

INVENTORY

(All in Box 1)

**Series 1. Bird Family Correspondence, 1852 – 1932**

**Subseries 1. Outgoing Letters of Rowena Bird, 1898 - 99**

To "My Dear Mother," onboard R.M.S. Empress of China, September 26  
1898 (original and photocopy)

To "My Dear Mother," Tingchu – Taiku, China, October 23 – November 11,  
1898 (original and incomplete photocopy)

To "My Dear Mother," Taiku, January 19 1899 (original and photocopy)

To "My Dear Mother," Li Man, June 2 1899 (original and incomplete  
photocopy)

**Subseries 2. Letters Received by Mrs. Susan Bowen Bird, 1900-01**

From H.P. Pond, Oberlin, August 15 1900 (original and photocopy)

From H.H. Kung, Peking, China, May 28 1901 (typescript, translated by  
Luella Miner, and photocopy)

From Luella Miner, Peking, China, May 30 1901 (typescript and  
photocopy)

**Subseries 3. Outgoing Letters of Ossian F. Bird, 1870, 1883, 1888**

To "Dear Mother," St. Louis, July 1 1870 (original and photocopy)

To "Dear Mother," Milwaukee, February 24 1883 (original and photocopy)

To "Dear Mother," Milwaukee, November 5 1888 (original and photocopy)

To "Dear Mother and Sister," Milwaukee, December 6 1888 (original and  
photocopy)

**Subseries 4. Miscellaneous Correspondence, 1852, 1854, 1859, 1890, 1932**

Silas Bowen to "Ever Dear Children," Telchville, January 8 1852 (original  
and photocopy)

Silas Bowen to "Dear Children," Telchville, January 24 1854 (original and  
photocopy)

Incomplete letter to "My Dear Wife," possibly written by W.H. Bird, Cotton  
Wood Grove, IL, May 28 1859 (original and photocopy)

Marcia [Bowen] to "My Dear Sister," October 29 1890 (original and  
photocopy)

"Mother" (possibly Mrs. O.F. Bird) to "My Dear Gene" (Eugene C. Bird),  
September 20 1932, including genealogical notes from Fred Bird  
dated August 1932 (original and photocopy)

## SUSAN ROWENA BIRD PAPERS

### **Series 2. William H. Bird Miscellany, 1843, 1848, n.d.**

Letter to W.B. Beebe, S.A. Bowen, T.W. Lane, and others (“To the Mob at Hannible, Mo.”), Schneail Island, March 5 1843 (original and photocopy).  
Two letters to Editor of *Iowa Freeman*, July 10 1848 and n.d. (original and photocopy)  
“Original Sin,” essay, n.d. (original and photocopy)

### **Series 3. Genealogical Notes, 1899, n.d.**

Notes on the Putnam Family, January 20 1899 (original and incomplete photocopy)  
Notes from *Centennial History of Oregon* vol. I p. 409, notes on Caldwell family, n.d. (original and photocopy)

### **Series 4. Miscellaneous Textual and Printed Material, n.d.**

“Our Jennie” memorial pamphlet for Jennie Pond Atwater, n.d. (original and photocopy)  
Calling card of Mrs. S.B. Bird; verse (with envelope) written to Susan Bowen (S.B. Bird), n.d. (originals and photocopies)  
Newspaper clipping about Wiley family members in Wabash veteran corps, n.d. (originals and photocopies)

### **Series 5. Miscellaneous Photocopied Material [July 13 2002], 1899, 1900, 1907, n.d.**

Letter to Walter B. Bird from S.R. Bird, Taiku, China, January 3 1899  
Letter to Ossian F. Bird from E.E. Strong, Boston, MA, July 23 1900  
Letter to “Dear Father” (A.T. Hemingway) from W.A. Hemingway, Taiku, China, August 24 1907  
Journal of S.R. Bird, incomplete, Taiku, China, June 25 – July 18 1900  
Scroll written in Chinese characters, n.d. (photocopied in segments)

### **Series 6. Photographs, 1907, 1912, 1945, n.d.**

“Homestead”; “Gene, Homestead, West Allis,” Milwaukee, WI, 1912 (three photocopied photographs on one sheet; two 5x7 prints)  
“James L. Stoppard, Evelyn Logan, West Allis June 1907.” (one of four photocopied photographs on one sheet; 2 copies of sheet)  
“Florence Turner, Carol Bird, N. Greenfield, Freeman Muth.” n.d. – probably 1907 (photocopy, see above)  
“James Thoburn Stoppard, West Allis June 1907” (photocopy; see above)  
“Mrs. Muth, Freeman, Mrs. O.F. Bird, Mrs. Thoburn, Mr. Kung, Mrs. S.B. Bird, Carol Bird” n.d. – probably 1907 (photocopy; see above)

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**Series 6. Photographs (cont.)**

Bird Family Reunion, November 30 1945

Margaret Caldwell (mother of Katherine Caldwell Bayha), n.d.

Samuel Bird as Civil War sergeant, n.d.

**NOTE: All photocopies are included in a separate folder.**