

**Barnstable Historical Society Archives**  
**The Poetry of Roger H. Lyon**  
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**Extent:** 1 box

**Biographical Note:** Roger H. Lyon was a lawyer who practiced in the State of Connecticut. He wrote and published poetry in newspapers. Much of his poetry was about the Spanish- American War

**Scope and Content Note:** This collection consists of the personal papers and poetry of Roger H. Lyon. The poetry is variously handwritten, typed and clipped from newspapers.

**Creator:** Roger H. Lyon

**Date:** late 19<sup>th</sup> to early 20<sup>th</sup> centuries

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Personal Papers

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| 1 | 1 | Correspondence, 1894 – 1906   |
|   | 2 | Sketch of Nehemiah W. Lyon  |
|   | 3 | Lyon Genealogy  |
|   | 4 | Family Crest  |
| 1 | 5 | Harvard Law School Bond   |
|   | 6 | New York Bar Association Certificate, 1893                          |
|   | 7 | Certificate of Practice for the Southern District Court of New York |
|   | 8 | Connecticut Bar Association Certificate                             |
|   | 9 | Legal papers of Philip Luthor                                       |

Handwritten Poetry

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| 1 | 10 | O Lord, Forgive, Forget; God Wants you; Dewey's Victory;<br>Admiral Dewey                                    |
|   | 11 | If done to These 'tis Done to Thee; What Captain (?) Thinks; Au<br>Revoir; A Souls True Voyage; The Vacation |
|   | 12 | The Departed One; The Bible; The Birth of Christ; The Old Sled;  |

Typescript 8 1/2 x 11 Poetry

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|  | 13 | Our Patriot Dead; The Dandelion; Sympathy Devine; Indeed, Why<br>Not? Our The and Now; At the Cross |
|  | 14 | My Valentine; Gettysburg; Dedication Ode  |

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Typescript on Legal Paper

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| 1 | 15 | If Done to These 'Tis Done to Me; The Withered Hand; Resting in Thee; The Maine; Lines on the Eighty-fourth birthday of George H. Hansell; The Star and The Magi |
| 1 | 16 | Nathan Hale; Ulysses S. Grant; The Bible; The Old Sled; The Lord Hath Need of Thee; The Defender; Am I related to Jesus; The Sound Money Democrats Soliloquy     |
|   | 17 | The Birth of Christ; My Boys Surprise; Our Then and Now; Keep on Praying;  |
|   | 18 | Memorial Ode to our Loyal Brave; Gettysburg; Old Glory; The Upper Room; My Boy's Surprise; Chanticleer   |
|   | 19 | Alone with God; The Dandelion; Ulysses S. Grant, Memorial Ode; The Hasty Pudding   |
|   | 20 | Au Revoir  |

Published Poems Clipped from unknown newspapers

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| 1 | 21 | The Upper Room; Peace be Still; Christmastide; The Old Sled; God Wants You; Our Patriot Dead; Nathan Hale; The Birth of Christ; Resting in Thee; Sympathy Divine; Peace be Still; My Boys Surprise; Dewey's Victory; |
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