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PAPERS AS NEW YORK STATE SENATOR

1910-1913

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The papers in this group (14 cu. ft.) relate to the political career of Franklin D. Roosevelt between October 1910, when he was nominated as Democratic candidate for the New York State Senate, 26th District (Putnam, Dutchess, and Columbia Counties) and March 1913, when he resigned during his second term to become Assistant Secretary of the Navy. In type and form the records consist of correspondence, a diary, original drafts and copies of speeches, invitations, legislative proposals (bills and resolutions), newspapers and newspaper clippings, pamphlets, campaign material, and other related papers. The great majority of these papers deal with some phase of his public life, but occasional letters pertain to his family and other personal affairs. The records divide into the following sub-groups:

(A) Correspondence and other papers relating to some particular subject such as speaking invitations, speaking engagements, election campaigns, legislative business, the "insurgency" movement in the New York State legislature against Tammany bossism, the New York City Charter, and the New York State Wilson Conference in behalf of Woodrow Wilson as Democratic candidate for President; and correspondence with Democratic political leaders, constituents, friends, and others pertaining to a great variety of political subjects. The correspondence consists of incoming letters and telegrams, and copies of the outgoing letters. (36 boxes).
(B) A diary by Franklin D. Roosevelt of his first days in Albany, Jan. 1-3, 1911 (1 vol.)

(C) Speeches and public statements of Franklin D. Roosevelt made during the course of his campaigns and while a member of the New York State Senate. Among these are 4 drafts of reading copies in longhand, three photostatic copies of speeches acquired in a later period; 8 typewritten transcripts taken from the Poughkeepsie (N. Y.) Evening Enterprise, Poughkeepsie News Press, Hudson (N. Y.) Evening Register, and the Buffalo (N. Y.) Courier; and 234 entries of summaries of addresses and other public statements, 1910-1913, contained in Calendar of Speeches and Other Public Statements, 1910-1920 (160 p.)

(D) Newspaper material present in this group includes 73 issues of newspapers, most of them from the Poughkeepsie, N. Y. press, 1910-1913, and a substantial quantity of mounted and unmounted clippings, 1910-1913, all carrying items about Franklin D. Roosevelt, the full text or excerpts from some of his speeches, accounts of his work in the Senate, and reference to his political activities in the Democratic party generally. (2 vols., and 11 boxes).

(E) Miscellaneous printed materials include (1) a microfilm copy of the bills and resolutions introduced into the New York State Senate by Franklin D. Roosevelt; printed copies of various legislative measures, including a few of the proposals sponsored by Roosevelt on banking, taxation, conservation, highways, agriculture, hospitals, and labor;
(3) pamphlets and periodicals, some of them published by New York State agencies, containing reports and other types of information on conservation, primary elections, education, labor, agriculture, and other political and social problems in which Franklin D. Roosevelt was interested; and (4) a small amount of campaign literature consisting of pictorial posters, handbills, and leaflets. Among these are items containing biographical sketches of Franklin D. Roosevelt, statements about his political record, and information about other candidates. 4 boxes.

1 roll of microfilm.

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The papers in Group 9 are filed in sec. 14, 2nd floor, except for 73 issues of newspapers filed in sec. 47, drawer 2, 3d floor, and 1 folder of oversized campaign literature filed in sec. 48, drawer 1, 3d floor.

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FOREWORD

This first of a series of descriptive inventories in preparation by the Franklin D. Roosevelt Library constitutes a detailed guide to one of the Library's 35 manuscript collections. As a finding aid to archival material, it represents an attempt at a comprehensive analysis and index, within the covers of a single publication, of a single integrated group of historical manuscripts. The normal level of detail in each analytical entry is the individual file or folder of correspondence rather than the more detailed approach of an item-by-item "calendar," at one extreme, or the less detailed "series inventory," at the other extreme. The entries in the present inventory were prepared under the supervision of Dr. Martin P. Claussen by Dr. Carl L. Spicer, assisted by Mrs. Kathryn C. Fell; the index, by Mrs. Fell; and the introduction, by Dr. Claussen.

In addition to descriptive inventories, the Library's publication program also includes a general guide to the Library's collections (in preparation), calendars of selected manuscripts and other documents, bibliographies of printed materials, descriptive catalogs of pictorial and museum materials, and microfilm and printed editions of texts in the collections.
INTRODUCTION

The collection of correspondence and related papers inventoried and indexed below was accumulated by Franklin D. Roosevelt between October 1910, when he was nominated as Democratic candidate for New York State Senator from the 26th District (Columbia, Dutchess, and Putnam Counties), and March 1913, when he resigned, during his second term as Senator, to become Assistant Secretary of the Navy in President Woodrow Wilson's administration. During his career in the State Senate, FDR was chairman of the Forest, Fish, and Game Committee, 1911-12; Chairman of the Agriculture Committee, 1913; a member, at various times, of the Agriculture, Canals, Codes, Conservation, Military Affairs, and Railroads Committees; a member of a special committee investigating the New York City Police Department, 1912-13; and sponsor of about 75 bills and resolutions, mostly on conservation matters and election reforms. In 1911, furthermore, FDR was one of the leaders of the Democratic "insurgents" who fought the Tammany Hall Democrats in the Legislature over the nomination and election of a United States Senator for New York; and in 1912 he was prominent in the Empire State Democracy organization and in the New York
State Wilson Conference in connection with pre-convention activities on behalf of Woodrow Wilson as Democratic candidate for President. All of these matters, as well as FDR's own election campaigns in 1910 and 1912, his patronage activities involving chiefly his own district, 1911-13, and miscellaneous items of Senatorial business, are documented in the papers described below.

The papers, comprising group no. 8 of the collections amount in the Franklin D. Roosevelt Library, extend in bulk to about 5 cubic feet, or 36 document containers, and are organized into 385 files or folders of correspondence, except for one file (see entry no. 2), which is a bound volume. These 385 files are divided into 19 general subject files, 38 legislative subject files, and 328 name files; each of these three major series is preceded, below, by a brief introductory statement as to its general character and content. Originally, when these papers were acquired by the Roosevelt Library from FDR (in 1942), the papers formed part of a larger collection extending to 1921, and in 1943 the Senatorial papers were withdrawn and arranged into about 10 subject files and about 800 name files. The files were then reorganized into their present pattern in the course of preparing this inventory, so as to consolidate the less significant name files into a smaller number of subject files, and to integrate occasional fugitive letters found in other collections in the Library.
Each of the 385 files is described below in an inventory entry which contains the following kinds of information for the guidance of the searcher: inventory control number, an arbitrary serial number used for purpose of shelving, reference, citation, and indexing; file title or file heading; inclusive dates, expressed in months and years; physical bulk, expressed in linear inches or, if less than half an inch, in number of items; and a summary of the subject content of the file. Each summary normally names and identifies the significant persons, institutions, topics, and places mirrored in the file, and occasionally cites such documents as are individually noteworthy. In the course of the subject analysis of these files, a number of published reference tools have been used by the compilers, and these tools provide an additional frame of reference useful for future users of this collection of papers. These reference works include, notably the [New York] Legislative Record, 1911-12; the New York Legislative Index, 1913; the New York Senate Journal, 1911-13; the New York Legislative Record and Index, 1913; the [New York State] Legislative Manual, 1910-13; the New York Red Book, 1910-13; the Who's Who in America, 1910-11, 1912-13; Who's Who in New York (City and State), 1911-12, 1913-14; and the New York Times Index, 1913-14. These and other books, pamphlets, and related printed material bearing on FDR as New York State Senator are in the course of being selected and listed in a cumulative bibliography of FDR and his times, in preparation at the Roosevelt Library.
The alphabetical index at the end of this volume (pp. 109-148 [of the typescript]) is a composite index to all the persons, institutions, topics, and places mentioned in the inventory. The index numbers refer to inventory control numbers, not to pages. Since the subject references throughout the inventory are necessarily selective, the index, likewise, is equally selective, and excludes occasional minor subjects, appearing in the papers themselves, that have been ignored in the course of preparing this inventory.

While the present collection contains all of the known papers accumulated by FDR as State Senator, this is not to say that there are not gaps in the historical record contained in the collection. Thus, FDR, like most other persons, did not always record every significant transaction in which he was involved. For example, his correspondence with such leaders as Governor John A. Dix of New York, Governor Woodrow Wilson (and Presidential candidate) of New Jersey, Robert F. Wagner, and Alfred E. Smith seems fragmentary. Nor did FDR apparently keep every single letter from every constituent. Gaps, where they have been discovered, are mentioned in the entries below, partly for the guidance of students and partly to suggest areas in which the Roosevelt Library is interested in acquiring missing items and related items in order to complete the historical record contained in this collection.

In addition, the outside of FDR's Senatorial papers are other collections in the Roosevelt Library that are closely related in subject matter and research interest. Thus, FDR's business papers,
his family correspondence, and papers on other non-political and non-legislative subjects, 1910-13, are for the most part in another collection--group no. 14, entitled Papers of Franklin D. Roosevelt Relating to Family, Business, and Other Personal Affairs, 1882-1945. Next, there are the several other groups of FDR's correspondence, covering the later periods of his career, 1913-45 (groups no. 9 to 13), which contain occasional letters, for the most part not yet specifically identified, that contain historical references to events and situations that transpired in the earlier period 1910-13. Another collection in the Library--the papers of Louis McHenry Howe (group no. 36)--contains a file of Howe's correspondence for October 1912, when he served as campaign manager in FDR's re-election campaign of 1912. Next, there are important items in the Library's non-manuscript collections (group no. 1 to 5), notably newspaper clippings collected by FDR, photographs, and museum objects, which relate importantly to FDR and public affairs between 1910 and 1913 and which, in subject matter, complement the material to be found in the manuscript collections. Finally, there are manuscript collections outside the Roosevelt Library that are important for this period of FDR's career, information as to the whereabouts and general character of such collections is being entered in the cumulative "Union List of Manuscript Collections Relating to FDR and His Times," in preparation at the Roosevelt-Library.
FDR's Senatorial papers, as well as some of the other collections in the Roosevelt Library, are available for use in the Library's search rooms at Hyde Park by qualified students, under regulations prescribed by the Archivist of the United States. Photostat and microfilm copies of items in the collections may be purchased at cost by interested persons on application to the Library.
General Subject Files

Each of the 19 "general subject files" described below is either general to FDR's entire Senatorial career or pertains to a major subject or aspect of Senatorial affairs (other than legislation, the files on which are in his "Legislative Files," nos. 20 to 57 below). Thus, the "Speeches by FDR" file (file no. 1) is of general significance to his entire career, and his various patronage files (files no. 14 to 16) pertain to a major non-legislative aspect of FDR's Senatorial business. Rarely, however, will the searcher find all of FDR's existing correspondence on a particular subject in the corresponding "subject" file below. Other correspondence on the same subject but with other persons is likely to appear instead in one of the "Name Files" (file nos. 58 to 385 below), filed under the name of a political leader with whom FDR had a continuing correspondence not only on that subject but on others as well. For a guide to the related subject correspondence in the letter "Name Files," consult the appropriate subject entries in the index at the end of this inventory.
1. **Speeches by FDR.** Oct. 1910 - May 1912. 10 items.

Manuscripts (longhand and typewritten) of a few of FDR's speeches and public statements. These and others not present in this file are described in *RL Calendar of Franklin D. Roosevelt's Speeches and Other Public Statements, October 1910 - March 1913* (Typescript. viii, 40 pp. Oct. 1948).

2. **Diary of FDR.** Jan. 1-3, 1911. 1 volume.

Entries include descriptions of the Roosevelt residence in Albany, the Governor's inaugural ceremonies, a reception for constituents, the first Democratic caucus, and FDR's commentaries on Democratic leadership and party problems.

3. **Speaking Invitations.** Jan. 1911 - Feb. 1913. 2 inches.

Invitations to FDR to speak at political and civic gatherings, replies accepting or declining invitations, and related correspondence pertaining to arrangements for some of FDR's speeches during the Senatorship period. Among the groups that invited FDR were the Saturn Club, Buffalo (Feb. 1911); Insurgents Club, New York City (April 1911); Legislative Correspondents Association, Albany (April 1911, March 1912); St. Stephen's College, Annandale (June 1911); Intercollegiate Civic Club, New York City (April 1912); and the Employers Club, Poughkeepsie (Feb. 1913). Organizations outside New York represented here are the Hope Congregational Church, Springfield, Mass. (March 1911) and the Wilson - Ferris League, Bay City, Mich. (Feb. 1913).

FDR's correspondence, chiefly with state officials, political leaders, and constituents, regarding invitations other than speaking invitations, to attend dinners, dedicatory ceremonies, reunions, Memorial Day parades, and other political and civic gatherings. A few invitations to membership in fraternal organizations are also included. Among the organizations represented are the Civic League of Albany (in connection with welcoming William Jennings Bryan to Albany in May 1911), the National Democratic Club, the Saratoga Battle Monument Dedication Commission, and various church groups.

5. Miscellaneous Interviews. March 1911 - March 1913. 15 items.

Letters to FDR from people seeking interviews and asking for appointments with him to discuss various political and personal matters, and FDR's replies to some of them, mostly routine acknowledgments and others arranging for appointment dates. Summaries of the conversations are rarely present.


FDR's correspondence (apparently incomplete) pertaining to the leasing of apartments and houses in Albany.
Correspondence, mostly letters to FDR from constituents and political leaders, relating to the FDR's leadership of the Democratic "insurgents" in the State Legislature in opposing the move of the Tammany Hall Democrats to nominate William F. Sheehan as U.S. Senator from New York. Included are letters supporting FDR's stand; a petition favoring Sheehan from the Democratic City Committee of Poughkeepsie, of which John J. Mylod was chairman; petitions and endorsements on behalf of the candidacy of James A. O'Gorman, State Supreme Court Justice, Edward M. Shepard, Democratic leader in Brooklyn, and Theodore Sutro, tax attorney supported by the German-American Alliance of New York; a list of the members of the State Democratic League indicating, for each, his choice for Senator; and pamphlets bearing on the controversy.

Includes correspondence and papers pertaining to the New York State Wilson Conference, of which FDR was Chairman, organized to support Woodrow Wilson at the forthcoming Democratic National Convention at Baltimore. Present also are invitations sent by FDR to prominent Democrat in New York State to attend an organization meeting in New York City in April 1912.
9. **Empire State Democracy.** July - Aug. 1912. 1½ in.

Papers relating to the organization and work of the Empire State Democracy, of which FDR was Temporary Chairman, established to support Woodrow Wilson for President and to nominate anti-Tammany candidates for State and local offices in the 1912 elections. Included are letters and telegrams from various independent Democrats and Republicans supporting the movement; invitations to meetings in New York City on July 17th and 29th, 1912; and resolutions outlining the aims and purposes of the movement and excerpts from minutes of meetings. Only two letters by FDR are present.


Correspondence and other papers relating to FDR's campaign for State Senator, Oct. - Nov. 1910, chiefly letters to FDR by supporters and precinct workers in his District, lists of enrolled voters in Putnam County, election returns from Dutchess County, and FDR's canceled checks, Oct. 10, 1910 - Jan 10, 1911, mostly for campaign expenses.


Correspondence and papers pertaining to FDR's campaign for re-election as State Senator, Sept.-Nov. 1912. Included are FDR's certificate of nomination and election as New York State Senator (Sept. 26, 1912, and Dec. 16, 1912); congratulatory messages; data relating to expense accounts; information on campaign contributions; lists of voters; list of delegates to the New York State Democratic Convention; and
and canceled checks signed by John M. Ham, treasurer of the Franklin D. Roosevelt Committee, Nov. 4 - Nov. 25, 1912.

Other papers relating to the campaign are filed with the papers of Louis McHenry Howe (group 36), who conducted most of the campaign during FDR's illness.


Chiefly requests from constituents and others for information as to appointments and promotions in the State Civil Service, and, in a few cases, in Federal Civil Service.

13. Insurance Brokers' Licenses. April 1911 - Jan. 1912. 8 items.

Letters from constituents and others asking FDR to help them secure a license from the State Department of Insurance; and FDR's replies.


Applications from constituents, endorsements, and related correspondence in regard to notary public appointments.


Letters, mostly from constituents, endorsing candidates for postmaster vacancies in the 26th District, chiefly in Millerton and Staatsburg, N.Y.; and FDR's replies.

Endorsements, recommendations, and related correspondence dealing with patronage matters, especially in FDR's home district. Appointments sought by Dutchess, Putnam, and Columbia County constituents include factory inspectors, game protectors, highway patrolmen, labor foremen, tax collectors, and clerkships in the State Legislature. Also represented are the positions of Health Officer for the Port of New York, involving Dr. William T. Jenkins and Joseph J. O'Connell (Feb. 1911, March 1912); Public Service Commissioner, 1st District, involving Robert W. Boeing (March 1912); and State Health Commissioner, involving Dr. Charles E. North (Feb. 1913).

17. Plattsburgh Commemoration Committee. March 1912 - March 1913. ½ in.

FDR's correspondence as Chairman of the Plattsburgh Commemoration Committee, regarding appropriations and other matters pertaining to celebration of the 100th anniversary of the Battle of Plattsburgh and Lake Champlain. Includes correspondence with State Senator James Emerson, a member of the Committee, and letters of support from the Daughters of the American Revolution chapter in Plattsburgh, from other local organizations in Plattsburgh, and from the General Society of the War of 1812 in Philadelphia. See also Name Files, described elsewhere, for additional correspondence with other individuals.

Requests from constituents and others for copies of State publications and general information about pending legislation in the State Legislature; FDR's replies; and mailing lists. Among the correspondents are: Joseph W. Alsop, Theodore Roosevelt's brother-in-law, N.B. Critchfield, Secretary of Agriculture of Pennsylvania, Martin W. Littleton, a candidate for U.S. Senator in 1911; Herbert E. Mills, Professor at Vassar College, Raymond N. Pierson, New York State Commissioner of Agriculture, H.C. Price, Dean of the College of Agriculture at Ohio State University, T. Douglas Robinson, State Chairman of the National Progressive Party, and Horace White, former Lieutenant Governor of New York.


Letters to FDR on miscellaneous subjects, such as requests for his autograph or photograph, requests for charitable donations, petitions on behalf of persons seeking pardons from the Governor, and isolated letters commenting generally on national political matters, such as the heritage of Grover Cleveland, the work of Robert La Follette, Sr., and the formation of a new political party. Also included are letters that contain obscure references or that unidentified as to subject or author.
Legislative Files

FDR's correspondence files below (nos. 20 to 57) relate to various legislative bills and resolutions pending in the New York State Legislature during the sessions of 1911, 1912, and 1913, and are arranged under about 35 subject classes of legislation. Letters and petitions from constituents, political leaders, and organized groups urging their views upon FDR predominate in these files, and many of the correspondents are from outside FDR's home district of Dutchess, Columbia, and Putnam Counties. FDR's replies are also present in most cases, and frequently they contain his views on a given piece of legislation.

Of the several hundred bills and resolutions represented in this correspondence, about 75 were introduced in the State Senate by FDR, but rarely are his drafts or other copies of such legislation present in these files. Whether such copies, as well as other records relating to the history of State legislation in the period 1911-13, exist in the archives of the State Legislature in Albany has not been determined.
The legislative files below do not contain all of FDR's correspondence on legislative subjects. Other, additional legislative correspondence is present in the Name Files (see file nos. 58 to 385 below), filed under the name of the political leader with whom FDR had a continuing correspondence on more than one subject. For a guide to such related correspondence, consult the appropriate subject entries in the index at the end of this inventory.

Box 5


FDR's correspondence with dairymen, fruit growers, grain dealers, and other individuals and organizations interested in legislation affecting agricultural production and marketing in New York State. Enclosures to correspondence occasionally include petitions, reports, and some printed materials. Bills pertain to feed tax, agricultural credit, cold storage of foods, control of tubercular cattle, regulation of production and sale of milk, and appropriations for county agricultural societies and farm bureau organizations. Some of the organizations represented are the New York State Association of Union Agricultural Societies, the New York Milk Committee, the Jewish Agricultural and Industrial Aid Society, the Russell Sage Foundation, and the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

Correspondence between FDR and bank officials and others, and consisting chiefly of criticisms and protests against proposed legislation to increase the surplus required of saving banks.


Correspondence dealing chiefly with the bills to provide canal terminals at Buffalo and other New York cities, and to abolish the Canal Advisory Board. There is also a report of the Executive Committee of the Barge Canal Terminal Conference, a pamphlet containing copies of barge canal legislation enacted in the period 1903-1910, and a map of a proposed barge canal terminal at Buffalo.


Correspondence between FDR and constituents regarding amendments to existing laws on cemeteries in incorporated and unincorporated communities, and a draft of the Green Wood Cemetery Bill introduced by FDR (1913) and containing revisions made by him.

Correspondence regarding State civil-service legislation, chiefly the Walker bill to protect employees from the "spoils system." Included in the file are bills drafted by the Civil Service Reform Association, New York City, with accompanying letters requesting FDR to introduce the bills in the Senate.


This file contains letters, telegrams and other papers, relating to bills introduced into the Legislature to amend the State Agricultural Law with respect to the sale of farm produce on commission. The largest part relates to FDR's own bill (S. Int. No. 363) introduced into the Senate when he was Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture (1913). The letters are from granges, county agricultural societies, government officials, commission merchants, university professors, rural constituents, and others, and contain expressions of opinion on the above bills, most of it favorable to FDR's bill; many of the letters are accompanied by petitions, newspaper clippings, reports and printed materials, including a circular letter signed by FDR (1912), letters of opposition by the National League of Commission Merchants, New York City, and copies of legislative bills. Includes also a typescript report (99 pp.) of minutes of the meeting of the Joint Senate and Assembly Committees on Agriculture, presided over by FDR, Feb. 10, 1913.

Correspondence and other papers, relating primarily to ten bills introduced by FDR when he was Chairman of the Senate Forest, Fish, and Game Committee. The correspondence is with Conservation Commission officials, conservation societies, sportsmen's clubs, and others, and deals with such legislative subjects as the conservation of timber on public and private lands, the protection of watersheds, open and closed seasons on fish and game, hunting and fishing licenses, the establishment of game farms, and the stocking of lakes and the distribution of pheasant eggs. Among the organizations and individuals represented in this file are the Camp-Fire Club of America, the New York Association for Protection of Game, Remington Arms Company, the Oystermen's Protective Association, the National Association of Audubon Societies, the American Scenic and Historic Preservation Society, and the Legal Aid Society. Also included are minutes of committee hearings, memoranda, petitions from Dutchess County constituents, work notes, copies of bills (some with pencilled notes and revisions), and printed material.

Chiefly letters by educators and other constituents supporting or opposing proposed legislation relating to State normal schools, teachers' retirement and pensions, consolidation of rural schools, appointment and licensing of teachers, and schools for the blind. Organizations represented are the Executive Committee of Public Education Association, International Sunshine Society of New York, and the Board of Education of New York City.

28. Erie County Division Bill. May 1911. 5 items.

Letters from Buffalo, N.Y., citizens protesting against a "ripper bill" for the establishment of new boundaries in Erie County, and FDR's replies, indicating his opposition to bill.


Letters from the Women's Trade Union League and from the Committee on Safety of the City of New York supporting fire protection legislation for "first-class" cities, and letters from Columbia, Dutchess, and Putnam County school officials opposing legislation to transfer the responsibilities for fire drills to the State fire marshal; and FDR's replies.
30. **Health Bills.** April 1911 - March 1913. 18 items.

Letters, sometimes with accompanying resolutions, from Dutchess County constituents and others commenting on legislation for the control of tuberculosis, vaccination of school children, transfer of New York Port quarantine functions to the Federal Government, the discontinuance of town boards of health, and the improvement of sanitary conditions in hotels. Correspondents outside Dutchess County include Thomas W. Salmon, Director of Special Studies for the National Committee for Mental Hygiene, New York City, and Walter M. Winn, representing the United Commercial Travelers of America, Utica, N.Y.

31. **Highway Bills.** Feb. 1911 - March 1913. 2 in.

Letters, petitions, resolutions and other papers, including FDR's replies, pertaining chiefly to legislation affecting the construction and maintenance of county and State roads in Dutchess, Columbia, and Putnam Counties, abolition of the State Highway Commission, the selection of highway patrolman, the use of convict labor on roads, and the control of reckless driving. Other papers present are a certificate, signed by Governor John A. Dix, appointing FDR a delegate to the annual convention of the American Road Builders Association at Cincinnati (Dec. 16, 1912); a legal opinion by Thomas Carmody, State Attorney General,
on the distribution of surplus highway funds; a statement (undated) apparently prepared by FDR for delivery before an unidentified legislative committee on highway legislation, 9 pp. (typescript).

32. Hospital Bills. April 1911 - March 1913. ½ in.

Letters from constituents, reciting alleged conditions in Matteawan State Hospital, Fishkill, N.Y., and demanding an investigation of that institution; letters discussing appropriations for a State hospital at West Haverstraw, N.Y., for the care of deformed and crippled children; a letter from the National Training School for Certified Nurses, opposing a bill to limit State registration of nurses to hospital trainees; and FDR's replies.


Letters from businessmen, volunteer-firemen organizations, and others, chiefly in protest against bills authorizing mutual insurance companies to operate in New York State; FDR's replies; and a copy of one of the bills.


FDR's correspondence with lawyers, court officials, and others, pertaining to bills to make the magistrates of New York City subject to election by electors in the district, to cloak court attendants with the power of peace officers, to make Judge A. Pryor an Official Referee of the Supreme
Court, to provide for temporary appointments of court inter-
preters, and to amend the Judiciary Law in relation to the
qualifications of attorneys and counsellors. Among the
persons represented are Harold A. Content, attorney; John
A. Kelley, Deputy County Clerk of Dutchess County; and William
E. Rogers, attorney. Typescript copies of legislation are
included in some cases.

Correspondence with church groups, civic agencies,
employers, labor organizations, and others, commenting on
labor bills for a shorter work week, workmen's compensation,
safety appliances in factories, and the regulation of
child employment in cannery sheds. Among the organizations
involved are the National Consumers League, the National
Child Labor Committee, the New York State Federation of
Labor, the Central Federation of Labor (Albany), the
Presbyterian Board of Home Missions, the Employers Li-
ability Association (of New York City), the Buffalo Child
Labor Committee, the Employers Association (of Niagara Falls),
and the Poughkeepsie Trade and Labor Council.
36. **Liquor Bills.** March 1911 - March 1913. 2 in.

Letters, some from temperance organizations, commenting on bills for the control and sale of liquors; and FDR's replies. Included are letters from Maj. Gen. Thomas H. Barry, United States Military Academy at West Point, discussing the prohibition of sale of liquor to Cadets in uniform, and a related letter by Henry L. Stimson, Secretary of War; and circulars of the New York Anti-Saloon League in New York City.

37. **Mercantile Licensing Bill.** March - April 1911. 7 items.

Letters, chiefly from businessmen, opposing a bill introduced by Senator Stephen J. Stillwell for the licensing and regulation of mercantile agencies; and FDR's replies. Includes a circular letter from the National Association of Credit Men, New York City.

38. **Military Bills.** July 1911 - Feb. 1913. 10 items.

FDR's correspondence with New York State National Guard personnel and others relating to salaries, retirement, and other legislative matters involving the National Guard. Includes a memorandum by Maj. Gen. John F. O'Ryan, Commanding General of New York State National Guard, containing statistical data on salaries of National Guard officers, and a petition from the United Colored Democracy, New York City, asking FDR to support legislation to organize a Negro regiment in National guard.

Letters, telegrams, and petitions from automobile dealers, automobile clubs, insurance companies, industrial firms, grange chapters, and others (one of them the Association of Horse Owners), commenting on various motor vehicle bills pending in the Legislature, including a bill (S. 467, in 1912), introduced by FDR, requiring all motor vehicle tires sold in the State to be dated.


Correspondence, chiefly with municipal officials in New York State, regarding bills to authorize the issuance of bonds in Fishkill and Hudson, N.Y., for the construction of streets, and bills to permit the authorities in Port Chester, N.Y., to compensate Philip B. Gaynor for professional services rendered in 1919. Includes typescript copies of the above bills.


Letters to FDR protesting against the stringency of the Walker bill (S. 692) also known as "Cocaine Bill," regulating the quantity of cocaine used by hay fever and asthma victims; and FDR's replies.
Correspondence with persons and organizations, chiefly in New York City, pertaining to the so-called Gaynor Charter (named after William J. Gaynor, Mayor of New York City), introduced into the State Legislature in March 1911 and opposed by FDR and other Senators. Many of the letters, telegrams, and related papers supporting the charter because of its provisions for "equal pay to men and women teachers"; among the supporters are Lina E. Gano, president of the Association of Women High School Teachers in New York City, and the Interborough Association of Women Teachers. Most of the remaining letters are opposed to the Charter; among the critics are Frederick Coudert, attorney in New York City; Lyman T. Abbott, editor of the Outlook Magazine; Edward A. Conger, Poughkeepsie attorney; John Purvey Mitchell, President of the Board of Aldermen in New York City; William H. Maxwell, New York City Superintendent of Schools; the Public Education Association; and the United Spanish War Veterans of New York. FDR's replies occasionally contain his discussions of various features of the bill. Other items in this file are a typescript copy (12 pp.) of Amendments to the Charter, and a printed pamphlet sponsored by units of the Brooklyn League, the People's Institute, and the Public Education Association.
43. Bill to Compensate Heirs of Philip Philipse. March - July 1912. ½ in.

FDR's correspondence relating to bill to compensate heirs of Philip Philipse for giving up claims to certain mining and mineral rights in Putnam and Dutchess Counties. Includes letters opposing and supporting the bill, legal memoranda, a 3-page summary by FDR, and related newspaper clippings.

44. Primary and Election Bills. Feb. 1911 - March 1913. 1 in.

Correspondence with municipal and county officials, attorneys, reform associations, constituents, and others pertaining to legislation governing elections and direct primaries, especially the Wagner bill (1911) to discontinue the use of voting machines, the Ferris-Hinman bill (1911) governing primary ballots, the Sullivan bill (1911) to provide for popular election of New York City magistrates, and three bills, introduced by FDR, dealing with the election of party committeemen in New York City, the use of party funds for certain expenses in the 1912 primaries (a copy of the bill is included), and a separate ballot for candidates for judicial offices. Correspondents in this file include Theron Akin, U.S. Congressman from the 25 New York District, Louis Van Hoesen, Mayor of Hudson, N.Y., Judge William H. Wadhaus, New York City, the Kings County Lawyers' Association in Brooklyn, and the Short Ballot Organization in New York City, of which Woodrow Wilson was national president.

Correspondence with charitable organizations and others, chiefly with respect to a proposed prison at Hopewell Junction, N.Y., and a proposed State farm and industrial colony for vagrants in Dutchess County. Organizations represented include the Joint Application Bureau, the Charity Organization Society, and United Hebrew Charities.

46. Race-Track Gambling Bills. April - July 1911. ½ in.

Letters, many with petitions, from persons and church organizations in Dutchess County and other communities, protesting against bills to eliminate liability of directors of race-track associations and to liberalize the law regarding "book making." Baptist, Presbyterian, Methodist and Friends organizations are represented. Among the documents in support of the legislation is a resolution from village authorities of Saratoga Springs, N.Y. FDR's replies are included.
Letters from city and State officials, attorneys, railroad executives, merchants, labor officials, farmers, and others, commenting on bills relating to improvement of railway tracks and freight terminals in New York City, the liability of railroad companies for fire damage caused by trains, freight and passenger rates and rate fixing, condemnation of private property for the benefit of public carriers, the size of train crews, and the granting of transfers to commuters on the surface railways of Manhattan and the Bronx in New York City. Among the individuals and organizations represented in this file are Thomas C. Harden, Chairman, Committee on Railroads, New York State Senate; Ira A. Place, Vice President, New York Central and Hudson River Rail Road Company; Harry E. Colwell, Mayor of New Rochelle, N.Y.; Delbert R.H. Coatsworth, Buffalo, N.Y., an attorney; Stein-Bloch Co., Rochester, N.Y.; Order of Railroad Telegraphers; and the Amalgamated Association of Street and Electric Railway Employees of America.

Form letters on post cards, received by FDR from constituents in his district, each containing checkmarked comments on proposed legislation for protection of Sabbath, gambling control, liquor control, direct primary, and shorter work week; and FDR's routine acknowledgments. These post cards apparently were part of an organized effort, the source of which is unknown, to influence the State Legislature on these subjects.

49. Stocks and Stock-Exchange Bills. April 1911 - March 1913. ½ in.

Letters from members of the New York Stock Exchange, brokerage firms, investment bankers, and others, protesting against bills to prohibit "short" sales of stock, to incorporate the New York Stock Exchange under State law, and to increase the State transfer tax on securities.


Letters from Brooklyn persons and organizations, including the Broadway Board of Trade and the 28th Ward Taxpayers' Protective Association, opposing a bill authorizing the construction of a street railway on Greene Ave., Brooklyn; and FDR's replies.

Letters, telegrams, and petitions from ministers, church and civic groups, and other constituents opposing bills to permit outdoor athletic events on Sunday and to authorize local authorities to legalize Sunday baseball. Also present are a few letters from New York City retail butchers opposing legislation to permit opening of meat shops on Sunday; and a few opposing a bill relating to the observance of the Sabbath on Saturday or Friday. In addition, there are scattered letters recommending other "Blue Law" subjects, such as compulsory attendance at church. FDR's replies are included.


Letters from businessmen in New York State and Connecticut, and FDR's replies, commenting on legislation to prevent infringements of trade marks. Among the organizations supporting such legislation are the Beech-Nut Packing Company, Canajoharie, N.Y., Cheney Brothers, South Manchester, Conn., and Cravenette Company, New York City. Opposition is voiced by the Manufacturers' Association of New York City, which claims that the proposed legislation was drafted in the interest of Eastern manufacturers using English trade marks.

FDR's letters to New York members of the United States Congress and to others, discussing his resolution for an amendment to the U.S. Constitution in regard to uniform laws in the various states on the subject of divorce; and replies.

54. Up-State City Charter Bills. March 1911 - March 1913. ½ in.

Correspondence with State and local officials, business­men, corporation counsels, and others pertaining to charter legislation for up-State cities, notably Beacon, Hudson, Corning, Buffalo, Poughkeepsie, and Troy. Two of the bills were introduced by FDR (Beacon, 1911, and Hudson, 1913). Includes a letter by Dr. James M. DeGarmo, a Fishkill, N.Y., author, on the Beacon charter bill.


Letters to FDR, some from outside New York, opposing the Bayne-Hoeby bill (establishing a Commission of Inquiry into Vivisection) and supporting the Pollock-Parker bill (giving the Board of Regents supervisory authority over the inspection of laboratories where vivisection is practiced); and FDR's replies.
56. **Women's Suffrage Amendment.** Jan. 1911 - March 1912. 1 in.

Letters from constituents, especially women in Columbia, Dutchess, and Putnam Counties, urging FDR to support an amendment to the U.S. Constitution to provide for the franchise for women; and FDR's replies. Correspondents include Anna G.W. Daley, Poughkeepsie attorney and civic leader, Lucy M. Salmon, professor at Vassar College, and chapters of Women's Christian Temperance Union in Dutchess and Columbia Counties.

57. **Miscellaneous Legislation.** Jan. 1911 - March 1913. 1½ in.

Letters and petitions to FDR commenting on miscellaneous legislative subjects such as the State civil and legal codes, old-age pensions, capital punishment, concealed weapons, explosives, property and tax laws, employment agency regulations, statute of limitations, mothers' pensions, and weights and measures; and FDR's replies. Also included are two summaries by FDR on various legislative measures. Correspondents include the American Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, the New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, the New York Congestion Committee, and Ogden Millà, New York City banker and neighbor of FDR.
Each of the 327 "Name Files" described below (files no. 58 to 385) represents a political or civic leader, a personal friend, or a constituent with whom FDR had a continuing correspondence that extended to more than a single subject of legislative or political business. In the entries that follow, each person has normally been identified in terms of the institution or interests that he represented at the time, and his correspondence with FDR is further described in terms of significant subjects or issues discussed.

Excluded from the series below are about 400 additional, minor name files that have been removed from the original series, as acquired from FDR, in the course of preparing this inventory. These additional name files were each limited to a single legislative or political matter already represented by a major subject file (in file nos. 1 to 57 passim), and so they were consolidated with those subject files. While this consolidation has resulted in "suppressing" some 400 personal-name file headings, the names nevertheless appear, if significant, in the descriptive entries for those subject files and also in the index at the end of this volume.

A letter from FDR inviting Miss Addams, of Hull House, Chicago, to speak in Albany on her social work. Reply not present.


Letters from above Company, machinery manufacturers in Poughkeepsie, commenting on proposed legislation affecting the certification of insurance brokers, improvement of freight terminals, and workmen's compensation. FDR's replies are not present.


Correspondence with Aikin, merchant and Democratic leader in Patterson, N.Y., on various subjects, including Party affairs in Putnam County, and a proposed county-road project.
61. Alexander Alison. May 1911 - July 1912. 5 items.
   Letters from a Cold Spring, N.Y., pastor. Include his comments on proposed Sunday baseball and liquor legislation. Replies by FDR not present.

   Poughquag, N.Y., minister's comments on Sunday baseball, liquor-control, and other legislation, and FDR's replies.

   6 items.
   Correspondence with Auchincloss, New York City broker and friend of FDR, regarding a proposed bill to increase the tax on sale and transfer of stock, and other matters.

64. LeRoy H. Austin. Jan. - March 1912. 4 items.
   Correspondence with Austin, an attorney in New York City, including one letter by Austin commenting on legislation affecting the New York Central Railroad's tracks on Eleventh Ave. in New York City.

   Correspondence with a Matteawan, N.Y., constituent as to the New York City charter bill, protection-of-Sabbath bills, and gambling laws.

   Correspondence with Bailey, Director of the New York State College of Agriculture at Cornell University, chiefly as to agricultural marketing legislation.
67. **George B. Barrell.** Nov. 1911 - Jan. 1912. 5 items.
Correspondence with Barrell, Buffalo, N.Y., attorney, chiefly with respect to a speech by FDR at the Saturn Club in Buffalo.

68. **Edmund L. Baylies.** Jan. - March 1913. 11 items.
Correspondence with Baylies, of FDR's former law firm (Carter, Ledyard, and Milburn), discussing Green Wood Cemetery bill, a bill to amend the Membership Corporation Law, and other matters.

69. **Howard Bayne.** March 1911 - Jan. 1913. 8 items.
Correspondence with Chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee, chiefly on legislative matters pertaining to the Laura Franklin Free Hospital for Children (in New York City), fish and game regulation, regulation of the manufacture and sale of motor-vehicle tires, and licensing of mercantile agencies.

70. **Russell Benedict.** March - May 1911. 4 items.
FDR's correspondence with Benedict, attorney and civic leader in New York City, including one exchange on the New York City Charter Bill, which they both opposed.

71. **Joseph B. Bisbee, Jr.** March 1911 - July 1912. 9 items.
Letters from Bisbee, principal of the Riverview Academy, Poughkeepsie, on behalf of Men's Club of the First Presbyterian Church in Poughkeepsie, commenting on Sunday baseball bills, the Commission Merchants Bill, and other legislation; FDR's replies.
72. **George S. Bixby.** Jan. 1912 - Feb. 1913. 16 items.

Correspondence with Bixby, editor of the Plattsburgh Star Republican, relating chiefly to legislation for the Battle of Plattsburgh centennial commission, of which FDR was a member. Other letters pertain to the commission merchants bill, the Empire State Democracy movement, and William Sulzer's Governorship campaign, and patronage matters.

73. **I. M. Blake.** March - April 1911. 3 items.

Letters from Miss Blake, editor of the Putnam County Republican, including one opposing a bill to discontinue the publication of State legislation in newspapers; and FDR's acknowledgment.

74. **Ralph Bowman.** Aug. - July 1911. 2 items.

Letters from Bowman, Secretary of Commission Government Association of New York State, commenting on Governor Dix's veto of the Beacon, N.Y., charter bill. FDR's replies are not present.

75. **Peter J. Brady.** May 1911. 4 items.

Letters from Brady, Secretary of the Allied Printing Trades Council, New York City, commenting on labor and fire protection bills; and FDR's replies.


Letters from above firm of attorneys in New York City, commenting on certain ambiguities in proposed labor and railroad legislation; and one of FDR's replies.

FDR's correspondence with Briggs, a friend and constituent of Hyde Park. Includes an invitation to FDR to join the Independent Order of Odd Fellows chapter in Hyde Park.

78. Franklin Brooks. July 1911 - Nov. 1912. 5 items.

Letters and memoranda from Brooks, State Assemblyman from the 17th District, New York County, relating to his resolution to change the U.S. President's term to six years, his bill for the regulation weights and measures, and other matters; and FDR's replies.


Includes letter from Brower, Secretary of the Independent Club of the West Side, New York City, discussing an enclosed resolution favoring non-partisan action in the appointment of a Public Service Commissioner, and other matters; and FDR's reply.

80. Lathrop Brown. April 1911 - Nov. 1912. 5 items.

Correspondence with Brown, former Harvard classmate, including letters by FDR discussing the Gittins racetrack-gambling bill, election-law reforms, and Democratic Party affairs in New York, and two congratulatory telegrams from Brown.

Congratulatory note from Bulkley, friend of FDR and a Republican(?) Congressman from Ohio, and FDR's reply.


Letters from Bullymore, Buffalo, N.Y., attorney, representing certain commercial fishermen at Lake Erie, asking for amendments to the fish and game laws so as to allow open season and no limit as to size for blue pike; and FDR's replies.

83. George B. Burd, March 1911 - Jan. 1913. 11 items.

Letters from Burd, Democratic "insurgent" and State Senator from Buffalo, pertaining largely to fish and game legislation, the Buffalo charter bill, the State Democratic Convention at Syracuse in 1912, and Burd's candidacy for the State Public Service Commission in 1913; and some of FDR's replies, one (Jan. 22, 1913) commenting on a conversation with President-Elect Woodrow Wilson on behalf of Burd.

84. O. W. Burkett. May 1911 - March 1913. 8 items.

Correspondence with Burkett, editor of the American Agriculturist. Includes a brief discussion of David Cohalan as a Tammany Hall candidate for Chief Justice of the New York State Supreme Court, May 1911.

Communications from Burlingham, New York City attorney and civic leader, most of them commenting on legislative subjects, such as the U.S. Senatorship issue in 1911, legal reform (peremptory challenges in civil and criminal cases), the use of public schools for public entertainment and recreation, narcotics control, and the New York City charter; and FDR's replies.

86. Guy Carleton. May 1911 - Feb. 1913. 7 items.

Letters from Carleton, New York City insurance broker, commenting on pending legislation to regulate insurance brokers and to provide for workmen's compensation; and FDR's replies.


FDR's correspondence with Carlisle, attorney and Democratic leader in Watertown, N.Y., on conservation and other matters, including legislation relating to fishing in Chaumont Bay.


FDR's correspondence with Carmody, New York State Attorney General. Includes a letter by Carmody objecting to a part of FDR's bill to codify conservation laws affecting the Attorney General's appointment authority; and a letter referring to a claim against the State by one James McDonald (q.v.).
The following, entry no. 81, of the Descriptive Inventory of Papers of Franklin D. Roosevelt as New York State Senator, 1910-1913, should read as follows:


Congratulatory note from Bulkley, friend of FDR and a Democratic Congressman from Ohio, and FDR's reply.
89. Proctor Carr. Feb. 1911. 2 items.

Congratulatory letter from Carr, former Harvard classmate of FDR, and FDR's reply commenting on the opening of his law office in New York City.

90. Walter Lester Carr. May 1911 - Mar. 1912. 6 items.

FDR's correspondence with Carr, New York City physician, chiefly discussion of Governor Dix's removal of Dr. A.H. Doty as Health Officer of Port of New York, and of the proposal to transfer the Port's quarantine functions to the Federal Government.


Letters from Case, public school principal in Staatsburg and Philmont, N.Y., chiefly requests for help in getting various State civil service appointments and comments on Democratic affairs in Dutchess County; and some of FDR's replies.


FDR's correspondence with Chanler, Assemblyman from the Second Assembly District (Dutchess County), including an invitation to Chanler to attend a Democratic meeting in behalf of Woodrow Wilson's Presidential nomination on April 10, 1912, a patronage letter by FDR in behalf of Frank Cleary of Hyde Park, and congratulatory messages.
93. **John Jay Chapman.** Oct. 1911. 1 item.

Letter from Chapman, author and dramatist of Barrytown, N.Y., commenting on the New York City charter bill, and on the "improvement" of State politics.

94. **G. H. Chesebro.** March 1911 – Feb. 1913. 11 items.

Letters from Chesebro, Methodist Episcopal minister and civic leader in Wingdale, N.Y., supporting anti-gambling, liquor-control, and protection-of-Sabbath bills; and FDR's replies.

95. **A. O. Choate.** Feb. – March 1911. 4 items.

Letters from Choate, New York City banker, requesting assistance in getting permission of the State Forest, Fish, and Game Commissioner to import breeding quail from Oklahoma; and FDR's replies.

96. **Joseph H. Choate, Jr.** March 1912. 3 items.

Letters from Choate, attorney in New York City, favoring revision of the civil code as to the serving of a judgment in equity cases outside New York State; and FDR's reply.

97. **Civil Service Reform Association.** March 1911 – Feb. 1913. ½ inch.

Letters from Albert De Hoede, Counsel, and George T. Keyes, Assistant Secretary, on various matters including the U.S. Senatorial candidacy of D. Cady Harrick; civil-service bills sponsored by the Association and introduced

Letters from George T. Keyes, Elliott H. Goodwin, and Albert De Roode, officers of the Association, on various matters including the U.S. Senatorial candidacy of D. Cady Harrick; civil-service bills sponsored by the Association and introduced by FDR; the New York City charter bill; and the affairs of the National Independent Democratic League. De Roode was also a member of the law firm of Marvin, Hooker, and Roosevelt.


Letters from Comerford of the Matteawan, N.Y., Evening Journal, commenting on the U.S. Senatorship contest in 1911, the 1912 campaign, publicity for the Richard E. Connell Memorial Association, and other matters; and FDR's replies.


Letters from Conkling, New York City attorney and "election-law specialist," commenting on proposed investigation of the State Banking Department, William F. Sheehan's candidacy for U. S. Senator, the New York City charter bill, and the Levy bill for the organization of boards of election; and some of FDR's replies.
100. **Richard E. Connell.** April 1911 - Jan. 1913. 18 items.

Correspondence with Connell, member of U.S. House of Representatives from FDR's home district, with whom FDR had campaigned in 1910. Includes letters by FDR commenting on U.S. Senatorship contest in the State Legislature, direct election of Senators, political conditions in the district; and a letter about Connell's death from his daughter. Some of Connell's letters to FDR, mentioned in FDR's replies, are missing.


Correspondence pertaining to the affairs of the Association, of which FDR was president. Correspondents include Joseph Morschauer (State Supreme Court Justice in Poughkeepsie), Champ Clark (Speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives), and others.


Letters from Connor, Clerk of the Board of Supervisors, Columbia County, one discussing a State Senate clerkship being sought by Connor and the others enclosing copies of the Board's resolutions favoring the repeal of certain election laws.

103. **Richard T. Conover, Jr.** Feb. 1911. 1 item.

Congratulatory letter from Conover, boyhood acquaintance.
10 items.

Chiefly FDR's letters to State Conservation Commission, referring conservation suggestions, applications for breeding fish, and applications for positions from constituents.

105. Thomas F. Conway. April - Aug. 1912. 6 items.

FDR's correspondence with Conway, Lieutenant Governor of New York. Most of the letters are by FDR and discussing the appointment of him and others to the Plattsburgh centennial commission and to the State Legislature's special committee to investigate forestry, fish, and game matters. Included is FDR's invitation to Conway to attend an Empire State Democracy dinner on April 12, 1912.


Letter from Cosad, Democratic leader and Assemblyman from Seneca County: one urging FDR to announce his candidacy for Governor and discussing FDR's potential strength in Seneca County; another asking FDR's support of Cosad's fish-protection bill; and another, opposing a bill to tax "beef scrap." FDR's replies, if any, are not present.

Letters from Cossum, Poughkeepsie, N.Y., attorney, one supporting a bill to regulate the sale of diseased and disabled animals at auction marts, and the others, relating to a notary-public appointment; and FDR's replies.


Invitation from Couse, Bangall, N.Y., to a political rally at Bangall.


Letters from Cowles, representing the Postal Progress League, asking for FDR's support of Federal parcel-post legislation and for FDR's attendance at a convention of the League; and replies.

110. Samuel B. Crane. Feb. - July 1911. 9 items.

FDR's correspondence with Crane, a Lake Mahopac, N.Y., Democratic leader. Crane's letters contain protests against a bill involving the sanitary protection of the Croton watershed and against a bill for the regulation of milk prices; a request to be appointed as State Commissioner of Agriculture; and a few patronage requests.

111. Crocker Land Expedition. March - May 1912. 3 items.

Letters from Dr. Edmund Otis Hovey of the Crocker Land Expedition (organized under the auspices of the American Museum of Natural History and the American Geographical Society for exploration in the north) acknowledging a contribution to the Expedition, sent by FDR and discussing its work; and one letter by FDR.

Letters from Cummins, Protestant Episcopal rector in
Poughkeepsie and chairman of Social Service Commission
(of the New York Diocese), commenting on various bills in
the State Senate and discussing the appointment of a new
rector in the St. James Church in Hyde Park; and FDR's
replies.

113. Josephus Daniels. March 1913. 3 items.

Correspondence with Daniels, Secretary of the Navy,
containing follow-up details on appointment of FDR as
Assistant Secretary of the Navy.


FDR's correspondence with Davis, a friend and constituent
of Stone House, N.Y., on political matters in Dutchess
County, chiefly with respect to the financing and con­
struction of a State road from West Pawling to Holmes,
N.Y.

115. George P. Decker. May & July 1911. 3 items.

Correspondence with
Letter from Decker, Counsel for the State Forest, Fish,
and Game Commission. One letter refers to the "long sault
case," the others to an appointment, as a member of that
Commission, sought by Decker.

116. W. S. Decker. April 1911 - Jan. 1913. 8 items.

Letters from Decker, publisher of the Hudson, N.Y.,
Register, commenting on the reappropriation of funds for
the improvement of New York State canals, and on legislation
regarding the salary of sealers of weights and measures in
second- and third-class cities; and FDR's replies.
117. **Frederic A. Delano.** April 1911 (?). 1 item.

A single, undated letter from Delano, uncle of FDR, congratulating him on the outcome of U.S. Senatorship contest, and commenting generally on reforms and reformers.

118. **Warren Delano.** Jan. 1911 - Aug. 1912. 5 items.

FDR correspondence with Warren Delano, an uncle. Included are comments exchanged on proposed legislation affecting the licensing of registered nurses.

119. **William H. Dempsey.** May 1912. 1 item.

Letter from Dempsey, Democratic leader of Monroe County, N.Y., urging FDR to announce his candidacy for Governor of New York State. FDR's reply, if any, is not present.

120. **John J. Dillon.** Dec. 1912 - Feb. 1913. 11 items.

Correspondence with John Dillon, publisher of the *Rural New Yorker*, on the commission merchants bill, on the improvement of farm credit, and other agricultural reforms.


FDR's correspondence with Dix, Governor of New York, consists only of a single letter from Dix announcing a hearing in his office on a proposed "tramp farm" in Dutchess County, and a related petition from certain Dutchess County property owners.
122. John J. Donnelly. March 1912. 4 items.

Correspondence with Donnelly, an attorney in Fishkill Landing, N.Y., chiefly in regard to a complaint by Donnelly against the New York Telephone Company involving action by the State Public Service Commission. One letter by FDR also refers to certain unidentified labor legislation.


Letters from Doughty, Fishkill, N.Y., attorney, commenting chiefly on the Beacon city charter bill and various bills for regulating the accumulated reserves of saving banks; and FDR's replies.


Letter from Drowne, Canaan, N.Y., constituent, opposing the U.S. reciprocity treaty with Canada, and the bill to abolish the State Highway Commission; and FDR's reply, favoring a "single-headed" highway executive.


Letters from Drummond, Democratic leader and attorney in Auburn, N.Y., commenting on the U.S. Senatorship contest in 1911, the influence of Tammany Hall, political conditions in Cayuga County (1911), the State Democratic Convention at Syracuse (1912), and other matters; and FDR's replies.

Two letters from Du Bois, of the Poughkeepsie Sunday Courier, relating to his assistance in FDR's campaigns in 1910 and 1912, respectively.

127. Lawrence Boardman Dunham. May 1912 - Feb. 1913. 16 items.

Letters from Dunham as Secretary of the New York State Wilson Conference, relating to the pre-convention campaign on behalf of Woodrow Wilson as the Democratic candidate for President; and later correspondence with FDR, chiefly as to campaign matters in 1912 and to a Federal patronage appointment being sought by Dunham.


Letter, with enclosed resolution, from Duryee, Mayor of Schenectady and President of the State Conference of Mayors, endorsing "home rule" for cities, a uniform assessment of real property; and FDR's acknowledgment.

129. Robert Earl. April 1911 - Nov. 1912. 9 items.

Correspondence with Earl, member of the State Highway Commission, discussing highway legislation in 1911, and the anti-Tammany movement in the State Democratic organization in 1912, and other matters; and some of FDR's replies.

Correspondence regarding FDR's nomination of Elkus to the Board of Regents of the New York State Department of Education in 1911; and later correspondence in 1913 relating to legislation proposed by the New York State Factory Investigating Commission, of which Elkus was Chief Counsel.


Letters from above Hudson, N.Y., brewing firm, opposing workmen's compensation legislation and discussing other bills; and one of FDR's replies.

132. John K. Evans. April 1911 - June 1912. 7 items.

FDR's correspondence with Evans, State Assemblyman from Sullivan County and one of the Democratic "insurgents," on various subjects—including direct-nomination legislation, the New York State Wilson Conference, and a patronage matter, and other subjects.

133. T. Harvey Ferris. April - May 1912. 3 items.

Letters from Ferris, Utica attorney and State Senator from Oneida County, discussing the investigation of hydro-electric power by the Senate Committee on Commerce and Navigation, of which he was chairman; and one of FDR's replies.
   FDR's correspondence with Finch, constituent of Hyde Park, N.Y., relating chiefly to Finch's complaint, involving the Public Service Commission, about high telephone rates in Hyde Park.

   Correspondence with Fish, Garrison, N.Y., relating to various political matters, patronage matters, and Fish's plan to organize direct-primary leagues in each State Assembly District.

136. Stuyvesant Fish. Sept. 1911 - March 1913. 21 items.
   Correspondence with Fish, New York City attorney, relating to various legislative proposals, including the New York City charter bill, exemption of watershed lands of the Catskill Aqueduct from taxation, and the 16th Amendment (income-tax amendment) to the U.S. Constitution. One of FDR's replies discusses his views on taxation generally. Also included are clippings, reports, and pamphlets on the above subjects sent by Fish.

137. Thomas D. Fitzgerald. Nov. 1912. 3 items.
   Letters from Fitzgerald, representing the New York State Federation of Labor, discussing workmen's compensation and other legislative matters; and one of FDR's replies.
138. Frank S. Flagg. March 1912. 2 items.

Letters by Frank S. Flagg, President of the New York Credit Men's Association, supporting proposed penal legislation on larceny and forgery. FDR's replies, if any, are not present.


FDR's correspondence with Flinsch, an engineer in New York City, chiefly regarding legislation for the protection of ducks on Long Island and other conservation matters.

140. James Forrestal. April 1911 - Feb. 1913. 25 items.

Letters from James Forrestal (Sr.), friend of the Roosevelt family in Matteawan, N.Y., commenting on U.S. Senatorship contest in 1911, opposing FDR's stand on the Murtaugh highway bill (1911), and discussing highway bills, other legislative matters, including the Beacon city charter and the State Hospital at Matteawan; and FDR's replies.

141. Austen G. Fox. March 1911. 2 items.

Letters from Fox, attorney in New York City, opposing the income-tax amendment (16th Amendment) to the U.S. Constitution. FDR's replies, if any, are not present.
142. **Clement C. Gaines.** March 1911 - March 1913. 5 items.

Letters from Gaines, President of Eastman Business College, Poughkeepsie, opposing pending legislation to restrict the employment of girls under 18 years of age, and supporting other legislation, including liquor-control and protection-of-Sabbath bills; and FDR's replies.

143. **Robert H. Gardiner, Jr.** Jan.-Feb. 1911. 2 items.

Letter from Gardiner, Boston, Mass., attorney, objecting to New York State inheritance law as discriminatory against out-of-State investors; and FDR's reply.

144. **Frank S. Gardner.** July 1911 - March 1912. 5 items.

Letters from Gardner, Secretary of the New York Board of Trade and Transportation, commenting on barge-canal and trade-marks legislation; and FDR's acknowledgments.

145. **William J. Gaynor.** March - Sept. 1911. 6 items.

Correspondence with Gaynor, Mayor of New York City, relating to the U.S. Senatorship contest and New York City charter bill. Included is a copy of a letter from Samuel Untermyer to Gaynor.
146. Richmond H. Gesner. Jan.-June 1911. 3 items.

Letters from Rev. Gesner, rector of St. James Protestant Episcopal Church in Hyde Park during FDR's boyhood, congratulating FDR on his political career and reminiscing about the past. FDR's replies are not present.


Letters from Gilbert, Executive Secretary of the Social Service Commission of the Protestant Episcopal Church, supporting proposed legislation on child labor and the Roosevelt-Jackson "One Day of Rest in Seven" bill; and FDR's acknowledgments.


FDR's correspondence with Mrs. Glass, representing the Daughters of the American Revolution chapter in Poughkeepsie, relating to the appropriation of funds by the State to restore the historic Governor Clinton House in Poughkeepsie.

149. Mark Goldberg. March-Feb. 1913. 2 items.

Letter from Mark Goldberg, State Assemblyman from the 18th District, New York County, regarding legislation affecting transfers on Bronx and Manhattan railroads; and a letter from FDR asking Goldberg's Judiciary Committee to report out FDR's Green Wood Cemetery Bill. Related letters are not present.

Correspondence with Gore, U.S. Senator from Oklahoma and member of Democratic National Committee headquarters, including drafts of an "open letter" (?) by FDR explaining his support of Woodrow Wilson for President.


Letters and a petition from Graham, Fishkill, N.Y., banker, opposing the Beacon charter bill sponsored by FDR; and one of FDR's replies.

152. B. Frank Greene. April - June 1911. 4 items.

Letters from Greene, Town Supervisor of Fishkill, N.Y., endorsing Albert J. Conklin, Matteawan, N.Y., as game inspector, and supporting the Beacon charter bill; and FDR's replies.


Letters from Greene, general manager of the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research, chiefly in opposition to various anti-vivisection bills; and FDR's replies.


Letters from Randolph C. Grew, Boston, Mass., broker, asking FDR to intercede with President-elect Woodrow Wilson and the State Department in behalf of his brother, Joseph C. Grew, First Secretary of the U.S. Embassy in Berlin, in view of change of administration to take place on March 4, 1913; and FDR's reply.
   Correspondence with Griffin, State Senator from the
   22nd District (New York City).

156. C. W. Griffith. Jan. 1911 - July 1912. 2 items.
   Letters from Griffith, New York City industrialist
   and Brewster resident, one of them inviting FDR to a
   dinner at Brewster, N.Y., at which Congressmen Richard
   E. Connell is to be present. FDR's replies are not present.

   Correspondence with Hackett, Poughkeepsie, N.Y.,
   attorney and friend of the Roosevelt family, on conserva-
   tion and other matters. One of FDR's replies is missing.

   Letters from Howard D. Hadley, Plattsburgh, N.Y.,
   a Vice-President of the Quebec-Miami International Highway
   Association, discussing the Association and inviting FDR
   to serve as a Vice-President in 1913; FDR's acceptance.
   Included also is a reference to the Plattsburgh historic
   site.

159. George A. Hall. June 1911 - March 1912. 4 items.
   FDR's correspondence with Hall, Secretary of the New
   York Child Labor Committee, regarding bills for a shorter
   working week for legalizing child labor in the sale and
   delivery of newspapers. One of Hall's letters is missing.
160. F. Hamilton. Feb. 1911. 2 items.

Letter from Hamilton, a Bradford, Pa., iron manufacturer, commenting on the U.S. Senatorship contest in the New York State Legislature, and an enclosed letter from T. Spellacy, Los Angeles, commenting on available Presidential candidates in 1912. FDR's reply is missing.

161. J. Q. Hammitt. March 1911 - March 1913. 5 items.

Letters from J. Q. Hammitt, Manager of the Municipal Government Association of New York State, commenting on the short ballot, municipal home rule, and other matters. FDR's replies, if any, are missing.

162. Benjamin Hammond. March 1911 - March 1912. 17 items.

Letters from Hammond, Fishkill, N.Y., commenting on the Beacon charter bill, the reform of election laws, and other legislation; and FDR's replies.

163. J. A. Hanna. Aug. 1911 - June 1912. 2 items.

Letters from Hanna, constituent of Dover Plains, N.Y., including a speaking invitation to FDR.

164. Montgomery Hare. March 1911 - July 1912. 9 items.

Letters from Hare, attorney in New York City and friend of FDR, on the U.S. Senatorship contest in 1911, the income-tax amendment to the U.S. Constitution, the New York City charter bill, direct nominations, and the Democratic National Convention in June 1912; and FDR's replies.
FDR's correspondence with Hasbrouck, Dutchess County Judge, Poughkeepsie, N.Y., regarding a legislative proposal to restrict the practice of law by county judges and surrogates, and the Connell Memorial Association.

166. Webster D. Hasbrouck. July 1911 - March 1912. 3 items.
Letters from Hasbrouck, Poughkeepsie, attorney, supporting anti-gambling and protection-of-Sabbath bills, and opposing a 54 hour-a-week labor bill; and one of FDR's replies.

167. C. Augustus Haviland. March 1911 - March 1912. 6 items.
Letters from Haviland, New York City real-estate broker, commenting on the New York City charter bill, the U.S. Senatorship contest, the State Public Service Commission, and other matters; and FDR's replies.

Letters from Herrick, Democratic leader in Rhinebeck, N.Y., chiefly on patronage matters in Dutchess County.

169. J. W. Hinkley, Jr., May 1911. 2 items.
Letter from Hinkley, Poughkeepsie newspaperman and railroad executive, protesting against proposed legislation to require railway cars to be equipped with auxiliary brakes and to tax advertising in railroad cars; and FDR's reply.

Correspondence with Hinkley, Poughkeepsie inter-urban railroad executive, including Hinkley's comments on Governor Dix's administration.

171. Mary Hinkley. May 1911 - March 1913. 9 items.

FDR's correspondence with Mary Hinkley (Mrs. J.W. Hinkley), Poughkeepsie civic leader, chiefly regarding her appointment as manager of the State Training School for Girls at Hudson, N.Y., and the later affairs of that institution.


Letters from Hinkley, publisher of the Poughkeepsie (N.Y.) News-Press, containing patronage endorsements (including one for Du Bois Collier, Negro constituent of Poughkeepsie) and supporting appropriations for the institution for feeble-minded at Letchworth Village; and FDR's replies.


Letters from Hoag, President of the Board of Aldermen, Poughkeepsie, supporting freight-terminal improvement bills and opposing labor legislation providing for a shorter working week; and FDR's replies.

Letters from Hoes, attorney in New York City, one discussing a bill to annex part of Westchester County to New York City, and another, inviting FDR to speak before the Columbia County Association in the City of New York; and FDR's replies.

175. M. H. Hoover. May - July 1911. 4 items.

Letters from Hoover, managing editor of the Lockport Union-Sun, a Democratic paper, asking FDR to support his candidacy for appointment as a member of the Forest, Fish, and Game Commission; FDR's favorable reply; and a letter by FDR commenting on a book, Wild Ginger, by Hoover.


Letters from Hopper, a civil engineer in New York City, commenting on direct primary bills, bills for the construction of subways in New York City, and other legislative matters; and FDR's replies.

177. Augustus S. Houghton. March - May 1911. 5 items.

FDR's correspondence with Houghton, attorney and officer of the Camp-Fire Club of America, on various conservation matters.

Three letters from Howe, FDR's campaign manager in the 1912 re-election campaign, dealing with various issues and personalities of the campaign. One letter (undated) to FDR as "... Future President." FDR's replies, if any, are not present.

179. Charles P. Howland. May - Sept. 1911. 3 items.

Letters from Howland, President of the Public Education Association, commenting on education legislation, including provisions of the New York City charter bill; and one of FDR's replies.


Correspondence with Hoysradt, Poughkeepsie, N.Y. attorney, pertaining to proposed amendments to the State civil code affecting the service of subpoenas on the Central New England Railroad Company, and other matters.


Letters and telegrams from Hoyt, State Assemblyman from FDR's home district, commenting on various political and legislative matters, including the Beacon charter bill, FDR's re-election campaign in 1912, and the Richard E. Connell Memorial Association; and FDR's replies.

Letters from Huppuch, Chairman of the State Democratic Committee and (later) a State Public Service Commissioner, one commenting on a patronage matter involving Samuel J. Tilden and one inviting FDR to a dinner of the Glens Falls (N.Y.) Club; and one of FDR's letters.


Letters from Huson, Commissioner of the State Department of Agriculture, one discussing the State Fair and the other, the commission merchants bill. FDR's replies, if any, are not present.

184. Raymond V. Ingersoll. May 1911 - Feb. 1912. 2 items.

Letters from Ingersoll, chairman of the Committee on Congestion of Population in New York, commenting on a proposed State directory describing business opportunities in communities over 1,000 people, and opposing the tax rate on buildings in New York City. FDR's replies not present.

185. Floy M. Johnston. April 1911 - March 1912. 8 items.

Letters from Johnston, President of the Poughkeepsie Savings Bank, opposing pending legislation to increase the reserves of saving banks, and discussing other matters; and FDR's replies.
Letter from Rev. Jones, a Tivoli, N.Y., minister and independent Republican, approving FDR's political record and pledging his support; and FDR's reply, containing a discussion of the independent vote.

Letters from Rev. Jordan, South Amenia, N.Y., supporting FDR's stand in the U.S. Senatorship contest in the State legislature and protesting pending legislation to legalize Sunday amusements.

168. Matthew Kennedy. April - May 1911. 5 items.
FDR's correspondence with Kennedy, Hudson, N.Y., regarding certain litigation involving Kennedy and the State's conservation authorities.

Letters from Kennedy, Secretary of New York Association for Labor Legislation, summarizing the history of workmen's compensation in New York, discussing the "One Day Of Rest" bills; and supporting bills to regulate child labor in cannery sheds; and FDR's replies.

FDR's correspondence with Ketcham, a White Plains, N.Y., constituent, pertaining to patronage matters and other subjects. One letter by FDR contains his recollections of General John H. Ketcham, congressman from Dutchess County area, 1866-88.

FDR's correspondence with Kingsbury, Secretary of the State Conference of Chairities and Correction, relating to a proposed farm and industrial colony for tramps and vagrants, and to appropriations for a mental institution at Letchworth Village.


Letters from Knapp, a Carmel, N.Y., constituent, chiefly commenting on political affairs in Putnam County; and one of FDR's replies.


Letters from Knickerbocker, Bangall, N.Y., discussing patronage matters, sentiment in Syracuse in favor of FDR's nomination for the Governorship (Jan. 25, 1912), and the commission merchants bill; and some of FDR's replies.

194. L. Augustus Krum. Feb.-April 1911. 4 items.

Letters from Krum, Poughkeepsie constituent, supporting Edward M. Shepard for U.S. Senator and commenting on pending legislation to abolish the State Highway Commission; and FDR's replies.


One letter from Krumbhaar, friend of the Roosevelt family, written from Paris, France, congratulating FDR on his election as State Senator and mentioning various items of personal interest to the two families.
196. Carlton E. Ladd. May 1911. 5 items.

Letters from Ladd, Secretary of the Bar Association of Erie County, Buffalo, chiefly in protest against pending legislation for the redistricting of Erie County and legislation to abolish the Commissioner of Jurors; and one of FDR's replies.

197. Walter Laidlaw. March 1912- March 1913. 5 items.

Letters from Laidlaw, Executive Secretary of the New York Federation of Churches, chiefly in support of pending labor legislation for the restriction of child labor in cannery sheds and for a shorter work week, and legislation to create a commission to inquire into the present distribution of population in New York State; and FDR's replies.


Letters from Landon, Staatsburg, N.Y., including a speaking invitation on behalf of the Dutchess County Society of New York and letters on the campaign of 1912; and FDR's replies.


Letters from Landon, Staatsburg, N.Y., discussing direct-primary, agricultural, and commission-merchant legislation. Includes an invitation to Theodore Roosevelt to address a political rally in Hyde Park (May 25, 1911), congratulatory messages, and FDR's replies.
200. Townsend Lawrence. March 1911 - March 1913. 6 items.

Letters from Lawrence, friend of FDR, commenting chiefly on pending conservation and stock-transfer tax legislation.


Copy of letter from FDR to Lavery, State Civil Service Commissioner, referring obscurely to a certain George D. Wasson and commenting on the "power of removal bill" affecting civil-service seniority of firemen; and a letter from Lavery to FDR, also containing an obscure reference. Other letters were apparently exchanged, but they are not present.


Letters from Lawrence, Secretary of New York Association for the Protection of Game, chiefly invitations to FDR to attend Association dinners and to join the Association; and FDR's replies, commenting on conservation matters.


Letters from Miss Lente, Chairman, Putnam County branch of the Women's Political Union, chiefly in solicitation of FDR's support for women's suffrage; and one of FDR's replies.

204. Albert Leonard. March - May 1911. 5 items.

Letters from Leonard, Superintendent of Schools, New Rochelle, N.Y., commenting on the U.S. Senatorship contest and proposed legislation to annex New Rochelle, Mount Vernon, and Yonkers to New York City.
205. **O. F. Lewis.** May - June 1911. 6 items.

Letters from Lewis, General Secretary of the Prison Association of New York, supporting legislation to establish a farm and industrial colony for tramps and vagrants; and FDR's replies.

206. **Stephen V. Lewis.** July 1912. 2 items.

Letters from Lewis, a Cohoes, N.Y., manufacturer and Democratic leader, supporting Woodrow Wilson for President and commenting on the campaign of 1912. FDR's replies, if any, are not present.

207. **Ben B. Lindsey.** Feb. 1913. 2 items.

Congratulatory letter from Lindsey, Judge of the Juvenile Court, Denver, Colo., and FDR's reply.


Letters from Livingston, Tivoli, N.Y., one discussing Edward M. Shepard as U.S. Senatorial candidate, and the other urging repeal of 16th Amendment (income tax) to the U.S. Constitution. FDR's replies, if any, are not present.

Letters from Loomis, State Senator representing the
48th District (Buffalo), chiefly in regard to the reform
of New York State election laws affecting the direct primary
and the judiciary, including copies of letters from Loomis
to Governor-elect William Sulzer, and to State Senator John
F. Murtaugh, and to others; and other Loomis-FDR correspon­
dence, relating to the Empire State Democracy movement and
other matters.

210. Franklin B. Lord, Jr. March - July 1911. 6 items.

Letters from Lord, New York City attorney and friend
of FDR, discussing pending legislation for the exemption
of watershed lands, owned by New York City, from local
taxation, and discussing other matters, including the
use of municipal waterworks by communities already served
by private utility companies; and FDR's replies.

211. Frank B. Lown. Jan. 1911 - Jan. 1913. 5 items.

FDR's correspondence with Lown, a Poughkeepsie
attorney, on various matters, including an unidentified
"hospital matter" and the Richard E. Connell Memorial
Association.


Letters from Ludington, Patterson, N.Y., Democratic
leader, relating to Putnam County political affairs and
other matters; and FDR's replies.
   FDR's correspondence with Lynch, Democratic leader of
   Poughkeepsie, pertaining to the 1912 re-election campaign,
   the Richard E. Connell Memorial Association (of which
   Lynch was Secretary), and other matters.

   Copies of FDR's letters to McCabe, Clerk of the State
   Senate, on patronage and other matters.

   Letter from McClintock, Putnam County constituent,
   favoring legislation to bar hotel keepers and saloon
   keepers from public office, and FDR's reply.

216. Archibald McCowan. March 1911. 2 items.
   Letter from McCowan, forwarding his book, Christ the
   Socialist, and commenting on State political affairs; and
   FDR's acknowledgment.

   Letters from McDonald, Sylvan, N.Y., constituent, one
   favoring Sylvan Lake as a site for a proposed State
   vagrancy farm and one claim against the State involving
   his grandfather, James McDonald, in the War of 1812.
219. John E. Mack. May 1911 - Jan. 1913. 9 items.

FDR's correspondence with Mack, Democratic leader and District Attorney of Dutchess County, on various matters, including endorsements for Daniel Cohalan for the New York Supreme Court, patronage matters involving Dutchess County office seekers, and the Richard E. Connell Memorial Association, of which Mack was a member.


Letter from McGarrahan, Albany, N.Y., insurance agent, favoring FDR as Governor of New York, and FDR's reply.


Letters from McLaughlin, President of the Brooklyn Democratic Club, commenting on direct primary legislation and the Empire State Democracy movement, and inviting FDR to speak before the Club; and FDR's replies.


Two letters, one on a conservation matter and the other unidentified.


Correspondence with Magill, President of the Pleasant Valley (N.Y.) Free Library, regarding arrangements for a series of lectures by FDR on the United States Navy at that Library.
Invitation to FDR to speak before the Wilson-Ferris
League at Bay City, Mich., and related correspondence.

Letters from a Dover Plains, N.Y., constituent and
friend of FDR asking for a position in the Forest, Fish, and
Game Commission and discussing the need for an "open season"
on grouse hunting in Dutchess County; and FDR's replies.

15 items.
FDR's correspondence with Mallery, chairman of the
Columbia County Democratic Committee, relating chiefly to
patronage matters, party affairs, and legislation for
highway construction in Columbia County.

226. Harry Markoe, Jr. March 1912. 2 items.
FDR's correspondence with Markoe, a business acquaint-
tance of Tacoma, Wash., discussing political sentiment for
Presidential candidate Woodrow Wilson in the State of
Washington and political trends in the East.

Correspondence with Marvin, FDR's law partner, relating
to various matters, including speaking engagements at the
Harvard Clubs of New York City and Buffalo, proposed highway
legislation, the admission of Robert F. Wagner to the New
York Bar Association, and family and business matters.
228. William H. Maxwell. May - Sept. 1911. 6 items.

Letters from Maxwell, City Superintendent of Schools in New York City, chiefly in opposition to the educational provisions in the proposed New York City charter; and FDR's replies.


Letters from Meara, Poughkeepsie, N.Y., constituent, including a letter pertaining to conservation and patronage matters and legislation to increase the salaries of tax appraisers; and FDR's replies.


Letter from Meldrum and others, constituents of Pawling, N.Y., opposing changes in existing laws pertaining to Sunday amusements, racetrack gambling, and excise taxes; and FDR's reply.


Letters from Meloy, President of the New York Fish, Game, and Forest League, relating to various conservation matters, including an invitation to FDR to meet with the League; and FDR's replies.

232. Otto Julius Merkel. May 1911. 5 items.

Letters by Merkel, representing the New York Branch of the American Association for Labor Legislation, regarding the work of that organization and inviting FDR to membership; and FDR's acceptance. Includes some pamphlets of the Association.
233. **Edwin A. Merritt, Jr.** May 1911 - March 1912. 3 items.
Correspondence with Merritt, Speaker of the State Assembly, on various legislative matters.

Letters from Meyer, a Matteawan, N.Y., Democratic leader, on various matters, including an invitation to appear at a Catholic celebration at Fishkill Landing; and FDR's replies.

235. **John G. Milburn, Jr.** May 1911 - Dec. 1912. 2 items.
Two items, for which replies are missing, chiefly relating to a business matter involving Carter, Ledyard, and Milburn, FDR's law firm.

236. **Arthur J. Milinowski.** Nov. 1911 - Jan. 1912. 5 items.
Correspondence with Milinowski, State Barge Canal official at Brockport N.Y., pertaining chiefly to a proposed visit by FDR to the Canal works at Brockport.

237. **C. R. Miller.** April 1911 - March 1913. 6 items.
Two "open letters" by FDR to Miller, editor in chief of the New York Times, one on the Murtaugh highway bill and one on the "short ballot." Also included are Miller's letters soliciting these statements and his letter asking FDR to comment on a commission merchants' bill.
238. Chester A. Miller. April 1911 - July 1912. 10 items.

FDR's correspondence with Miller, State Assemblyman and publisher of the Oneonta, N.Y., Press, relating chiefly to conservation legislation, the New York State Wilson Conference, and other Democratic Party matters.

239. Q. R. Miller. Nov. 1911 - Nov. 1912. 3 items.

Letters from Miller, Superintendent of the New York Civic League, Albany, N.Y., one commenting on the Tammany Hall Democrats. FDR's replies, if any, are not present. A copy of the League's Reform Bulletin, in which FDR's views are discussed, is included.

240. Theodore H. Miller. Jan. 1911 - July 1912. 6 items.

Letters from Miller, a Poughkeepsie, N.Y., manufacturer, supporting Edward M. Shepard for U. S. Senator and commenting on the Buffalo Charter bill; and FDR's replies.


Two letters from Mills of Brooklyn, N.Y., commenting on the U.S. Senatorship contest and on civil-service legislation. FDR's replies not present.

242. Milne, Blake, and McAneny. March - April 1912. 9 items.

FDR's correspondence with above law firm pertaining to the Pine Lawn Cemetery bill (1912), authorizing the transfer of certain lands in Suffolk County to St. Patrick's Cathedral in New York City for use as cemeteries.
A letter from Mirghan endorsing Edmund O'Connor, 7th Assemblyman for the Assembly District of Brooklyn for U.S. Senator, and an enclosed draft of a charter for the City of New York; and FDR's acknowledgment.

244. Otis Montrose. Jan.-March 1913. 3 items.
Correspondence with Montrose, editor of the Cold Spring, N.Y., Recorder, on various subjects, including patronage matters in Putnam County.

245. Charles A. Munn. Feb. 1913. 4 items.
Letters from Munn, Secretary of the New York Orthopedic Dispensary and Hospital, one regarding FDR's nomination to the Board of Trustees of that institution, and one commenting favorably on the Murtaugh-Jackson insurance bill (1913); and FDR's replies.

246. J. B. Murray. Feb.-April 1911. 1 in.
Letters from Murray, of Yonkers, N.Y., containing lengthy discussions of the theory and structure of "progressive government" and commenting on political issues, such as the stand of the Democratic "insurgents" in the U.S. Senatorship contest and the organization and aims of the Empire State Democracy movement; and FDR's replies.

FDR's correspondence with John F. Murtaugh, State Senator from the 41st Senate District (Chemung, Schuyler, Tompkins, and Tioga Counties) pertaining to conservation legislation, the 1912 election campaign, and other matters.

248. J. H. Myers. April - June, 1911. 2 items.

Letter from Myers of Rochester, N.Y., commending FDR and other "insurgents" in the U.S. Senatorship contest, and a telegram asking FDR to oppose an unidentified election bill. FDR's replies, if any, are not present.


Letters from Naramore, Staatsburg, N.Y., including a speaking invitation to FDR, and other correspondence.

250. George W. Nellis, Jr. May - July 1911. 7 items.

Letters from Nellis, publisher of the Columbia Republican in Chatham, N.Y., containing charges that the County Board of Supervisors violated an agreement by selecting another newspaper (Chatham [New York] Courier) in preference to the Republican as the official County paper; asking FDR's help in settling a fire-insurance claim on his newspaper plant; and asking FDR's help in getting appointed to the Board of Elections.

FDR's replies include comments on Nellis' work in Columbia County.

FDR's correspondence with Nesser, naval writer and Secretary of the Naval History Society, pertaining to the Naval History Society's charter by the New York Board of Regents, FDR's membership in the Society, a bill to increase the tax on stock-transfers, which Nesser opposed.


FDR's correspondence with Newbold, a Hyde Park neighbor, mostly on Dutchess County and New York State political affairs. Included are Newbold's criticism of the State Highway Department and his comments on a rally in New York City for Woodrow Wilson.


Letters from Nichols, General Secretary of the Brooklyn Bureau of Charities, supporting legislation for a State farm and industrial colony and a bill to regulate child labor in cannery sheds, and opposing a bill to provide "out-door relief" in New York City; and FDR's replies.


Letter from Nolan to FDR discussing the political situation in Yonkers, N.Y., and an enclosed letter from Woodrow Wilson, acknowledging Nolan's congratulations on Wilson's nomination as President.

FDR’s correspondence with Nooney, president of the local chapter of the American Federation of Labor at Hudson, N.Y., pertaining to legislation on public health, Sunday amusements, workmen’s compensation, and prison labor.

256. Frederick Northrup. March 1913. 4 items.

Letters from Northrup, a Poughkeepsie, N.Y., Democrat and friend of FDR, mentioning Mayor John K. Sague’s probable appointment as Collector of the Port of New York, asking FDR’s endorsement for a position in the New York Custom House, commenting on pending legislation pertaining to workmen’s compensation and the reorganization of the State Department of Labor, and discussing other matters; and FDR’s replies.


Letters from O’Dell, Secretary of the Employers Association, Poughkeepsie, N.Y., on legislative matters, chiefly FDR’s labor bill ("One day of rest in seven"); and FDR’s replies.


259. Samuel H. Ordway. March 1911 - Feb. 1913. 5 items.

Letters from Ordway, attorney in New York City, and sportsman, supporting legislation to protect trademarks and opposing a conservation bill requiring the posting of all private park lands; and FDR's replies.


Letters from Osborn, New York City businessman and friend of FDR, discussing patronage quarrels in the Democratic Party in Putnam County; and FDR's replies.


Letters from Osborn, attorney in New York City and Counsel to Governor Dix, on such subjects as the selection of James A. O'Gorman as U.S. Senator, including a letter to Osborn by Francis Stetson on O'Gorman's qualifications; the handling of patronage; the New York State Wilson Conference; FDR's campaign of 1912, and Louis McHenry Howe's assistance in the campaign; proposed legislation to extend the Catskill Aqueduct (1911); and the amendment of the commission merchants bill.


Letter from Osborn, president of the Farmers' Social Club of Quaker Hill, Pawling, N.Y., supporting FDR in the contest over the nomination of a U.S. Senator, favoring direct primary and local-option (liquor-control) bills, and opposing legislation to legalize Sunday amusements; and FDR's reply.
263. James W. Osborne. June 1912. 2 items.

FDR's invitation to Osborne, attorney in New York City, to attend a meeting of the New York State Wilson Conference, and Osborne's reply.


FDR's correspondence with Osborne, friend of FDR in Auburn, N.Y., pertaining to various subjects including Osborne's resignation as New York State Forest, Fish and Game Commissioner (1911); the activities of the State-wide Democratic League and the New York State Wilson Conference, in which Osborne was prominent; patronage matters; legislative matters; including the "presidential primary" system and the New York City charter bill; and the U.S. Senatorship contest in 1911.


One letter from Owen, U.S. Senator from Oklahoma, recommending the adoption, by the New York "progressive movement," of the Democratic Precinct Club idea used in Oklahoma. Includes printed material of the Federation of the Democratic Precinct Clubs, headed by Owen. FDR's reply is not present.


Congratulatory messages from Parker, attorney in New York City and friend of FDR, and other correspondence.

Letters from Patterson, superintendent of the New York Anti-Saloon League, supporting FDR's proposed bill to extend "local option" to 3rd-class cities. One letter refers to an editorial on FDR in the American Issue, published by the League.


Letters from Paulding, Secretary of the Society for Italian Immigrants, New York City, asking FDR to support legislation for the establishment of language schools for immigrant laborers employed on public construction projects (1911), and discussing pending legislation for the regulation of child labor in cannery sheds; and FDR's acknowledgments.


Letters from Rev. Pease of Quaker Hill, Pawling, N.Y., supporting protection-of-Sabbath, direct-primary, and various conservation bills, discussing the Croton Valley Ministerial Association's support of James A. O'Gorman for U.S. Senator (1911), and inviting FDR to speak before the Farmers Club at Lake Hammersley, N.Y.; and FDR's replies.
270. Thomas Pendell. March 1911 - March 1912. 9 items.

Letters from Pendell, Poughkeepsie Democratic leader and Dutchess County official, discussing appropriations for state hospitals, the Poughkeepsie newspaper coverage of the Democratic Party, issues and personalities in the 1912 campaign, and other matters; and FDR's replies.


FDR's correspondence with Perkins, President of the Democratic County Chairmen's Association, Poughkeepsie, pertaining to patronage matters in Dutchess County, Governor Dix's projected visit to Poughkeepsie (April 13-15, 1911), the proposed location of a State vagrancy farm in Dutchess County, and other matters.


Letters from Miss Perkins, Executive Secretary of the Consumers' league, New York City, supporting legislation for a shorter working week (54 hours) and legislation for regulating child labor in canneries; and one of FDR's replies.


Letters from Rev. Peters, president of the Independent Club of the West Side, one commenting on the movement to nominate Woodrow Wilson as Presidential candidate; and one of FDR's replies.

Communications from Pettis, Superintendent of State Forests, relating to FDR's purchase of white pine transplants from the Conservation Commission to a proposed investigation of the merits of the "top lopping law" in State forests; and FDR's replies.


FDR's correspondence with Philip, a Claverack, N.Y., constituent, chiefly with respect to agricultural legislation.

276. Charles W. Pilgrim. April 1911 - Jan. 1913. 12 items.

Letters from Pilgrim, superintendent of the Hudson River State Hospital at Poughkeepsie, relating to legislation to expand the Hospital's filter plant, highway traffic legislation, his endorsement of Mary Hinkley as manager of the Matteawan State Hospital, and his membership on a committee of the Richard E. Connell Memorial Association; and FDR's replies.


FDR's correspondence with Platt, political leader and publisher of the Poughkeepsie Eagle, on various State and local affairs, including the Richard E. Connell Memorial Association, a proposed investigation of New York State hospitals and prisons, a bond issue for the construction of canal barge terminals, and the primary election legislation.

Letters from Platt, a Poughkeepsie, N.Y., merchant, discussing FDR's stand on the U.S. Senatorship issue, liquor-control legislation, and a bill to create a commission to celebrate a century of peace between English-speaking people; and one of FDR's replies.

279. George T. Powell. June 1911 - March 1913. 4 items.

Letters from Powell, President of the Agricultural Experts Association, opposing legislation to allow race-track gambling and to permit saloons within 200 feet of private schools; and FDR's replies.

280. Marcia Chase Powell. May 1911 - Feb. 1913. 4 items.

Letters from Mrs. George T. Powell supporting existing laws on liquor-control, excise taxes, and Sunday amusements; and FDR's replies.

281. Anna B. Pratt. March 1912. 2 items.

Letters from Anna B. Pratt, Secretary of the Social Service League, Elmira, N.Y., supporting a bill to create a board of examiners for feeble-minded and other inmates of State hospitals, and supporting legislation to regulate child labor in cannery sheds. Replies of FDR, if any, are not present.
282. **John W. Prentiss.** Feb.- June 1912. 4 items.

Letters from Prentiss, friend of FDR in New York City, commenting on a forestry bill introduced by FDR and discussing Harvard Club affairs; and two of FDR's replies.

283. **Public Service Commission.** Jan. 1912 - March 1913. 7 items.

FDR's correspondence with or relating to the Public Service Commission on various subjects, including complaints filed by subscribers of the New York Telephone Company in Dutchess County; an endorsement for Patrick Leach of Poughkeepsie, N.Y., for accident inspector; and the Commission's inspection of locomotives operated by the Brooklyn Cooperage Company in the Adirondacks.

284. **Walter Pulitzer.** July 1912. 1 item.

Letter from Pulitzer, publisher of the weekly magazine *Satire*, requesting permission to publish FDR's picture as one of the organizers of Empire State Democracy.

285. **George Haven Putnam.** March 1911 - July 1912. 4 items.

Letters from Putnam, book publisher in New York City, opposing proposed labor legislation to legalize boycotting by labor unions, and commenting on a Presidential boom for Woodrow Wilson in Oregon and accepting office in the Empire State Democracy movement; and related letters by FDR.
286. S. Mitchell Rainey. May 1911 - March 1913. 6 items.
Letters from Rainey, a Hudson, N.Y., banker, opposing proposed legislation of various items of banking.

Letters by FDR to Rapelje, Dutchess County Highway Engineer, one recommending Herman H. Wood of Dutchess County for patrolman on the Hyde Park - Staatsburg Road, and the other regarding repair of a road in Dutchess and Columbia counties; and one of Rapelje's acknowledgments.

Letters from Rapelje, a Hopewell Junction, N.Y., constituent, opposing proposed legislation to legalize Sunday amusements and racetrack gambling (1911), and supporting the commission merchants bill (1913) and a railway bill (Carswell Bill) to prohibit the erection of an elevated railway in Brooklyn (1913); and FDR's replies.

Letters from Reel, State Superintendent of Highways, on various subjects, including patronage matters and construction and improvement in Dutchess, Columbia, and Green Counties and in the Adirondacks; and FDR's replies. One of Reel's letters contains, on the back, certain notes on an unidentified subject, apparently by FDR.

FDR's correspondence with Rice, Treasurer of the State-wide Democratic League and a Democratic "insurgent" leader in Albany, relating to patronage, aims and activities of the Democratic League, plans of the Democratic National Committee for the Presidential campaign in New York State in 1912, Rice's conferences with Governor Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey and Governor Sulzer of New York, and other matters.


Communications from Rivenburgh, Commissioner of Public Works in Hudson, N.Y., commending FDR on his activities in the State Senate, and commenting on the lobbying interests opposing FDR's conservation bill (S. 92) to restrict the cutting of timber on private lands in the Adirondacks parks (1912), and discussing other matters; and FDR's replies, one of which also discusses campaign issues in 1912.

292. Robert Robertson. April - July 1911. 7 items.

Letters from Robertson, an employee of the Manhattan State Hospital, discussing conditions in that institution and asking for a legislative investigation; and FDR's replies.

293. Lyle Robinson. Feb. 1912. 3 items.

Letters from Robinson, Baptist minister in East Chatham, N.Y., and an accompanying resolution by members of his congregation, opposing pending legislation to legalize Sunday
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Letters from Robinson, Baptist minister in East Chatham, N.Y., and an accompanying resolution by members of his congregation, opposing pending legislation to legalize Sunday baseball and racetrack gambling and supporting liquor-control and uniform divorce bills; and FDR's reply.

294. Archibald Rogers. April 1911 - Feb. 1912. 4 items.

Correspondence with Rogers, neighbor of FDR in Hyde Park, on various subjects, including an appropriation for the completion of the mental hospital at Letchworth Village, West Haverstraw, N.Y.


Letters from Rogers, a New York City broker and Hyde Park neighbor of FDR, commenting on William Howard Taft's defeat in the 1912 elections and opposing a bill to increase the tax on stock-transfers; and one of FDR's replies.


Letters from Rogers, New York City business executive and friend of FDR, pertaining to various subjects, including the health office of the Port of New York, the political situation in Putnam County, and FDR's campaign of 1912; and FDR's replies.

Congratulatory message to FDR from Ex-President Roosevelt, Jan. 29, 1911; a letter from FDR asking TR for a letter of introduction to Col. George W. Goethals at the Panama Canal; and reply to latter by TR's secretary.

298. W. Emlen Roosevelt. April 1911 - March 1912. 4 items.

Letters from Emlen Roosevelt, distant cousin of FDR, criticizing a bill (A. 1027) subjecting private charitable institutions to inspection and supervision by the State Board of Charities, and supporting legislation to protect trade marks; and FDR's replies.

299. H. L. B. Ryder. March 1912 - March 1913. 6 items.

Letters from Ryder, a Poughkeepsie, N.Y., dentist and automobile dealer, opposing legislation to amend provisions of the dental law dealing with licensing and the enforcement of fair business practices and legislation to regulate the manufacture and sale of motor-vehicle tires; and FDR's replies.


Communication from above firm of automobile dealers in Poughkeepsie, one opposing legislation for the dating of tires, and the other a repair estimate on FDR's car.
FDR's correspondence with Sague, Mayor of Poughkeepsie and Democratic leader in Dutchess County, relating to patronage matters, legislation for improving freight terminals, commission charters for up-State New York cities, and other matters of political interest to them. Included is a letter to Sague from James A. Lavery, editor of the Poughkeepsie Sunday Courier, seeking support for his appointment as Republican member of the State Civil Service Board.

Letters from Saunders, rector of the Church of the Messiah, Rhinebeck, N.Y., relating to arrangements for FDR's forthcoming speech at his church and to Saunders' support of the Roosevelt-Jackson "One Day of Rest in Seven" bill; and FDR's replies.

Letters from Saunders, Democratic leader and State Assemblyman from Columbia County, inviting FDR to speak at Churchtown, N.Y., and commenting on various State legislative and political matters. Includes copy of a political circular sent by Saunders to the voters of Columbia County, explaining the stand with the "insurgents" in the State Legislature in 1911, and containing pencilled notes by FDR. FDR's letters to Saunders are missing.

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Letters from Saxe, Democratic leader and State Senator from the 17th District (part of New York County), one opposing the civil-service provisions in the New York City charter bill (1911); and one of FDR's replies.


Letters from Schlosser, attorney in Fishkill Landing, N.Y., and FDR's opponent in 1910 campaign, discussing the Beacon city charter bill; and FDR's replies.


FDR's correspondence with Scott, State Superintendent of Prisons, including a letter by FDR endorsing a Mr. Hornbeck of Poughkeepsie as Warden of Sing Sing Prison, and one by Scott defending Matteawan State Hospital against charges brought by certain Fishkill taxpayers.


Letters from Scriber, publisher of the Republican Watchman in Monticello, N.Y., mostly relating to his efforts to have FDR nominated as Governor of New York. Scriber's letters mention interviews with Charles F. Murphy, Senator James A. O'Gorman, Judge Alton B. Parker, Mayor William J. Gaynor of New York City; and other prominent Democratic leaders. Other correspondence pertains to the New York State Wilson Conference, the Democratic National Convention at Baltimore, and election results in 1912, and includes statistical data on comparative votes cast for Governor in New York State in 1908, 1910, and 1912. Most of FDR's replies are missing.
308. S. R. Shear. Feb. 1911 - March 1913. 7 items.

Letters from Shear, Superintendent of Schools in Poughkeepsie, opposing legislation pertaining to Sunday baseball, opposing legislation giving State fire marshal authority over fire-drill regulations in schools, and supporting a tenure-of-office bill for teachers and school administrators; and FDR's replies.


Letter from Sheehan, attorney and Democratic leader in New York City, in reply to a letter by FDR (missing), advising FDR on his campaign in 1910; a memorandum, apparently by FDR, Jan. 18, 1911, quoting a statement made by Sheehan while he was a candidate for U.S. Senator; a number of newspaper clippings, 1886-96, relating to Sheehan's earlier career and sent to FDR by an unidentified constituent during the U.S. Senatorship contest in 1911; and a letter by FDR, March 12, 1913, favoring an unidentified cemetery bill in which Sheehan is interested.


FDR's correspondence with Shepard, Brooklyn Democratic leader, relative to the New York City charter bill, especially as to the disputed provisions granting power to the Board of Aldermen to grant franchises to corporations. No correspondence on Shepard's candidacy for the U.S. Senatorship in 1911 is present.
311. Wilfrid H. Sherrill. March 1912 - March 1913. 6 items.

Letters from Sherrill, Poughkeepsie attorney, commenting on various legislative matters, including a bill restricting out-of-state surety companies, workmen's compensation legislation, and automobile traffic regulation, and FDR's replies.

312. Mrs. Charles D. Sherwood. March 1911. 2 items.

Letter from Mrs. Sherwood, Dutchess County constituent, favoring liquor-control and anti-vivisection bills; and FDR's acknowledgment.

313. Leighton Shields. March - April 1911. 2 items.

FDR's correspondence with Shields, member of the Missouri House of Representatives, discussing fire damages incurred in their respective capitol buildings. Includes comments by FDR on colonial historical manuscripts in the Albany State Library lost as a result of the fire of 1911.

314. Walter Shuebruk. March 1912. 4 items.

FDR's correspondence with Shuebruk, Boston attorney, chiefly relating to an unidentified "Sudbury-Merritt" matter being handled in FDR's law firm.


FDR's correspondence with Slocum, Treasurer of Dutchess County, pertaining to various matters, notably Slocum's appointment to a committee of the Richard E. Connell Memorial Association.
316. Benjamin E. Smith. May 1911. 3 items.

Letters from Smith, editor of the Century Company, New York City, criticizing a bill to annex lower Westchester County to New York City; and one of FDR's replies.


Letters from Smith, a Kinderhook, N.Y., constituent, approving FDR's stand on the U.S. Senatorship issue, and supporting the commission merchants bill; and one of FDR's replies.


Letters from Smith, newspaper publisher in New Rochelle, N.Y., discussing Democratic Party affairs in Columbia County and Westchester County in the 1912 campaign, and FDR's replies.

319. Philip Snyder. March 1911 - March 1913. 6 items.

Letters from Snyder, a Poughkeepsie constituent, commenting on the liquor traffic, Tammany Hall, and the direct primary; and FDR's replies, one of them favoring simplified nominating machinery.


Letters from Miss Spicer, the Dutchess County Agency for Dependent Children, supporting social welfare legislation for dependent defective children and opposing the widow's pension bill; and FDR's replies.

Letters from Spingarn, president of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, including one inviting FDR to attend the Amenia, N.Y., Field Day and another opposing the Carswell bill for prohibiting interracial marriages; and one of FDR's replies.

322. George V. L. Spratt. March - June 1911. 6 items.

Correspondence with Spratt, Poughkeepsie attorney, discussing a bill to provide for a correctional institution for juvenile delinquents and various bills affecting the Poughkeepsie municipal government.

323. Francis Lynde Stetson. March 1911 - March 1913. 10 items.

FDR's correspondence with Stetson, attorney in New York City and supporter of the Democratic "insurgents," relating chiefly to the U.S. Senatorship issue in March 1911, including copy of a letter from Stetson to Gov. John A. Dix; and correspondence on legislative matters involving the Protestant Episcopal Church.


Correspondence with Stock, a constituent in Pawling, N.Y., relating chiefly to Stock's notary public application.

Letters and memoranda from Stone, representing the Association of the Bar of the City of New York, commenting on three bills introduced by FDR, as follows: a bill (S. 344) proposing certain amendments to the State Constitution affecting the Governor's appointing power; a bill (S. 374) to provide separate ballots for the judicial offices; and a bill (S. 425) authorizing state officers to furnish documents to county clerks upon request, and FDR's replies are also present.

326. George Strassner. May 1911. 5 items.

Letters from Strassner, representing the Independence League of the Fourth Assembly District, New York City, and enclosed resolutions supporting a direct primary law and the proposed income-tax amendment to the U.S. Constitution; and one of FDR's replies.

327. Herbert N. Straus. March 1911. 2 items.

Letter from Straus, friend of FDR, congratulating him on the opening of his new law firm, and a letter by FDR, referring to the "insurgents" in the U.S. Senatorship issue.
328. **William Sulzer.** Jan. 1911 - June 1913. 10 items.

FDR's correspondence with Sulzer, U.S. Representative from the 10th New York District, 1910-13, and Governor of New York, 1913. Letters relate to the U.S. Senatorship issue (Jan.-March 1911), a patronage matter involving M. Z. Havens and Henry Morgenthau, Sr., and uniform divorce legislation. Also present are congratulatory messages exchanged after the 1912 election, FDR's letter of resignation from the Senate in March 1913, and an invitation to Sulzer to dedicate a Richard E. Connell memorial tablet in Poughkeepsie, N.Y.

329. **Howard E. Taylor.** Dec. 1912. 5 items.

Speaking invitation from Taylor, Secretary of the Poughkeepsie Chamber of Commerce, and a resolution of the Chamber favoring State aid to establish farm bureaus in agricultural counties.


Letters from Taylor, an attorney in New York City, opposing the Stillwell-McManus bill to regulate the New York Stock Exchange and discussing the qualifications of William T. Jenkins, candidate for Health Officer of the Port of New York, with accompanying endorsements; and FDR's replies.
331. Frank Teets. March 1911 - March 1913. 6 items.

Letters from Teets, Dutchess County constituent, protesting against the Collins’ bill (1911) to regulate the sale of farm products by commission merchants, the New York City charter bill, and a bill to tax livestock feed; and FDR’s replies.

332. Charles Thaddeus Terry. March 1912. 5 items.

Letters from Terry, a commissioner on the State Board on Uniform State Laws, supporting the Bayne-MacGregor bill on divorce, and opposing the McManus bill (S. 567) to prohibit road tests by motor vehicles, and accompanying memoranda; and FDR’s replies.


Letters from Terry, an attorney in a New York City commenting on Tammany Hall and Woodrow Wilson’s election as President. FDR’s replies are not present.

334. Frank Thilly. July 1912. 1 item.

Letter from Thilly, Professor of Psychology at Princeton University, supporting the Empire State Democracy movement and commenting on the Tammany Hall ticket in the forthcoming election.

Correspondence with Tilden, New Lebanon, N.Y., including FDR's congratulation on Tilden's appointment as Fiscal Supervisor of State Charities, and letters exchanged on a patronage matter.


FDR's correspondence with Townsend, Town Supervisor, Kent Cliffs, N.Y., relating to arrangements for an unidentified conference with FDR in New York City.

337. George W. Tracey. May 1911. 2 items.

Letter from Tracey, Justice of the Peace in Kinderhook, N.Y., discussing the nomination of Daniel F. Cohalan as a judge on the State Supreme Court and commenting on proposed legislation to create a new county in the Bronx; and FDR's reply.


Letters from the Travers, Rhinebeck, N.Y., bankers, opposing various bills to increase reserves on bank deposits and to fix maximum interest rates; and FDR's replies.


Letters from Travis, State Senator and produce merchant in New York City, opposing the commission merchants bill; enclosed Bulletins of the Fruit and Produce Association and the National League of commission merchants (New York Brandh); and FDR's replies.

Letters from Travis, Democratic leader in Staatsburg, N.Y., relating to his appointment (in the State Department of Agriculture?) and to FDR's re-election campaign in Dutchess County; and FDR's replies.


Letters from Tremper, a school superintendent in Dutchess County, one asking FDR's assistance on an unidentified matter, and the other acknowledging a State publication.

342. Peter H. Troy. May 1911. 2 items.

A letter from Troy, on behalf of the New York State Mayors' Annual Conference notifying FDR of his appointment to the Reception Committee for the Conference at Poughkeepsie, and FDR's acceptance.


Letters from Rev. Upjohn, Episcopal rector in Pleasant Valley, N.Y., supporting FDR in the U.S. Senatorial contest, discussing the affairs of the Pleasant Valley Free Library, and inviting FDR to speak at the Library; and FDR's replies.
FDR's correspondence with Upp, a Tompkins Corners, N.Y., constituent, on the political situation in Putnam County, FDR's re-election campaign in 1912; and the organization of local Woodrow Wilson Clubs in New York State.

Letters from Van Buren, an Orange County Democratic leader, commenting on the "religious issue" in U.S. Senatorship contest in 1911, opposing the proposed income-tax amendment to the U.S. Constitution, and attacking the nomination of William Randolph Hearst for "any" office; and FDR's replies.

Letters from Van DeCarr, paper manufacturer in Stockport, N.Y., supporting U.S. - Canadian commercial reciprocity, a bill sponsored by FDR regarding the appointment of sheriff's deputies, and legislation to build roads in Columbia County, and commenting on the proposed commission merchants bill, the election results of 1912, and patronage matters. Some of FDR's replies are present.
347. George E. Van Kennen. March 1911 - Nov. 1912. 9 items.

Correspondence with Van Kennen, one of the Commissioners to Examine State Departments (1911) and Chairman of the State Conservation Commission (1911-13) relating chiefly to fish and game legislation, licensing activities of the Conservation Commission, and the campaign of 1912. Includes FDR's invitation to Van Kennen to participate in the New York State Wilson Conference in April 1912.


Letters from Van Nest, Brooklyn Democratic leader and businessman, supporting Edward M. Shepard for U.S. Senator and certain banking legislation affecting safe-deposit-box fees; and rebuking the insurgent Democrats to form the Empire State Democracy movement; and only one of FDR's replies.


Correspondence with Van Norden, President of the Long Island Game Protective Association, relating to conservation legislation, including bills to protect migrating birds, to establish State game farms, and to protect the watersheds in the Adirondacks by regulating the cutting of timber on private lands.

Correspondence with Van Steenburgh, attorney for the Adirondack League Club (sic), relating to legislation affecting hunting licenses and other conservation bills.


Letters from Verplanck favoring local-government reform and the simplified ballot, and FDR's replies.


Letters from Verplanck, a Fishkill, N.Y., constituent, opposing the incorporation of Fishkill and Mattewaen under the Beacon charter bill, and asking FDR to introduce a bill for the State to purchase the Verplanck Mansion in Fishkill, headquarters of Baron Von Steuben during the Revolutionary War and birthplace of the Society of Cincinnati; and FDR's replies.


Letters from Villard, president of the New York Evening Post, supporting the Democratic "insurgents" in 1911 and opposing the New York City charter bill, race track gambling and Sunday amusement bills, and a bill to prohibit interracial marriages; and FDR's replies.
Correspondence with Wagner, Democratic leader and
president Pro-tem of the State Senate, pertaining chiefly
to the U.S. Senatorship contest in 1911 and the New York
City charter bill (favored by Wagner). Includes FDR's letter
of resignation from the Senate, March 12 (13?), 1911.

FDR's correspondence with William Wait, Kinderhook,
N.Y., local historian, relating to Hudson Valley historical
matters and Wait's candidacy as State Historian.

Letters from Wallace, a Harvard classmate, congratulat­
ing FDR and discussing Harvard alumni affairs; and FDR's
replies.

357. Ezra H. Ward. May 1911 - April 1912. 3 items.
FDR's correspondence with Ward, Hyde Park; N.Y.,
constituent, relating to a patronage matter involving
Ward's son.

Letters from Wardle Bros., wholesale druggists, and
Arthur S. Wardle, representing the New York State Pharamceu­
tical Association, opposing legislation affecting the appoint­
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certain health bills to regulate the compounding and sale
of prescriptions; and FDR's replies.
359. H. Stewart Watts. March 1911. 2 items.
Request for FDR's autograph, and FDR's reply outlining his political career and commenting on the U.S. Senatorship contest.

Letters from Webb, Fishkill, N.Y., commenting on workmen-compensation legislation and legislation for licensing insurance brokers; and one of FDR's acknowledgments.

FDR's correspondence with Weekes, a cousin, pertaining to FDR's election as a trustee of Laura Franklin Free Hospital for Children, New York City, and proposed legislation to increase the number of trustees in that Hospital.

FDR's correspondence with Wells, a friend and attorney of White Plains, N.Y., discussing political conditions in Putnam County, construction in Dutchess and Putnam Counties, the activities of John R. Yale (State Assemblyman, Republican) for Putnam County, 1912 campaign matters, and various legislative bills, including railroad tax bills and a bill to exempt taxes on watershed lands purchased by New York City for Croton Dam. Includes some references to personal affairs.

FDR's correspondence with Wheeler, Democratic leader and State Assemblyman for Delaware County, including letter by FDR discussing "insurgent" support for a direct nominations bill, and his invitations to Wheeler to attend meeting of the New York State Wilson Conference preliminary to the Democratic National Convention at Baltimore.


Letters from Wheeler, attorney in New York City, discussing the U.S. Senatorship issue and State tax laws governing inheritance taxes on property owned by out-of-State residents, and FDR's replies.


Letter from Whitney, Chief of the Bureau of Soils, U.S. Department of Agriculture, discussing plans for the financing of agricultural development and soil improvement in the East with railroad capital; and FDR's reply.


Letters from Widenmann, State Superintendent of Marine Fisheries, discussing the codification of State fish and game laws, the proposed termination of the Superintendent's office, and the Empire State Democracy movement and the progress of Woodrow Wilson's Presidential candidacy in New York State; and FDR's replies.

Letters from Widmer, a Wappinger Falls, N.Y., constituent, criticizing the distribution of New York State publications, objecting to the conservation laws that prohibit the distribution of pheasant eggs to owners of posted lands, and discussing the commission merchants bill; and FDR's replies.

368. Oakley Wigg. July 1911 - Nov. 1912. 6 items.

Correspondence with Wigg, Democratic leader and Town Clerk in Hyde Park, N.Y., relating chiefly to the primary campaign the spring of 1912 and the election campaign in the fall of 1912, including a list of enrolled voters in Hyde Park showing their party affiliations.


Letters from Wilcox, Buffalo attorney and political independent, supporting FDR's bill providing for a separate ballot for judicial candidates; and FDR's reply.


Letters from Wilcox, electric utility executive and Republican leader in Columbia County, supporting FDR's stand in the U.S. Senatorship contest, opposing a bill to increase the salaries of the Board of Supervisors of Columbia County and legislation (Gittins bill) permitting race track gambling, and discussing other matters; and FDR's replies, one analyzing the Gittins bill.

Letters from Wilkinson, Poughkeepsie, opposing a bill to reduce the terms of judges in the Court of Claims and supporting the incumbent (Mr. McCarthy) as Fiscal Supervisor of State Charities; and FDR's replies.


FDR's correspondence with Wilkinson, of Millerton, regarding latter's candidacy for postmaster of Millerton, and other matters.

373. **William Willcock.** March 1912 - Feb. 1913. 5 items.

Letters from Rev. Willcock, East Chatham, N.Y., opposing a bill to legalize Sunday baseball, opposing a bill to fix the liability of directors and agents engaged in business, and inviting FDR to speak at East Chatham, and FDR's replies.

374. **Charles S. Williams.** March 1912 - March 1913. 4 items.

Letters from Williams, Superintendent of Schools in Hudson, N.Y., supporting a tenure-of-office bill for public school teachers and administrators, and opposing a bill placing school fire drills under authority of the State Fire Marshal; and FDR's replies.
375. C. P. E. Williams. March 1913. 2 items.
Letter from Williams, Canaan, N.Y., supporting FDR's opposing Sunday amusement bills, and FDR's acknowledgment.

376. Fred R. Williams. March - April 1911. 5 items.
Letters from Williams, a Poughkeepsie alderman, endorsing the commission form of government for Poughkeepsie and discussing other legislation involving the Poughkeepsie charter, and FDR's replies.

Includes FDR's letter from Williams, chairman of the New York Milk Committee, resigning as chairman of the Subcommittee on Ways and Means, and letters asking FDR to introduce certain agricultural and public health bills drafted by the Committee.

Letters from Wilson, authority on conservation laws, Glens Falls, N.Y., discussing drafting of fish and games laws to protect the fishing industry at Lake Erie and related laws of other States and Provinces bordering on the Great Lakes; and FDR's replies.

FDR's correspondence with Woodrow Wilson, President-Elect of the United States, and with his secretary, Joseph P. Tumulty. Includes a letter by FDR referring to an unidentified conference with Wilson in Trenton, N.J., on Jan. 16, 1913; an endorsement of William G. Rice for Minister to the Netherlands, together with a copy of an endorsement by Andrew D. White. Replies are acknowledgments of above letters and an acknowledgment of a congratulatory telegram from FDR.

380. Francis A. Willard. April 1911 - July 1912. 5 items.

Letters from Willard, Secretary of the State Forest, Fish, and Game Commission, relating to various conservation matters, and a letter by Willard, as Secretary of the Democratic League, on the Empire State Democracy movement in 1912. Also included is a financial report of the Shell Fish Bureau of the Forest, Fish, and Game Commission. One of the letters contains unidentified pencilled notes by FDR.

FDR's correspondence with Albertis Nooney, Hudson, New York labor leader, and John Williams, State Commissioner of Labor, relating to charges against Witherbee, Sherman, and Company (managers of certain mines in Mineville, in Essex County) as to extortions, poor working conditions, and high accident rates in the mines. Included are reports on the charges by the American Federation of Labor and the State Department of Labor.


Letters from Mr. and Mrs. Wood, Wappingers Falls, N.Y., constituents, supporting the commission-merchants and parcel-post bills and opposing the Sullivan-Shortt Bill for the collection of overdue taxes without county warrant; and FDR's replies.


Letters from Woods, cotton manufacturer in Boston and friend of FDR, regarding arrangements for testimony before a special Senate committee on remedial police legislation headed by FDR. FDR's letters are not present.
385. James A. Zickler. April 1911 - Jan. 1913. 12 items.

FDR's correspondence with Zickler, Editor of the Putnam County Courier, relating to Democratic Party affairs in the County, the construction of a highway along the Stormville route in Putnam and Dutchess Counties, and other matters. Also included is a letter from Zickler to William Church Osborn (q.v.), April 17, 1911, discussing the U.S. Senatorship contest and opposing the New York charter bill.


Letters from Zabriskie, businessman in New York City, supporting a bill to prohibit secret societies in public schools, a bill creating an Aviation Corps for the New York State National Guard, and the commission merchants bill; and opposing legislation regulating the New York Stock Exchange and legislation to abolish town boards of health; and FDR's replies. Also present is a letter relating to a memorial for the former Congressman Richard E. Connell.
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