

Franklin D. Roosevelt
Papers Pertaining to the
Campaign of 1928

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Quantity: 11 linear feet (approximately 22,000 pages)

Restrictions: None

Related Material: Franklin D. Roosevelt Papers, 1920-28; the Louis Howe Papers contain scattered items relating to this campaign; and the Papers of the Democratic National Committee contain several items in the state files relating to post-election commentary.

Franklin D. Roosevelt worked actively for the nomination of Alfred E. Smith for the Presidency from early 1928 until the convention, then campaigned for Smith until his own nomination as the Democratic candidate for Governor of New York in October 1928. These papers cover both the Smith and Roosevelt campaigns, including the post-election period.

The papers consist of incoming and outgoing correspondence, telegrams, memoranda, drafts of speeches and articles, printed materials, campaign materials, a card file of Democratic leaders, and newspaper clippings. The papers are arranged in two series as follows:

General Correspondence - Containers 1-15. Arranged alphabetically by State and thereunder by surname of correspondent. There is a small subject file at the end of this series.

Printed Materials and Speeches - Containers 15-20. Arranged by subject headings. This series includes campaign speeches, a card catalog of addresses, scrapbooks, and miscellaneous material from the Democratic National Committee.

Note: Newspapers from this collection are shelved separately. Consult the archivist on duty for information on use.

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Printed Matter and Speeches

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