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Biographical / Historical

John Dempsey Hoblitzell, Jr. (December 30, 1912-January 6, 1962) represented West Virginia as a Republican United States Senator from January 25 to November 4, 1958. He was also the State Republican Chairman in 1956; and State Republican Finance Chairman and member of the Platform Committee for the Republican National Convention, 1960.

Hoblitzell was born in Parkersburg, West Virginia, and graduated from West Virginia University in 1934. He was a businessman working in insurance, real estate, construction and banking. From 1942 to 1946 he served in the United States Naval Reserve, retiring with the rank of lieutenant.

He was also an active community member serving on a number of boards and was the first president of The West Virginia Chamber of Commerce, 1939 to 1940.

After an unsuccessful bid for the Republican nomination to the House of Representatives in 1956, Governor Cecil Underwood appointed Hoblitzell to fill the vacancy of deceased U.S. Senator Matthew Neely. He was defeated by Jennings Randolph when he tried to claim the office by election in 1958.

He continued his business career after leaving the Senate. He died in Clarksburg, West Virginia, in 1962.

[Biographical information adapted from a Wikipedia article "John D. Hoblitzell, Jr." Accessed June 2, 2020.]

Scope and Contents

Correspondence, speeches, and newspaper clippings of a West Virginia Republican chairman, U.S. senator (serving in 1958), and member of the 1960 Republican National Convention platform committee.

Subjects include: West Virginia and national Republican politics, 1956-1961; the 1958 Congressional election; the 1960 presidential campaign; the State Chamber of Commerce; State Economic Development Agency; Ohio Valley Improvement Association; and West Virginia University.

Correspondents include Sherman Adams, Stephen Ailes, Meade Alcorn, W.W. Barron, Harry Byrd, Robert C. Byrd, Erwin D. Canham, Clifford P. Case, John Sherman Cooper, Carl T. Curtis, Everett M. Dirksen, Henry Dworshak, Dwight D. Eisenhower, Allen J. Ellender, Hiram L. Fong, Barry Goldwater, Leonard W. Hall, Walter S. Hallanan, Ken Hechler, Bourke Hickenlooper, Hubert H. Humphrey, Lyndon B. Johnson, Elizabeth Kee, Thomas H. Kuchel, Henry Cabot Lodge, Edward Martin, Jack Miller, Arch A. Moore, Thurston B. Morton, Karl Mundt, Harold Neely, Richard M. Nixon, Jennings Randolph, Carroll Reece, Chapman Revercomb, A. Willis Robertson, Richard B. Russell, Leverett Saltonstall, Fred A. Seaton, John M. Slack, John Sparkman, Strom Thurmond, Cecil H. Underwood, and Alexander Wiley.

Also includes negatives of photographs (4 in. x 5 in.) of candid shots of Senator Hoblitzell (1958) with President Eisenhower, Vice President Nixon, West Virginia Governor Underwood, members of his staff, and others.

Separated Materials

Separations -- Photographs

1. Senator John D. Hoblitzell, Jr. and Family; L-R; Julie, Johnnie, Patricia, and Charlotte Reed; 1958
2. L-R; Holmes Moss Alexander Presenting a Copy of His Book "The Famous Five" to Senator John D. Hoblitzell, Jr.; 1958
3. Portrait of Several Delegates to the Annual Conference of the Interparliamentary Union in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil (Senator John D. Hoblitzell, Jr. on far right); 1958
4. Senator John D. Hoblitzell, Jr.; 1958
5. Disabled Veterans Visiting Senator William Knowland, and Vice President Richard M. Nixon. (Senator John D. Hoblitzell, Jr., in back row second from the left); 1958
6. State Republican Executive Committee (Senator John D. Hoblitzell fourth from left); undated
7. Testimonial Dinner, Honoring Senator John D. Hoblitzell; 1956
8. Picture Taken in Subway, Senate Office Building. Senator John D. Hoblitzell on left; 1958
9. Senators Hoblitzell and Revercomb. et. al; 1958
10. Ibid; 1958
11. Taken at Republican National Convention, Chicago, (Senator John D. Hoblitzell center); 1960
12. Taken at Republican National Convention, Chicago, (Senator John D. Hoblitzell third from left); 1960
13. Senator Hoblitzell and Louis S. Rothschild (Under Secretary for Transportation,) Conference Concerning the Progress of the Federal Interstate Highway Program in West Virginia; 1958
14. Ibid; 1958
15. Senator Hoblitzell and Under Secretary Rothschild; 1958
16. Senator Hoblitzell and Under Secretary Rothschild; 1958
17. Senator Hoblitzell Confers with Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson; 1958
18. Senator John D. Hoblitzell Sworn into Office by Vice President Richard M. Nixon; 1958
19. United States Senator John D. Hoblitzell, Jr.; 1958
20. Meeting with President Eisenhower, White House (Senator Hoblitzell on far left); 1958
21. American Legion Parkersburg Post, John D. Hoblitzell Speaking; undated
22. Senator John D. Hoblitzell Jr. in Connection with the Interparliamentary Union Conference in Rio de Janeiro (see also picture 3); 1958
23. Republican National Convention, Chicago (Senator Hoblitzell on left); 1960
24. Republican State Convention (Senator Hoblitzell fourth from right); 1960
25. Senator John D. Hoblitzell Speaking at Republican State Convention; 1960
26. Senator Hoblitzell and Others Inspecting a Coal Mine; undated
27. Thomas E. Millsop Former President Weirton Steel Company; undated
28. Appearance by President Dwight D. Eisenhower in Charleston at Kanawha Airport (Senator Hoblitzell on left); 1958
29. President Dwight D. Eisenhower Greets Senator Chapman Revercomb in Charleston (Senator Hoblitzell on left); 1958
30. President Eisenhower appears in Charleston at Kanawha Airport (Senator Hoblitzell on left); 1958
31. President Eisenhower at Kanawha Airport, Charleston (Senator Hoblitzell on left); 1958
32. President Eisenhower at the Kanawha Airport, Charleston (Senator Hoblitzell center); 1958
33. President Eisenhower Speaking at Kanawha Airport, Charleston; 1958
34. Appearance of President Eisenhower at Kanawha Airport, Charleston (Senator Hoblitzell center); 1958
35. Speech of President Eisenhower, Kanawha Airport, Charleston (Senator Hoblitzell second from left); 1958
36. Speech of President Eisenhower, Kanawha Airport, Charleston (Senator Hoblitzell in middle); 1958
37. Speech of President Eisenhower, Kanawha Airport, Charleston (Senator Hoblitzell second from right); 1958
38. Ibid; 1958

Separations -- Government Documents

- A. Nominations and Elections of President and Vice President and Qualifications for Voting. Hearings before the Subcommittee on Constitutional Amendments of the Committee on the Judiciary, United States Senate, Eighty-Seventh Congress, First Session. In 4 parts; Washington: US. Government Printing Office; 1961
- B. A Record of Press Conference Statements made by Senator Everett McKinley, Senator Dirksen, and Representative Charles A. Halleck for the Joint Senate House Republican Leadership; Washington: US. Government Printing Office Senate Document No. 6; 1961
- C. Republican Report on the 85th Congress Together With Achievements of the Republican Administration, January 1953 - August 1958 by Senator William F. Knowland of California, Minority Leader; Washington: US. Government Printing Office Senate Document No. 123; 1958
- D. Factual Campaign Information Compiled by the Senate Library Under the Direction of Felton M. Johnston Secretary of the Senate, Richard D. Hupman Librarian; Washington: US. Government Printing Office; 1958
- E. 87th Congress, 1st Session H.R. 6441 In the Senate of the United States June 22 1961 An Act to Amend the Federal Water Pollution Central Act to Provide for a More Effective Program of Water Pollution Control.

Keywords

Coal mining -- Strikes
 Elections
 Politics and government.
 West Virginia - Governors.
 Ohio Valley Improvement Association
 Republican Party (U.S. : 1854-)
 United States. Congress. Senate
 West Virginia Economic Development Agency
 West Virginia Chamber of Commerce
 West Virginia University
 Adams, Sherman, 1899-1986
 Ailes, Stephen.
 Alcorn, Meade.
 Barron, W. W.
 Byrd, Harry F. (Harry Flood), 1887-1966
 Byrd, Robert C.
 Canham, Erwin D.
 Case, Clifford P. (Clifford Philip), 1904-1982
 Cooper, John Sherman, 1901-1991
 Curtis, Carl T. (Carl Thomas), 1905-2000
 Dirksen, Everett McKinley
 Dworshak, Henry C. (Henry Clarence), 1894-1962
 Eisenhower, Dwight D. (Dwight David), 1890-1969
 Ellender, Allen J., 1890-1972
 Fong, Hiram, 1907-2004
 Goldwater, Barry M. (Barry Morris), 1909-1998
 Hall, Leonard W. (Leonard Wood), 1900-1979
 Hallanan, Walter S. (Walter Simms), 1890-1962
 Hechler, Ken
 Hickenlooper, Bourke B. (Bourke Blakemore), 1896-1971
 Hoblitzell, John D., Jr.
 Hoblitzell, John D., Jr.
 Humphrey, Hubert H. (Hubert Horatio), 1911-1978
 Johnson, Lyndon B. (Lyndon Baines), 1908-1973
 Kee, Maude Elizabeth, 1895-1975
 Kuchel, Thomas H.
 Lodge, Henry Cabot.
 Martin, Edward.
 Miller, Jack.

Moore, Arch A., Jr. (Arch Alfred), 1923-2015
Morton, Thruston B. (Thruston Ballard), 1907-1982
Mundt, Karl E. (Karl Earl), 1900-1974
Neely, Harold.
Nixon, Richard M. (Richard Milhous), 1913-1994
Randolph, Jennings, 1902-1998
Reece, Carroll.
Revercomb, Chapman, 1895-
Robertson, A. Willis (Absalom Willis), 1887-1971
Russell, Richard B. (Richard Brevard), 1897-1971
Saltonstall, Leverett.
Seaton, Fred A.
Slack, John Mark, 1915-1980
Sparkman, John, 1899-1985
Thurmond, Strom, 1902-2003
Underwood, Cecil H., 1922-2008
Wiley, Alexander, 1884-1967

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Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121156

Unit Date 1958-1962

Scope and Contents

This series is arranged alphabetically by correspondent (except for "Personal Correspondence" in box 1, folder 1).

Includes letters from:

Adams, Sherman Ailes, Stephen (Secretary of the Army, then Under Secretary) Byrd, Senator Robert C. Barron, Governor W.W. Cooper, Senator John Sherman Ford, Frederick W. (Former Chairman FCC) Myers, J. Howard (Clerk, WV. Senate) Vice President Richard M. Nixon (telegram) Randolph, Senator Jennings Underwood, Governor Cecil

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Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121157

Unit Date 1958-1960

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

A: Congratulatory Letters, Invitations, Some Political Comments, and Personal Letters

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

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Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121158

Unit Date 1956-1961

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

B: Congratulatory Letters, Invitations, Personal Letters (Some pertaining to political situations, 1960 election etc.)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121159

Unit Date 1960-1961

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

C: Congratulatory Letters, Invitations, Personal Letters, and Material Pertaining to the 1960 General Election

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121160

Unit Date 1958-1961

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

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D: Primarily Personal Letters

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Unit Date 1960-1961

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E: Primarily Personal Letters

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121162

Unit Date 1960-1961

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

F: Congratulatory Letters, and Personal Correspondence, and a Letter Regarding Political Campaigning

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121163

Unit Date 1960-1961

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

G: Contains Personal and Buisness Correspondence

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121164

Unit Date 1960-1962

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

H: Primarily Personal and Congratulatory Correspondence, also includes Senator Hoblitzell's Beliefs regarding the Republican Party

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121165

Unit Date 1960-1961

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

J: Personal Correspondence, Letters, Report #5 of the West Virginia Centennial Finance Committee

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121166

Unit Date 1960-1962

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

K: Primarily Personal Correspondence

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121167

Unit Date 1960-1961

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

L: Primarily Congratulatory and Personal Correspondence

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121168

Unit Date 1960-1962

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Container 12 (Folder)

Mc: Primarily Congratulatory and Personal Correspondence

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Unit Date 1960-1961

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M: Primarily Congratulatory and Personal Correspondence

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Unit Date 1960-1961

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Container 14 (Folder)

N: Primarily Congratulatory and Personal Correspondence

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

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Unit Date 1960-1961

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

O: Primarily Business Correspondence

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121172

Unit Date 1960-1961

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

P: Primarily Congratulatory and Personal Correspondence

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Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121173

Unit Date 1960-1961

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Q: Primarily Congratulatory and Personal Correspondence

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121174

Unit Date 1960-1961

Mixed Materials 1 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

R: Personal, Congratulatory and Business Correspondence, References to the Form of the Future Committee, and Minutes of Meetings of the Educational Committee and Sub-Committee

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121175

Unit Date 1959-1961

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

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S: Personal, Congratulatory, and Business Correspondence

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121176

Unit Date 1960

Mixed Materials 2 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

T-U: Personal, Congratulatory, and Business Correspondence

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Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121177

Unit Date 1960-1961

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Container 3 (Folder)

W: Personal, Congratulatory, and Business Correspondence

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Unit Date 1960-1961

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Includes letters from:

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D: Personal, Political and Congratulatory Correspondence

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Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121184

Unit Date 1958-1960

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E: Primarily Personal and Political Correspondence

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Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121185

Unit Date 1956-1960

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

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F: Primarily Personal and Political Correspondence, as Well as Some Business Letters

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Unit Date 1958-1961

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

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G: Personal, Business, and Political Correspondence

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

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Unit Date 1959-1961

Mixed Materials 3 (Box)

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H: Personal, Business, and Some Political Correspondence (includes a letter from Representative Ken Hechler of WV urging Hoblitzell to run for the 4th district seat in the House of Representatives; letter dated Jan. 13, 1960)

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I: General Correspondence

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Unit Date 1961

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J: Personal, Business, and Political Correspondence

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Unit Date 1958-1959

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K: Personal, Congratulatory and Business Correspondence

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Unit Date 1959-1961

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L: Personal, Political, Business, and Congratulatory Correspondence

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Unit Date 1958-1961

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Mc: Personal, Congratulatory, and Political Correspondence

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M: Personal, Congratulatory, and Business Correspondence

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Unit Date 1958-1961

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

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N: Personal, Political, Business, and Congratulatory Correspondence

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Unit Date 1958-1961

Mixed Materials 4 (Box)

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O: Personal, Business, and Political Correspondence

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P: Personal, Congratulatory, and Political Correspondence

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Q: General Correspondence

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R: Personal, Congratulatory, and Political Correspondence

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S: Personal, Congratulatory, and Political Correspondence

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T: Personal, Congratulatory, and Political Correspondence

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U: Personal, Congratulatory, and Political Correspondence (includes several letters to and from Governor Cecil Underwood)

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W-Y: Personal, Business, Political, and Congratulatory Correspondence

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Alumni Council of West Virginia University

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"Clarence & W.A. Anderson" (folder contains addresses and material for speeches)

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Bluefield Sales Executive Club

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Centennial (W.Va. State of)**Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/121210**Unit Date** 1960**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 9 (Folder)**Chamber of Commerce (State and Local Bluefield)****Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/121211**Unit Date** 1958-1960**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 10 (Folder)**City of Bluefield Capital Improvements Advisory Committee****Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/121212**Unit Date** 1960**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 11 (Folder)**City of Bluefield in acquiring the local Water Works****Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/121213**Unit Date** 1960**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 12 (Folder)**Civic Organizations****Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/121214**Unit Date** 1960**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 13 (Folder)**Civil Defense Mobilization (Poterfield Postmaster****Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/121215**Unit Date** 1960**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 14 (Folder)**National Foundation for Consumer Credit (Senate bill enclosed)****Unit ID** [Archival Resource Key](#)**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival_objects/121216**Unit Date** 1960**Mixed Materials** 5 (Box)**Container** 15 (Folder)

Republican Convention Platform Committee

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121217

Unit Date 1960

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Container 16 (Folder)

Campaign Materials

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121218

Unit Date 1958

Mixed Materials 5 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Economic Development Agency

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121410

Unit Date 1960

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Educational Seminar (500 Banquet)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121411

Unit Date 1959

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Golf (U.S.G.A)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121412

Unit Date 1960

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Great Lakes to Florida (US Rt. 21-52); Correspondence from Various Attorneys

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121413

Unit Date 1960

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Itinerary (calendar of events)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121414

Unit Date 1960

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Navy ROA (W.Va.)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121415

Unit Date 1960

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

News Clippings

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121416

Unit Date 1934-1961

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

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Container 8 (Folder)

Obituaries; Senator John D. Hoblitzel, Jr.

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121417

Unit Date 1962

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

Ohio Valley Improvement Association (O.V.I.A.)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121418

Unit Date 1960-1961

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

Ohio River Improvement Association

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121419

Unit Date 1959-1960

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

Ohio Valley Industrial Council

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121420

Unit Date 1959

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

Prudden's Digest

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121421

Unit Date 1960

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 13 (Folder)

Prudential Insurance Company of America

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121422

Unit Date 1960

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 14 (Folder)

Ravenswood Chamber of Commerce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121423

Unit Date 1960

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

Ravenswood Investment Corporation

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121424

Unit Date 1960

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

Refugee Committee

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121425

Unit Date 1956-1960

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 17 (Folder)

Disability Pension, and Notification of Birth Registration; John Reed Hoblitzell

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121426

Unit Date 1946-1948

Mixed Materials 6 (Box)

Container 18 (Folder)

Republican Bulletins

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121427

Unit Date 1959

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Republican Executive Committee

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121428

Unit Date 1959

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Republican Party (Publicity and Advertising)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121429

Unit Date 1960

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Speeches

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121430

Unit Date 1958-1961

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Speech Material

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121431

Unit Date 1959-1960

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Tourist Project (C of C)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121432

Unit Date 1960

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

Urban Renewal (Bluefield)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121433

Unit Date 1958-1960

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Underwood, Governor Cecil

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121434

Unit Date 1960

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 8 (Folder)

U.S. Chamber of Commerce

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121435

Unit Date 1959-1960

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 9 (Folder)

W.V. Centennial Commission (Finance)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121436

Unit Date 1960

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 10 (Folder)

W.V. Chamber of Commerce (Bulletins)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121437

Unit Date 1959

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 11 (Folder)

W.V. Crime and Delinquency Council

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121438

Unit Date 1960

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 12 (Folder)

West Virginia Workshop on Economic Education

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121439

Unit Date 1959-1960

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Container 14 (Folder)

WVU (Includes letters from President Elvis Stahr, Jr.)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121440

Unit Date 1960

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 15 (Folder)

WVU Alumni Association (Wood County Chapter)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121441

Unit Date 1959

Mixed Materials 7 (Box)

Container 16 (Folder)

Newspaper Clippings

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121442

Unit Date 1960

Mixed Materials 8 (Box)

Container 1 (Folder)

Economic Development Agency

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121443

Unit Date 1959-1960

Mixed Materials 8 (Box)

Container 2 (Folder)

Education

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121444

Unit Date 1960

Mixed Materials 8 (Box)

Container 3 (Folder)

Speeches

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121445

Unit Date 1960

Mixed Materials 8 (Box)

Container 4 (Folder)

Speeches (and other important material)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121446

Unit Date 1960

Mixed Materials 8 (Box)

Container 5 (Folder)

Speeches and Speech Material

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121447

Unit Date 1958-1960

Mixed Materials 8 (Box)

Container 6 (Folder)

WVU Workshop on Economic Education

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121448

Unit Date 1959

Mixed Materials 8 (Box)

Container 7 (Folder)

Miscellaneous

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121449

Unit Date 1958-1961, and undated

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Container 8 (Folder)

Photo reproduction of "The Rhode Island 100% Financing Plan for Industrial Buildings"

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121450

Unit Date undated

Senator Hoblitzell's Voting Record for the 85th Congress, 2nd Session

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121451

Unit Date 1958

Form letter of John D. Hoblitzell, newly elected President of the Upper Monongahela Valley Association

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121452

Unit Date undated

A Report of Improvements in the Public Works Department by David L. Francis, Mayor of Huntington, WV

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121453

Unit Date 1960

Mitchell Stadium Football Schedule, Bluefield, WV (1960 season)

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121454

Unit Date 1960

Certificate of Appointment to the West Virginia Council of the National Council on Crime and Delinquency

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID [Previous Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121455

Unit Date 1961/05

Certificate of Appreciation for Outstanding Assistance to the Radio Free Europe Fund

Unit ID [Archival Resource Key](#)

Unit ID /repositories/2/archival_objects/121456

Unit Date undated