



**Inventory of the James K. Remich Collection
(Collection #5)**

The Brick Store Museum
Kennebunk, Maine

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Physical Description:

This collection is made up of some of the publications—pamphlets, broadsides, books—printed by James K. Remich, one of Kennebunk's first printers. He came here in 1809, and died in 1863.

The collection is in one box. See this inventory for a detailed list of the publications. The publications have varying acquisition numbers.

Box and Folder Breakdown:

Box 1:

- Folder 1: Broadside. "The Printer's Boy, wished the patrons of the 'Weekly Visitor' a Happy New Year", 1812.
- Folder 2: A Journal of the Proceedings, of the Convention of Delegated Assembled At Brunswick on the last Monday of September 1816, on the subject of the separation of Maine from Massachusetts; with the Principal Speeches and Debates on the different questions before said convention, by Gamaliel E. Smith, Member of the Said Convention From The Town Of Newfield. To Which Is Affixed The Decision of The Legislature of Massachusetts Thereon. Kennebunk, Printed: by James K. Remich. 1817. Acq. #64:8:279
- Folder 3: By-Laws of Hope Cemetery Corporation. Adopted November 4, 1854. Kennebunk: Press of James K. Remich. 1855. Acq. #3273.
- Folder 4: An Essay on Man, in Four Epistles to H. St. John, Lord Bolingbroke. By Alexander Pope, Esq. Kennebunk: Printed by James Remich.
- The Deserted Village, A Poem: By Oliver Goldsmith.
Also, Gray's Elogy, In A Country Churchyard. Kennebunk Printed: By James K. Remich. 1814. Acq. #1420.
- Theodore, or The Peruvians; Translated From The French of Pigault Le Brun. Kennebunk: Printed by James K. Remich. 1831. Acq. #1357.
- The Wonder of Wonders, or The Remarkable Discovery of an American Hermit; Who Lived Upwards of 200 Years. Kennebunk Printed, by James K. Remich, 1815. Acq. #1119.
- Folder 5: Report of the Committee Appointed By A Meeting Held In School District No.5, In Kennebunk, Oct. 30 1855. Published agreeably to a Vote of said Meeting. Kennebunk: Press of James K. Remich, 1856. Acq. #5119.
- Auditors' Report. Receipts and Expenditures By The Town of Kennebunk, For the year ending March 4, 1858. Published agreeably to a Vote of the Town. Kennebunk: Press of James K. Remich. 1858. Acq: #5125.
- Folder 6: A Catalogue of The Officers and Students of Union Academy, Kennebunk, Me. For The Academical Year 1834-5. Kennebunk: James K. Remich, -- Printer. 1835. Acq. #3738-1
- A Catalogue of The Officers and Students of Union Academy, Kennebunk, Me. For the Academical Year 1836-7. Kennebunk: Printed by James K. Remich. 1837. Acq. #3738-2.

Also two other copies, same year.

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A Catalogue of The Officers and Students of Union Academy, Kennebunk, Me.
For the Academical Year 1838. Kennebunk: Printed by James K. Remich.
1838. Acq. #64:3:14. Two copies.

A Catalogue of The Officers and Students of Union Academy, Kennebunk, Me.
For the Academical Year 1839. Kennebunk: Printed by James K.
Remich, 1839. Acq. #3191.

Folder 7: Catalogue of the First Parish Library, Kennebunk. Kennebunk: Printed by James
K. Remich, 1832. Two copies. Acq. #65:159 and #65:315.

Folder 8: An Address Delivered At Kennebunk Before The York County Unitarian
Association, October 24 1827. By Henry Ware, Jr. Minister of the Second
Church in Boston. Published by Request. Kennebunk: Printed 1828 by
James K. Remich. Two copies. Acq. #1184. NOTE: The subscription list
for this publication is in the William Lord Collection. A copy of it is
included with this inventory.

Folder 9: Regulations of the Sabbath School First Parish...Kennebunk. Instituted May,
1827. Kennebunk: Printed by James K. Remich, 1828. Acq: #1211.

Two Discourses Preached to the First Parish in Kennebunk, October 21, 1838. By
George W. Wells. Kennebunk: Printed by James K. Remich, 1839. Acq.
#2988.

Folder 10: Sermon, Delivered August 24, 1819. At A Regular Meeting of the York County
Association, In Alfred. By Jonathan Cogswell, Pastor of the Church in
Saco. Published by Vote of The Association. Kennebunk. Printed, by
James K. Remich, 1819. Acq. #1414.

A Sermon on Faith, Love, and Hope: By The Rev. Paul Coffin, A.M. of Buxton;
With The Charge and Right-Hand Given To The Rev. Jonathan Cogswell,
Ordained at Saco, October 24, 1810. To the Pastoral Office In That Place.
Kennebunk, Printed by James K. Remich, 1811. Acq. #1414.

Folder 11: A Sermon, Delivered June Twenty-Six, 1811. At the Ordination of The Rev.
Benjamin White, To The Pastoral Care of The First Church In Wells.
(District of Maine) By Asa Burton, D.D. Pastor of The Church in
Thetford, Vermont. Kennebunk, Maine, Printed by J.K. Remich, 1811.
Acq.#65:93.

A Sermon, Delivered At The Interment of the Rev. Moses Hemmenway, D.D.
Pastor of The First Church of Christ In Wells, (District of Maine) by
Joseph Buckminster, D.D. Kennebunk, Maine, Printed by J. K. Remich,
1811. Acq. #65:94.

Folder 12: Report of the Superintending School Committee of Kennebunk, For The School
Year Ending April 1, 1858. Kennebunk: Press of James K. Remich, 1858.
Acq. #5120.

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Also, the following:

A Library of Divinity, or The Christian's Daily Food, by Alexander Hatch, Kennebunk, Printed: by James K. Remich, For The Compiler, 1820. Acq. #2892.

History of Kennebunk Port, From Its First Discovery by Bartholomew Gosnold, May 14, 1602, to A.D. 1837. By Charles Bradbury, Kennebunk, Printed by James K. Remich, 1837.

An Oration Pronounced At Kennebunk, Maine, on The Fourth of July, 1809, by Joseph Dane, Esq. Kennebunk, James K. Remich, Printer, 1809. Acq. #5308.

Additions:

Folder 13: Dr. Watts' Divine Songs For Children, n.d. (ca. 1815-20). Acq. #84.41.

Front of Box: The Columbian Spelling Book..., by Samuel W. Cole, Kennebunk, Me., Printed for the author by James K. Remich, 1824. Acq. # 85.12.4.

Folder 13: The New England Primer, Kennebunk: Printed by James K. Remich, 1827. Acq. #90.KFL. 40.14

Biographical Resumes:

JAMES K. REMICH. He came to Kennebunk from Dover, NH in 1809 and commenced the publication of the "Weekly Visitor", first edition June 24, 1809. It continued under that name until June 1821 when the name was changed to the "Kennebunk Gazette" and was published until June 1842. (Files at York Institute, Saco, ME) James K. was Editor until 1827. His son, Daniel, 1827 until 1842. Job. Paint until 1850. Bought house 1817 on Summer Street. James K. Remich died in 1863. Daniel Remich died May 30, 1892.

DANIEL REMICH. Died May 30, 1892. Married Ann Twombly of Durham, NH Editor of Paper 1827 to 1842. Collector of Customs 1841. Author of the *History of Kennebunk*. Record of the Mitchell family is wrong. House remodeled in 1865. For family record look at gravestones on the only lot with iron fence in old cemetery.

Subject Tracings:

Buxton
Coffin, Rev. Paul, A.M., Buxton
Cogswell, Rev. Jonathan, Saco
Dane, Joseph, Kennebunk
First Church of Christ In Wells
First Parish Church, Kennebunk
Hemmenway, Moses, D.D., Wells
Hope Cemetery, Kennebunk
Kennebunk, Schools
Kennebunk, Town of
Maine, Statehood
Saco
Weekly Visitor, Kennebunk
Wells
White, the Rev. Benjamin, Wells
York County Association
York County Unitarian Association

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