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Description	Box	Folder
<p>1) Indenture, John Van Rensselaer to Joshua Brooks, land at Claverack, April 5, 1754.</p> <p>2) State of New York, George Clinton, Governor, grant of 24,738 acres in Washington and Montgomery counties to Philip Livingston, Catherine Westerlo and others. New York City, July 27, 1786.</p> <p>3) State of New York, Enos Throop, Governor, grant of parcel of land in village of Salinas in Onondaga Salt Springs Reservation to Charles Stebbins and Johnathan Ledyard, Albany, January 10, 1832.</p> <p>4) Indenture by Samuel Lush, Anna Lush and other heirs of Stephen Lush, deceased, to Timothy Fassett and Lawrence Hallenbeck for parcel of land on Green Street in Albany, March 9, 1827. Torn.</p> <p>5) Edmund Andros, Governor of New York, on behalf James Duke of York and Albany, grant of parcel of land in City of Albany near the Dutch Church, to Jacob Tyse Vanderheyden. Albany, June 5, 1676. With seal and Andros' signature.</p> <p>6) Bill, in Dutch, to Jeremias Van Rensselaer for sundry items over a period from 1733 to 1743. Total 9 L, 19 s, 4 ½ p.</p> <p>7) State of New York, George Clinton, Governor, deed for parcel of land, lot # 44, 600 acres in Montgomery County, to William Ballantine, July 8, 1790. With seal.</p> <p>8) George III, by Goldsborough Banyar, Secretary, grant of land in Albany County, east side of Hudson's River to John McLean, late of the 77th Regiment of Foot, for services in French and Indian War. New York City, Oct. 7, 1765. Seal partially</p>	Deeds and Indentures	

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<p>1) Passport to John Gardner, Jr., March 6, 1865.</p> <p>2) Passport to Killian Van Rensselaer, March 19, 1863.</p> <p>3) Passport to John H. Gardner, Jr., November 7, 1870.</p> <p>4) Passport to John H. Gardner, Jr., October 17, 1866.</p> <p>5) Passport to John H. Gardner, Jr., October 16, 1868.</p> <p>6) Passport to Miss Mary Badgley, October 16, 1868.</p> <p>7) Diplomatic Passport to William S. Van Rensselaer Third Secretary of the U.S. Embassy at Rome, August 15, 1916.</p> <p>8) Appointment of Killian Van Rensselaer as Vice-Consul at Nicaragua by President William McKinley, July 5, 1901.</p>	1	1
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