

JOHN F. KENNEDY
PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY AND MUSEUM

JOSEPH P. KENNEDY

THE PAPERS OF JOHN F. KENNEDY

John F. Kennedy (#1)

Series 5.1 Correspondence, 1933-1950; Family

Box 4A

Kennedy, Joseph P., Sr.

General Correspondence, 1940-1946

Letter to Kathleen Kennedy

Letters to JFK, 1940-1945 & undated

Letters from JFK, 1939-1942 & undated

Letter from Rose F. Kennedy, 10/12/47

Letter from James M. Landis, 3/10/42

Newsclipping, 11/8/40

Series 6.1 Correspondence, 1943-1952; Personal

**Box 6

Souvenirs

telegram for Congressman Joseph Patrick Kennedy, 1/1/47

Series 10.3 Manuscripts; Profiles in Courage

Box 32

Correspondence

Items 7 Harper & Brothers and Joseph P. Kennedy office, financial matters,
5/6/55 – 10/27/55

Series 4. Athenia Affair [Addition]

Box 4

Selected Correspondence

Pre-Presidential Papers (#2)

Subcollection 3. Senate Files, 1953-1961

Series 6.8. Cases and Projects; General Files, 1953-1960

Box 481

General Files, 1953

Kennedy, Joseph P.

Box 504

General Files, 1954

Kennedy, Joseph P. (2 folders)



JOHN F. KENNEDY

PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY AND MUSEUM

Presidential Papers. President's Office Files (#3)

Series 13.2. Presidential Recordings: Telephone Recordings

Dictation Belt 14.1

Dictated letter to Joseph P. Kennedy on election and poll results

White House Central Subject Files (#6.1)

President (PP)

Box 699

PP 1/PP 5/Kennedy Joseph P. (Executive & General)

Box 707

PP 5/Kennedy, Mr. & Mrs. Joseph P. (Rose) (Executive & General)

RECORDS OF GOVERNMENT AGENCIES

United States Information Agency (#272)

Roll 19

Kennedy, Joseph P. (Father of President Kennedy) – General Stories-News Clippings

PERSONAL PAPERS

James M. Cannon (#314)

Series 1. Joseph P. Kennedy, Research Material, 1939-1963

Box 1

Research Material

Letter to Mother and Dad from Joseph P. Kennedy, Jr., 9 September 1943

Series 2. Robert F. Kennedy, Research Material, 1961-1963

Box 1

Joseph P. Kennedy interview, 9 May 1961

Paul F. deGara (#325)

Series 1. Medical Files, 1956-1971

Box 1

Kennedy, Joseph P. [closed]

Joseph P. Kennedy (#136)

Permission-only collection. See finding aid for Joseph P. Kennedy

Robert F. Kennedy Pre Administration Papers (#138)

Series: Personal Files, 1937-1959; Family Papers; Joseph P. Kennedy

See finding aid for Series information.



JOHN F. KENNEDY

PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY AND MUSEUM

Series: Political Files, 1952-1960; John F. Kennedy's 1960 Campaign and Transition; Correspondence, 1959-1960

Box 16

Kennedy, Joseph P.

Series: Working Files, 1951-1959; Select Committee on Improper Activities in the Labor or Management Field, 1957-1959; Correspondence, Personal, 1957-1959

Box 41

1957

Kennedy Family: 1/57-12/57 and undated (3 folders)

Box 45

1958

Kennedy Family: 1/58-12/58 and undated (6 folders)

Box 50

1959

Kennedy Family: 1/59-10/59 (5 folders)

Robert F. Kennedy Attorney General Papers 1961-1964 (#138)

Series: Correspondence, 1961-1964; General, 1961-1964

Box 30

Kennedy, Ellen – Kennedy, Joseph P.

Rose Fitzgerald Kennedy (#139)

Series 1. Diaries, 1908-1975

Box 1

1914

7-28 October, "The Wedding Log"

Printed journal Rose Kennedy wrote in to describe her engagement, gifts, wedding, and their "Honeymoon Days." Handwritten entries, newspaper clippings, photographs, ticket stubs, "Boston Royal Rooters, 1914" pin

Box 3

[1938]

Fall 1939-1940, Joseph P. Kennedy's resignation as ambassador [marked elsewhere as Fall 1968]

Box 4

[1968]

25 November, notes on books about Joseph P. Kennedy and John F. Kennedy

1969

Spring, Robert Kennedy and Joseph P. Kennedy
December, following Joseph P. Kennedy's death

1970

March, Joseph P. Kennedy and his Jewish friends



JOHN F. KENNEDY

PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY AND MUSEUM

March, tributes to Joseph P. Kennedy

Box 5

1971

23 August, Diary Notebook A, 1923-1971

... Note Edward Kennedy's comment on telling Joseph P. Kennedy of John F. Kennedy's death.

"Married Life" (2 folders)

Box 6

[1972]

3 July, Hollywood, Joseph Kennedy's friends, Gloria Swanson, memorial books

11 July and 21 August, Joseph Kennedy's government jobs, spanking, notes pinned to dress, household help, President and his wife, discussions at the table

Box 7

[Undated notes [arranged alphabetical by title, subject or first line]]

[Joseph Kennedy's friends]

"Personal – falling in love with Joe"

Series 2.2 Times to Remember, 1908-1995; Interview Transcripts, 1972-1973

Boxes 8-9 – Cassettes

[1972]

6 January, Palm Beach, Rose Kennedy and Robert Coughlan "Second taping session." Topics: ...Joseph Kennedy's familial advice, traveling husband and children, Gloria Swanson, ...family tree, errors in print about Kennedys. Cassette available. Partial Coughlan transcript available, pp. 30-42

7 January, Palm beach, Rose Kennedy and Robert Coughlan "Session 3. Corrections and comments on Gail Cameron's book, *Rose*." Topics: ...wives of politicians, Joseph Kennedy being away from family on business, ...courtship with Joseph Kennedy, ...being an Ambassador's wife,.... Cassette available. Coughlan transcripts available, 40 pages total. Part A, pp 1-19, Part B, pp. 1-21

[13 January, Palm Beach, Rose Kennedy and Robert Coughlan "Joseph P. Kennedy's final years and the reactions of Rose and the children." Topics: Joseph Kennedy's illness and final years, the children's role during this time period, family love of traveling, foreign countries, Hollywood, structure of the book, Joseph Kennedy and religion. Cassette available. No transcript.]



JOHN F. KENNEDY

PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY AND MUSEUM

January 17, Palm Beach, Rose Kennedy and Robert Coughlan
“Campaigning; touch football; Joseph Kennedy’s health, family, digestive troubles, etc.; corrections and comments on Paul Fay’s book *The Pleasure of his Company*.” Topics: Joseph Kennedy’s illness and final years, his interests....Cassette available. Coughlan transcript available, 27 pages

18 January, Palm Beach, Rose Kennedy and Robert Coughlan “Bob K’s parties (Ted in pool); Jack and Ted relations; and public image; and [corrections on Paul] Fay’s book [*The Pleasure of his Company*] cont.; her pre-inaugural (PB) materials; (Kenneth Reardon, etc.) + Joe-Rose division of [?];...Cassette available. Coughlan transcript available, 28 pages

20 January, Palm Beach, Rose Kennedy and Robert Coughlan “Comments on article by Joseph Kennedy’s nurse; early memories of Joseph Kennedy and early married life.” Topics:..., first time meeting Joseph Kennedy. Cassette available. Coughlan transcript available, 28 pages

21 January, Palm Beach, Rose Kennedy and Robert Coughlan “Rose’s comments on Sandy Richardson’s list of questions.” Topics:... first time meeting Joseph Kennedy and early relationship,... engagement,... Joseph Kennedy’s speech patterns,... relationship between John Kennedy and Joseph Kennedy,.... Cassette available. Coughlin transcript available, 33 pages

21 and 24 January, Palm Beach, Rose Kennedy and Robert Coughlan
“Girlhood and early marriage; comments on Richard J. Whalen’s book *The Founding Father: The Story of Joseph P. Kennedy*; questions and answers re: diary notes from the years 1923 and 1924.” Topics:...relationship between Honey Fitz and Joseph Kennedy, Joseph Kennedy and alcohol,... Joseph Kennedy’s mother,.... Two cassettes available. Coughlan transcript available, 26 pages.

[24-25 January, Palm Beach, Rose Kennedy and Robert Coughlan
“Married life and JPK’s ambassador years.” Cassette available. No transcript.]

25-26 January, Palm Beach, Rose Kennedy and Robert Coughlan “More on ‘Married life,’ ambassadorship and some on fashion and comments about Wheeler [Whalen], Cameron and other books about her and her family.”....Cassette available. Coughlin transcript available, 27 pages

31 January, Palm Beach, Rose Kennedy and Robert Coughlan “Discuss Joey Gargan’s memorandum to her and her diary section on ‘children.’” Topics:...relationship between Joseph Kennedy, Jr. and his father.... Cassette available. Coughlan transcript available, 29 pages



JOHN F. KENNEDY

PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY AND MUSEUM

23 February, Palm Beach, Rose Kennedy and Robert Coughlan “Re-interview re: Courtship and Early Years of Marriage, and misc.” Cassette forthcoming. Coughlan transcript available, 67 pages

[5 and 9 or 5-9 April, Palm Beach, Rose Kennedy and Robert Coughlan “Rose Kennedy dictation re Early Married Life, etc. Notes on early married life, the grandchildren, hopes for their future, etc.” Cassette forthcoming. No transcript]

[9-10 April, Palm Beach, Rose Kennedy “Dictating remarks re early married life, etc.” Check cassette above. No transcript]

[27 April, Palm Beach, Mary Sanford and Robert Coughlan at Sanford house. “Discuss early memories of JPK and Rose and later ones.” Cassette forthcoming. No transcript]

[3 September, Hyannis Port, Coughlan house, John Ryan and Robert Coughlan “Discuss Joseph P. Kennedy, Sr. and illness and Rose’s attitude, etc. etc.” Cassette forthcoming. No transcript.]

Series 2.3 Times to Remember, 1908-1995; Background Materials, 1908-1982 Box 12

Newspaper clippings, Rose Fitzgerald’s and Joseph P. Kennedy’s wedding, 1914

Diary, “Married Life,” 1914-1944 (2 folders)

Joseph P. Kennedy

General, 1934-1973

Correspondence between Rose Kennedy and Joseph P. Kennedy, 1934, undated

Box 14

Ambassadorship and aftermath, 1938-1972

Joseph P. Kennedy, miscellaneous correspondence, 1936-1940, 1971

Series 3.5 Correspondence Files, 1910-1995; Family Correspondence File, 1910-1994

See finding aid for Series information, p. 36.

Series 7.3 Family Subject File, 1887, 1895, 1900-1994; John F. Fitzgerald and the Fitzgerald Family, 1887, 1900-1970

Box 122

Postcards to Joseph and Rose Kennedy, 26 July 1915 [day after birth of Joseph P. Kennedy Jr.]



JOHN F. KENNEDY

PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY AND MUSEUM

Series 7.4 Family Subject File, 1887, 1895, 1900-1994; Joseph P. Kennedy, 1927-1929, 1937-1973

See finding aid for Series information, p. 60.

Series 7.5 Family Subject File, 1887, 1895, 1900-1994; Rose Fitzgerald Kennedy, 1906-1907, 1914-1994

Box 124

Engagement to Joseph P. Kennedy, 21 June-16 July 1914, undated

Marriage to Joseph P. Kennedy, 3 October-17 December 1914

Invitation and at home cards

Notes and letters

Health, diets and prescriptions, Joseph P. and Rose Kennedy, 1922, 1939-1976

Series 7.10 Family Subject File, 1887, 1895, 1900-1994; Eunice Kennedy Shriver, 1922-1977, 1987, 1993-1994

Box 129

Clippings

1961 [including Joseph Kennedy's birthday]

Series 8. Subject File, 1863, 1881, 1892-1907, 1923-1977

Box 132

Hyannisport house

Floor plans, Joseph P. Kennedy house

Series 10.1 Condolence Mail, 1963-1976, 1993-1994; Joseph P. Kennedy, 1969

See finding aid for Series information, p. 74

David E. Koskoff (#147)

See finding aid for David E. Koskoff.

Evelyn Lincoln (#150)

Series: Correspondence

Box 8

1939: Joseph P. Kennedy

Burke Marshall (#161)

Series 4. Kennedy Family Files, 1963-2003

Box 132

Kennedy, Joseph and Rose: Institute

David F(rancis) Powers (#189)

Series 3. Writings Files

Box 9

Transcribed Tapes

12/61-8/62: "South America Trip, JPK stroke, Mexico trip, California trip"



JOHN F. KENNEDY

PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY AND MUSEUM

Series 5. Kennedy Family File.

Box 16

Joseph Kennedy

Correspondence

News clippings and General Information

Harvard-Yale Game brochure 1916

Speeches

James Seymour (#210)

See finding aid for James Seymour

R. Sargent Shriver (#214)

Series 10.3 Personal Files, 1900-1979; Subject Files, 1948-1972

Box 291

Joseph P. Kennedy

Series 10.6 Personal Files, 1900-1979; Personal Photographs

OVZ Box #4

Shriver Family

RSS's mother (Hilda) with Joe Sr. at unid. formal event © Harcourt

ORAL HISTORY INTERVIEWS

William C. Battle, Campaign manager, Virginia, John F. Kennedy for President (1960). United States Ambassador, Australia (1962 - 1964)

JFK #3, 3/23/1970

JFK #4, 8/23/2005

Mary V. Boylan, Secretary, Boston and Washington Offices, Senator John F. Kennedy; Secretary, White House social office

JFK #1, 11/29/1966

Thomas Broderick, Massachusetts political figure; Kennedy campaign organizer, Brighton, Massachusetts (1946, 1952)

JFK #1, 4/29/1964

Edmund G. "Pat" Brown, Governor of California (1959 - 1967)

JFK #1, 7/29/1964

William W. Busby, Lyndon B. Johnson's House and Senate Offices (1948-1950); staff member, U.S. Senate Armed Services Preparedness Subcommittee (1950-1953); consultant, U.S. Senate Armed Services Preparedness



JOHN F. KENNEDY

PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY AND MUSEUM

Subcommittee (1957-1958); advisor to the Vice President (1961-1963); special assistant to the President and secretary of the Cabinet (1963-1965)

JFK #1, 5/26/1982

W. Walton Butterworth, American representative to the European Coal and Steel Community (1956-1962); American representative to the European Economic Community for the European Atomic Energy Commission (1958-1962); Ambassador to Canada (1962-1968)

JFK #1, 5/28/1970

Garrett H. Byrne, Massachusetts political figure, District Attorney, Suffolk County (1952-1978)

JFK #1, 9/28/1967

John F. Cahill, Massachusetts Political Figure. Chairman, Massachusetts Democratic Committee (1945); delegate (1940), alternate delegate (1944, 1948) Democratic National Convention

JFK #1, 9/27/1967

Joseph E. Casey, Representative from Massachusetts (1935 – 1943)

JFK #1, 2/24/1967

John R. Cauley, Journalist, foreign affairs editor, Washington bureau, Kansas City Star (1957-1964)

JFK #1, 1/10/1966

John J. Cavanaugh, Kennedy family friend, associate; Roman Catholic priest; vice president (1940-1946), president (1946-1952), University of Notre Dame; director, Notre Dame Foundation (1952-1959)

JFK #1, 3/27/1966

Vincent J. Celeste, Republican candidate for U. S. Senate, 1958

JFK #1, 10/3/1977

Peter J. Cloherty, Massachusetts political figure; campaign worker, John F. Kennedy's first congressional campaign (1946); delegate, (1952, 1956), alternate delegate (1960), Democratic National Convention. 1967

JFK #1, 9/29/1967

Margaret L. Coit, Author-in-residence, Fairleigh Dickinson University

JFK #1, 6/1/1966

Robert E. Cooke, Chairman, Medical Advisory Board, Joseph P. Kennedy, Jr. Foundation; member, Science Advisory Council, Children's Hospital Research Foundation



JOHN F. KENNEDY

PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY AND MUSEUM

JFK #1, 3/29/1968

Paul Corbin, Campaign worker for John F. Kennedy (1960); Special Assistant to the Chairman, Democratic National Committee (1961-1964); Campaign worker for Robert F. Kennedy (1964, 1968); independent political consultant (1964-1968)

JFK #2, 11/27/1967

Jill Cowan (staff member, Pierre Salinger's Office of the White House Press Secretary) and Priscilla Wear (staff member, President's Secretary's Office)

JFK #1, 3/16/1965

John C. Culver, United States Senator, Iowa (1975 - 1981). U. S. Representative, Iowa (1964 - 1974) Legislative Assistant, U. S. Senator Edward M. Kennedy, Massachusetts; Friend of the Kennedy Family

JFK #1, 5/12/2003

Joseph A. Curname, Massachusetts political figure; publisher, Everett Leader-Herald and News-Gazette

JFK #1, 11/29/1966

Richard Cardinal Cushing, Roman Catholic Archbishop of Boston (1944-1970); Cardinal (1958-1970)

JFK #1, 1966

Mark J. Dalton, Massachusetts political figure; Kennedy friend, associate; member, John F. Kennedy's staff, (1946 - 1952)

JFK #1, 8/4/1964

JFK #2, 8/10/1964

Mary W. Davis, Secretary to Representative John F. Kennedy (1947-1952)

JFK #1, 4/21/1976

Sid Davis, White House Correspondent, Westinghouse Broadcasting (1959 - 1968)

JFK #1, 2/10/2003

Andrew Dazzi, manager of classified advertising, Boston Globe (1939-1969), John Harris, journalist, Boston Globe

JFK #1, 4/22/1964

Ralph A. Dugan, Staff assistant, Senator John F. Kennedy, Massachusetts, 1956 - 1960; Special Assistant to the President, 1961 - 1964; staff member, Senate Committee on Labor and Public Welfare, 1964 - 1967

JFK #1, 12/9/1967



JOHN F. KENNEDY

PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY AND MUSEUM

Allen J. Ellender, Senator from Louisiana (1937-1972)

JFK #1, 8/29/1967

Paul B. Fay, Friend of President Kennedy; Under Secretary of the Navy (1961-1963)

JFK #1, 11/9/1970

JFK #3, 11/11/1970

Alastair Granville Forbes, Justice, Federal Supreme Court of Rhodesia and Nyasaland 1963; President, Court of Appeal: Seychelles 1965 – 1976

JFK #1, 10/19/1966

JFK #2, 10/31/1966

Lyte M. Fozard, Instructor, Modern European History, University of Maryland European Division (1960 - 1964)

JFK #1, 1/16/1979

Felix Frankfurter, Associate Justice, United States Supreme Court (1939 - 1962)

JFK #1, 6/10/1964

JFK #2, 6/19/1964

Hugh Fraser, Kennedy family friend and associate; Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for the Colonies (1960-1962); Secretary of State for Air (1962-1964), United Kingdom

JFK #1, 9/17/1966

Hirsch Freed, Boston political figure; friend and associate of John F. Kennedy

JFK #1, 6/5/1964

Max Freedman, Author, journalist, personal friend of John F. Kennedy

JFK #1, 5/25/1966

John Kenneth Galbraith, Economist, educator, author, diplomat. Professor of Economics, Harvard University, 1949 - 1975; Ambassador to India , 1961 – 1963

JFK #1, 9/10/2002

JFK #3, 10/17/2002

Edward M. Gallagher, Friend of Joseph P. Kennedy, Sr. and the Kennedy family.

JFK #1, 1/8/1965



JOHN F. KENNEDY

PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY AND MUSEUM

Anthony Galluccio, Campaign worker, John F. Kennedy's first Congressional campaign, Cambridge, Massachusetts (1946)

JFK #1, 4/14/1964

John T. Galvin, Massachusetts political figure; advertising and publicity volunteer for John F. Kennedy (1946-1958)

JFK #1, 5/15/1964

W. Arthur (Wendell Arthur) Garrity, United States Attorney, (1961 - 1966); judge, (1966 - 1985) ;senior judge, (1985 -1990)

JFK #1, 10/17/1977

Louis Harris, Syndicated newspaper columnist Newsweek; Consultant to CBS News on political and public affairs research; Director, Time-Harris Poll, beginning 1969, Life Poll, beginning 1969

JFK #1, 4/12-13/2005

Luella Hennessey-Donovan, Kennedy family nurse (1935-1963); Founder, Kennedy-Donovan Center, Inc. (1969)

JFK #2, 9/25/1991

Laura (Cecelia Bergquist) Knebel, Journalist, Look Magazine (1954-1971)

JFK #1, 12/8/1965

David L. Lawrence, Governor of Pennsylvania (1958-1962); Chairman, President's Committee on Equal Opportunity in Housing (1962-1966)

JFK #1, 1/26/1966

Henry R. Luce, Founder, publisher, Time, Inc.; editor in Chief, Time magazine (1923 - 1964)

JFK #1, 11/11/1965

John L. Seigenthaler, Reporter (1949-1960), editor (1962-1972), The Tennessean, Nashville; aide to Robert F. Kennedy, John F. Kennedy's Presidential campaign (1960)

JFK #1, 7/22/1964

Nancy Tuckerman (Social secretary to Mrs. John F. Kennedy; (1937-)) and Pamela Turnure (Receptionist and secretary in Senator John F. Kennedy's office; press secretary to Mrs. John F. Kennedy)

JFK #1, 10/30/1964



JOHN F. KENNEDY

PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY AND MUSEUM

Lewis H. Weinstein, Lawyer, Member, President's Committee on Equal Employment Opportunity, 1961 - 1968; partner, 1946 - 1979; Assistant Corporate Counsel, Boston, 1934 – 1945

JFK #1, 6/3/1982

* This is intended as a starting point for research. It is not intended to be a definitive guide to all Library materials on this topic. Other collections and additional series in the above-named collections may also contain relevant material. Consult the Library's guide to holdings and the individual finding aids for additional information.

Updated by Sarah E. Pratt, 1/25/12

