This guide describes the holdings in the manuscript collections, the university archives, and the American Foreign Policy Center, all of which are located in Louisiana Tech University's Prescott Memorial Library. The guide is divided into three sections. The first section, "Manuscript Collections," presents descriptions of 197 collections of personal and family papers, business and corporate records, photographs, diaries, original manuscripts, and other similar materials. The second section, "Collections in the University Archives," identifies 49 holdings of records, papers, and printed publications generated by the Louisiana Industrial Institute, Louisiana Polytechnic Institute, and Louisiana Tech University. These collections include the records of the office of the president of the university, as well as those of other campus divisions, colleges and departments; catalogs, bulletins, directories, yearbooks, and other publications issued by Tech since 1897; and numerous photographs of the campus, university activities, and faculty members. It is noted that the Special Collections Department also serves as a repository for books and periodicals related to the history, literature, and culture of Louisiana and the South. The final section presents a bibliography of the microform collections of primary materials in the American Foreign Policy Center. (MAB)
GUIDE TO MANUSCRIPTS AND ARCHIVES

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INTRODUCTION

The Department of Special Collections, Manuscripts and Archives and the American Foreign Policy Center located in Prescott Memorial Library, Louisiana Tech University comprise a rich source of primary research materials and collections which are available to all qualified scholars, students and the public. Researchers from throughout Louisiana and the nation utilize our holdings. Therefore, we welcome you to become familiar with and use our facility. Our staff stands ready to assist you in your endeavors and we appreciate your interest in the special materials which have been assembled.

SPECIAL COLLECTIONS, MANUSCRIPTS AND ARCHIVES

The Department of Special Collections, Manuscripts and Archives began as the Louisiana Tech Archives in 1945 and has steadily grown through the years. Today, the department is dedicated to the collection, preservation and making available of materials which document and chronicle the history and development of Louisiana Tech University, North Louisiana, Lincoln Parish, and Ruston, Louisiana.

The manuscript division consists of approximately 200 collections of personal and family papers, business and corporate records, photographs, diaries, original manuscripts and other similar materials. The university archives contain the records, papers, and printed publications generated by Louisiana Industrial Institute, Louisiana Polytechnic Institute and Louisiana Tech University. Collections include the records of the Office of the President of the university, as well as those of other campus divisions, colleges and departments; catalogs, bulletins, directories, yearbooks and other publications issued by Tech since 1897; and numerous photographs of the campus, university activities, and faculty members. The Special Collections Department also serves as a repository for books and periodicals related to the history, literature, and culture of Louisiana and the South.

In order to continually improve the research collections of the library, individuals and other donors play a critical role. You, your family, your business and your organizations all have historical roots. To illustrate the full meaning of historical development, everyday events as well as great achievements should be preserved. What might be considered insignificant today may be of vital importance tomorrow in assessing our region's history and heritage.

If you have any historical materials, please let the Archivist have a chance to evaluate them before they are
disposed of or destroyed. Consider donating them to the Department of Special Collections, Manuscripts and Archives where they will be processed and indexed; secured from theft and deterioration; and used under close supervision.

The following pages will briefly discuss and describe the holdings in the Manuscript Collections, the University Archives and the American Foreign Policy Center. We look forward to assisting you! For further information, please write or call.

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MANUSCRIPT COLLECTIONS

M 1
Mineral Springs Baptist Church, Dubach, LA, Constitution and Minutes, 1865-1888.
Constitution, rules of decorum, church roll, and minutes of church conferences, clippings commemorating the church centennial; 117 p. and three items.

M 2
Missionary Baptist Church of Christ at Roanville, LA, Church Roll and Record Book, 1908-1920.
Partial list of the members of the Roanville Church, minutes of church conferences, rules of decorum; 1 vol.

M 3
Willie Lee Pace Dillon, (1885-), Memoirs and Genealogical Notes, 1818-1957.
Includes "Golden Heritage" (Memoirs) and personal recollections of life during the late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries in Claiborne Parish, genealogical notes, copies of poems, prayers, homilies; 200 p.

M 4
Record of the Burt family and collateral families of Virginia, South Carolina, Alabama, Louisiana, Texas; 5 vol.

M 5
Speeches, editorials, letters to the editor, personal correspondence and other writings of the early Lincoln Parish resident, editor of the Vienna Sentinel, Vienna town councilman, attorney and author; ca. 500 items.

M 6
Family histories of the Harper, Henry, and allied families, early North Louisiana residents; 131 items.

M 7
Thomas Van Hook (1814-1857), Family Papers, 1844-1929.
Papers of Hook, an early settler of Union Parish, clerk of court, Union Parish, member of Louisiana State Legislature (1855-1857); includes correspondence, legal and business records; 14 items.

M 8
Materials of the Kidd and Mayfield families, early residents of Ruston, LA; contains muster-out roll of Co. F, First Regiment of Louisiana Infantry from Ruston, 1898, and
related records, interviews with Gertrude Mayfield Brown related to Brown and Louisiana Industrial Institute, items regarding Ruston College and Louisiana Industrial Institute; 2 boxes.

M 9
Parnell Family, Papers, 1870-1914.
Church records kept by Benjamin Franklin Parnell, steward of Mount Lebanon Circuit of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, and trustee for the Mount Lebanon Methodist Episcopal Church, Bienville Parish, LA, and related papers; business records and correspondence of his son, Rinaldo Franklin Parnell (d.1945); 74 items.

M 10
Saline Baptist Church of Christ, Bienville Parish, LA,
Saline Church Book, 1884-1880.
Includes church covenant, minutes of church conferences and church roll; 290 p.

M 11
Seamans Family, Papers, 1854-1906.
Business correspondence and records of Jonathan S. Seamans, small farmer and trader in West Carroll Parish, LA, 1872-1906; and personal correspondence and business records, 1854-1869, of Edward W. Smith of Hamburg, Arkansas; ca. 200 items.

M 12
Saint's Rest Baptist Church, Lincoln Parish, LA, Record Book, 1854-1906.
Constitution, church roll, and minutes of church conferences; 136 p. and 8 items.

M 13
Bessie Murrell Gray (1884-), Family Papers, 1848-1965.
Legal and business records, historical and genealogical papers and personal correspondence of the family of John Murrell, pioneer settler of Claiborne Parish, LA; ca. 85 items.

M 14
Lavinia Egan (1871-1945), Papers.
Materials collected or written for a history of Northwest Louisiana by Egan including some for the Federal Writers Project in Louisiana; notes on the history of Bienville Parish and several other parishes, with information on the economic and social conditions and folkways of the area; 56 items.

M 15
Charles Wiley Montgomery (1899-), Memorabilia.
Diploma from Louisiana Polytechnic Institute, 1922; autographed 1922 Lagniappe; clippings about the career of
Montgomery as a teacher and coach in North Louisiana schools; 5 items.

M 16
Rosa Colvin Barksdale (compiler), "The Colvins of North Louisiana, 1730-1958."
Sketch based on records kept by Ainsley H. Colvin, the reminiscences of S.P. Colvin, C.C. Colvin, G.A. Colvin and genealogical research conducted by Rosa Barksdale; 124 p.

M 17
Manuscript on Jackson Parish, LA; research articles and notes related to the study; 30 p. ms and 5 items.

M 18
Abel E. Evans, Family Papers, 1848-1882.
Legal records, personal correspondence and memorabilia of the A.E. Evans family, pioneer settlers in Morehouse Parish, LA; ca. 65 items.

M 19
David M. Phillips, Papers, 1819-1869.
Phillips a pioneer settler of Claiborne Parish, LA; includes correspondence received from relatives and friends in Georgia and Louisiana, and other papers; materials relate to living conditions prior to, during, and immediately after the Civil War; 43 items.

M 20
Spring Hill Missionary Baptist Church, Oakland, LA, Church Record and Minute Book, 1850-1907. [see M 64]
Church roll, 1850-1907, and minutes, 1878-1907, of an early Union Parish church; 204 p.

M 21
James Lafayette Goodwin (d.1905), Papers, 1873-1904.
Goodwin a farmer and merchant near Vienna, Lincoln Parish, LA, during the last quarter of the nineteenth century; legal papers, business records and personal correspondence; ca. 225 items.

M 22
Typed copies of historical and genealogical articles on Jackson Parish, LA, published in the Jackson Independent, 1960-1961; copies of church, genealogical and official records; personal correspondence and taped interview with McDonald, 1967; ca. 110 items.
M 23  
Mainly articles from the Quachita Citizen on early settlers in Ouachita Parish; notes from journals and a term paper on the history of Monroe, LA; 13 items.

M 24  
Samuel Worth Jones (1848-19--), Diary and Family Papers, 1806-1931.
The journal of a prosperous farmer in Webster Parish, LA, kept 1870-1925; and the personal, legal, and business records and correspondence of Jones, his father, John Jones III, his son Floyd and other members of the family; 10 ledger books and ca. 125 items.

M 25  
Ball Family, Bible Records, 1849-1925.
Marriage, birth and death records of a pioneer family of Lincoln Parish, LA; newspaper article on the family; 3 p.

M 26  
Robert Edwin Russ (1830-1902), Papers, 1874-1959.
Correspondence and his other writings reflecting Russ's life as planter, community leader and founder of Ruston, LA; legal records and notes on the history of Ruston compiled by his descendants for the Diamond Jubilee in Ruston; 47 items.

M 27  
Zion Hill Baptist Church Committee, Union Parish, LA, Notes and Correspondence Relating to the History of Zion Hill Baptist Church, 1940-1941.
Historical sketch of the church and correspondence between W.E. Odom and former pastors and deacons of the church and their descendants; 12 items.

M 28  
Shilo Baptist Church of Christ, Union Parish, LA, Church Roll and Record Book, 1849, 1865-1944.
Church covenant and constitution, minutes of conferences and church roll; 415 p.

M 29  
Newspaper articles on and military record of one of Louisiana's outstanding agriculturalists; 9 items.

M 30  
History (1909) of churches in the Concord Baptist Association and minutes of one session (1922); scattered issues of local and regional newspapers, 1913-1961, related to
local, national, and international news; a few family records; 65 items.

M 31 Lucien Flournoy Rountree, Flournoy Family History, 1562-1865, and Family Correspondence, 1824-1865. Research manuscript by a descendant of the Flournoy family, early settlers of Caddo Parish, LA; included is personal correspondence of Alfred Flournoy, a large planter and close friend of James K. Polk (whose letters appear in the collection); 41 items.


M 33 John B. Wise, Correspondence, 1861-1864. Letters of a young Confederate soldier in Virginia to his mother and brother in or near Greenwood, LA; 5 items.

M 34 Ernest Adalbert Treuman Breithaupt (1817-1898), Family Papers, 1844-1899. Business and legal records and correspondence of Treuman Breithaupt, planter in Catahoula Parish, LA; journal of agricultural activities, 1844-1850; Civil War correspondence of his son, Ernest; and records of the Grange movement in Catahoula Parish; ca. 75 items.

M 35 C.E. Youngblood, Papers, 1866-1899. Collection of tax receipts, notes, a letter and poetry of various individuals in Union Parish, LA; 15 items.

M 36 Frances Elizabeth Tooke Walker (1849-1929), Family Papers, 1859-1929. Reminiscences and family biographies by Walker covering the antebellum, Civil War and post-war years in Bienville Parish, LA; includes James Jefferson Tooke family correspondence, 1859-1881; 25 items.

M 37 Christian Bubenzer (1842-1895), Bubenzer-Cheatham Bible Records, 1829-1888. Family bible of the Christian Bubenzer and Marcus O. Cheatham families with records of marriages, births, and deaths; Marcus Cheatham was a Claiborne Parish, LA settler; and Christian Bubenzer lived in the parishes of Claiborn and Avoyelles; 1 vol.
M 38
Henry Gerard Hall (1833-1873), Diary, 1870-1873, and Related Papers, 1850.
Three-year diary of a Shreveport, LA attorney who was Parish Judge of Caddo Parish in 1873; entries cover both professional and personal affairs; includes three letters of college life at Princeton University in 1850; 104 p. and 5 items.

M 39
Mansfield Female College Alumnae Association, Papers, 1855-1968.
Two early catalogs and a reunion program of college founded in Mansfield, LA in 1855 and operated under the supervision of the Louisiana Methodist Conference until it closed in 1930; 3 items.

M 40
William Remsen Lyman (1838-), Collection of Invitations to Mardi Gras Events, 1891-1898.
Mementos of a prominent New Orleans businessman and financier during the late nineteenth century and a colonel in the Confederate Army during the Civil War; 5 items.

M 41
Paper prepared and read by Thrash, Bistineau Baptist Church historian, for the centennial of the church; 6 p.

M 42
Saline High School, Saline, LA, Saline Area Community Histories and Bienville Parish Records, 1850-1965.
Histories of towns and communities in Bienville Parish, compiled by Saline High School students and the Bienville Parish Planning and Development Board; abstracts and deeds of land in Bienville Parish; a few records of the Bienville Parish School Board and the Saline High School; 118 items.

M 43
Flint River Baptist Association, Minutes, 1849, 1855.
Minutes of the oldest Baptist Association of the Tennessee River Valley, organized in 1814, which included 17 churches located in Alabama and Tennessee; 6 p.

M 44
Annie Butler Collection of King George VI Coronation, 1935-1937.
English pamphlets, clippings and other souvenirs collected on the occasion of the coronation of King George VI in 1936 and during the following year; 23 items.

M 45
Edna Liggin, "History of Concord Institute, 1876-1885."
Article written for author's newspaper column *Shiloh Sketches*; account of an early North Louisiana Baptist institute of learning; 4 p.

M 46

James A. Ramsey (d.1887), Correspondence, 1862-1887.
Letter books of an attorney and prominent citizen of Farmerville, Union Parish, LA; personal and business correspondence; 3 vol.

M 47

William C. Boone, Correspondence, 1928-1930.
Letters written from Baton Rouge, LA by the Claiborne Parish state senator and attorney to his wife during the first two years of the Huey P. Long administration; correspondence deals with political matters including the impeachment proceedings against Governor Long; 9 items.

M 48

History of Anna Calhoun Smith's school in Vernon, LA, 1885-1901, written by her step-granddaughter; wife of Judge N.M. Smith of Jackson Parish, Mrs. Smith operated the private school for members of her family and other pupils, among whom was Senator James P. Pope; includes two Pope letters; 1 ms and 6 items.

M 49

Ruston Presbyterian Church, Ruston, LA, Historical Papers, 1963.
Papers given by members at a historical meeting of the Ruston Presbyterian Church in 1963, honoring Kathleen and Helen Graham (active, long-time members of the church); highlights of the history of the church and tributes to the Graham sisters; 15 items.

M 50

James H. Ashe, Calcote Family Genealogy, 1685-1898.
Genealogy, mainly, of the descendants of John Calcote, Sr., of Franklin and Amite Counties, Mississippi; some of the Calcote family settled in Lincoln Parish, LA; 3 p.

M 51

History of the Calvin Leary family who moved from Georgia and settled in Bienville Parish, LA in 1850; account of plantation and family life written by a descendant who includes genealogical notes on the Leary and related families; 12 p.

M 52

Charles S. Cox Collection of Catalogs of the Mount Lebanon University, 1856-1857, 1858-1860, and 1865-1866 and the Mount Lebanon Female College, 1855-1858.
Catalogs of the University and the Female College, both founded in 1853, in Bienville Parish, LA by the Louisiana Baptist State Convention; 7 items.

M 53
Corinne Smith Bennett, Family History, 1781-1949.
Memoirs and historical notes on the family of Benjamin Fitzpatrick Smith, early Lincoln Parish settlers and the family of Thompson Samuel Scott, early residents of North Louisiana and South Arkansas; 2 items, 10 p.

M 54
Hoss Family, Papers, 1847-1971.
Nathaniel Hoss was an early settler, planter, and commission merchant in Caddo Parish, LA; his son, James M. Hoss, was one of the founders and benefactors of Hosston, LA; includes deeds, business records and related correspondence of three generations of the Hoss family; 302 items.

M 55
Jaclyn Lucas Keasler (1931-), "The Simontons and Related Families, ca. 1100-1963."
Genealogy of and historical notes on the Simontons and related families from the Middle Ages in Scotland through the twenty-second generation in the southern states; traces the Simonton line in Louisiana including parishes of Lincoln, Bienville, Claiborne, and Jackson; 47 p.

M 56
Walnut Creek Baptist Church, Lincoln Parish, LA, Minutes and Church Roll, 1885-1932.
Minutes of church conferences and related records, partial list of church members; two clippings on the history of the church, 1846-1965; 1 vol. (309 p.) and 2 items.

M 57
Ruston Presbyterian Church, Ruston, LA, Records, 1884-1957.
Minutes of the Session, 1884-1920; register of pastors, elders, deacons, communicants and baptisms, 1884-1957; 1 vol. (392 p.) and 3 items.

M 58
Genealogies, notes, correspondence and records of Malone, his wife, Rae Tatum Malone, and related families; Malones are residents of Claiborne Parish, LA; 18 items.

M 59
Ephesus Primitive Baptist Church, Lincoln Parish, LA, Records and Related Papers, 1851-1958.
Minutes of church conferences, constitutions, articles of faith and church roll; includes correspondence of church
leaders, related papers and a few records of the Louisiana Association of Primitive Baptists; 2 vols. and 42 items.

M 60
O.A. Newsome Collection of Writings on the "In the Gloaming" Legend and a History of Dubach, LA, 1935-1959.
Three periodical articles on the union Parish legend of "In the Gloaming," a Marion High School operetta of the same title, and a history of Dubach compiled by the Dubach High School faculty; 5 items.

M 61
Collection of records and papers relating mainly to the history of Arcadia and Bienville Parish, LA; also includes files on Allen Greene, Huey P. Long, and other materials on Louisiana history; ca. 700 items.

M 62
Fellowship Baptist Church of Christ, Dubberly, LA, Records, 1848-1896.
Constitution, covenant, rules of decorum, church roll and minutes of church conferences; 2 vols.

M 63
Sardis Baptist Church, Winn Parish, LA, Records, 1860-1901.
Covenant, rules of decorum, articles of faith, minutes of church conferences and church roll; includes Bible records of the W.J. Martin family, members of the church; 208 p. and 1 item.

M 64
Spring Hill Missionary Baptist Church, Oakland, LA, Church Record and Minute Book, 1878-1907, 1911-1966.
Articles of faith, church covenant, church roll and minutes of church conferences of an early Union Parish church; 2 vols.

M 65
Ina Claire Madden Collection of Selected Bienville Parish, LA Records, 1865-1866.
Charters of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South at Mt. Lebanon, LA and at Arcadia, LA; charter of the Mt. Lebanon Female College; related records of the period; 5 items.

M 66
Wills, land records, genealogies, photographs and related papers mainly on the Stovall family of Jackson and Winn Parish, LA; papers include some records on the Smith and Trevillion families; 105 items.
Marshall Harvey Twitchell (1840-1905), Papers, 1851-1938.
Correspondence, legal records, state documents, bonds, autobiography, and other papers of a Vermonter who was a Freedman's Bureau agent in old Sparta, LA, and was later the North Louisiana leader of the radical Republicans and owner of a plantation in Red River Parish; ca. 600 items.

Rita M. Krouse Collection of Official Correspondence on Building a Louisiana Military Road, 1827-1838.
Correspondence concerning the building of a military road between Fort Smith on the Arkansas River to Natchitoches, LA; 17 items.

Kellam Family, Correspondence, 1834-1891.
Letters received by members of the Kellam and related families, prominent residents and plantation owners in Ouachita Parish, LA; 37 items.

Cecil P. Campbell, "Old Castor Methodist Church", 1965.
History of the Old Castor Methodist Church in Bienville Parish, LA, from about 1852 to 1926; by a descendant of several of the founding families of the church; 6 p.

Murrell Family, Correspondence, 1853-1930.
Personal letters from John and Isaac Murrell and other descendants of John Murrell, pioneer settler of Claiborne Parish, LA to various family members; 16 items.

Roland Jones (1813-1869), Family Papers, 1840-1969.
Papers of prominent attorney, U.S. Congressman, district judge of Caddo Parish, LA, and a pioneer resident of Shreveport; papers include mainly correspondence of Roland Jones and his wife, Anne Neville Stokes, and that of their descendants in Louisiana; letters cover political, professional, social, and family matters; ca. 850 items.

Catherine J.S. Duhon Collection of Pelican Area Community Histories, 1968.
Material collected and written by students of Duhc., teacher at Pelican High School, Pelican, LA; articles cover the high school, the town of Pelican, villages in the area, and a history of DeSoto Parish, LA; 13 items.

Ida G. Tooke, "History of New Providence Baptist Church, 1850-1950."
History and a few early records of the Ringgold, LA church; Tooke is a descendant of founders of the church; 7 p.

M 75
Articles researched and written mainly on the history of Lincoln Parish by Leigh, former Louisiana Tech librarian; 110 items.

M 76
Papers of longtime resident of Winn Parish, LA state politician and friend of Huey P. Long and family; in later years, became known as the historian and genealogist of Winn Parish; ca. 1080 items.

M 77
Thaddeus Pardue Collection of Cemetery Records of Union, Lincoln, Bienville and Caddo Parishes, Louisiana.
Tombstone records limited to persons born prior to 1860; incomplete records for Lincoln Parish; 3 vols.

M 78
Vienna Presbyterian Church, Vienna, LA, Church Book Number 2, 1874-1897.
Church roll, minutes of church conferences, and related records; 53 p.

M 79
Castor Methodist Church, Castor, LA, Church Register, 1888-1912.
Register of pastors, members, marriages, deaths and disposals of the church; 42 p.

M 80
Adam Riser (1809-1898), Store Ledgers, 1859, 1873.
One of the first settlers in the southern part of Lincoln Parish, LA and owner of a Trading Post Center in Old Bonner, LA; 2 vols. and 1 item.

M 81
Sidney Seth Tatum (1862-1918), Family Papers, 1868-1970.
A large landholder and farmer in Claiborne and Lincoln Parishes, LA during the late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries, taught a private school in Hico, LA; also was a merchant, helped establish the Dubach State Bank, and was active in the Farmers' Union movement in Lincoln Parish; includes legal records, business and financial papers, correspondence, school records and assorted papers of other Tatum family members; ca. 105 items.

M 82
Felix Pierre Poche (1836-1895), Diary and Related Papers, 1854-1955.
Diary of a young Confederate Army officer kept 1863-1865, including eyewitness accounts of two 1864 battles in North Louisiana; after the war, Poche an attorney in St. James Parish, LA, was elected a state senator and later an associate judge of the Louisiana Supreme Court; 3 items.

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M 85
Harry Clayton Sanders (18998-), Genealogy and History of the Sanders, Jackson and Morrow Families, 1700-1942. Genealogical and historical records of the ancestors of Harry Clayton Sanders of Claiborne Parish, LA; 4 items.

M 86
Joseph J. Corneille (1838-), Record Book, 1861-1899. Ledger containing an account of a south Louisiana soldier's experiences during the Civil War; includes personal and business records after the war; 1 vol.

M 87

M 88
Hebron Baptist Church, Grant Parish, LA, Records, 1873-1909. Church covenant, minutes of church conferences and other records; 266 p.

M 89
Evander McNair Graham Family, Papers, 1812-1965. Correspondence and records of a prominent North Louisiana settler, an attorney, and a lieutenant colonel in the Confederate Army. He was also a state senator during Reconstruction and district judge in North Louisiana, living in Ruston until his death in 1908. Some papers are those of his wife, son, and daughters who were cultural, educational and religious leaders in Lincoln Parish and the State; 103 boxes.
M 90
Original manuscript, accompanying maps of Folk's doctoral dissertation; 2 vol.

M 91
Mattie Sue Martin (Baby) Hays, Resume.
Resume, biographical information of "Baby" Hays, local artist of historical sketches, drawings, and paintings; 22 p.

M 92
Albert Abraham Michelson, "Velocity of Light," 1878.
Handwritten report of Michelson's experiments in 1878 to determine the velocity of light; 114 p.

M 93
Our Living and Our Dead, Periodical, 1875.
Publication of the North Carolina Branch, Southern Historical Society; 12 issues.

M 94
James Govan Taliaferro (1798-1876), Papers, 1814-1903.
Politician and jurist of Catahoula Parish, LA, owned and operated Harrisonburg Independent; served as associate justice of Louisiana Supreme Court from 1866 until death; opposed secession during Civil War; includes papers of children, collection provides some interesting detail on family relations and living conditions during the period; 38 items.

M 95
New Hope Baptist Church, Records, 1855-1883.
Records include lists of church members, minutes, registers of members, sketch of land holdings, abstract of faith, rules of decorum and Census of 1 September 1881; 208 p.

M 96
Clippings of Long's career from 1938 to 1960; additional clippings included from 1961 to 1963.

M 97
Oneill J. Richard, Abstract of Title, 1952.
Abstract of title of land purchased from Richard for construction of Louisiana Polytechnic Institute Assembly Center; 1 vol.

M 98
Minutes, roll book and correspondence of the club.

M 99
Pleasant Grove Baptist Church, Records, 1881-1969.
Records include church roll, list of members, register of officers, minutes, attendance and financial records; 328 p.

M 100
Wesley Chapel United Methodist Church and Cemetery, Ruston, LA. Records, 1850-1979.
"History of Wesley Chapel... and Cemetery" by Murray P. Rasbury, 1979; chapel records including deed of land for the Wesley Chapel Church, baptismal records, ledger accounts, lists of officers, administrators, and program of dedication of building annex, 1962; 52 p.

M 101
Beatrice H. Moore, Papers, 1940-1942.
Materials related to the legislative career of Moore, one of the first women elected to the Louisiana legislature; 43 items.

M 102
Alexandria Daily Town Talk, "Page One". Anthology of front pages from original issues spanning the one hundred year history of the central Louisiana newspaper; 1 item.

M 103

M 104
Israel Shreve, Letters, 1771-1804. Correspondence of Colonel Israel Shreve, who served with Washington during the Revolutionary War; provides information on battles, conditions, etc., during the Revolution including Ticonderoga, Valley Forge, Brandywine; 4 boxes.

M 105
Fred Dubach Lumber Company, Deed, 1908. 1 item.

M 106
Christopher Sedden Family, Letters, 1858-1865. 1 folder.

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M 108
Albery Wasson Family, Papers, 1857-1917. 1 folder.
M 109
Presbyterian Church, Vernon, LA, Records, 1891-1899.
1 folder.

M 110
"History of Marthaville, LA, 1851-1969".

M 111
Choudrant Baptist Church, Choudrant, LA, Records, 1902-1917.
1 folder.

M 112
Claiborne Parish, LA, Records, 1852-1875.
Selected legal documents; 1 folder.

M 113
Francis Marion and Flora Ray Davis Family, Papers, 1844-1967.
1 folder.

M 114
Amos Wimbush, Papers.
1 folder.

M 115
[withdrawn, 7-11-90]

M 116
John Q. Anderson (1916-), Papers.
Louisiana, American folklore, history and literature.

M 117
Davis Brothers Lumber Company, Records, 1885-1943.
Folders A-M; 23 vols.

M 118
A. Lloyd Collins Collection.
11 boxes.

M 119
Kavanaugh Collection of McCrummer Family Records.

M 120
Bienville Parish, Business Records.

[M 121-M122, withdrawn]

M 123
Moreland Family, Genealogy, 1790-1969.

M 124
Meade, "Road to Babylon".

M 125
Louisiana Writer's Project.
Shreveport District File; 1 box.

M 126
Lorraine Epps Anderson Genealogical Collection.
Notes, records, and related letters and materials; compilations for the following families: Epps, Caldwell, Bradford, Kernodle, Allen, Carr, McQueen, McEachin, McNutt, Gillespie, Hornbuckle; 2 boxes.

M 127
George Harmon Smith, Papers.
Manuscripts of Smith's novels, "Wanderers of the Field" and "Bayou Belle"; 1 box.

M 128
G.W. McGinty (1900-1984), Papers.
Correspondence, office files, research notes, manuscripts of publications and papers, course notes, etc., of history professor and administrator at Louisiana Polytechnic Institute; includes manuscripts of McGinty's thesis, "Louisiana Redeemed", and "Louisiana History"; 86 boxes.

M 129
Materials related to the history and development of Ruston, LA; consists of pamphlets, newsletters, programs, yearbooks, organizational records; includes information on Ruston civic organizations, businesses and industries; and Ruston telephone directories, 1938-1986; 7 boxes.

M 130
Ruston Church Collection, 1874-1984.
Church records, bulletins, minutes, brochures, newsletters, correspondence and scrapbook for a number of Ruston, LA churches including Church of the Redeemer Episcopal, Trinity Methodist Church, First Baptist Church, Ruston Presbyterian Church, Vienna Presbyterian Church, and the Vernon Church; 3 boxes.

M 131
Ruston College, Ruston LA, Records, 1885-1898.
Records include correspondence, applications for teaching positions, financial records and receipts, bulletins, and notes; 3 folders.

M 132
Ruston, LA Photograph Collection, c. 1900.
Reproductions of photographs of early twentieth century scenes in Ruston including businesses, homes, and social and cultural organizations and activities; 1 box.
M 133  
Fellowship Baptist Church, Dubach, LA, Records, 1848-1943.  
Church records; 1 box.

M 134  
Louise B. Johnson, Papers.  
Collection documents Johnson's career as insurance agent, and representative in Louisiana legislature; scrapbooks, clippings, photographs; treats defeat of Equal Rights Amendment in Louisiana in early 1970s; 1 box.

M 135  
Scrapbook of clippings, posters, campaign literature, etc.; illustrates Walker's political career as representative in Louisiana House of Representatives; 1 vol.

M 136  
Mary Simms Hope Collection.  
Deed of the sale of slave, Henry, age 13 to Isaac L. Leonard; 1 item.

M 137  
Wallace B. Bolinger, Collection, 1907-1909.  
Miscellaneous collection of Bolinger, a forester and artist, c. 1907-1909; includes photographs of Bolinger, diary of J.E. Benedict; land diagrams, Choctaw County, Alabama; 1 box.

M 138  
McKinney Collection.  
"Battles and Leaders of the Civil War"; vols. 2, 3-7, 10-12.

M 139  
Carswell Family, Genealogy.  
Genealogical materials related to E.W. "Judge" Carswell, an alumni of Louisiana Tech; issues of "Carswell Chronicle", v. 1-10 (1972-1981); Alexander Carswell and Isabella Brown, by Mildred and George Bond, 1 vol.

M 140  
Thomas M. Wade, Papers.  
Materials related to the history of Tensas Parish, LA; notes of "The Bowies and Their Kindred" (1899), sketches of Bowie family members (including Jim Bowie); 1 folder.

M 141  
Bienville Parish Collection.  
Materials related to history and development of Bienville Parish; newspaper clippings, "Friendship News", research paper on Bienville Parish, 1828-1877; cemetery records.
M 142
John Mayfield and H.H. Howard Collection.
Mayfield-Howard family genealogies; photos of family members, correspondence.

M 143
Records and papers of medical practices of two brothers, B.F. Holliday of Parkdale, Arkansas and J.O. Holliday of Louisville, Kentucky; ledgers, tax books, financial records; 1 box.

M 144
Lambert Collection.
Business education textbooks, c. 1910; 20 vols.

M 145
Bienville Parish, LA, Records, 1866-1874, 1911.
Parish court records, 1866-1874; "Enumeration of ex-confederate soldiers and widows of deceased soldiers", Bienville Parish, 1911; 3 vols.

M 146
Vienna, LA, Town Council, Records, 1877-1884.
Minute book of mayor and councilmen; 1 vol.

M 147
Confederate Documents, LA, 1862, 1865.
Voucher for payment to Confederate soldiers, 1865; "Muster Roll" for Company C, 28th Louisiana Regiment, 1862; 2 items.

M 148
Mineral Springs Baptist Church, Records, 1865-1888.
Church record book; 1 vol.

M 149
History of Claiborne Parish, LA by Claiborne Parish Historical Association; 1 folder.

M 150
Allen Ashley Collection, 1900.
Photographs of Louisiana Industrial Institute, "Old Main"; Louisiana State University, college room, etc.

M 151
Ephesus Primitive Baptist Church, Records, 1859-1958.

M 152
Walnut Creek Baptist church, Records, 1885-1964.
Church record books; 3 vols.
M 153
Papers of attorney; includes correspondence, financial and legal papers, law school notes, "Book of Memorabilia"; 5 boxes.

M 154
North Central Louisiana Folklife Project and Susan Roach-Lankford; mounted photographs, 8 boxes; exhibit information, catalogs, folklife survey forms, 2 folders; pictorial representations of contemporary North Louisiana folk-culture, arts and crafts.

M 155
Hardtner Collection, 1899-1959.
Hardtner Lumber Company; Business, legal records, 1899-1950s; Daybooks, ledgers, 1904-1938; cash journal, 1926-1959; 4 boxes.

M 156
Thomas M. Wade, Collection.
Research materials on history of Tensas Parish, LA, compiled by Wade; correspondence, chapter notes, bibliographical notes, citations, subject files; Tensas Gazette (on Microfilm), 1872-1954, index of microfilm; 4 boxes.

M 157
John Bell Hood, Photographs, 1879.
Photographs of Hood and family; 3 items.

M 158
Lincoln Parish, LA, Collection.
Writings by various individuals on history and development of Lincoln Parish; 32 items.

M 159
"Histories of the Churches, Concord Baptist Association", 1909.
Historical sketches of Baptist churches in North Louisiana.

M 160
James B. Aswell, Papers.
Materials related to life of James B. Aswell, President of Louisiana Industrial Institute, 1900-1904; pamphlets, clippings, speeches, pictures and photographs, articles on Aswell; 24 items.

M 161
Article on Louisiana.

M 162
James Pierce Tomlinson (1887-1956), Papers. Two photographs and one deed.

M 163
Zeta Tau Alpha, Letter, 1905. Letter establishing the first national sorority at Louisiana Industrial Institute; 1 item.

M 164

M 165
Roland Oliver, Papers, 1861-1864. Confederate letters of Oliver from Louisiana and Mississippi (including one from Vicksburg) during the Civil War; 21 items.

M 166

M 167
James B. Randall Collection. Miscellaneous bulletins, brochures; Louisiana Tech academic programs (management, business, engineering); issues of Tech Alumni News.

M 168
Murphy A. Tannehill Collection, 1929-1934. Photographs of Urania Lumber Company camp, 1929; forestry student sketches; 5 photos.

M 169
James A. Smith, Musical Score, 1936. Written by Smith, director of the Louisiana Tech band, the Tech fight song, "March Louisiana Tech"; 1 item.

M 170
Arthur Taylor Prescott, Papers, 1940. Typescript, outlines, notes of Taylor, first President of Louisiana Industrial Institute (1895-1899), of his book, "Drafting the Federal Constitution".

M 171
F. Elizabeth Bethea, Papers, 1937-1938. Correspondence regarding construction and design of Louisiana Tech's "Lady of the Mist" fountain; campus photos and negatives.
M 172
Materials for professional training sessions; letters to North Louisiana Chapter, 1947-1986.

M 173
Materials related to career of Louisiana Polytechnic Institute forestry professor and department head; presentations, talks, lectures, course notes; 5 boxes.

M 174
"Rocky Mount Presbyterian Cemetery", 1851-1965.
History, records, map of cemetery; 1 vol.

M 175
Mary Gaslin Harris, Papers.
"Faculty of Louisiana Tech, 1908-1913" (1980); recollections of Tech faculty including John Keeny, H.D. Wilson, Logan, Kathleen Graham, E.L. Lord, Helen Graham, etc.

M 176
Drawing by area artist of local NAACP leaders in Lincoln Parish, LA: Clara Carr, A.D. Smith, C.C. McClain, Thalia Williams, J.K. Haynes; 1 item.

M 177
McGinty Publications correspondence, 1987-1988; manuscripts of publications; research notes and documents; 3 boxes.

M 178
Eliza Roberts Cowper, Papers, 1908-1970.
Materials on Cowper's relative, William Paul Roberts of North Carolina, Confederate general; materials of North Carolina United Daughters of the Confederacy; programs of meetings, theme papers regarding the "Lost Cause".

M 179

M 180
Reports, brochures, newsletters, programs, bulletins, (with gaps).
M 181
Mary Moffett Recorded Sound Collection.
Phonorecordings of symphonic music owned by Louisiana Polytechnic Institute art professor; 36 recordings.

M 182
Minutes of meetings, directories, invitations, newspaper clippings.

M 183

M 184
Francis T. Nicholls (1834-1912), Papers, 1846-1912.
Notes on Nicholls by G.W. McGinty; several notes refer to correspondence by Nicholls; collection contains only the notes and quoted passages compiled by McGinty.

M 185
Sallie Robison Collection.
Materials related to Louisiana Tech Alumni Association, graduates, history of Tech; notices, 1905-1924; lists of alumni, 1910-1940.

M 186
Sara Jane Johnson Collection, 1948.
Memorabilia, scrapbook, programs related to Johnson's years at Louisiana Polytechnic Institute, c. 1948.

M 187
Leaders of the Confederacy Collection.
Engravings of Confederate leaders, including Jefferson Davis, his staff members, military leaders, the Confederate Cabinet and Alexander Stephens.

M 188
Videorecording on James Company history and current operations and organization (c. 1990).

M 189
Report prepared for the National Park Service, includes bibliography; on microfiche, 3 sheets.

M 190
John J. and Marcia Lambert Cooper, Musical Scores.
Music and lyrics for 9 compositions.
M 191  
Myra Roberts and Lillian O'Neal Alexander Genealogy Collection.  
Genealogical materials related to O'Neal and related families; 4 boxes, scrapbook.

M 192  
Floyd James, Papers, 1923-1990.  
Awards and achievements, photographs of Ruston, LA civic and business leader; 11 folders.

M 193  
Photographs, obituary and will; 4 folders.

M 194  
Joseph Corneille and Family, Papers, 1807-1865.  
Notes, journal entries, correspondence; 8 folders.

M 195  
Historical Photographs and Documents Collection, 1800-1978.  
Various photographs and images, documents, certificates related mainly to history of Louisiana and Louisiana Tech University; 41 items.

M 196  
Marjorie C. Leigh, Papers.  
Articles written by Leigh, Louisiana Polytechnic Institute librarian, related to history of North Louisiana and published in local newspaper as "Out of Our Past"; 26 items.

M 197  
Pearl Richardson, Photographs, 1909, 1910.  
Two photographs, Pearl Richardson (graduate of Louisiana Industrial Institute, 1911) and Beta Psi, Louisiana Industrial Institute; photographs reprinted in 1909 and 1910 Lagniappe.

COllections in the University Archives

A 1  
Files, records, related materials from the Office of the President of Louisiana Industrial Institute, Louisiana Polytechnic Institute, and Louisiana Tech University; files most complete in this collection for the years 1936-1961; includes correspondence, reports, contracts, financial and budgetary information, photographs, etc.; 87 boxes.
A 2  
Collection of university handbooks, catalogs, course schedules, bulletins, etc., arranged chronologically; 11 boxes.

A 3  
Job tickets of items printed by the department; includes forms, pamphlets, brochures, certificates, etc.; 5 boxes.

A 4  
Louisiana Tech University. Faculty Publications, 1925-1989.  
Miscellaneous faculty publications; includes lists of publications issued annually by the university; 3 boxes.

A 5  
Louisiana Tech University. W. Rodney Cline, Papers, 1939-1941.  
Records of Cline's office, as Summer School Director and Dean of Instruction at Louisiana Polytechnic Institute; 37 folders.

A 6  
Press releases, clippings, etc., related to events at Louisiana Tech University; includes information on students, faculty, administrators, departments, colleges; 6 boxes.

A 7  
Louisiana Tech University. Academic Affairs Collection, 1898-1989.  
Materials related to departments, colleges, divisions, under the university's Vice-President for Academic Affairs; includes committee minutes, office records, pamphlets, brochures, publications, newsletters, annual reports, etc.; 38 boxes.

A 8  
Louisiana Tech University. Administrative Affairs Collection, 1905-1989 (with gaps).  
Materials related to divisions under the university's Vice-President for Administrative Affairs; includes comptroller's office, food service, personnel office, bookstore, buildings and grounds; 1 box.

A 9  
Louisiana Tech University. Student Affairs Collection, 1894-1990 (with gaps).
Materials related to divisions under the university's Vice-President for Student Affairs; includes calendar of activities, student publications, student organizations; 2 boxes.

A 10
Materials related to divisions under the university's Vice-President for Development and External Affairs; includes athletic council, alumni relations, special programs; 2 boxes.

A 11
Press releases, clippings, etc., related to events at Louisiana Tech University; includes information on students, faculty, administrators, departments, colleges; 3 boxes.

A 12
Louisiana Tech University. North Louisiana High School Rally Collection, 1925-1969.
Bulletins of rally, with gaps; -1 l.f.

A 13
Louisiana Tech University. Louisiana College Conference Collection, 1943-1971.
Programs, bulletins of annual Louisiana College Conference meetings (later, the Conference of Louisiana Colleges and Universities); includes H.L. Griffin's "The Louisiana College Conference, A Brief History" (1956).

A 14
Miscellaneous materials related to Louisiana Tech unit of Louisiana Teachers Association; -1 l.f.

A 15
Issues of "Tech Topics" newsletter.

A 16
Programs of meetings; -1 l.f.

A 17
Press releases, clippings, etc., related to events at Louisiana Tech University; includes information on students, faculty, administrators, departments, colleges; 2 boxes.
A 18
Records, files, related items from office of Director of Louisiana Tech library; includes accession books, 1900-1961, correspondence, subject files, reports, financial and budgetary information, blueprints and architectural drawings of the library; 14 boxes, 13 tubes.

A 19
Materials related to Southern Association Self Study for Louisiana Tech; includes student opinion surveys and other collected data; 2 boxes, 1 vol.

A 20
Louisiana Tech University. Men's Faculty Club, 1938-1983.
Constitution, memoranda, announcements; named Louisiana Tech Faculty Club, 1974; -1 l.f.

A 21
Louisiana Tech University. Faculty Women's Club, 1950-1982.
Memoranda, announcements; -1 l.f.

A 22
Reports, minutes, generated by miscellaneous university committees; 1/2 l.f.

A 23
Louisiana Tech University. College of Administration and Business Collection.
Includes general history of the College, memoranda; photographs, slides, transparencies of CAB building, faculty and students, c. 1954-1970s.

A 24
Photographs of Department of Electrical Engineering faculty, staff, students and facilities; photographs of Louisiana Tech buildings; photographs of Instrumentational Conference at Louisiana Polytechnic Institute, 1956; manuals and materials related to the LPG-30 computer, 1959-1967; -2 boxes.

A 25
Louisiana Tech University. Student Affairs, Counseling Center, Student Records.
Clippings, information on various Louisiana Tech students, arranged alphabetically; 7 boxes.

A 26
Louisiana Tech University, Photograph Collection.
Photographs of Louisiana Tech campus, faculty, students, events, activities, presidents, etc., from Louisiana Industrial Institute period to 1987; 15 boxes.

A 27
Records, files, related items from office of Director of Louisiana Tech library; includes correspondence, memoranda, reports, subject files, 8 boxes.

A 28
Correspondence, files, minutes of meetings, press releases, work diary related to career of Louisiana Tech Department of Forestry professor and head; 4 boxes.

A 29
Correspondence, speeches, papers, notes, photographs related to career of Louisiana Tech Department of Forestry professor and head; 53 folders.

A 30
Materials related to Louisiana organization dedicated to preservation, development and management of Louisiana's forest resources; includes membership records, financial records, correspondence, minutes of meetings, constitution and by-laws; 5 boxes.

A 31
Forestry Archives, Louisiana Tech University, School of Forestry, 1936-1969.
Records include forestry courses file, pamphlets and bulletins, correspondence, office subject files, materials on forestry program at other universities; information related to Louisiana Forestry Association, North Louisiana Group of Foresters, Southern Hardwood Forestry Group; Forestry Library; blueprints of lookout and observation towers; 25 boxes.

A 32
Forestry Archives, Louisiana Forestry Commission, Records, 1913-1940.
Subject files, reports, research articles, correspondence on forest resources in Louisiana; 9 boxes.
A 33
Records of Louisiana organization dedicated to preserving, developing and promoting forest resources of Louisiana; includes correspondence, subject files, minutes of meetings, committee reports, photographs; 37 boxes.

A 34
Materials on Bolinger lumber company; includes the publication, S.H. Bolinger and Co., Ltd., 1898-1973, plot books, land maps, photographs, company ledgers; Wallace Bolinger personal files; "Bolinger Slide Collection"; Bolinger Company land record book, 1910-1928; 3 boxes, 1 vol.

A 35
Scrapbook related to Hardtner's life and career; includes "Reforestation in Louisiana" by Henrietta Hardtner, tributes to Hardtner, writings by Hardtner, articles on Louisiana forestry; 21 folders.

A 36
Miscellaneous letters to various Louisiana State Foresters regarding the Louisiana Forestry Commission and the National Association of State Foresters.

A 37
Office files related to career of Louisiana Tech librarian; includes information on the Curriculum Library and Louisiana Historical Association, annual reports, faculty agendas, minutes of department head meetings; 24 folders.

A 38
Forestry Archives. Photograph Collection.
Photographs of various forest industry scenes, foresters, activities, in Louisiana; 52 images.

A 39
General information on and photographs of various Louisiana Tech faculty and staff; arranged alphabetically; 28 folders.

A 40
Records of Louisiana Tech chapter of national organization; includes scrapbooks, membership rolls and information, personal record cards, photographs; 5 boxes.

A 41  
Blueprints, architectural drawings, floor plans of Louisiana Tech library buildings; 46 items.

A 42  
Louisiana Tech Collection.  
Files from Louisiana Tech library vertical files related to history and development of the university; pamphlets, clippings, brochures, photographs and pictures; 6 boxes.

A 43  
Louisiana Collection  
Files from Louisiana Tech library vertical files related to history and development of Louisiana; pamphlets, clippings, brochures, photographs and pictures; 10 boxes.

A 44  
Films of football and basketball games, scrimmages, and practices; 129 boxes.

A 45  
Vertical File Collection.  
Files from Louisiana Tech library vertical file, maintained c. 1965-1980; pamphlets, clippings, brochures, photographs and pictures; regarding a wide variety of mainly national and international topics.

A 46  
American Foreign Policy Center. Thomas M. Leonard Collection.  
Consists of research files regarding United States-Latin American relations during the twentieth century; compiled and donated by Leonard, a noted diplomatic historian; 8 boxes.

A 47  
Records, files, related items from office of Director of Louisiana Tech library; 11 folders.

A 48  
Louisiana Tech University. Office of the President, Records, 1961- [in progress].  
Louisiana Tech University. Office of the Vice-President for Academic Affairs, 1975.
"Consent Decree, Interrogatories Data Base Information, c. 1975"; 4 boxes.
American Foreign Policy Center
Louisiana Tech University

Bibliography of Holdings

Established by the Department of History and Prescott Memorial Library at Louisiana Tech University in 1989, the American Foreign Policy Center was created to help facilitate the study of the history of American diplomacy and foreign policy, to generate research publications utilizing its holdings, and sponsor a lecture series, periodic conferences and colloquia. Due to the nature of its holdings in primary research materials, the Center is unique in this region of the United States and helps fill for scholars a long-standing void. As the United States continues to be intimately connected to political, economic, social and cultural occurrences throughout the world, an understanding of the development and history of American foreign policy is vital.

The following titles of microform collections are available for research purposes in the American Foreign Policy Center located on the fourth floor of Prescott Memorial Library, Louisiana Tech University. For more complete bibliographical information regarding each of these microform collections, please consult the card catalogs located on the second and fourth floors of Prescott Library.

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John Moors Cabot

Cabot, John Moors. The Diplomatic Papers of John Moors Cabot, a Collection from the Edwin Ginn Library, the Fletcher School of Law and Diplomacy, Tufts University, c1985.
JX 1706.A75 C32 1985

The papers of John Moors Cabot (1901-1981) provide a valuable record of more than forty years in the diplomatic service. Materials include embassy correspondence, situation reports, and interviews with world leaders. Major events covered include the Dominican Republic coup of 1930 and the rise of Trujillo, unrest in Argentina and the election of Peron in 1946, the controversy over Yugoslav aid to Greek guerrillas in 1947, the Chinese Civil War and the Shanghai situation, the resignation of President Quadros in Brazil in 1961, and the outcome of the secret United States-Communist China talks held in Moscow in 1962.
Missionaries in China

BV 3410 .C6

The Chinese Recorder, a journal produced by the Protestant community in China over a seventy-two year period, was the longest-running English language publication in that country. It is regarded as one of the most valuable sources for studying the missionary movement in China and the effect the missions had on shaping Western relations with and perceptions of the Far East. The collection is indexed by Persons, Missions, and Organizations, and by Subject.

Confidential U.S. State Department Central Files

The U.S. State Department Central Files are perhaps the definitive source of American diplomatic reporting on political, military, social, and economic developments throughout the world in the twentieth century. Each part of the Central Files contains a wide range of materials from U.S. diplomats in foreign countries: special reports on political and military affairs; studies and statistics on socioeconomic matters; interviews and minutes of meetings with foreign government officials; court proceedings and other legal documents; full texts of important letters, instructions, and cables sent and received by U.S. diplomatic personnel; reports and translations from foreign journals and newspapers; and translations of high-level foreign government documents.

The Central Files also illuminate the internal affairs of foreign countries. For each country there are thousands of pages arranged topically and chronologically on crucial subjects: political parties and elections, unrest and revolution, human rights, government administration, fiscal and monetary issues, labor, housing, police and crime, public health, national defense, wars and alliances, education, religion, culture, trade, industry, natural resources, etc. The following titles constitute our holdings of Central Files:

China


DS 777 .8 .C6p

Confidential U.S. State Department Central Files: China. Internal Affairs. 1940-1944.


United States-China Relations, 1940-1949.

Cuba


El Salvador


Formosa/Taiwan


Germany
Confidential U.S. State Department Central Files: Germany. 1930-1941, c1994.
Confidential U.S. State Department Central Files: Germany. Internal Affairs, 1942-1944, c1985.
Confidential U.S. State Department Central Files: Germany. Foreign Affairs, 1930-1939, c1985.
Confidential U.S. State Department Central Files: Germany. Foreign Affairs, 1940-1944, c1985.
Confidential U.S. State Department Central Files: Germany. Internal Affairs and Foreign Affairs, 1955-1959, c1990.
Indochina/Southeast Asia


DS 550 .C6 1985

DS 546 .C6p

DS 550 .C63 1989

Japan

DS 840 .C65p

DS 840 .C67 1985

Lebanon


Confidential U.S. State Department Central Files: Lebanon, Internal Affairs and Foreign Affairs, 1955-1959.

Nicaragua

F 1527 .C64p

F 1527 .C65p 1986

F 1527 .C65p 1988
Palestine/Israel


Confidential U.S. State Department Central Files: Palestine and Israel, Foreign Affairs, 1955-1959.

Soviet Union


This collection assembles a rich record of primary materials on the Russian Revolution. The reports and letters of Ambassador Francis of Missouri document from a first hand perspective the events that led Czarist Russia to a Communist state. Included are daily reports on topics such as the policies of Lenin, anarchist movements, the All-Russian Congress of Soviets, the Council of the Workingmen's Deputies, Trotsky, Kerensky, peasant and labor conditions, and others.

   DK 266 .A3 C65 1984


   DK 267 .C65p

   DK 266 .A3 C67p 1985

   DK 274 .C65p

Documents of the National Security Council
Documents of the National Security Council contains several types of formerly classified materials which illuminate the making of U.S. national security policies since World War Two. Some of the materials found in the titles listed below include: formal policy papers, background documents, "P files", mill papers, National Security Council actions, National Security Action Memoranda, and National Security Study Memoranda.

Documents of the National Security Council: First Supplement.
Documents of the National Security Council: Second Supplement.
Documents of the National Security Council: Third Supplement.
UA 23 .D6p
Documents of the National Security Council: Fifth Supplement.
Minutes of Meetings of the National Security Council, With Special Advisory Reports.
Minutes of Meetings of the National Security Council: First Supplement.
Minutes of Meetings of the National Security Council: Second Supplement.

Franklin D. Roosevelt

Franklin D. Roosevelt's Office Files, 1933-1945.

Files preserved at the Roosevelt Library treat broad topics such as the Great Depression, the New Deal, America's involvement in World War Two, the internal workings of the Roosevelt administration, and Roosevelt's personal leadership style. The collection is arranged into three parts: Part 1, "Safe" and Confidential Files; Part 2, Diplomatic Correspondence File; and Part 3, Departmental Correspondence File.

Harry S. Truman

This collection contains the transcripts and/or minutes of Secretary of State (1949-1953) Dean Acheson's top-secret conversations and meetings with notable individuals such as President Truman, General George C. Marshall which treat postwar concerns: NATO, the Korean crisis, the China question, etc.

Map Room Messages of President Truman, 1945-1946 and Potsdam Conference Documents, 1945, c1980.

"Map Room Messages" contains Truman's classified correspondence with leaders such as Chiang Kai-Shek, Winston Churchill, Charles De Gaulle, Joseph Stalin, Dwight Eisenhower, and Douglas MacArthur. These materials present an inside look at American wartime strategy and postwar diplomacy. The "Potsdam Conference Documents" include Truman's preconference briefing papers; correspondence of Truman with other heads of state; special reports and memoranda submitted to Truman; and Truman's personal diary of the conference.


These confidential files, held at the Truman Library, are arranged into five parts: Political Files, Correspondence Files, Subject File, Korean War Files, Truman Diaries and Handwritten Notes Files.

The Harry S. Truman Oral Histories Collection.

The collection contains recollections of the life and times of President Truman with interviews with hundreds of his political associates, advisers, family and friends. Topics include domestic and foreign matters.

John Foster Dulles and Christian A. Herter

Among the most complete documentary records of American foreign policy during the Cold War are the files of the Eisenhower State Department, especially the papers of John Foster Dulles (Secretary of State, 1953-1959) and Christian A. Herter (Undersecretary of State, 1957-1959; Secretary of State, 1959-1961). The files offer a source of primary data on the formation and implementation of American foreign policy in the Eisenhower years.


This series includes the outgoing correspondence and memoranda of the secretaries of state and their staffs which documents
how the State Department interacted with national and international leaders. The series also includes the responses of Dulles and his staff to letters of inquiry from numerous groups and contains the working papers and documents, prepared for internal State Department use, that unfold the debate and discussion within the State Department on the formation and implementation of foreign policy.


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This series collects the official communications between the State Department and the White House from 1953 to 1961, as well as memoranda on meetings between the President and either Dulles or Herter during the Eisenhower administration. Included are Cabinet briefing materials, official memoranda and correspondence, working papers prepared for White House use, and State Department drafts of and comments on presidential correspondence and speeches.


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This collection contains the minutes of nearly all the telephone conversations of Dulles and Herter as secretaries of state, including extensive minutes of communications with the President.

Dwight D. Eisenhower


E 836 .D5p

This collection consists of a varied body of manuscripts that contains several categories of material, arranged chronologically by month and year. These categories include: Eisenhower's diary entries and dictated correspondence; memos of telephone conversations; official White House staff memoranda, reports, correspondence, and summaries of congressional correspondence; and "Toner Notes", two-three page summaries of the activities and programs of the various executive agencies.


Confidential files held at the Eisenhower Library which include personal correspondence, diaries, telegrams, memoranda, reports, speeches and topical files, press conference transcripts and press releases. There are two parts, the Eisenhower Administration Series and the International Series.

*President Eisenhower's Meetings With Legislative Leaders, 1953-1961, c1986.*

**John F. Kennedy and Lyndon B. Johnson National Security Files**

This series includes the key Kennedy and Johnson White House files on national security, international relations, and the affairs of allies and adversaries worldwide. The National Security Files related to the countries and regions indicated below contain the following: cables sent between departments or agencies in Washington and embassies or missions abroad; memoranda of conversations between U.S. and foreign officials; minutes of meetings of leading U.S. officials; intelligence reports assessing various critical foreign policy issues; internal White House memoranda, including memoranda from the national security advisers to the President; and agendas for and records of top-level conferences.


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John F. Kennedy


These files are divided into five parts: Part 1, Special Correspondence, Speech, Legislative, and Press Conference Files; Part 2, Staff Memoranda File; Part 3, Departments and Agencies File; Part 4, Subjects File; and Part 5, Countries File.


Containing over five hundred oral histories, the collection includes the "White House and Executive Departments" and "The Congress, the Judiciary, Public Figures, and Private Individuals."
Lyndon B. Johnson


Kept by his secretaries and aides, Johnson's diary is a day-to-day account of the entire Johnson presidency. Details of the diary include the times, places, participants, and topics of all meetings; information on all telephone conversations; and numerous quotations and brief analyses referring to important people and issues.

Minutes and Documents of the Cabinet Meetings of President Johnson, c1982.

This collection contains nearly 20,000 pages of minutes of cabinet meetings; official cabinet reports; information passed to the cabinet by the President; and special briefings by various department heads.


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The collection is divided into two parts: "Part 1: The White House and Executive Departments", which includes interviews with key officials and aides from virtually every sector of the executive branch under Johnson; and "Part 2: The Congress, the Judiciary, Public Figures, and Private Individuals", which consists of oral histories of Johnson's colleagues in Congress; Supreme Court Justices and members of the federal and state judiciary; labor, religious, business, and civil rights leaders; members of the legal community and the media; and others, including long-time personal friends.

Richard M. Nixon

Papers of the Nixon White House, c1987.


Vietnam
This collection includes verbatim transcriptions of the negotiations of the Paris Peace Talks on Vietnam.