seventh-day Adventist Union School, Aug 31, 1939.

Bx 1 Fld 129 Teacher's Contract employing Miriam as principal and teacher for grade 6 at the John Nevins Andrews School, Sep 5, 1940.

Bx 1 Fld 130 Teacher's Contract employing Miriam as principal and teacher at the John Nevins Andrews School, Apr 17, 1941.

Bx 1 Fld 131 American National Red Cross First Aid standard certification card, 1942.

Bx 1 Fld 132 American National Red Cross First Aid advanced certification card, 1943.

Bx 1 Fld 133 First Women's Medical Corps Reserve card. No date.

Bx 1 Fld 134 Personal Service Record, 1967.

Bx 1 Fld 135 Readings for a program on Baptism, given by John Nevins Andrews Students at constituent churches. No date.

Talks, Speeches, and Sermons by Miriam Tymeson

Items with dates, or approximate dates, are presented first in order of the date the talk was given. Undated items follow these, in alphabetical order by title, and this section finishes with untitled and undated talks.

Bx 1 Fld 136 Binder: Talks and Articles. No date. Some of these are duplicated below.

Bx 1 Fld 137 Untitled sermon at the Takoma Park Seventh-day Adventist Church for Church School Building Day, Mar 26, 1938. This is similar to the later sermon at the Capitol-Memorial Church.

Bx 1 Fld 138 Untitled sermon at the Capitol-Memorial Seventh-day Adventist Church, Jul 30, 1938.

- Bx 1 Fld 139 Untitled talk at a church picnic attended by the constituent churches, Sep 10, 1939. At the end, she announces a "pound party," in which each person gets weighed and gives a penny for each pound of their weight.
- Bx 1 Fld 140 Notes for panel discussions, chapel talks, seminars, and other events, c. 1947.
- Bx 1 Fld 141 Untitled talk commemorating 50 years since the beginning of the Adventist school in Takoma Park, May 24, 1957.
- Bx 1 Fld 142 Untitled talk at the Spencerville Seventh-day Adventist Church, Jan 6, c. 1960s.
- Bx 1 Fld 143 8th Grade Graduation address at John Nevins Andrews School, 1961.
- Bx 1 Fld 144 8th Grade Graduation address at John Nevins Andrews School, 1962.
- Bx 1 Fld 145 Untitled talk to a Home and School meeting, Feb 8, 1965. Includes a drawing from a third grader and a letter from a parent to illustrate two stories.
- Bx 1 Fld 146 "Quality Education in Elementary Schools," 1966. A presentation given to a board. A handwritten note on the front says, "Special – Do not lose."
- Bx 1 Fld 147 Untitled talk to a Home and School meeting, 1967.
- Bx 1 Fld 148 "Quality Education in Elementary Schools," talk to fellow educators. No date, but c. 1967 based on the enrollment number (491) that is identical to another talk she gave that year.
- Bx 1 Fld 149 Untitled talk at Takoma Park Seventh-day Adventist Church about the history and value of J. N. Andrews Elementary School, 1971.

Bx 1 Fld 150 "Freedom to Know" Andrews University
Consecration Service address, Aug 9,
1974. This has several anecdotes from
her teaching career. Three copies.

Bx 1 Fld 151 Andrews University Consecration Service
program, Aug 9, 1974. Miriam gave the
consecration sermon, "Freedom to
Know."

Bx 1 Fld 152 "The Learning Child," at a Home and School
Meeting, c. 1975.

Bx 1 Fld 153 Untitled talk at an alumni weekend at Columbia
Union College, 1976.

Bx 1 Fld 154 Untitled talk on the importance of Adventist
Education, 1978.

Bx 1 Fld 155 Program for the Atlantic Union College
Centennial Class Freshman program,
Apr 17, 1979. Miriam was the speaker
for the event.

Bx 1 Fld 156 "Mother's Day," sermon at the "Shenandoah
Valley Academy Church," May 12, 1979.

Bx 1 Fld 157 Untitled talk, 1979. Unsure if all the pages go
together. Incomplete.

Bx 1 Fld 158 Program for AUC and SLA's Centennial "Then
and Now" Program, 1981. Miriam
shared "Reminiscences" at the event.
For more information on this event, see
the Atlantic Union College Records, Bx
20 Fld 91 and following.

Bx 1 Fld 159 "Begin with Footsteps." No date.

Bx 1 Fld 160 "The Electrifying Touch of the Teacher." No
date.

Bx 1 Fld 161 "Freedom from Fear." Probably Miriam. No
date.

Bx 1 Fld 162 "Freedom from Want." Probably Miriam. No date.

Bx 1 Fld 163 "Teacher the Salesman of Christian Education," given at a church, fund raising for new projects at John Nevins Andrews School. No date.

Bx 1 Fld 164 "The Teacher's Personality." No date.

Bx 1 Fld 165 "The Whole Child Goes to School." No date.

Bx 1 Fld 166 Untitled talk at a John Nevins Andrews School event. No date.

Bx 1 Fld 167 Untitled talk going through 8 pairs of shoes belonging to a child in each grade. The purpose of the talk was to promote Adventist education. Miriam gave variations of this talk at different locations and times. No date.

Bx 1 Fld 168 Untitled talk on Adventist Education. No date.

Bx 1 Fld 169 Untitled talk on the value of Christian Education. No date.

Bx 1 Fld 170 Untitled talk on Miriam's Philosophy. No date.

Bx 1 Fld 171 Untitled talk on various activities at John Nevins Andrews School. No date.

Bx 1 Fld 172 Untitled talk on what a good school is and how to convince parents. No date.

Bx 1 Fld 173 Untitled talk. Could be a combination of two talks. No date.

Bx 1 Fld 174 Untitled talk. No date.

Bx 1 Fld 175 Untitled talk. Incomplete. No date.

Bx 1 Fld 176 Second page of notes for an untitled talk. Incomplete. No date.

Publications by Miriam Tymeson

- Bx 2 Fld 1 "Reminiscences of Childhood" by Miriam Gilbert in *The Sligonian*, a monthly publication of the Students' Association of Washington Missionary College, Mar 1925. Miriam was the Vice-President of the Association.
- Bx 2 Fld 2 Unfinished handwritten composition reflecting on the importance of Family Worship, and sharing memories from her own family, c. 1944-1946. This was kept in the memorial book of her father, F. C. Gilbert. At the time of writing, her mother Ella had passed away, but F. C. was still alive.
- Bx 2 Fld 3 "John Nevins Andrews," in *The Youth's Instructor*, Sep 2, 1952. Two copies.
- Bx 2 Fld 4 "Handbook for Elementary and Intermediate School Principals" for the GC Department of Education, 1964. Two signed copies.
- Bx 2 Fld 5 Handwritten article on what makes a good school. No date, but after 1967.
- Bx 2 Fld 6 Draft of "Teacher—I Need You," which would be published in *The Potomac Teacher*, Jan - Feb 1974. Some of these changes do not appear in the article, so she may have been revising it for a different publication.
- Bx 2 Fld 7 "Teacher—I Need You" in *The Potomac Teacher*, Jan - Feb 1974.
- Bx 2 Fld 8 "Love that child" article in the *Review*, Mar 30, 1978.
- Bx 2 Fld 9 "Resume for JNA 1980 Study," a history of the John Nevins Andrews School, 1980.

- Bx 2 Fld 10 "Intro to Middle States Evaluation, 1982-1983," a history of the school, similar to the item above.
- Bx 2 Fld 11 A history of John Nevins Andrews School, similar to the two items above.
- Bx 2 Fld 12 Description of one day on the job as a principal. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 13 Draft of "Grandma's Checkbook." No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 14 "Grandma's Checkbook." No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 15 "Some experiences written and oral from teaching courses in the Home Study Institute." No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 16 "They Do Come Back." No date.

Publications about Miriam Tymeson

- Bx 2 Fld 17 "Mrs. Miriam Tymeson" in "The Town and the People" column of *The Takoma Journal*, 1948.
- Bx 2 Fld 18 "Due to a vacancy..." article by M. E. Moore in the Columbia Union *Visitor* with a profile of Miriam. Three copies. May 18, 1967.
- Bx 2 Fld 19 "'Quest for Best' Theme of Teachers' Convention" article clipping from the Columbia Union *Visitor*, featuring a photograph of Miriam Tymeson leading a panel discussion. Feb 21, 1969.
- Bx 2 Fld 20 "A Portrait of Miriam Tymeson, Principal of J. N. Andrews School," by Charles R. Beeler, *Columbia Union Visitor*, Sep 13, 1973. Two copies included, one is just the article, the other is the entire magazine.
- Bx 2 Fld 21 1976 Homecoming Announcement in *The Columbian*, with Miriam Tymeson as the Sunday banquet speaker.

- Bx 2 Fld 22 "After 41 years lavishing love, principal retires," article by Dinah Eng about Miriam Tymeson in the *Montgomery County Sentinel*, May 25, 1978.
- Bx 2 Fld 23 "M. G. Tymeson Retires After 41 Years of Service," article by Dinah Eng in the *AUC Accent*, reprinted from the *Montgomery County Sentinel*, May 25, 1978.
- Bx 2 Fld 24 *Accent*, Jul-Oct 1981. Miriam is mentioned on pages 15, 22, and 30.
- Bx 2 Fld 25 Columbia Union *Visitor*, Oct 15, 1984, with article "A woman of quality—A teacher of distinction," in memory of Miriam Tymeson. Three copies.
- Bx 2 Fld 26 List of things Miriam Tymeson does that set her apart from other principals. Anonymous. No date.

Correspondence

- Bx 2 Fld 27 Letter from Archa O. Dart, Secretary of the Potomac Conference Sabbath School and Education Departments, to H. H. Votaw, presumably in his capacity as chairman of the John Nevins Andrews School Board, asking if they have considered employing Miriam on a 12-month basis, Dec 1, 1949.
- Bx 2 Fld 28 Letter from Heber H. Votaw affirming that the board elected her to continue as principal, and thanking her for her service, Mar 1, 1950. This is written on the stationary for the Religious Liberty Association, for which Votaw was Secretary.
- Bx 2 Fld 29 Letter from a mother about how her daughter, Darine, missed the bus, and commenting about teachers and homework, Sep 8, 1951. Only the first page of the letter is present.

- Bx 2 Fld 30 Letter from F. D. Nichol asking Miriam to write a series of articles on how parents can cooperate with teachers for their children's education, 1963.
- Bx 2 Fld 31 Letter from G. M. Mathews, Associate Secretary of the GC Department of Education, regarding the publication of Miriam's book, "Handbook for Elementary and Intermediate School Principals," Oct 19, 1964.
- Bx 2 Fld 32 Letter from F. W. Foster, Potomac Conference Superintendent of Education, telling Miriam how much he enjoyed a program he attended at John Nevins Andrews School, May 28, 1968.
- Bx 2 Fld 33 Letter from James A. Sensenbaugh, Maryland State Superintendent of Schools, asking Miriam to be part of a committee to review state standards for nonpublic schools, Nov 4, 1970.
- Bx 2 Fld 34 Letter from Mrs. Arthur H. Roth, of the GC Women's Auxiliary, to Dr. Richard Hammill, President of Andrews University, nominating Miriam Tymeson and Ethel Young for honorary doctorates, Nov 16, 1971.
- Bx 2 Fld 35 Letter from Richard Hammill, Andrews University President, asking Miriam to accept the title of "Guest Lecturer of Andrews University in Elementary School Administration," Nov 12, 1974. This letter came shortly after her honorary doctorate from Andrews was awarded.
- Bx 2 Fld 36 Letter from a Mrs. Milnor to a Mrs. Dart regarding whether or not "Michael" should be encouraged to be right-handed or left-handed. No date.

Bx 2 Fld 37 Letter from Selma Bird thanking Miriam for her service during Selma's eighteen years teaching at John Nevins Andrews School. Attached is a document, likely also by Bird, with notes for a talk she gave in Tymeson's honor. Bird taught Junior High English at the school. No date.

Awards and Honors

Bx 2 Fld 38 Medallion of Merit for Miriam Tymeson, 1968. This was kept on the chain with Sydney's medallion, but has been separated for purpose of presentation in this collection. It is unknown why they were kept in an envelope mailed from Canada.

Bx 2 Fld 39 Citation and Introduction to Presentation of Award of Merit and criteria with list of recipients, Jul 27, 1968.

Bx 2 Fld 40 "Dr. Hirsch Presents the Medallion of Merit to Mrs. Tymeson," by F. W. Foster, Superintendent of Education, in *Potomac Profile*, 1968.

Bx 2 Fld 41 "Medallion of Merit Awarded," *Columbia Union Visitor*, Jan 10, 1969.

Bx 2 Fld 42 Andrews University Commencement Program in which Tymeson was awarded the honorary Doctor of Humane Letters degree, Aug 11, 1974. Three copies.

Bx 2 Fld 43 Doctor of Humane Letters diploma from Andrews University, 1974.

Bx 2 Fld 44 Doctor of Humane Letters Citation and Specific Objectives, 1974.

Bx 2 Fld 45 Andrews University *Focus*, Aug-Sep 1974, with article about Tymeson's Honorary Doctorate on pages 4-5.

- Bx 2 Fld 46 "Andrews Presents Diplomas" in *The News-Palladium*, 1974. Article mentions Tymeson's honorary doctorate and has a photograph of her on the front cover.

Items Miriam Collected

- Bx 2 Fld 47 "Christmas in the White House" article. No date. Appears to be notated for students to read for a Christmas program. A note attached to the front says "You might be interested in this," and may be signed by Miriam.

Retirement

- Bx 2 Fld 48 Letter from Miriam to the John Nevins Andrews School Board announcing her retirement, Jan 10, 1978.
- Bx 2 Fld 49 Invitations for Miriam Tymeson's retirement program and open house, May 20-21, 1978.
- Bx 2 Fld 50 Draft Programs for the John Nevins Andrews School Alumni Program, May 20, 1978.
- Bx 2 Fld 51 John Nevins Andrews School Alumni Program, May 20, 1978. This program has a special focus on Miriam Tymeson's retirement.
- Bx 2 Fld 52 Scripts for readings and skits at Miriam Tymeson's Retirement program, May 20, 1978. These skits are retellings of historical and humorous events at John Nevins Andrews School, often featuring Miriam Tymeson.
- Bx 2 Fld 53 Notes for a speech in appreciation of Miriam Tymeson, in the folder with the retirement program, so likely for May 20, 1978.
- Bx 2 Fld 54 "A Tribute to Miriam Tymeson" poem by Adlai Albert Esteb, May 21, 1978.

III. Other Graham-Gilbert-Tymeson Relatives

Lavina (Thayer) Graham

Lavina was born in 1836 to Abijah and Rhoda Thayer. Mary Ann (Graham), mother of Ella May (Graham) Gilbert, and Sarah Jane "Jennie" Thayer were among her siblings.

Bx 2 Fld 55 Obituary, 1870.

William Henry and Mary Ann (Thayer) Graham

William and Mary Ann were Ella May (Graham) Gilbert's parents.

Bx 2 Fld 56 Golden Wedding Anniversary Announcement. No date.

Bx 2 Fld 57 The Story of a Church by Rowena Purdon, 1939, Atlantic Union College Press: South Lancaster, MA. Miriam Tymeson's grandparents were charter members.

William Paul Gilbert

Dr. William Gilbert was Miriam (Gilbert) Tymeson's brother.

Bx 2 Fld 58 Obituary, 1958.

Ruth (Gilbert) Miller

Ruth (Gilbert) Miller was Miriam (Gilbert) Tymeson's sister.

Bx 2 Fld 59 Life Sketch, 1979.

Bx 2 Fld 60 Obituaries. One from the *Washington Star*, Oct 25, 1979. The other from the *Adventist Review*, Dec 20, 1979.

IV. Adventist History Materials

Miriam (Gilbert) Tymeson was an avid researcher of Adventist History, and especially J. N. Andrews. The items below were in her collection. See "Photographs" section below for related photographs.

J. N. Andrews Materials

Bx 2 Fld 61 Photocopies of the diary of Harriet Stevens Andrews, Aug 8 - Sep 13, 1864. The last pages are typewritten transcriptions.

- Bx 2 Fld 62 The Complete Testimony of the Fathers of the First Three Centuries concerning the Sabbath and First Day by J. N. Andrews, 1873, Seventh-day Adventist Publishing Association: Battle Creek, MI.
- Bx 2 Fld 63 Copy of a painting by Harry Anderson of J. N., Charles, and Mary Andrews, and Mr. Vuileumier leaving for Europe.
- Bx 2 Fld 64 *The Youth's Instructor*, Sep 2, 1952, with "John Nevins Andrews" article by Miriam Tymeson on pages 24-26. This article was the template for the School's programs on J. N. Andrews.
- Bx 2 Fld 65 On the Trail of the Pioneers, a "go-it-yourself" guide to the places of interest in the early history of Seventh-day Adventists from Michigan to Maine, 1960. Highlighted here is the place where J. N. Andrews converted.
- Bx 2 Fld 66 "In Remembrance of J. N. Andrews who Arrived in Europe 90 Years Ago," by Robert Gerber, *Quarterly Review*, Dec 1964.
- Bx 2 Fld 67 "The Measure of the Man: A Tribute to John Nevins Andrews" by Joseph G. Smoot, *FOCUS*, Fall 1978.
- Bx 2 Fld 68 Programs and Articles for the "Celebration of the Sesquicentennial of the Birth of John Nevins Andrews," held at Andrews University, Jul 20-22, 1979.
- Bx 2 Fld 69 *FOCUS*, Fall 1983, special edition on John Nevins Andrews.

Programs by John Nevins Andrews School Students about J. N. Andrews

- Bx 2 Fld 70 Readings for the J. N. Andrews Programs. Many of these are taken from Tymeson's article in *The Youth's Instructor*. One of them has the text of a sermon Andrews preached, taken from Mary Ann Graham's Journal (Miriam's grandmother), and notes that this is not found in any book. These are kept in the order found. Different programs utilized different readings.

- Bx 2 Fld 71 Program "on the Life and Work of Elder John Nevins Andrews" presented by the students of John Nevins Andrews School, 1954.
- Bx 2 Fld 72 Bulletin from the Takoma Park Seventh-day Adventist Church featuring a program on the "Life and Work of John Nevins Andrews" presented by the John Nevins Andrews School, Mar 11, 1961.
- Bx 2 Fld 73 Program "on the Life and Work of Elder John Nevins Andrews" presented by the students of John Nevins Andrews School. No date.

V. Photographs

[All identified photographs removed to the Center for Adventist Research Photograph Collection and may be found there. Included here is a photocopy of the original photograph.]

Adventist Historical Photographs

- Bx 2 Fld 74 Photograph of Mary Andrews, daughter of J. N. Andrews. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 75 Photograph of Elder and Mrs. J. N. Andrews, when both were about 40 years old.
- Bx 2 Fld 76 Photograph of J. N. Andrews' gravestone. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 77 Photograph of Charles M. Andrews as a young man. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 78 Moss, Norway Camp Meeting Attendees, including Ellen White.
- Bx 2 Fld 79 The First Adventist Church in Washington, NH. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 80 S. N. Haskell. Appears to be personally signed. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 81 W. C. White in Washington, D. C., 1916.
- Bx 2 Fld 82 Unknown Building. No date.

Graham-Gilbert and Sydney Tymeson Family Photographs

Arrangement is generally by date of the photograph. There is some mixing of the Graham-Gilbert family and the Sydney Tymeson family when the two come together. The photograph blocks come from F. C. Gilbert's collection of blocks used for his books.

Bx 2 Fld 83 First Graduating Class of South Lancaster Academy, 1888. From left to right: Sadie (Graham) Town, Ella May (Graham) Gilbert, Miriam Snider, and Rowena Purdon.

Bx 2 Fld 84 The Graham home in South Lancaster, MA. No date.

Bx 2 Fld 85 Graham Home in South Lancaster, MA. No date, but similar in style to 1888 photograph above.

Bx 2 Fld 163 Printing Block of unknown building, possibly one of the homes the Gilbert family lived in. No date.

Bx 2 Fld 86 F. C. Gilbert with what is probably the 1894 graduating class of South Lancaster Academy. Gilbert is in the back row, second from left. Two identical photographs.

Bx 2 Fld 87 Ella May (Graham) Gilbert. Three identical photographs. No date.

Bx 2 Fld 88 Ella May (Graham) Gilbert. No date.

Bx 2 Fld 89 Ella May (Graham) Gilbert. No date.

Bx 2 Fld 90 Ella May (Graham) Gilbert, possibly in a wedding dress. No date.

Bx 2 Fld 91 F. C. Gilbert. No date.

Bx 2 Fld 92 Ella May (Graham), Ruth, and F. C. Gilbert. Two identical photographs. No date.

Bx 2 Fld 164 Printing Block of a group of people. Front row from right: William Henry Graham, Ella May (Graham) Gilbert, (probably) Ruth (Gilbert) Miller, and F. C. Gilbert. Others in photograph unknown. No date.

- Bx 2 Fld 93 Ruth Gilbert. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 94 Page with two photographs of young Miriam pasted to it, a gift from Miriam to "Mama." No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 95 Miriam, Ruth, and William Gilbert, 1904.
- Bx 2 Fld 96 Ruth and William Gilbert, c. 1904. Two similar photographs.
- Bx 2 Fld 97 Ruth Gilbert. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 98 William "Bill" Gilbert, 2-3 years old, 1905.
- Bx 2 Fld 99 "Louise" and William "Bill" Gilbert. Unsure who Louise is. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 100 Probably William "Bill" Gilbert. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 101 Miriam Gilbert and a friend. Two photographs. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 102 Gilbert Family, 1911. Back row: Ruth and F. C. Front row: Miriam, William, Louis, and Ella May.
- Bx 2 Fld 103 F. C. Gilbert, 1911
- Bx 2 Fld 165 Printing Block of an unknown woman (left) and Miss Minnie Sanderson (right), a volunteer in Gilbert's work for the Jews.
- Bx 2 Fld 104 Louis "Louie" Gilbert. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 105 Gilbert Family. Back row: Ruth. Front row: William, F. C., Louis, Ella May, and Miriam. Two similar photographs. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 106 Louis "Louie" Gilbert. No date. Back of photograph says, "Ruth," however comparing other photographs in the collection shows that this is certainly not Ruth. Perhaps her name was written on the back because someone wanted to give her the photograph?

- Bx 2 Fld 166 Printing Block of four children holding a map of Palestine. Boy on right is probably Louis "Louie" Gilbert, one of the two older girls may be Miriam (Gilbert) Tymeson. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 167 Printing Block of a group of children, and some adults. Possibly a school. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 107 Ruth Gilbert. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 108 Miriam Gilbert. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 109 William Henry Graham, Miriam Gilbert, and Ella May Gilbert, in front of home. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 110 Gilbert Family: Ella May, William, Louis, Miriam, Ruth, and F. C. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 111 Possibly Ruth Gilbert, probably in 1912. The handwriting for the date is hard to read.
- Bx 2 Fld 112 Miriam and William Gilbert. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 113 Possibly Miriam Gilbert. No date. O'Toole Studio, imprinted on this photograph, became "O'Toole" c. 1910, meaning that this cannot be Ella May (Graham) Gilbert. The hair is much finer than Ruth (Gilbert) Miller's, and so by comparing other photographs from around this time, our best guest is Miriam.
- Bx 2 Fld 114 Lancaster Junior College Graduating Class, 1921. These are likely the Normal School graduates. Miriam is second from the left.
- Bx 2 Fld 115 F. C. Gilbert. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 116 F. C. Gilbert with a husband and wife in Mukden (now Shenyang), in Manchuria (Northeast China). According to the note on the back, the man was an evangelist, and his wife is wearing Manchu head gear.

- Bx 2 Fld 117 F. C. Gilbert and I. H. Evans on a swing in front of a grapevine. No date. Possibly in China.
- Bx 2 Fld 118 F. C. Gilbert. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 119 Ella May (Graham) Gilbert. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 120 F. C. and Ella May (Graham) Gilbert. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 121 F. C. Gilbert. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 122 Ella May (Graham) Gilbert. Two identical photographs, different sizes. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 123 F. C. and Ella May with Jennie Baled Russell and Ella Evans Hughes. Note says "All of old S. L. A." No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 124 F. C. Gilbert holding a small scroll. Three similar photographs, one mirrored. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 125 Sydney Tymeson. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 126 Sydney Tymeson. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 127 Faculty of Greater New York Academy, c. 1930.
Back row: Ysabel Morton Dickson, Carleton S. Sawyer, Charles E. Wittschiebe. Middle Row: Miriam (Gilbert) Tymeson, Virginia I. Shull.
Front: Sydney Tymeson.
- Bx 2 Fld 128 Sydney Tymeson standing in the back of a typing classroom, probably at Greater New York Academy. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 129 Sydney Tymeson in regalia, likely taken for his 1937 Masters of Business Administration degree from Boston University. Three identical photographs.
- Bx 2 Fld 130 Sydney Tymeson in regalia, likely taken for his 1937 Masters of Business Administration degree from Boston University. Two identical photographs.

- Bx 2 Fld 131 Sydney and Miriam Tymeson with Burton Holmes, "world famous lecturer," in Washington D. C., Dec 7, 1940.
- Bx 2 Fld 132 Ella May (Graham) Gilbert and Louis "Louie" Gilbert. No date, but Louie's military uniform suggests sometime between 1942-1944.
- Bx 2 Fld 133 Louis "Louie" Gilbert in military uniform, c. 1940s
- Bx 2 Fld 134 F. C. and Ella May (Graham) Gilbert, c. 1944.
- Bx 2 Fld 135 Ella May (Graham) Gilbert, Sydney Tymeson, F. C. Gilbert, and Miriam (Gilbert) Tymeson, c. 1944.
- Bx 2 Fld 136 (Possibly) Ruth (Gilbert) Miller, Ella May (Graham) Gilbert, Miriam (Gilbert) Tymeson, and F. C. Gilbert, c. 1944.
- Bx 2 Fld 137 Ella May (Graham) Gilbert at her funeral, 1944. Two similar photographs.
- Bx 2 Fld 138 Miriam (Gilbert) Tymeson. Two similar photographs. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 139 Potomac University Graduating Class, 1959 (copy). Miriam (Gilbert) Tymeson is on the second row from the bottom, second from the left.
- Bx 2 Fld 140 Miriam (Gilbert) Tymeson and C. S. Longacre. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 141 Sydney Tymeson and an unknown gentleman behind a microphone. Could be a civil event. There is a flag with the letters "INGTO" visible. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 142 Dr. Charles Hirsch presenting the Award of Merit to Miriam (Gilbert) Tymeson, 1968.
- Bx 2 Fld 143 Sydney Tymeson. No date.

Bx 2 Fld 144 Miriam Tymeson standing next to a portrait of herself likely painted by Kurt Reichenbach. Six copies, the final copy is cropped slightly different, revealing that the photograph is part of an exhibit on Tymeson, which features other photographs and articles. One of the framed articles is in this collection, dating the photograph to sometime after 1973.

Bx 2 Fld 145 Negative of Sydney Tymeson at his desk. No date.

Bx 2 Fld 146 Sydney Tymeson saluting. No date.

Bx 2 Fld 147 Sydney Tymeson. No date.

Bx 2 Fld 148 Several variously cropped photographs of Sydney Tymeson talking on the telephone. One photograph has a note underneath: "Prof on the hot line." This photograph was used on the cover of Sydney's funeral. No date.

Bx 2 Fld 149 Miriam Tymeson in regalia at Andrews University to receive her honorary doctorate, Aug 11, 1974. This is a corner torn from a larger photograph.

Bx 2 Fld 150 Dr. Richard Hammill, Andrews University President, presenting an honorary degree to Miriam Tymeson, with Sydney Tymeson standing beside her, Aug 11, 1974.

Bx 2 Fld 151 Walton J. Brown presenting the Award of Merit to Sydney Tymeson, at the Andrews University graduation, Aug 11, 1974.

Bx 2 Fld 152 Dr. Richard Hammill presenting an honorary degree to Chan Shun, with Miriam Tymeson, and W. Duncan Eva, also honorary doctorate recipients, standing beside him, Aug 11, 1974.

Bx 2 Fld 153 Kenneth J. Mittleider, Miriam Tymeson, and W. Duncan Eva, Andrews University graduation weekend speakers, Aug 11, 1974.

- Bx 2 Fld 154 Miriam and Sydney Tymeson at Andrews University on the occasion of Miriam's honorary doctorate, Aug 11, 1974.
- Bx 2 Fld 155 Miriam Tymeson at her desk. A student list dates this photograph to the 1976-1977 school year. Also included is a negative of the same photograph.
- Bx 2 Fld 156 A classroom with a display of items possibly from the 19th century. No date. This was originally found in the vicinity of the J. N. Andrews materials.
- Bx 2 Fld 157 Three photographs of dolls in carriages, possibly from the same display as above. No date.
- Bx 2 Fld 158 Miriam Tymeson speaking at a microphone, taken by Nelson Dodge, c. 1978. This photograph was used in the 1978 AUC *Accent* article.
- Bx 2 Fld 159 Miriam Tymeson (second from left) with a group of Atlantic Union College students, probably from the centennial class, Apr 17, 1979.
- Bx 2 Fld 160 Miriam Tymeson speaking at the Atlantic Union College Centennial Class Freshman program, Apr 17, 1979. R. Dale McCune, the college President, and Larry Lewis, Academic Dean, are sitting to the left and right of Tymeson.
- Bx 2 Fld 161 Photograph Album from Ruth (Miriam's sister) to Miriam, 1915. Contains many photographs of people and places, a few identified. Some photographs were likely added after 1915.
- Bx 2 Fld 162 Photograph Album with people and places. Likely belonged to Miriam. Some places are identified (behind the photograph). No date.

Items Removed

Diary of Sarah Jane "Jennie" Thayer, first editor of the *Atlantic Union Gleaner*, 1902. This includes many notes about her work on the *Gleaner*, which started at the beginning of 1902. She also put the birth years of Adventist leaders on the bottom of their birth dates. From envelope labeled "Heritage Library." Jennie was Ella May (Graham) Thayer's aunt, the sister of Ella May's mother, Mary Ann (Thayer) Graham.

Treasured Ideals Souvenir Booklet of South Lancaster Academy, with inspirational quotes selected by each faculty and students, 1915.

GNYA Seniors 1930 Yearbook for Greater New York Academy.

The Skyscraper 1931 Yearbook for Greater New York Academy.

1931-1932 Yearbook for Greater New York Academy.

That New England School, by Rowena Elizabeth Purdon, 1956

History of the Town of Lancaster, Massachusetts, by Rev. Abijah P. Marvin, 1879

All photographs under section V.

Postcard featuring the South Lancaster Seventh-day Adventist Church, 1907.

The Lancastrian, Commencement Edition, 1927.

The Potomac Teacher, January - February 1974.

The Sligonian, March 1925.

The Student Idea, 1923.

"Handbook for Elementary and Intermediate School Principals" for the GC Department of Education, 1964. One copy.

"GNYA Seniors" 1930 Yearbook for Greater New York Academy.

"The Skyscraper" 1931 Yearbook for Greater New York Academy.

1931-1932 Yearbook for Greater New York Academy.

“L. C. Chadwick Recalls What He Said About Professor Ramsey’s Religious Views,” a letter to the editor from L. C. Chadwick, near the occasion of Ramsey’s resignation from denominational service. No date, but likely 1888 based on the history. This was likely in this collection because Ella May (Graham) Gilbert graduated from South Lancaster Academy in 1888, the year Ramsey resigned as principal due to his religious views.

Metal Paperweight with “Member Committee of 100” on the edges, and the Atlantic Union College seal in the center. This likely belonged to Sydney and Miriam, both alumni of South Lancaster Academy, the predecessor to Atlantic Union College. Transferred to Atlantic Union College Records, Collection 367, Bx 16 Fld 61a.

❖ ❖ ❖ ❖ ❖ **The End** ❖ ❖ ❖ ❖ ❖