

# Resources for Transcription of Pemberton Family Papers

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## Pennsylvania History

**Colonial Philadelphia** - <https://philadelphiaencyclopedia.org/archive/colonial-philadelphia/>.

Written by scholar Jean Soderlund. Provides an overview of the settlement of Philadelphia and Pennsylvania beginning with the Lenape Indians and including an explanation of Quakers settling New Jersey and the Lower Counties.

**Founding of Pennsylvania** - <https://philadelphiaencyclopedia.org/archive/pennsylvania-founding/>. Written by scholar Stevie Wolf. Presents a brief summary of the colony's founding.

**Early Pennsylvania** - <https://philadelphiaencyclopedia.org/archive/first-purchasers-of-pennsylvania/>. The history of the "First Purchasers" of Pennsylvania - those who invested in the colony in its earliest stages.

**Holy Experiment** - <https://philadelphiaencyclopedia.org/archive/holy-experiment-2/>. Written by scholar Emma Lapsansky Werner. Presents a good overview of William Penn's vision for his colony.

**Pennsbury Manor** - <http://www.pennsburymanor.org/>. William Penn's home outside of Philadelphia that is a historic house museum. Provides a good general introduction to William Penn, Pennsylvania's founding, and some of the early immigrants.

**Immigration in the Colonial Era** - <https://philadelphiaencyclopedia.org/archive/immigration-and-migration-colonial-era/>. By scholar Marie Basile McDaniel. Presents an overview of immigration to Pennsylvania in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries.

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## Religion

**Quaker timeline** - <https://www.quaker.org.uk/times/>. The Society of Friends'/Quakers' overview of their own history.

**Quakers** - <https://philadelphiaencyclopedia.org/archive/religious-society-of-friends-quakers/>. An overview of Quaker history with an emphasis on Pennsylvania.

**Quakers** - <https://www.britannica.com/topic/Society-of-Friends>. A broad overview of Quaker history.

**Mennonites** - <https://philadelphiaencyclopedia.org/archive/mennonites/>. Presents an overview of Mennonites, religious dissenters, and their immigration to Pennsylvania.

**Anabaptists** - <https://www.britannica.com/topic/Anabaptists>. Provides the European background and history of Anabaptists/Mennonites.

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## Pemberton Family

**Pemberton Family** - <http://www.swarthmore.edu/library/friends/ead/MSS039pem.xml> - Finding aid for Pemberton Papers at the Friends Historical Library at Swarthmore College. Gives an overview of the family.

**Bolton Mansion** - <https://boltonmansion.org/> - Historic house museum at the home of the Pemberton Family. Section on the Pemberton Family's history gives an overview of the family.

**People at Pennsbury** - <http://www.pennsburymanor.org/history/people-at-pennsbury/>. Includes brief bios of several Pemberton family members.

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# Letter Writing

Letter-writing in Renaissance England -

[https://folgerpedia.folger.edu/Letterwriting\\_in\\_Renaissance\\_England#Exhibition\\_materials](https://folgerpedia.folger.edu/Letterwriting_in_Renaissance_England#Exhibition_materials) -

Folger Library exhibit about how to write letters.

Corpus of Scottish Correspondence - [http://www.helsinki.fi/varieng/series/volumes/14/meurman-](http://www.helsinki.fi/varieng/series/volumes/14/meurman-solin_b/#csc)

[solin\\_b/#csc](http://www.helsinki.fi/varieng/series/volumes/14/meurman-solin_b/#csc) - Project about writing letters from the late 16th to early 17th century based on Scottish correspondence.