

**Kingston Public Library: Local History Room  
Pamphlet Collection  
May 17, 2005**

**Kingston Schoolbooks Collection  
Bulk dates: 1821 - 1888  
Pamphlet Collection, PC-34**

2 box (8 linear inches)

**Historical sketch:** For information on Kingston Schools please see collection PC – 12.

**Scope and content:** This Collection contains schoolbooks from 1847 – 1888 that were used in Kingston schools as textbooks. Kingston residents such as Mary Drew, M. E. Cole, George W. McSanthlan, Lottie A. Russell, Waldo S. Cole, Jane Cook, and Hattie Cook inscribed a number of the books in this Collection.

**Box and folder list:**

<b>Box</b>	<b>Folder</b>	<b>Item</b>
1	n/a	<p><i>Fourteen Weeks in Natural Philosophy</i> by J. Dorman Steele, 1876</p> <p><i>A Comprehensive Dictionary of the English Language</i> by Joseph E. Worcester, LL.D, 1874</p> <p><i>The Geography of the Heavens and Class Book of Astrology;</i> <i>accompanied by A Celestial Atlas</i>, by Elijah H. Burritt, 1846</p> <p><i>Intermediate Music Reader: a course of musical instruction in vocal music and sight singing</i> by Julius Eichberg (and others), 1882</p> <p><i>Elements of Rhetoric and Composition</i>, by David J. Hill, 1878</p> <p><i>The Fourth Reader</i>, by Lewis B. Monroe, 1872</p> <p><i>An Introduction to the study of grammar</i>, by Samuel S. Greene, 1868</p> <p><i>A Complete Course in Algebra for academies and high schools</i>, by Webster Wells, 1885</p> <p><i>Class Book of Prose and Poetry: consisting of selections from the best English and American Authors...</i> by Truman Rickard and Hiram Orcutt, 1856</p> <p><i>Towers Common School Grammar; with models of clausal, phrasal and verbal analysis and parsing gradually developing the construction of the English sentence</i>, by David B. Tower, 1859</p>
2	n/a	<p><i>Aldine Speller, Part Four, For Grades Seven and Eight</i>, by Catherine T. Bryce, 1921</p> <p><i>The Common School Speller in which fourteen thousand words of the English Language are carefully arranged according to their sound, form, and other characteristics</i>, by William B. Fowle, 1846</p> <p><i>The American Preceptor Improved, being a new selection of lessons for reading and speaking</i>, by Caleb Bingham, 1821</p> <p><i>The Holy Bible containing the Old and New Testaments</i>, 1837.</p>

**Acquisition:** Elva Lodi donated these books in May of 2005 and July 2006 on behalf of her son Theodore.

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**Processing note:** Archivist Carrie Elliott processed and prepared the finding aid for this collection.