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Livermore/Rice Gold Rush  
Collection

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## **Collection Information**

Abstract : Two letters dating from 1849 from Sarah Rice of Worcester, MA to her cousin Mary Ann Livermore of Springfield, MA. Letters talk about Sarah's father's trip to CA during the gold rush and daily household chores and family members.

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### **Historical/Biographical Notes**

Sarah A. Rice was born in Lancaster May 6, 1826, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Lewis. Mr. Lewis was a monument maker near Rural Cemetery. She was married in 1843 to Eben Maury Rice, who died in 1851 shortly after his return from California, where he went as a gold prospector in 1849.

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## Series Descriptions

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