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SPECIAL COLLECTIONS FINDING AID

Title: MS 344 Ulysses S. Grant, 3rd, Papers, 1860s-1973 and undated (bulk, 1920-1968).

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General Ulysses S. Grant, 3rd (1881-1968), the grandson and namesake of President Ulysses S. Grant, was, like his father and grandfather before him, a West Point graduate and a military man, whose Army career spanned forty-three years. A man of wide-ranging interests, he was active in numerous local and national organizations and causes related to the local history and government of Washington, D.C., city planning, Civil War history, historic preservation, conservation and patriotism. He led or played major roles in the National Capital Park and Planning Commission, the National Trust for Historic Preservation, the Columbia Historical Society (now the Historical Society of Washington, D.C.), the American Planning and Civic Association, the Civil War Centennial Commission, The George Washington University, Government Services, Inc., and other organizations.

Auspiciously born on July 4, 1881, Ulysses Simpson Grant, 3rd, was the son of General Frederick Dent Grant and Ida Marie Honoré Grant. Four years of his childhood were spent in Vienna, where his father held a diplomatic post. After graduating from West Point in 1903 (ranked sixth in his class), he received an officer's commission in the Army Corps of Engineers and was posted to the Philippines, Washington, D.C. (as military aide to President Roosevelt) and Cuba. In 1907 he married Edith Root, the daughter of Secretary of State Elihu Root.

In 1918-1919 Grant spent two years in France as secretary to the American Section of the Supreme War Council. After his return, he was for five years U.S. Engineer of the 2nd San Francisco River and Harbor District; then, from 1925 to 1933, he was posted to Washington as Director of Public Buildings and Public Parks of the National Capital. After several other postings, Grant became commander of the Engineer Replacement Training Center at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, as World War II began. In 1942 he was appointed to a civilian job as chief of the Protection Branch of the Office of Civilian Defense, overseeing efforts to protect the nation's citizens during wartime and to mobilize civilian contributions to the war effort.

In the same year President Roosevelt appointed him to head the National Capital Park and Planning Commission (NCPKC), a body that oversaw regional planning for the Washington, D.C., area. Grant's term as commission chairman (1942-1949) was a natural culmination of his previous involvement in positions involving engineering and planning: as Director of Public Buildings and Grounds in the late 1920s and early 1930s, he had been responsible for

building or maintaining government buildings, monuments and parks in the Washington area, and his collateral duties had included serving as executive officer of the Rock Creek and Potomac Parkway Commission, the Lincoln Memorial Commission, the Arlington Memorial Bridge Commission and the NCPPC itself.

After the war, in 1946, Grant retired from the Army with the rank of Major General, to which he had been promoted in 1943, and in retirement became even more active in organizations and causes that reflected his interests.

The chief focus of his historical interest continued to be his grandfather, President Grant, and the Civil War era, subjects about which he wrote and spoke frequently throughout his life. He was named chairman of the Civil War Centennial Commission (1957-1961), and shortly before his death he completed a biography of his grandfather, *Ulysses S. Grant, Warrior and Statesman*, published in 1969. His admiration for his grandfather was reflected even in his signature, which faithfully replicated that of the former President.

Grant's interest in historic preservation led to his appointment as the first president of the National Council for Historic Sites and Buildings in 1947. This body, a precursor to the National Trust for Historic Preservation, was later merged into the National Trust, of which Grant was vice-chairman from 1950 until 1954. He was also on the board of the Woodlawn Foundation, created to preserve colonial-era Woodlawn Plantation in Virginia.

An advocate for parks and unspoiled natural areas, Grant was an active conservationist. In the 1950s he helped lead the fight to protect Dinosaur National Monument from incursion by man-made reservoirs. This battle against a proposed dam at Echo Park stretched over several years, during which Grant spoke against construction of the dam, wrote against it, and used several of his organizational hats to bring additional resources to the battle. One such hat was his membership on the Advisory Board on National Parks, Historic Sites, Buildings and Monuments, set up in 1935 to advise the National Park Service.

Parks, historic preservation and conservation were all strands informing Grant's views on city and regional planning. In addition to serving as chairman of the National Capital Park and Planning Commission during much of the 1940s, he was for many years president of the Washington-based American Planning and Civic Association (APCA), a national organization devoted to promoting civic action and progressive ideas on city planning. Grant was personally active in the 1950s and 1960s in efforts to protect parkland and historic sites from highway construction, especially in the Washington area, where sites such as Theodore Roosevelt Island and Rock Creek Park were threatened. Sometimes, however, historic preservation took a back seat to urban renewal and slum clearance, as when the NCPPC approved demolition in the 1950s of most of Southwest Washington, D.C., for a massive urban renewal project (about which, unfortunately, this collection has only a single sliver of material)

The city of Washington, D.C.—its history, planning and government—long interested Grant, and was the subject of many of his speeches and writings. As president of the Columbia Historical Society (now the Historical Society of Washington, D.C.) from 1952 until his

death in 1968, he was instrumental in preserving and promoting interest in local history. Many of his “causes” were local, too: local transportation issues, local parks, and preservation of local historic sites.

Grant’s range of organizational ties was wide indeed. When he was Director of Public Buildings and Grounds, Grant helped create a precursor of what became Government Services, Inc. (GSI), to provide government employees with cafeterias and recreational facilities, and for decades afterward he remained actively involved with GSI in various capacities as president, chairman and trustee. For four years, from 1947 to 1951, he was vice-president of The George Washington University, one of Washington’s major educational institutions. Many other affiliations with committees, commissions, societies and patriotic organizations are also represented in the contents of this collection.

Perhaps the common thread linking these varied activities and organizational ties was Grant’s commitment to public service. Once, in turning down a request that he join a committee, he replied regretfully that he never wanted to be just a name on a letterhead if he lacked the time to actively contribute. That he was able to wear so many hats simultaneously and successfully suggests not only his enormous energy, discipline and range of interests, but also perhaps his difficulty in turning down opportunities to be useful.

Grant’s wife Edith died in 1962 after several years of poor health. Gen. Grant died a few years later, at their home in Clinton, N.Y., on August 29, 1968. His obituary in *The Washington Post* described him as a city planner who was “one of the men most responsible for the physical development of modern Washington.”¹

Scope and content: The collection includes material related to the Grant family; Grant’s articles, speeches and correspondence; papers connected with organizations in which Grant was active; and topical reference files. The earliest item in the collection dates from the 1860s, but there are scant items from the nineteenth century, and most material dates from the 1920s to the 1960s.

The collection is arranged in five series:

SERIES I: GRANT FAMILY contains material relating to members of the Grant family: Grant, 3rd, his sister Julia Grant Cantacuzène and their grandfather, President Ulysses S. Grant. It includes memorabilia, a scrapbook, press clippings, an incomplete set of the newsletter published by the Ulysses S. Grant Association (1962-1973), material about Jefferson Barracks Historical Park (site of President Grant’s first military posting) and Galena, Illinois, his home before and just after the Civil War, and other miscellaneous items.

SERIES II: SPEECHES, ARTICLES, ETC., contains a bound volume of speeches made by Grant in 1924, a bound volume of periodicals containing articles by Grant (1927-1932), and numerous individual speeches, newspaper and magazine articles, other writings, and radio broadcasts, arranged by topic and, within each topic, chronologically. Topics include city planning; civil engineering; Echo Park Dam; The George Washington University; historic

¹ *Washington Post*, 30 August 1968, p. B8.

preservation; George Washington; Grant, Lincoln and the Civil War; World War I and the Versailles Peace Conference; miscellaneous historical topics; patriotic, civic and political topics; Washington, D.C., city planning; Washington, D.C., government and history; *World Affairs* magazine contributions; World War II civilian defense; the Engineer Replacement Training Center at Fort Leonard Wood; and miscellaneous topics. The most extensive files are those concerning Grant, Lincoln and the Civil War, and Washington, D.C., city planning.

SERIES III: CORRESPONDENCE contains general correspondence not associated with any specific organizations in which Grant was active (for which, see the following series). It includes letters written to Grant and carbon copies of some of Grant's outgoing correspondence. Three sub-series contain correspondence on specific topics: District of Columbia government and home rule; Washington, D.C., highway issues; and letters from notable figures—a small collection of letters from presidents, governors, military men, and other notable public figures.

SERIES IV: ORGANIZATIONAL FILES contains correspondence and other material relating to organizations in which Grant was active. The most extensive files are listed first, alphabetically. They are: the Advisory Board on National Parks, Historic Sites, Buildings and Monuments; the American Planning and Civic Association; The George Washington University; Government Services, Inc.; the National Capital Park and Planning Commission; the National Council on Historic Sites and Buildings and its allied organization, the National Trust for Historic Preservation; the U.S. Army, First Army maneuvers (1939); and Woodlawn Plantation. A final sub-series is devoted to organizations represented by smaller files (three folders or fewer), arranged alphabetically. They span the wide gamut of Grant's interests and affiliations, ranging from historic preservation, Civil War history and city planning to military fraternal organizations, civic groups and church committees.

SERIES V: REFERENCE FILES contains background or reference material on several broad topics of interest to Grant: conservation, city and regional planning, transportation and Washington, D.C. The last contains material on Washington's built environment, local government and local highway issues.

Donor: Estate of Ulysses S. Grant, 3rd, 1968.004.

Size: 8.78 cubic feet (19 containers, 1 oversize folder)

Restrictions: None.

Related materials: Although the collection covers many facets of Grant's career and activities, it nonetheless represents an incomplete picture. Considerable additional material is in a collection of Grant family papers held by Morris Library at Southern Illinois University Carbondale, the institutional home of the U.S. Grant Association. The Morris Library collection contains material on President Grant and Grant family manuscripts, as well as a collection of papers of Grant, 3rd, that focus chiefly on his military career, his speeches and writings, and some of his organizational activities. Most notably, Grant's long military career is documented in the Morris Library collection, which also includes papers relating to some

of the national organizations in which Grant was active, such as the Civil War Centennial Commission (which Grant chaired, 1957-1961), the Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States, the Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, and the American Coalition of Patriotic Societies. The two collections are thus complementary in their coverage. (An inventory of the Morris Library collection is attached as an appendix to this finding aid)

Material relating to the Columbia Historical Society, of which Grant was president from 1952 to 1968, is largely absent from this collection, which contains only one folder of correspondence. Additional material may be found in the institutional archives of the Historical Society of Washington, D.C.

For further biographical information see: Rubincam, Milton. "Major General U. S. Grant, 3rd, 1881-1968." *Records of the Columbia Historical Society of Washington, D.C.*, 1966-1968, pp. 369-408.

Container List

Container 1

SERIES I: GRANT FAMILY

Sub-series A: U. S. Grant, 3rd

Folder 1: Memorabilia, 1919-1965 (scattered dates). A small collection of items related to awards received and events attended, and two booklets on West Point graduates, one being the 35th reunion booklet for the Class of 1903.

Folder 2: Scrapbook, June 1942-June 1944 (Photocopy) Chiefly newspaper clippings concerning his public activities as chief of the Protection Branch, Office of Civilian Defense, and as chairman of the National Capital Park and Planning Commission.

Folder 3: Press clippings, 1944, 1948-1967.

Folder 4: Wood block signature stamp, 1958.

Sub-series B: President U. S. Grant

Folder 5: Memorabilia, 1860s-1960s (scattered dates). Includes a photograph of General Grant (ca. 1860s); a diplomatic commission he signed as President in 1871; a printed invitation to a celebration of his birthday on April 27, 1885; a mourning ribbon marking his death, July 23, 1885; a booklet, *Recollections of General Grant*, by George W. Childs (1890); and a photostat of a letter written by his son, Gen. Frederick Dent Grant, in reply to a query on the placement of his father's memorial (1907)

Folder 6: Press clippings, 1936-1962 and undated (scattered dates).

Folder 7: Galena, Illinois, and President Grant's home, 1940-1961 and undated. Contains material about the city and the historic home in which Grant lived after the Civil War and again following his presidency. Includes press clippings, brochures, postcards and correspondence with the Galena Historical Museum.

Folder 8: Jefferson Barracks Historical Park, 1949-1950. Jefferson Barracks was Grant's first military posting after graduating from West Point. Includes a document prepared by the St. Louis County Planning Commission, requesting transfer of the land for use as a park and historical monument; a newspaper account of the dedication ceremony (October 1, 1950), at which U.S. Grant, 3rd, spoke; a program of the dedication ceremony; maps; and photos.

Folder 9: Ulysses S. Grant Association, newsletter, 1962-1969. The association was organized to publish President Grant's collected works. Grant, 3rd, was a director at the time of his death in 1968. Contains issues of the association's quarterly newsletter: vol. 1, no. 2 (January 1964)-vol. 7, no. 1 (October 1969). Some issues are missing.

Folder 10: Ulysses S. Grant Association, newsletter, 1970-1973. Vol. 7, no. 2 (January 1970)-vol. 10, no. 4 (July 1973). Vol. 10, no. 1, is missing. The final issue contains a cumulative index.

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Sub-series C: Julia Grant Cantacuzène

Folder 11: Correspondence, 1920-1956 (scattered dates). A small collection of letters, postcards and telegrams, many addressed to Mrs. Walter Tuckerman, a friend and collaborator on Russian relief efforts in the 1920s, and several to Julia Grant Cantacuzène's brother, U. S. Grant, 3rd (1954-1956)

Folder 12: Press clippings, 1920-1966 and undated.

Folder 13: Calling cards, 1930-1942 and undated.

Folder 14: Political leaflets, 1920s-1930s and undated. Leaflets prepared and distributed by Julia Grant Cantacuzène and Mrs. Lowell Fletcher Hobart, dealing with national defense and domestic political issues.

Folder 15: League of Republican Women of the District of Columbia, event programs and announcements, 1936-1941.

Sub-series D: Genealogical notes

Folder 16: Genealogical and biographical notes, 1947?-1966 and undated.

SERIES II: SPEECHES, ARTICLES, ETC.

Folder 17: Speeches, 1924 (Bound volume)

Contents: "The Interest of the United States Government in Navigation in the Sacramento River and Relation of Same to Irrigation Development," Sacramento River Problems Conference, January 25, 1924; "Importance of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Rivers to San Francisco," Lions Club, January 29, 1924; "President Lincoln," Ebell Club, Oakland, California, February 12, 1924; "Address ... at the Celebration of the Birthdays of Abraham Lincoln and George Washington," Lincoln Post No. 1, G.A.R., and Lincoln Corps No. 3, W.R.C., San Francisco, California, February 14, 1924.

Folder 18: Miscellaneous official papers, Washington, D.C., 1927-1932 (Bound volume)

Bound volume of periodicals containing articles by Grant, most of them concerning Washington, D.C., especially city planning, and an official 1929 Presidential inaugural program. Contents: "Lighting Uncle Sam's Business," in *Light* (January 1927, p. 5ff.); "Present Problems of the Federal City," in *Journal of the American Institute of Architects* (December 1927, p. 371ff.); "Commerce and the Capital Plan," in *Industrial Exposition, Washington Chamber of Commerce*, (March 1927, p. 11ff.); "The Place of Industry in the Capital," in *Washington's Fourth Annual Industrial Exposition* (March 1928, p. 9ff.); "Importance of Federal Industries," in *Greater Washington* (November 1929, p. 15); "Providing for Industry in the City Plan," in *Greater Washington* (November 1930, p. 11ff.); "A Place for Proper Industries in the Capital Plan," in *Greater Washington* (Industrial Exposition Number, 1931, p. 10ff.); *Official Program, Inaugural Ceremonies, Washington, D.C., March 4, 1929*, containing a greeting from Grant in his capacity as chairman of the Inaugural Committee; "Harmonious Development of the National Capital," in *Proceedings of the Sixty-second Annual Convention of the American Institute of Architects* (1929, p. 11-17); *Proceedings of the Sixty-third Annual Convention of the American Institute of Architects* (1930), which contains no article by Grant, though he is mentioned on occasion and was in attendance; "The 200th Anniversary of the Birth of George Washington," article distributed by the American Educational Association (1930?); "A Regional Plan for the Nation's Capital," in *The American City* (February 1930, p. 166-168); "Beautiful Washington of the Future [pt. 1]," in *The Nation's Capital Magazine* (November 1930, p. 11-14; "Beautiful Washington of the Future [pt. 2]," in *The Nation's Capital Magazine* (December 1930, p. 5ff.); "Washington, A Treasury of Opportunities," in *The American Magazine of Art* (May 1931, p. 365-368); "The Plan for the National Capital," in *The League of Republican Women Magazine, District of Columbia* (February 1932, p. 7ff.)

Folder 19: Speeches, articles, etc., on city and regional planning, 1929-1955 and undated.

Contents: "Regional Planning," League of Virginia Municipalities, Alexandria, Virginia, October 15, 1929; "Park Management of Airports" Municipal Airport Conference of American Road Builders Association, Washington, D.C., October 24, 1929; "City and Regional Planning: The Art of Applying the Science of Engineering to Modern Civilization," ca. 1929; "A Doctrine for City Planning," book review of *The City of Tomorrow and Its Planning* by LeCorbusier, 1930; "Citizen Education and Support for Community Development," Bergen County Planning Seminar, Hackensack, New Jersey, January 18, 1951; "To Help the Continuing Prosperity of Our Rural Communities," article in *Traffic Quarterly* magazine, October 1951; "Problems of Large Metropolitan Regions," Greater Philadelphia-Delaware-South Jersey Council, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, October 16, 1953; "We Must Plan Our Cities," article in *American Engineer* magazine, September 1955; and "Chapter V: Zoning and Land Use," portion of unknown work (undated)

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Folder 20: Speeches, articles, etc., on civil engineering, 1921-1941.

Contents: "The United States and the Sacramento River," Chico Irrigation Conference, June 11, 1921; "Federal Control of Hydraulic Mining in California," April 20 and June 13, 1923; "Dam Across Suisun Bay," Commonwealth Club, Section on Irrigation, San Francisco, California, October 2, 1923; "Some Problems of the Sacramento River," River Committee, Sacramento Chamber of Commerce, November 20, 1923; "Importance of the Sacramento and San Joaquin Rivers to San Francisco," Lions Club, January 29, 1924; "The Reconstruction of the White House Roof," American Society of Civil Engineers, April 26, 1928; "The Part the Engineer Can and Should Play in the Community," Engineers' Club, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, January 28, 1936; "The Engineers' Part in War," Cleveland Engineering Society, June 20, 1940; "The Engineer's Part in the National Defense Program," Cleveland Chapter, American Society of Civil Engineers, January 6, 1941.

Folder 21: Speeches, articles, etc., on Echo Park Dam, 1950-1951.

Contents: "The Dinosaur Dams Are Not Needed," article reprinted from *The Living Wilderness* magazine, Autumn 1950; "Let's Not Liquidate Dinosaur National Monument," article from *Planning and Civic Comment* magazine, September 1950; "Supplementary Report by General Grant on the Dinosaur Controversy," article from *Planning and Civic Comment* magazine, September 1951.

Folder 22: Speeches, articles, etc., on The George Washington University, 1947-1951.

Contents: Several addresses and statements about The George Washington University Hospital equipment fund campaign, 1947; "George Washington University, a Realization of George Washington's Project," The George Washington Alumni Association Dinner, Boston, Massachusetts, February 15, 1947; and "A University Builds in the Nation's Capital," article in *The American City* magazine, December 1951.

Folder 23: Speeches, articles, etc., on historic preservation, 1949-1951.

Contents: Speech at Gadsby's Tavern commemorating the 200th anniversary of Alexandria, Virginia, November 11, 1949; "Remove Not the Ancient Landmarks," article in *American Heritage* magazine, Winter 1950; "Jefferson Barracks Historical Park Dedication," October 1, 1950; "Why We Should Preserve Our Historic Sites," article written for *Chicago Schools Journal*, 1951; and several speeches describing the work of the National Council for Historic Sites and Buildings and the National Trust for Historic Preservation, 1951.

Folder 24: Speeches, articles, etc., on history: George Washington, 1921-1951.

Contents: Notes for a speech, American Legion, Berkeley, California, February 22, 1921; an article "to be published in Wash. Folder, Am. Educational Assoc.," November 17, 1930; "George Washington, Engineer," March 16, 1931; "George Washington Was an Engineer," Society of American Military Engineers, Fort Belvoir, Virginia, November 13, 1951.

Folder 25: Speeches, articles, etc., on history: Grant, Lincoln and the Civil War, 1923-1950.

Contents: Lincoln's Day address, The Ebell Society, Oakland, California, February 12, 1923; notes for an address on U. S. Grant, Sacramento Lions Club, April 26, 1923; address celebrating the birthdays of Abraham Lincoln and George Washington, Lincoln Post No. 1, G.A.R., and Lincoln Corps No. 3, W.R.C., San Francisco, California, February 14, 1924; notes for an address, G.A.R. Assembly, Sacramento, California, May 19, 1925; "Address at Dedication of General Grant's Birthplace at Point Pleasant, Ohio," October 29, 1927; "Radio Address from Lincoln Museum," Washington, D.C., February 12, 1932; "General Grant," article written for *Midwest Antiquarian* magazine, Spring 1937; "General Grant, Pater Familias," Cleveland, Ohio, February 9, 1941; address on General Grant, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, Wilmington, Delaware, April 10, 1948; address on General Grant, Mount McGregor, New York, May 1, 1949; address at Grant Birthday Ceremonies, Georgetown, Ohio, April 30, 1950; "Lincoln's Gettysburg Address," Washington, D.C., November 19, 1950.

Folder 26: Speeches, articles, etc., on history: Grant, Lincoln and the Civil War, 1953-1957.

Contents: "General Ulysses S. Grant: A Close-up," address to the Civil War Round Table of the District of Columbia, January 13, 1953, and published in *Military Affairs* magazine, Summer 1953; review of the book *Destruction and Reconstruction*, by Richard Taylor, Lieutenant-General in the Confederate Army, 1955?; "Civil War History, Fact and Fiction, and Its Importance Today," address to the Civil War Round Table of New York City, January 24, 1956, and published in *Civil War History* quarterly, June, 1956; address on the military strategy of the Civil War, Civil War Round Table of the District of Columbia, January 8, 1957.

Folder 27: Speeches, articles, etc., on history: Grant, Lincoln and the Civil War, 1958-1959.

Contents: address on the Civil War, Virginia Heritage Dinner, February 25, 1958; "The Strategy of the Civil War," March 8, 1958; "Military Strategy of the Civil War," published in *Military Affairs* magazine, Spring 1958, originally an address to the Civil War Round Table of the District of Columbia, January 8, 1957 (see Folder 22); "The Strategy of the Civil War," Civil War Round Table, Kansas City, Missouri, November 25, 1958; address on General Grant's life and Civil War battles in and around Missouri, Civil War Round Table, St. Louis, Missouri, February 10, 1959; address to the General John H. Forney Historical Society, Vicksburg, Mississippi, March 13, 1959; introduction to the book, *Gallant Pelham*, by Charles G. Milham, ca. 1959.

Folder 28: Speeches, articles, etc., on history: Grant, Lincoln and the Civil War, 1960.

Contents: "The Civil War Was Won in the West," Mississippi Historical Society, March 4, 1960; address to the Third National Assembly of the Civil War Centennial Commission, St. Louis, Missouri, May 5, 1960; address on contributions to international law during the Civil War, Civil War Round Table and Historic Fredericksburg Inc., Fredericksburg, Virginia, June 17, 1960; foreword to the book *They Fought for the Union*, by Francis A. Lord, August 14, 1960; "The Centennial of the Civil War," The New York Historical Society, Oswego, New York, September 7, 1960; "The Civil War Was Won in the West," Iowa Civil War Centennial Commission, Des Moines, Iowa, September 23, 1960.

Folder 29: Speeches, articles, etc., on history: Grant, Lincoln and the Civil War, 1961.

Contents: "General Grant's Tomb," New York City, January 8, 1961; "The Meaning of the Civil War," Marquette University, January 13, 1961; address on Lincoln Night, Union League, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, February 14, 1961; "General Grant and the People of the South," Pensacola Civil War Round Table, March 28, 1961; address commemorating the centennial of the Civil War, Boy Scout Pilgrimage, Galena, Illinois, April 29, 1961; introductory portion of speech to the Butler County Historical Society, El Dorado, Kansas, June 14, 1961; address commemorating the centennial of the Civil War, Atlanta Civil War Round Table, June 15, 1961; "The Centennial of the Civil War," 1961?

Folder 30: Speeches, articles, etc., on history: Grant, Lincoln and the Civil War, 1962-1967 and undated.

Contents: foreword to an unidentified book by Edwin Bearss (perhaps *Rebel Victory at Vicksburg*), January 14, 1962; "Grant and Lincoln: Together They Reunited Our Country," written for *Bugle Call*, February-March 1963; "Lincoln and Grant: A Unique Friendship," March 31, 1963; address on Civil War events leading to the invasion of Pennsylvania, Rose Hill Seminar on the Cumberland Valley of Pennsylvania in the 1860's, June 8, 1963; "Captain Grant Resigns His Commission," January 17, 1964; "S. S. President Grant," Pascagoula, Mississippi, March 4, 1967; "Lincoln, Commander-in-Chief," undated.

Folder 31: Speeches, articles, etc., on history: World War I and the Versailles Peace Conference, 1922-1937.

Contents: "The Supreme War Council and Unity of Command in the World War," Society of American Military Engineers, San Francisco Post, San Francisco, California, December 6, 1922; Armistice Day address, American Legion and Chamber of Commerce, Modesto, California, November 12, 1923; "America at the Peace Conference," Men's Club of Burlingame, California, May 8, 1924; address to Daylight Post, American Legion, April 19, 1923; address to Rialto Post, American Legion, November 11, 1924; "The Part of Engineers in the World War," notes for a speech "to Assn. of Boston Tech.[?] Graduates, S.F., at Engrs' Club luncheon," January 27, 1925; "Let Us Have Peace," American Legion Post, Yonkers, New York, December 7, 1937.

Folder 32: Speeches, articles, etc., on history: Miscellaneous topics, 1923-1951.

Contents: "The Army in the War of 1812," Society of the Daughters of the War of 1812, November 1, 1923; "Address at Pulaski Sesquicentennial," Detroit, Michigan, October 6, 1929; "Centennial of Laying Corner Stone of the Washington Monument," Washington, D.C., July 3, 1948; "Unveiling Tablet to Chief Justice Stone," Columbia Historical Society, November 22, 1948; "Dedication of Utah Stone at Washington Monument," Washington, D.C., January 4, 1951.

Folder 33: Speeches, articles, etc., on patriotic, civic and political themes, 1929-1942.

Contents: Memorial Day radio address, Washington, D.C., May 26, 1929; address at Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, November 19, 1933; summary of speech given at the annual meeting of the D.C. Society of Founders and Patriots of America, Washington, D.C., April 10, 1935; "National Defense," Reserve Officers Association, Schenectady, New York, February 21, 1938; address to Americanism County Conference, Hudson County, New Jersey, held at Jersey City, February 24, 1939; address at Memorial Day exercises, Boston, Massachusetts, May 29, 1939; address at Memorial Day exercises, Cleveland, Ohio, May 30, 1940; Flag Day radio broadcast, Cleveland, Ohio, June 13, 1940; remarks at the dedication of the Court of Flags, Cleveland, Ohio, July 25, 1942.

Folder 34: Speeches, articles, etc., on patriotic, civic and political themes, 1947-1964.

Contents: "What Is Americanism?," American Legion, Atlanta Post No. 1, March 28, 1947; address to D.C. Society of Founders and Patriots of America, Washington, D.C., June 11, 1947; address dedicating a plaque for fraternity brothers who lost their lives in World War II, Delta Phi Fraternity, The Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, Maryland, January 10, 1948; address to Sons of the American Revolution, D.C. Chapter, Washington, D.C., November 16, 1949; Flag Day address at the home of Governor Moses Wisner, Pontiac, Michigan, June 14, 1950; address to Sons of the American Revolution, Wilmington, Delaware, December 7, 1950; Memorial Day address, Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, May 30, 1951; address to Lincoln GAR Dinner, Trenton, New Jersey, February 13, 1953; address to V.F.W. Auxiliary, Dallas, Texas, August 14, 1956; address at Constitution Day ceremony, Sons of the American Revolution, New York City, September 17, 1957; "The Constitution Today," Sons of the American Revolution, Constitution Day Banquet, Cincinnati, Ohio, September 16, 1960;

address, Middletown High Twelve Club, Cincinnati, Ohio, November 19, 1963; address (not delivered), New York Society of Founders and Patriots, May 15, 1964.

Folder 35: Speeches, articles, etc., on Washington, D.C., city planning, 1928.

Contents: "The Development of the Plan of Washington," National Conference on City Planning, May 10, 1928; "City and Regional Planning in the District of Columbia," Ohio State Conference on City Planning, Cincinnati, Ohio, October 18-19, 1928.

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Folder 36: Speeches, articles, etc., on Washington, D.C., city planning, 1929.

Contents: "The L'Enfant Plan and Its Evolution," Columbia Historical Society, January 15, 1929; "A New Washington, or, Rebuilding the Capital City," March 6, 1929; "Harmonious Development of the National Capital," American Institute of Architects, April 23, 1929; "Washington Looks Ahead," written for the annual report of the American Civic Association, May 11, 1929; "Original Plans to Develop National Capital Provided Broad Avenues and System of Parks," article in *The United States Daily*, August 12, 1929; "Commission Established to Direct Development of Road and Park System of National Capital," article in *The United States Daily*, August 13, 1929; "States Adjacent to National Capital Cooperate in Extension of Park and Highway Systems," article in *The United States Daily*, August 14, 1929; "The Plan of Washington," August 31, 1929; address to Back-to-District Association, September 11, 1929; "Replanning Old Cities, with Special Reference to the City of Washington," International Housing Conference, September 1929; "Washington Has a City Plan," December 5, 1929.

Folder 37: Speeches, articles, etc., on Washington, D.C., city planning, 1930-1931.

Contents: "The National Capital to Express the Soul of America," January 13, 1930; "The Plan for the National Capital and Environs," American Society of Landscape Architects, American Civic Association's Regional Planning Committee, etc., Washington, D.C., January 17, 1930; draft of article on public building and parkway projects in Washington, D.C., February 13, 1930; "The Importance of a Proper Development of the National Capital," Society of Industrial Engineers, Washington, D.C., October 16, 1930; "The Plan of the National Capital," American Society of Civil Engineers, January 22, 1931; "More Proof that City Planning Pays: The Development of L'Enfant's Plan for Washington, D.C.," article reprinted from *Civil Engineering* magazine, March 1931; "Lt.-Col. U. S. Grant, 3d, Director of Public Buildings and Public Parks, Writes of the Federal Building Program for Readers of the News," article in *The St. Albans News*, May 1, 1931; "The Park System of the National Capital," July 25, 1931; "The Parks of the National Capital," article written for *Garden Club Bulletin*, August 6, 1931.

Folder 38: Speeches, articles, etc., on Washington, D.C., city planning, 1932-1930s.

Contents: "The Park System," prepared as a book chapter, January 25, 1932; "The New Washington," draft of a radio address, February 18, 1932; "Automobile Parking Problems in Washington, D.C.," article for Federal Bar Association, February 29, 1932; article on the value of Washington's public parks, written for the real estate section of *The Washington Times-Herald*, September 26, 1932; "The New City of Washington," article in *Review of Reviews and World's Work* magazine, November 1932; radio address on alley dwellings, December 19, 1932; "The George Washington Memorial Parkway," article written for *The Evening Star* newspaper, March 5, 1932; "Inhabited Alleys, a Municipal Extravagance: Their Elimination Will Stimulate Employment and Rehabilitate Blighted Areas," May 15, 1933; draft of article on alley dwellings, 1930s.

Folder 39: Speeches, articles, etc., on Washington, D.C., city planning, 1944-1948.

Contents: "The L'Enfant Plan and Its Evolution," Joint Committee of Professional Societies on the National Capital, February 18, 1944; "Capital Bloomed under Roosevelt," article in *The Sunday Star*, April 22, 1945; radio interview on reconstruction plans for the 14th Street Bridge, station WOL, January 13, 1946; "What Washington Did for Washington," Virginia Society, February 22, 1946; "Housing Emergency in Washington," press statement, April 4, 1946; "George Washington Planned a Capital and a University," George Washington University Alumni Association Dinner, Chicago, Illinois, December 10, 1946; address on Washington, D.C., planning, Sulgrave Club, February 13, 1947; "Fort Drive," radio broadcast over station WOL, February 23, 1947; "Gen. Grant Urges Home Owners to Fight Improper Zoning Pleas," article in *The Evening Star*, October 8, 1947; "Planning the Nation's Capital," article written for *Confidential from Washington*, a newsletter of The George Washington University, typescript dated October 30, 1947, a later typescript version dated January 27, 1948, and the published article, March 1948; radio broadcast of an address to the Columbia Historical Society on Washington, D.C., city planning, April 12, 1948; "Segregation in Washington ... Comments of U. S. Grant, 3rd, Chairman, National Capital Park and Planning Commission," responding to a report that charged the NCPPC with failing to address the problem of housing segregation in the city, December 17, 1948.

Folder 40: Speeches, articles, etc., on Washington, D.C., city planning, 1949-1950s and undated.

Contents: "Comprehensive Plan for the National Capital and Environs," Joint Committee on the National Capital, Washington, D.C., January 27, 1949; "Comprehensive Plan for the National Capital Region," published version of the January 27, 1949, address, reprinted from *Planning and Civic Comment* magazine, January, 1949; address on Washington, D.C., planning issues, American Society of Civil Engineers, Board of Directors Luncheon, Washington, D.C., November 1, 1949; "Planning the National Capital: General Objectives and Problems of Attainment," American Society of Civil Engineers, Washington, D.C., November 2, 1949 (see also published version below, dated 1952); "Our Capital Begins Life Anew at the Age of 150 Years," typescript of article written for the *Washington Star*, January 1, 1950; "The L'Enfant Plan," script for a radio broadcast featuring Grant, Verner W. Clapp (chief assistant Librarian of Congress) and Dr. Arch C. Gerlach (chief, Map Division, Library of Congress), ca. 1949; "Washington in the Aftermath of War," 1940s; "District's

Planning Traced,” article in *The Sunday Star*, January 1, 1950; “Planning the National Capital: Objectives and Problems of Attainment,” published version of November 2, 1949, address (see above), reprinted from *Transactions*, American Society of Civil Engineers, 1952; “Washington, D.C., 1905 and After,” 1950s?; “Notes on Washington,” incomplete typescript draft, undated.

Folder 41: Speeches, articles, etc., on Washington, D.C., government and history, 1928-1958.

Contents: “The White House,” typescript of an article written for the *Boston Evening Transcript*, with cover letter dated May 21, 1928; “Territorial Government of Washington,” Women’s City Club, February 23, 1929; “Governmental Jurisdictions in the National Capital,” article written for *Civic Annual*, April 14, 1930; “President Monroe and the Nation’s Capital,” Washington, D.C., November 26, 1954; “Washington, Past and Future,” Purchasing Agents’ Association, April 15, 1958.

Folder 42: Speeches, articles, etc.: *World Affairs* magazine contributions, 1944-1957.

Includes typescripts of book reviews and editor’s forewords written for *World Affairs*, a magazine published by the American Peace Society.

Folder 43: Speeches, articles, etc., on World War II: Civilian defense, 1942.

Grant served as chief of the Protection Branch, Office of Civilian Defense, from 1942 to 1944. Contents: Radio address over station WTAM, Cleveland, Ohio, July 26, 1942; address to the National Convention, Veterans of Foreign Wars, Cincinnati, Ohio, August 31, 1942; notes for an address to the Michigan Municipal League, Detroit, Michigan, October 1, 1942; notes for an address to the United Veterans, Utica, New York, October 4, 1942; notes for an address to the International Association of City Managers, October 13, 1942; address on the subject of organization, plans and procedures for emergency public works, American Public Works Association, Cleveland, Ohio, October 21, 1942; address to the Annual Conference of the American Legion Department Commanders and Department Adjutants, Indianapolis, Indiana, November 16, 1942; notes for an address to the Missouri Chapter, American Society of Civil Engineers, Jefferson City, Missouri, December 19, 1942; radio broadcast, Atlantic Coast Network, 1942?

Folder 44: Speeches, articles, etc., on World War II: Civilian defense, 1943-1948.

Contents: Address to the Civilian Protection Division, Seattle, Washington, March 4, 1943; notes for a radio interview, San Francisco, California, April 1, 1943; radio broadcast, “Keep the Home Fires Burning,” on station WTOP, April 14, 1943; “Fire Protection Activities of the U.S. Office of Civilian Defense,” May 11, 1943; radio address from Middletown, Ohio, broadcast on station WLW, Cincinnati, May 16, 1943; radio address on the Blue Network program “Labor for Victory,” August 1, 1943; “WERS Calling,” article on the War Emergency Radio Service, *Scientific American*, July, 1943; “Facility Security Program, Office of Civilian Defense,” Emergency Advisory Committee for Political Defense,

Washington, D.C., August 4, 1943; "Plant Protection," article in *Mill & Factory* magazine, August 1943; "Fire Prevention and Protection in Industry," Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce, October 4, 1943; address to the Conference of State Directors of Civilian Defense, St. Louis, Missouri, December 14, 1943; talk to members of the Protection Branch, Office of Civilian Defense, December 20, 1943; radio broadcast on the CBS program "Broadway Matinee," February 1, 1944; address to the American Legion, National Defense Committee, Washington, D.C., February 2, 1944; address on war production and civilian cooperation, 23rd Annual Massachusetts Safety Conference, Boston, Massachusetts, April 24, 1944; "The Problem of Civil Defense Today," D.C. Society of American Military Engineers, Washington, D.C., June 28, 1948.

Folder 45: Speeches, articles, etc., on World War II: Engineer Replacement Training Center, 1941-1942.

Grant served as commander of the Engineer Replacement Training Center at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, from 1941 to 1942. Contents: American Legion radio broadcast, May 26, 1941; address, Sweet Springs, Missouri, July 4, 1941; radio address on the KMOX program "News for Women," St. Louis, Missouri, December 11, 1941; notes for an address to the Laclede Chapter, Missouri Red Cross, Lebanon, Missouri, May 18, 1942; notes for an address to the Seventh Corps Area Librarians, Fort Leonard Wood, June 4, 1942.

Folder 46: Speeches, articles, etc.: Miscellaneous topics, 1933-1955 and undated.

Contents: Radio talk on the Community Chest fund drive, November 9, 1933; radio address on educational programs in the military, CBS, January 16, 1937; foreword to the book *Modern Camouflage, the New Science of Protective Concealment*, by Major Breckenridge, typescript dated August 12, 1942; statement on Rock Creek Day, May 15, 1955; notes for an address on citizens associations, Dupont Circle Citizens Association, undated.

SERIES III: CORRESPONDENCE

This series contains correspondence that is not associated with specific organizations in which Grant was active. Such organizational correspondence is found in Series IV: Organizational files.

Sub-series A: General correspondence

Folder 47: General correspondence, 1923-1939.

Folder 48: General correspondence, 1940-1943. Includes letters congratulating Grant on his promotion to Brigadier General (1940) and to Major General (1943); letters of congratulation on his appointment as chairman of the National Capital Park and Planning Commission (1942); and letters of appreciation written when he departed from the Engineer Replacement Training Center, Fort Leonard Wood (1942)

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Folder 49: General correspondence, 1944-1948. Includes letters of appreciation written upon Grant's departure as chief of the Protection Branch, Office of Civilian Defense (1944)

Folder 50: General correspondence, 1949-1951. Includes correspondence urging Grant's reappointment as chairman of the National Capital Park and Planning Commission (1949)

Folder 51: General correspondence, 1952-1955.

Folder 52: General correspondence, 1956-1957.

Folder 53: General correspondence, 1958-1967 and undated. Includes correspondence about plans for a reflecting pool surrounding the Grant Memorial on the National Mall (1965). Enclosed with a letter of July 9, 1959, is a small caricature of Abraham Lincoln (tempura on cardboard), which Grant purchased, accompanied by a letter offering it for sale.

Sub-series B: Correspondence on District of Columbia government and home rule

Folder 54: Correspondence on District of Columbia government and home rule, 1935-1954.

Sub-series C: Correspondence on Washington, D.C., highway issues

Contains correspondence relating to Grant's activities in opposing the construction of a Potomac River bridge at Theodore Roosevelt Island in the 1950's, an extension of U.S. Route 240 that would encroach on Rock Creek Park, a highway through Glover-Archbold Park, and a parkway along the C&O Canal.

Folder 55: Correspondence on Washington, D.C., highway issues, 1948-1953.

Folder 56: Correspondence on Washington, D.C., highway issues, 1954-1956.

Folder 57: Correspondence on Washington, D.C., highway issues, 1957-1963 and undated.

Sub-series D: Correspondence from notable figures

Folder 58: Correspondence from notable figures, 1906-1965 (scattered dates). This small collection of letters, selected by Grant, contains signed letters from notable military and public figures: Gen. J. Franklin Bell (written from Havana, Cuba, in 1906, to Grant's father), President Calvin Coolidge (1926), Newton D. Baker (1928), Grace Coolidge (1929), President and Mrs. Herbert Hoover (Christmas card, 1932), President Hoover (1933), Gen. Robert C. Richardson, Jr. (1940), Frederic A. Delano (1942), Gen. H. A. Drum (1942), John

W. Bricker, governor of Ohio (1943), Gen. George Marshall (1943), Harold L. Ickes (1944), Edward Martin, governor of Pennsylvania (1944), Charles G. Dawes (1945), J. Edgar Hoover (1945), President Harry Truman (1946), President Dwight Eisenhower (1959), Vice-President Richard Nixon (1960), Representative William M. Tuck, 5th District, Virginia (1961), Chief Justice Earl Warren (1963), Herbert Hoover (1964), Otto Kerner, governor of Illinois (1964), and Harry Truman (1965)

SERIES IV: ORGANIZATIONAL FILES

Contains correspondence and other material relating to Grant's activities with specific organizations. Larger collections are listed first, alphabetically, followed by smaller collections (three or fewer folders), which are listed alphabetically in a final sub-series.

Sub-series A: Advisory Board on National Parks, Historic Sites, Buildings and Monuments

Grant was a member of this body, created in 1935 to provide policy advice to the National Park Service. Includes chiefly correspondence and memoranda relating to the organization and its activities; also maps, meeting agendas and minutes, news clippings, pamphlets, press releases and reports. Topics include parkland designations, administrative policies, the proposed construction of Echo Park Dam and a broad range of park management issues.

Folder 59: General correspondence, etc., 1937, 1951-1953.

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Folder 60: General correspondence, etc., 1954. Includes studies and maps of Badlands National Monument.

Folder 61: General correspondence, etc., 1955-1956. Topics include Ford's Theater restoration; Cathedral in the Pines, Rindge, New Hampshire; Pea Ridge Battlefield, Arkansas; and Horseshoe Bend Battlefield, Alabama, with several pamphlets on the Battle of Horseshoe Bend.

Folder 62: General correspondence, etc., 1957, 1959, 1965, 1967 and undated.

Folder 63: Echo Park Dam controversy, 1953-1954. Contains material on plans to construct Echo Park Dam within Dinosaur National Monument, a project opposed by members of the Advisory Board.

Sub-series B: American Planning and Civic Association

Grant was president of the **American Planning and Civic Association**, a national organization, based in Washington, D.C., that was formed to promote city and regional planning. Includes chiefly correspondence and memoranda, by Grant and others, relating to the organization; also articles, financial and budget documents, legislative bills and committee reports, maps, meeting minutes, newsletters, notes, pamphlets, press clippings, press releases, public statements, reports, speeches and telegrams. Topics include APCA programs and activities involving city planning, parks, conservation, transportation issues and historic preservation, both nationally and in the Washington, D.C., area; opposition to planned construction of Echo Park Dam in Dinosaur National Monument; Washington, D.C., area highway issues; membership; finances; fundraising; relations with other organizations; and activities of its affiliated organization, The Committee of 100 on the Federal City, which promotes planned development of the National Capital.

Folder 64: Certificate of incorporation and Constitution. The Certificate of incorporation of the American Civic Association is dated May 19, 1928, and was amended in 1935 to change the name to American Planning and Civic Association. The Constitution (undated) incorporates amendments of June 10, 1957.

Folder 65: General correspondence, etc., 1948, 1952-1953.

Folder 66: General correspondence, etc., 1954.

Folder 67: General correspondence, etc., 1955.

Folder 68: General correspondence, etc., 1956.

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Folder 70: General correspondence, etc., 1958-1959.

Folder 71: General correspondence, etc., 1961-1965 and undated.

Folder 72: Echo Park Dam controversy, 1936, 1947, 1950.

Folder 73: Echo Park Dam controversy, January-June 1951.

Folder 74: Echo Park Dam controversy, July-December 1951.

Folder 75: Echo Park Dam controversy, 1952-1953.

Folder 76: Echo Park Dam controversy, January-March 1954.

Folder 77: Echo Park Dam controversy, April-June 1954.

Folder 78: Echo Park Dam controversy, July-December 1954.

Folder 79: Echo Park Dam controversy, January-February 1955.

Folder 80: Echo Park Dam controversy, March 1955.

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Folder 81: Echo Park Dam controversy, April-May 1955.

Folder 82: Echo Park Dam controversy, June-December 1955.

Folder 83: Echo Park Dam controversy, 1956-1959.

Folder 84: Echo Park Dam controversy, undated.

Folder 85: Echo Park Dam controversy: Maps, 1948-1950.

Folder 86: Washington, D.C., highway issues, 1950-1954.

Folder 87: Washington, D.C., highway issues, 1955, 1957.

Folder 88: Washington, D.C., highway issues, 1958-1959, 1964, 1966, and undated.

Sub-series C: The George Washington University

Grant served as vice-president of **The George Washington University**, in Washington, D.C., from 1946 to 1951 and was a member of the Board of Trustees. Includes chiefly correspondence and memoranda by Grant and others; also articles, legislative bills, maps, music, notes, pamphlets, photographs, plans, postcards, press clippings, reports and telegrams. Topics include campus planning; campus buildings; university history; highway, urban renewal and zoning issues affecting the university; the new university hospital and fundraising for its equipment; and the university's Air Force ROTC unit.

Folder 89: Charter, supplementary acts and by-laws, undated.

Folder 90: Buildings, grounds and campus planning, 1946-1948. Includes correspondence on campus planning with consultant Frederick Law Olmsted, Jr., and other material.

Folder 91: Buildings, grounds and campus planning, 1949-1959, 1966 and undated. Includes more correspondence with Olmsted and other material.

Folder 92: Buildings, grounds and campus planning: Photographs, 1947-1951.

Folder 93: Buildings, grounds and campus planning: Plans and drawings, 1948-1950, 1955.

Folder 94: Buildings, grounds and campus planning: Reference material on other university campuses, 1947-1949 and undated. Includes clippings, postcard views and maps.

Folder 95: George Washington University Hospital, 1946-1951, 1966.

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Folder 96: History, 1902-1968 (scattered dates) and undated.

Contents: "Plan and Ordinance of Reorganization," (1902?); "Columbian University Will Remove to the Campus on Old Van Ness Grounds," *The Washington Times* (June 22, 1903); "Hamburg, the Colonial Town That Became the Seat of The George Washington University," by Jessie Fant Evans (pamphlet, 1935, 32 p.) ; "Our Historic First Commencement," by Jessie Fant Evans, *The George Washington University Alumni Review* (1939?); "The University of Today, 1927-1946" (typescript, 1946?); "Emergency Hospital: Old Central Dispensary Makes Plans to Celebrate Its Eightieth Birthday," by John Clagett Proctor, *The Sunday Star* (April 29, 1951); "Early Classes at 'GW'," by John Clagett Proctor (typescript, July 22, 1951); "2-Minute Radio Announcement for American History Month, 1958" (February 1958?); "Our First Commencement," by Elmer Louis Kayser, *The George Washington University Magazine* (Winter 1965); "The Homes of the Law School," by Elmer Louis Kayser, *The George Washington University Magazine* (Fall 1965); "Science in the Early College," by Elmer Louis Kayser, *The George Washington University Magazine* (Winter 1968); "History and Present Organization" (undated); "Seeing Washington with the Times Guide: No. LXVII, George Washington University," *The Washington Times* (undated); and related correspondence.

Folder 97: History: Research notes, undated. Typed notes from various sources.

Folder 98: ROTC unit, 1948-1952. Material relating to the establishment and operation of the Air Force ROTC unit on campus.

Folder 99: Miscellaneous, 1926-1960s and undated (scattered dates)

Sub-series D: Government Services, Inc.

Grant was the first president of the **Welfare and Recreational Association of Public Buildings and Grounds**, which was incorporated in 1926 as a not-for-profit organization to operate cafeterias and recreational facilities on Federal property. It was renamed **Government Services, Inc. (GSI)**, in 1945. Grant was active in the organization for many years in various capacities as president, chairman and trustee. Includes chiefly correspondence and memoranda by and to Grant and others; also balance sheets, leaflets,

legislative bills, legislative hearing transcripts and reports, manuals, newsletters, notes, organization charts, pamphlets, photographs, plans, press clippings, press releases, reports and statements. Topics include: tax issues; audits by the Comptroller General of the organization's finances and contracts; finances; corporation policies; employee policies and benefits; cafeteria operations; labor relations, including a strike by cafeteria employees in 1947; the denial of licenses to 40 GSI cafeterias by the D.C. Health Department in 1947; Senate hearings on the operation of cafeterias in government buildings (1947); legislative proposals to create a government corporation to operate cafeterias in government buildings (1948-1949); and the development and operation of Fontana Village resort in North Carolina.

Folder 100: Articles of incorporation and By-laws, 1926-1927, with later amendments.

Folder 101: General correspondence, etc., 1933-1940.

Folder 102: General correspondence, etc., 1941-1946.

Folder 103: General correspondence, etc., 1947.

Folder 104: General correspondence, etc., 1948-1955.

Folder 105: General correspondence, etc., 1960-1966 and undated.

Folder 106: Cafeterias: Senate hearings on cafeteria operations, 1947. Printed record of hearings held in January and February 1947.

Folder 107: Cafeterias: Senate hearings on cafeteria operations, 1947. Transcript of hearing held May 21, 1947.

Folder 108: Cafeterias: Senate hearings on cafeteria operations, 1947. Printed subcommittee report.

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Folder 109: Cafeterias: Senate hearings on cafeteria operations, 1947. Correspondence, memoranda, etc.

Folder 110: Cafeterias: Horwath & Horwath study of cafeteria operations, 1948. A study conducted by the consulting firm Horwath & Horwath for GSI.

Folder 111: Cafeterias: Legislative proposals to create a government corporation to operate cafeterias in government buildings, 1948-1949.

Folder 112: Corporation policies and procedures manual, 1949, 1957 and updates. Loose-leaf manual.

Folder 113: Employee policies and procedures, 1946-1947, 1954-1956 and undated.

Folder 114: Employee retirement and benefit plan, 1946, 1949-1950, 1953-1954, 1964 and undated.

Folder 115: Financial reports and balance sheets, 1946-1947, 1966.

Folder 116: Fontana Village resort, 1945-1949.

Folder 117: Fontana Village resort, 1952-1955. Also includes material relating to a proposed resort development at Roan Mountain in the Pisgah National Forest.

Folder 118: Fontana Village resort, 1959-1961, 1966.

Folder 119: Fontana Village photographs, 1952-1950s. Includes photographs of Grant and GSI staff or board members taken at the resort and photographs of the village, the lake and Fontana Dam.

Folder 120: Publications: *Report to Patrons* and other pamphlets, 1941-1951.

Folder 121: Publications: *Tray Times*, 1946-1947. Four issues of a newsletter for GSI employees.

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Sub-series E: National Capital Park and Planning Commission

Grant was executive officer of the **National Capital Park and Planning Commission** from the 1920s and until 1933. He later served as its chairman from 1942 to 1949. This sub-series encompasses a relatively small collection of records, including chiefly correspondence and memoranda; also legislation, maps, minutes, notes, organization charts, pamphlets, photographs, press clippings, reports, resolutions, speeches, statements and tables. Topics include the history of the NCPPC; its administration and finances; a broad range of planning issues relating to the Washington, D.C., area, such as land use, parks, recreation areas, housing, slums, urban renewal and development; the late-1940s redevelopment of the Marshall Heights neighborhood in Southeast Washington, D.C., called at the time "Washington's first big experiment in slum-clearing"; the Southwest urban renewal project in Washington, D.C.; Washington, D.C., area highway issues; and a project to develop study materials on city planning for use in Washington, D.C., schools.

Folder 122: History, 1927, 1956. Contains two speeches: "History of the National Capital and Work of the National Capital Park and Planning Commission," by Frederick N. Zihlman (February 28, 1927), and "Early Days of National Capital Park and Planning Commission," by Charles W. Eliot (February 7, 1956)

Folder 123: General correspondence, etc., 1927-1934.

Folder 124: General correspondence, etc., 1942-1944.

Folder 125: General correspondence, etc., 1945-1946.

Folder 126: General correspondence, etc., 1947-1949.

Folder 127: General correspondence, etc., 1950-1957.

Folder 128: Legislation, 1926, 1947-1952.

Folder 129: Maps, 1941, 1944, 1948-1949, 1954-1955 and undated. Contents have been removed to oversize container.

Folder 130: Marshall Heights redevelopment project, 1948-1949 and undated.

Folder 131: Newspaper clippings, 1943, 1949-1952, 1958, 1965.

Folder 132: Organization charts and commission membership, 1943, 1947-1948.

Folder 133: Photographs, 1948-1949. Contains three photographs of participants (including Grant) in a city planning class at American University (1948), a photograph of Grant meeting with officials of the Department of the Interior (1949) and a photograph of members and staff of the NCPPC (1940s)

Folder 134: School project on city planning, 1947-1949.

Folder 135: Southwest urban renewal project, 1952, 1955. Contains a 1952 report, *Redevelopment Plan, Southwest Redevelopment Project, Area B* and a 1955 progress report on relocation.

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Folder 136: Washington, D.C., area highway issues, 1935, 1944-1953.

Sub-series F: National Council for Historic Sites and Buildings / National Trust for Historic Preservation

In 1947, an act of Congress established the **National Council for Historic Sites and Buildings**, and Grant became its first president. In 1949, the **National Trust for Historic Preservation in the United States** was created as a separate but related entity, with Grant as its vice chairman. The Council was dissolved in 1954 and its assets and activities merged into

the National Trust. Material relating to both organizations is contained in this sub-series, for the records of both are closely intertwined. Includes chiefly correspondence and memoranda; also articles, brochures, by-laws, drawings, financial reports and budgets, legislation, meeting agendas and minutes, notes, organization charts, pamphlets, press clippings, press releases and reports. Topics include activities of the two organizations; their mutual relationship prior to the merger; Grant's dissatisfaction with a decision by the Trust board affecting the management of Council staff (1952), leading to his proposal to resign; administrative matters; finances; fundraising; acquisition and management of historic properties; and an attempt to save the Woodley estate in Northwest Washington, D.C., from development.

Folder 137: Legislation and by-laws, 1935, 1947-1951, 1954.

Folder 138: Annual reports, 1954, 1956, 1958.

Folder 139: Quarterly reports, 1948-1950. Incomplete: v. 1, no. 3 (June 1949) missing. Includes some special reports.

Folder 140: Quarterly reports and *Historic Preservation* newsletter, 1951-1953, 1956, 1958. Incomplete: scattered issues after 1951. In 1952, the quarterly report became a quarterly newsletter, *Historic Preservation*.

Folder 141: General correspondence, etc., 1948-1951.

Folder 142: General correspondence, etc., January-June 1952.

Folder 143: General correspondence, etc., July-December 1952.

Folder 144: General correspondence, etc., 1953-1959, 1962-1965 and undated.

Folder 145: Board of Trustees and Executive Committee minutes, 1950-1953, 1956, 1959-1960.

Folder 146: Board of Trustees handbook of policies and programs, 1964. Loose-leaf.

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Folder 147: Brochures and articles, 1947-1950, 1953, 1958, 196- and undated.

Folder 148: Designs for seals of the National Council and the National Trust, 1950-1951 and undated.

Folder 149: Financial reports, 1951-1952, 1956, 1959-1960, 1962.

Folder 150: Report on organization and administration of the headquarters staff, 1959, prepared by the management consultancy Cresap, McCormick and Paget.

Folder 151: Site evaluation reports, 1951-1952, containing reports on historic properties under consideration for preservation action.

Folder 152: Woodley estate, 1950-1952, containing material on an unsuccessful attempt to save the Woodley estate in Northwest Washington, D.C., from rezoning and development.

Sub-series G: U.S. Army, First Army Maneuvers, August 1939

Grant was chief of staff to Lieutenant General H. A. Drum, Commanding General of the **First Army**, and was involved in planning and carrying out training maneuvers by the First Army in August 1939 near Plattsburg, New York. Includes chiefly memoranda and orders; also maps, notes, photos and reports.

Folder 153: Memoranda, orders, etc., November 1938-August 1939.

Folder 154: Memoranda, orders, etc., September-December 1939.

Folder 155: Notebook of planning memoranda, 1938-1939. A compendium of planning memoranda in chronological order, designed for insertion in a loose-leaf binder.

Folder 156: Maps and aerial views, 1937-1939.

Folder 157: Quartermaster notebook, 1939. Removed from binder.

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Sub-series H: Woodlawn Plantation

Grant was a trustee of the **Woodlawn Public Foundation**, created in 1949 to buy and maintain Woodlawn, a historic property near Mount Vernon that was given by George Washington to his step-granddaughter Nelly Custis and her husband Lawrence Lewis. In 1951, the foundation turned Woodlawn over to the **National Trust for Historic Preservation**. Some material in this collection dates from the period of stewardship by the National Trust. Includes chiefly correspondence and memoranda; also brochures, by-laws, financial reports, meeting minutes, a notebook, plans, postcards, press clippings and telegrams. Topics include acquisition and management of the property; finances; fundraising; furnishings; organizational issues; publicity; and the transfer of Woodlawn to the National Trust

Folder 158: By-laws, 1949.

Folder 159: Correspondence, etc., 1949-1950.

Folder 160: Correspondence, etc., 1951-1955 and undated.

Folder 161: Board of Governors and Board of Trustees, minutes of meetings, 1950-1951.

Folder 162: Brochures and postcards, 1948-1950, 1953 and undated.

Folder 163: Notebook of the Furnishings and Decorations Committee of Woodlawn, 1950.

Folder 164: Press clippings, 1948-1952, 1955.

Sub-series I: Other organizational files

This series contains smaller organizational collections (three or fewer folders), listed alphabetically, containing correspondence, memoranda and other material.

Folder 165: American Museum of Immigration, 1956-1957, 1965-1966. Grant was president of the Board of Trustees of this project to create a museum at the base of the Statue of Liberty. Includes correspondence, news clippings and other material.

Folder 166: American Peace Society, 1939, 1952. Grant was vice-president in 1939 and president from 1949 to 1959. Includes correspondence and 1952 President's Report.

Folder 167: American Society of Civil Engineers, Task Committee on George Washington Memorials, 1930, 1949-1955. Grant was a member and, for a time, chairman of this committee, which was originally called the Committee on George Washington Canal and Locks. Its aim was to preserve the George Washington canal and locks at Great Falls, Virginia, to which was later added the preservation of Washington's first surveying office in Fredericksburg, Virginia. Includes correspondence, reports and maps.

Folder 168: American Society of Civil Engineers, Task Committee on George Washington Memorials, 1956-1959, 1964-1966 and undated. Includes correspondence, reports and plans.

Folder 169: Arlington Memorial Bridge Commission, 1926, 1929, 1932-1933. Contains several documents relating to construction of the bridge. Grant was the executive officer of the commission.

Folder 170: Aztec Club of 1847; 1950, 1956. Members of this society are descendants of officers who fought in the Mexican War. Grant was president of the club.

Folder 171: Capitol Hill Southeast Citizens Association, 1965. Contains material on an unsuccessful campaign to save from demolition three historic houses in the 1000 block of I

Street SE and the 700 block of 11th Street SE, which were slated to be torn down in order to build an addition to Tyler School. Includes correspondence, plans and press clippings.

Folder 172: Citizens Committee on Natural Resources, 1955-1960 and undated. A committee formed to lobby for conservation and proper management of natural resources. Grant was named to the board of directors in 1955. Includes correspondence, by-laws, statements, press releases and other material.

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Folder 173: Civil War Centennial Commission, newsletter, 1958-1965. Complete file (86 issues) of the commission's monthly newsletter, *100 Years After*, containing a Civil War chronology and news of centennial events and commission activities. Grant was chairman of the commission from 1957 to 1961.

Folder 174: Civil War Round Table of the District of Columbia, Fort Memorial Freeway Committee, 1952-1953. Grant chaired this committee, formed to publicize the Civil War forts that protected Washington, D.C., and to promote construction of a parkway linking them. Includes correspondence, a brochure and press clippings.

Folder 175: Columbia Historical Society, 1928-1932, 1949, 1952-1955, 1958-1966. Grant was president of the society. Chiefly correspondence.

Folder 176: Committee for the International Centennial Celebration [of the Statue of Liberty], 1965. Grant was co-chairman of the general committee. Includes correspondence and other material about plans for the centennial.

Folder 177: Committee to Preserve the National Capitol, 1958. Grant was a member of this committee, formed to oppose plans by the Architect of the Capitol to alter the east front of the Capitol building.

Folder 178: The General John H. Forney Historical Society, 1956, 1963-1964. Scattered documents relating to the society, which was formed in 1955 to honor the career of the Confederate general. Grant was a member of the original board until 1956.

Folder 179: The General John J. Pershing Society, 1955-1956, 1960, 1965. Grant was a member of a small informal group organized to advocate for erecting a memorial to General John J. Pershing at Pershing Square in Washington, D.C. The group later took the name The General John J. Pershing Society, with Grant as its chairman. Includes chiefly correspondence; also news clippings, Congressional documents, plans and photos.

Folder 180: The General John J. Pershing Society, 1966-1967.

Folder 181: Grant Monument Association, 1952, 1957. Contains two items: minutes of the Executive Committee meeting, October 9, 1952, and a 1957 letter to Grant advising him of his election as vice-president.

Folder 182: Joint Committee on the National Capital, 1944, 1952-1953, 1956-1958. This civic committee was founded to promote “comprehensive planning for the National Capital region.” Grant was a member and served a term as chairman in the mid-1950’s. Includes correspondence, meeting minutes, statements and reports.

Folder 183: The Military Order of the Loyal Legion of the United States, 1950, 1959-1960. A patriotic and fraternal organization founded by a group of commissioned officers who had fought for the Union in the Civil War, with membership restricted to their descendants. Grant was national commander-in-chief from 1957 to 1962. Includes three newsletters and other material.

Folder 184: National Arboretum Advisory Council, 1951-1959, 1964. Grant served on the council from 1946 to 1964. Includes correspondence, statements and meeting minutes.

Folder 185: National Capital Sesquicentennial Commission, Division on Historic Sites and Buildings, Committee on Plaques, 1923, 1946, 1950-1951 and undated. The committee was formed to organize the installation of plaques on historic buildings in Washington, D.C., in honor of the city’s sesquicentennial. Grant was a member and, for a time, chairman. Includes correspondence, proposed plaque inscriptions and samples of plaque styles.

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Folder 186: National Council for Community Improvement, 1949-1954 and undated. The council’s purpose was “to stimulate community self-reliance and initiative.” Grant was a member and, for a time, a vice-president and trustee. Includes correspondence, announcements, agendas, newsletters and other material.

Folder 187: Office of Civilian Defense, 1942-1944. Grant was chief of the Protection Branch. Includes correspondence, news clippings, articles and press releases, chiefly relating to Grant’s public appearances and speeches in support of civil defense efforts.

Folder 188: Office of Public Buildings and Public Parks of the National Capital, 1929, 1931. Grant was director from 1925 to 1933. Contains two letters with attachments.

Folder 189: Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, 1954, 1963. Grant served as commander-in-chief. Comprises a small collection of correspondence, photos and resolutions.

Folder 190: St. John’s Church, Vestry, Washington, D.C., 1949-1952, 1955-1956 and undated. Grant was a vestryman, chairman of the Special Grounds Committee and later

chairman of the Committee on Endowments and Memorials. Includes chiefly correspondence; also plans, reports and by-laws.

Folder 191: Theodore Roosevelt Association, 1953, 1956-1957. Grant served on the board of this organization, which was formed to honor the former president's memory. Includes correspondence, reports and ephemera.

Folder 192: United Conservation Fund, 1955. The fund was established by fifteen conservation organizations, including the American Planning and Civic Association, as a joint fundraising enterprise. Grant was a member of the board of directors. Includes chiefly correspondence, memos and minutes of board meetings; also the organization's by-laws.

Folder 193: United States Capitol Historical Society, 1966. Grant served on the Honorary Board of Trustees. Contains a single item: a report on the society's activities and publications.

Folder 194: U.S. Army, Corps of Engineers, 1911-1912, 1945. Contains three letters.

Folder 195: Washington Board of Trade, 1943-1946, 1952, 1955-1958 and undated. Grant served on various committees: Postwar Planning Committee, City Planning Committee, Metropolitan Development Committee, and Auditorium and Stadium Committee. Includes chiefly correspondence, memos and reports relating to his committee service.

Folder 196: Washington Cathedral, Landscape Committee, 1945-1950 and undated. Grant served on the committee. Includes chiefly correspondence and meeting minutes; also a pamphlet on the cathedral. Plans have been removed to oversize storage.

Folder 197: Washington National Monument Association, 1965-1966. Grant served as president of the association. Includes chiefly correspondence and other documents relating to its activities, including its plans to publish a book, *George Washington, Man and Monument*.

Folder 198: Washington National Monument Society, 1848 (photocopy), 1951-1952, 1957, 1963, 1966 and undated. Grant was a member and officer of the society. Includes correspondence, minutes, an annual report and other documents; also a pamphlet, *A Brief History of the Washington National Monument Society, with a Biographical List of the Officers and Members of the Society, 1833-1951*; a photocopy of an 1848 letter describing events in Washington on the day that the cornerstone of the monument was laid; and a typescript (undated), "The Washington Monument and Its Meaning."

SERIES V: REFERENCE FILES

This series contains background or reference material on subjects in which Grant was interested. The files include news clippings, pamphlets, reprints of articles, Congressional hearings and legislative bills, and reports, among many other types of material.

Sub-series A: Conservation

Folder 199: Potomac River, 1949, 1956-1958 and undated. Topics include a proposed dam on the Potomac River at River Bend, water pollution and the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal National Historical Park. Includes nine issues (1956-1957) of a newsletter published by the Interstate Commission on the Potomac River Basin; the Wolman Report (1957) on cleaning up the river; material from other river conservation groups; and other material.

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Folder 200: Quetico-Superior Wilderness area, 1948-1956 and undated. Contains material on wilderness preservation in Superior National Forest (Minnesota) and in adjoining Quetico Provincial Park (Ontario). Includes brochures, pamphlets, reprints, news clippings, correspondence and a map.

Folder 201: Wilderness Bill, 1956-1957. Material on Congressional legislation to create a National Wilderness Preservation System. Includes extracts from the *Congressional Record*, legislative drafts, copies of correspondence and reprinted articles.

Folder 202: Other conservation topics, 1945, 1954-1958, 1964 and undated. Consists chiefly of mimeographed copies of correspondence, statements and other material distributed by the Sierra Club to its network of "conservation cooperators," of which Grant was a member. Also includes newsletters, pamphlets and articles.

Sub-series B: Planning

Folder 203: Articles and notes, 1889 (later typescript), 1927-1939, 1945-1952, 1956 and undated. Chiefly articles, addresses, news clippings, quotations and extracts dealing with city and regional planning and historic preservation.

Folder 204: Regional Planning Commission, County of Los Angeles. Regional Planning Notes, A-N, 1928-1933. Typescript notes prepared for the Commission, consisting of quotations from various sources on topics related to city planning, arranged alphabetically by keyword (letters A through N). Continues in the next folder.

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Folder 205: Regional Planning Commission, County of Los Angeles. Regional Planning Notes, O-Z, 1928-1934. Continues the previous folder (letters O through Z)

Folder 206: National Resources Committee, documents, 1936. Papers published by the Committee on topics related to natural resource planning and management.

Folder 207: National Resources Committee, documents, 1937-1938. Contains two Committee documents: a check list of state agencies concerned with natural resource management and a summary of proceedings of the National Zoning Conference (1937)

Folder 208: National Resources Planning Board, documents, 1939-1941. Successor body to the National Resources Committee.

Folder 209: School of Planning and Research for National Development, documents, 1938-1939. British school founded ca. 1938. Contains minutes of a conference (1937), held to discuss the organization of the school and minutes of four forums held by the school in 1939: "soil survey as a basis for national planning," "the influence of scientific discovery on developments in physical planning," "our national characteristics," and "nutrition."

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Sub-series C: Transportation

Sub-series includes pamphlets, magazines, reprints of articles, papers and other material on roads, traffic, automobile transportation and public transit.

Folder 210: Transportation issues, 1928, 1931, 1942-1947.

Folder 211: Transportation issues, 1948-1951.

Folder 212: Transportation issues, 1952-1953 and undated.

Sub-series D: Washington, D.C., built environment

Folder 213: City planning and development, 1927-1934, 1944, 1952-1961 and undated.

Contains material on the historic development and planning of the city and on later development issues. Chiefly articles and news clippings. Among the contents: "The Genealogy of L'Enfant's Washington," by Elbert Peets (*Journal of the American Institute of Architects*, 1927); "The Economic Justification for the New Public Buildings," by Karl J. Hardy (1932); "Fashionable Northwest Washington of 1934 and the Second L'Enfant," by William H. Benton (1934); "Problems in Restoring the Plan of Washington," by H. Paul Caemmerer (*Journal of the American Society of Architectural Historians*, January 1944); "Progress or Decay? 'Downtown Blight' in the Nation's Capital" (series of articles reprinted from *The Washington Post*, 1952)

Folder 214: Civic auditorium/cultural center, 1950, 1955-1958, 1961, 1965, 196-. Chiefly news clippings, a booklet and legislation concerning proposals for a national cultural center in Washington and where to locate it.

Folder 215: Historic buildings and monuments, 1911, 1929, 1951, 1956-1957, 1962-1967 and undated. Includes news clippings, brochures and other material.

Folder 216: National Mall reflecting pool, 1941, 1950, 1962-1966 and undated. Includes news clippings, maps and brochures relating to a proposed reflecting pool, planned for a location on the National Mall in front of the U. S. Grant memorial.

Folder 217: Pennsylvania Avenue redevelopment, 1965-1966 and 196-. Includes news clippings and legislative documents.

Folder 218: Stadium, 1944, 1949, 1958. Includes several news clippings and a 1949 site plan for a proposed sports stadium.

Sub-series E: Washington, D.C., government and home rule

Folder 219: Congressional bills, committee reports and hearings, 1945-1951. Contains legislative documents concerning D.C. government organization, home rule and voting rights.

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Folder 220: Congressional Record excerpts, 1937, 1947-1953. Speeches and debate, excerpted from the Congressional Record.

Folder 221: Research notes, undated. Handwritten and typescript notes.

Folder 222: U. S. Grant, 3rd, statements, 1947. Statements by Grant and news clippings reporting them.

Folder 223: Other material on D.C. government and home rule, ca 1874, 1901 (later typescript), 1933-1963 (scattered dates) and undated.

Sub-series F: Washington, D.C., highway issues

Folder 224: Chesapeake and Ohio Canal parkway proposals, 1949-1957. Includes news clippings, reports and other printed material concerning the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal in Washington, D.C., and proposals to build a parkway alongside it.

Folder 225: East Capitol Street Bridge proposal, 1950. Includes hearings and other documents concerning a proposed East Capitol Street bridge over the Anacostia River in Washington, D.C.

Folder 226: Glover-Archbold Park highway proposals, 1932, 1947-1949, 1957-1959. Includes material relating to various proposals for roadways through Glover-Archbold Park in Northwest Washington, D.C.

Folder 227: Rock Creek Park highway proposals, 1932, 1953-1958 and undated. In the 1950's, Rock Creek Park was proposed as the route for an extension of U.S. Route 240. Includes news clippings, reports, statements and other material relating to the proposals.

Folder 228: Theodore Roosevelt Island bridge and tunnel proposals, 1932, 1947, 1952-1958, 195-. Includes news clippings, statements, articles, plans, photos and other material concerning proposals for a highway bridge over the island or a tunnel beneath it.

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Folder 229: Other Washington, D.C., transportation issues, 1941, 1945-1952. Includes news clippings, reports, statements and other material concerning highway plans and projects in the Washington, D.C., area.

Folder 230: Other Washington, D.C., transportation issues, 1953-1957, 195-, 1963-1965 and undated.

Sub-series F: Washington, D.C., miscellaneous

Folder 231: History, 1871, 1930, 1945?, 1947, 1953 and undated. Includes a newspaper (*The Weekly Star*, January 13, 1871), news clippings, a pamphlet (*Guide Leaflet for the Defenses of Washington*), notes and other material.

Folder 232: Photographs, 1952 and undated. Six photographs.

Folder 233: Other miscellaneous material, 1933, 1938, 1946-1954, 1957, 1965 and undated. Includes news clippings and other material.

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Oversize items

Folder 234: Oversize maps, plans and other material. Photocopies of these items have been placed in the above folders from which the material was removed. (Folder is located in oversize cabinet, drawer 3, on Floor 1M)