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FOX, FREDERIC E.: Records, 1953-61

#### Pre-Accession

The records of Frederic E. Fox, minister, and Special Assistant in the White House, were deposited in the Eisenhower Library in January, 1961, along with other records received from the White House. The file is considered a part of President Eisenhower's papers and is covered by the letter of gift of Dwight D. Eisenhower to Franklin Floete dated April 13, 1960.

Linear feet shelf space occupied: 20 Approximate number of pages: 35,200 Approximate number of items: 17,600

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- 1. Papers that are security-classified pursuant to law or Executive Order, until such classification shall be removed.
- 2. Papers the use of which may be prejudicial to the maintenance of good relations with foreign nations.
- 3. Papers containing statements made by or to me in confidence.
- 4. Papers relating to my family on private business affairs, and papers relating to the families or private business affairs of persons who have had correspondence with me.
- 5. Papers containing statements about individuals which might be used to injure or harass them or members of their families.
- 6. Such other individual files as I, or my representative, or the Administrator of General Services may specify.

#### SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The papers of Frederic E. Fox span the years 1956 to 1961, with a few isolated items before 1956. These items, dated before 1956, apparently were collected for information purposes.

All of this file concerns messages that Fox sent on behalf of the Administration to various organizations throughout the country. They concern Mr. Fox's duties relating to who received presidential messages and visits, congratulations on anniversaries, birthdays, Christmas greetings, organizational meetings, and conventions. Also there is a small number of memoranda between members of the staff concerning special instances of messages that weren't covered in the policy regarding presidential messages. Also, a small number of memoranda discussing the advisability of sending certain presidential messages. The messages in this file are copies of the original. There is also a small collection of speeches and news releases of the President.

A container list is available.

# **BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE**

August 19, 1917 Born in Stamford, Conn.

1939 A.B. Princeton U.

1941-1945 Captain, Signal Corp

1948 B.D. Union Theological Seminary

1952 D.D. Defiance College

1952-1956 Pastor of Congregational churches in Arizona, New York, Ohio

July 16, 1956 Special Assistant in the White House

March 7, 1957 Staff Assistant to the President

#### DESCRIPTION OF SERIES

## Box Nos. Series

- 1-13 <u>Presidential Correspondence</u> (outward). 1946-1956--Letters and messages that were sent. Arranged alphabetically by type of message sent are letters such as birthdays and Christmas greetings and messages to armed forces, education, honorary degrees, Labor Day, political messages, religion, and wedding anniversaries. 12 1/4 containers.
- 13-24 <u>Speeches and major messages, miscellaneous chronological</u> (outward); <u>F. Fox</u> <u>Correspondence</u> (outward). Letters and messages arranged chronologically from Nov. 1960-Feb. 1957, Aug. 1956- Nov. 1955, turn-downs. 11 2 containers.
- 24-30 <u>General Correspondence</u> (outward). Series contains a file of Kevin McCann and includes messages sent such as arts and sciences, autographs, and birthday acknowledgments, civil defense, dedications, fraternities, immigration, newspapers, mock political conventions, wedding acknowledgments, and miscellaneous clippings. Arranged in alphabetical order by type of message, except for several folders at the end. 6 2 containers.
- 30 <u>Presidential and Secretarial Correspondence</u> (outward). Drafts of letters, mostly by Kevin McCann (Spec. Asst. to the President). Also, in very rough alphabetical order, various messages and letters. American Art Week and an interesting overall summary on function of Presidential messages filed under "Birthday Data" are included in this series. Also included are various stencils of True Brotherhood, Lincoln and Education, to the Boy Scouts of America, The Prayer of Our People. 1 container.
- 31-51 <u>Presidential Correspondence</u> (outward). (Chronological) and secretarial messages which are represented by anniversaries of towns, testimonials of citizens, clean-up campaigns, conferences, and fraternal meetings. Arrangement is chronological. 21 containers.

### CONTAINER LIST

# Box No. Contents

# PRESIDENTIAL CORRESPONDENCE (OUTWARD) SERIES

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Atomic Energy

Awards (1)-(4)

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Birthdays 1953-1954-1955-1956 (1)-(4)

Business and Professional 1957-58 (1)-(3)

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Business and Professional 1953-1954-1955-1956 (1)-(4)

Charitable (1)(2)

Christmas 1960

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Citizenship

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Civic (1)-(6)
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       Condolence
       Congressional and Cabinet (1)(2)
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       Cornerstone Laying
       Dedications (1)(2)
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       Fraternal (1)-(3)
       Fraternities
       Government Agencies, Programs
       Handicapped
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       Historical (1957) (3)-(6)
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       Historical - 1953-55 (1)-(5)
       Honorary Degree
       Hospital
       Housing
       Illness
       Immigration (Refugees, Refugee Act, etc.)
       Inaugural Balls 1957
       Indian Affairs
       International 1956 (1)-(3)
       International 1956 (4)(5)
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       International 1953-55 (1)-(6)
       Invitation
       Labor (1)-(3)
       Labor Day
       Law Enforcement
       Lincoln Day Messages (1)(2)
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Local (1)-(5)
       Military Divisions
        Miscellaneous (1)
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       Negro
       Newspapers (Magazines, Photographic Organizations) (1)-(8)
       Patriotic (1)(2)
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        Political - Ala. thru Montana (1)-(5)
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        Public Works
        Radio - TV
        Rosh Hashonah 1956 (Jewish New Year) Sept. 5, 1956
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        Jewish (1)-(4)
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       Religious (1)(2)
       Religious - Jewish (1)(2)
       Religious - Protestant Folder (1)-(9)
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       Resources
       Retirement
       Safety
       Science and Scientists
       Small Business
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       Trade Associations (1)-(3)
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        Veterans (1)-(5)
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       Wedding Anniversaries
       Women's Organizations (1)-(4)
       Youth (1)(2)
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       Youth, Fitness of American (President's Conference on )
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# **SPEECHES AND MAJOR MESSAGES SERIES**

Speeches and Major Messages prior to July 26, 1954 (1)-(5)

## F. FOX CORRESPONDENCE (OUTWARD) SERIES

- F. Fox, Chrono., Nov. 1960 (1)-(5)
- F. Fox, Chrono., Oct. 1960 (1)-(7)
- 14 F. Fox, Chrono., Sep. 1960 (1)-(5)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Aug. 1960 (1)-(5)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Jul. 1960 (1)-(3)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Jun. 1960 (1)-(6)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., May 1960 (1)(2)
- 15 F. Fox, Chrono., May 1960 (3)-(5)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Apr. 1960 (1)-(6)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Mar. 1960 (1)-(6)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Feb. 1960 (1)-(6)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Jan. 1960 (1)-(4)
- 16 F. Fox, Chrono., Jan. 1960 (5)

Miscellaneous Chron.

- F. Fox, Chrono., Dec. 1959 (1)-(3)
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- F. Fox, Chrono., Oct. 1959 (1)-(5)
- F. Fox, Chrono., Sep. 1959 (1)-(5)
- F. Fox, Chrono., Aug. 1959 (1)-(3)

- 17 F. Fox, Chrono., Jul. 1959 (1)-(4)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Jun. 1959 (1)-(4)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., May 1959 (1)-(5)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Apr. 1959 (1)-(5)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Mar. 1959 (1)-(4)
- 18 F. Fox, Chrono., Mar. 1959 (5)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Feb. 1959 (1)-(5)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Jan. 1959 (1)-(4)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Dec. 1958 (1)-(4)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Nov. 1958 (1)-(4)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Oct. 1958 (1)-(6)
- 19 F. Fox, Chrono., Sep. 1958 (1)-(4)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Aug. 1958 (1)-(4)
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  - F. Fox, Chrono., Jun. 1958 (1)-(4)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., May 1958 (1)-(6)
- 20 F. Fox, Chrono., Apr. 1958 (General) (1)-(6)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Mar. 1958 (General) (1)-(5)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Feb. 1958 (General) (1)-(5)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Jan. 1958 (General) (1)-(4)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Dec. 1957 (General) (1)-(3)

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  - F. Fox, Chrono., Oct. 1957 (General) (1)-(4)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Sep. 1957 (General) (1)-(4)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Aug. 1957 (General) (1)-(3)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Jul. 1957 (General) (1)(2)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Jun. 1957 (General) (1)-(3)
- 22 F. Fox, Chrono., May 1957 (Turn Downs) (1)-(4)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Apr. 1957 (Turn Downs) (1)-(4)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Mar. 1957 (Turn Downs) (1)-(4)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Feb. 1957 (Turn Downs) (1)-(4)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Aug. 1956 (Turn Downs) (1)(2)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Jul. 1956 (Turn Downs) (1)-(3)
- 23 F. Fox, Chrono., Jun. 1956 (Turn Downs) (1)-(3)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., May 1956 (Turn Downs) (1)-(4)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Apr. 1956 (Turn Downs) (1)-(3)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Mar. 1956 (Turn Downs) (1)-(4)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Feb. 1956 (Turn Downs) (1)-(3)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Jan. 1956 (Turn Downs) (1)-(3)
  - F. Fox, Chrono., Dec. 1955 (Turn Downs) (1)-(3)
- 24 F. Fox, Chrono., Nov. 1955 (Turn Downs) (1)(2)

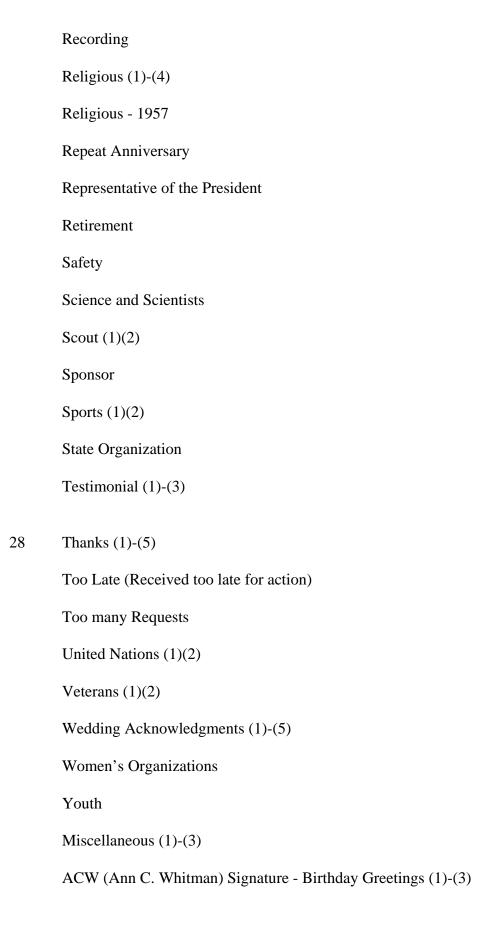
#### GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE (OUTWARD) SERIES

Mr. McCann, Chronological Presidential File (1)-(2)

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Awards
       Administrative Matters (1)(2)
       Arts and Artists
       Atomic Energy - Turn downs
       Autograph
       Birthday acknowledgments 1957 (1)-(3)
       Birthday acknowledgments 1956 (1)-(5)
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	Invitation
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	Political (1)-(3)
	Political - Mock Conventions
	Proclamation (1)-(3)
	Radio - TV

Exclusive - Publication (1)



ACW Signature – Wedding Anniversaries Re Messages Sent [Clippings] 29 Statements and Speeches by D.D. Eisenhower - prior to the Presidency (1)-(4) Miscellaneous Clippings (1)(2) Reproductions of Presidential Messages (1)-(7) Religious (1)(2) [Clippings] 30 Religious (3)(4) [Clippings] Religion - Clippings, notes World Council of Churches "France Comes to Rhode Island" Week PRESIDENTIAL AND SECRETARIAL CORRESPONDENCE (OUTWARD) SERIES Carbon Copies of Kevin McCann letters (Spec. Asst. to the President) (1)(2) American Art Week Architecture Bible, The Birthday Data [interesting overall summary on function of Presidential messages] **Boy Scout Testimonial Letters** Brotherhood Canada Daughters of the American Revolution Education

Golf

Good Friday Israel's 10th Anniversary Letter Writing Week Ministers (Retiring) Music **NAACP** Nurses Parent Teacher Associations The Prayer of Our People (From 2nd Inaugural Address) Sunday School **United Nations** United States Day DDE Photo - F A C (Begley) DDE Photos - Glossy (Begley) First Voters Week 19th Psalm - Stencil The Highest Privilege (Stencil) Goals - What to Do to Achieve Goals (Stencils) Know Your America Week (Copies) Home for Asthmatic Children NEA Citizenship Committee (DDE letter 6/26/59) National Newspaper Week 1959 The Case of Martin Sobell (Copies of Letter)

Protestant One Great Hour of Sharing [empty]

National Foreign Language Week (CC: 1/7/60 Pres. Letter)

4/28/60 Letters from America Week

Nixon for President Rallies - copy of President's Telegrams

Stencils - Congressional Liaison

Veterans Day

National Newspaper Week 1960

Mailing Schedule for Birthday and Wedding Anniversary Cards

Envelope containing stencil - True Brotherhood

Envelope containing stencil - Lincoln and Education

Envelope containing stencil - To the Boy Scouts of America

Envelope containing stencil - The Prayer of Our People [empty]

Envelope containing carbon copies of letters, telegrams of DDE - generally messages to organizations (1)-(4)

## PRESIDENTIAL CORRESPONDENCE (OUTWARD) SERIES

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Presidentials, Sep. 1960 (1)(2)

Presidentials, Aug. 1960 (1)(2)

Presidentials, Jul. 1960

Presidentials, Jun. 1960 (1)(2)

Presidentials, May 1960 (1)-(3)

Presidentials, Apr. 1960 (1)(2)

Presidentials, Mar. 1960 (1)(2)

Presidentials, Feb. 1960 (1)(2)

Presidentials, Jan. 1960

Presidentials, Dec. 1959

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Presidentials, Sep. 1959 (1)(2)

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Presidentials, Jun. 1959 (1)-(3)

Presidentials, May 1959 (1)-(3)

Presidentials, Apr. 1959 (1)(2)

Presidentials, Mar. 1959

Presidentials, Feb. 1959

Presidentials, Jan. 1959 (1)(2)

Presidentials, Dec. 1958

Presidentials, Nov. 1958 (1)(2)

Presidentials, Oct. 1958 (1)(2)

Presidentials, Sep. 1958 (1)(2)

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Presidentials, Jun. 1958 (1)(2)

Presidentials, May 1958 (1)(2)

Presidentials, Apr. 1958 (1)(2)

Presidentials, Mar. 1958

Presidentials, Feb. 1958

Presidentials, Jan. 1958

Presidentials, Dec. 1957

Presidentials, Nov. 1957 (1)(2)

Presidentials, Oct. 1957 (1)(2)

Presidentials, Sep. 1957 (1)(2)

Presidentials, Aug. 1957 (1)(2)

34 Presidentials, Jul. 1957 (1)-(3)

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Presidentials, May 1957 (1)-(4)

Presidentials, Apr. 1957 (1)-(3)

Presidentials, Mar. 1957 (1)-(3)

Presidentials, Feb. 1957 (1)(2)

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Presidentials, Nov. 1956 (1)-(4)

Presidentials, Oct. 16-31, 1956 (1)-(5)

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Presidentials, Sep. 16-30, 1956 (1)-(6)

- 36 Presidentials, Sep. 1-15, 1956 (1)-(4)
  - Presidentials, Aug. 1956 (1)-(10)
  - Presidentials, Jul. 1956 (1)-(6)
- 37 Presidentials, Jun. 1956 (1)-(9)
  - Presidentials, May 16-31, 1956 (1)-(6)
  - Presidentials, May 1-15, 1956 (1)-(3)
- 38 Presidentials, May 1-15, 1956 (4)-(6)
  - Presidentials, Apr. 1956 (1)-(10)
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- 39 Presidentials, Mar. 1956 (6)(7)
  - Presidentials, Feb. 1956 (1)-(8)
  - Presidentials, Jan. 1956 (1)-(5)
  - Presidentials, Dec. 1955 (1)-(3)
- 40 Presidentials, Dec. 1955 (4)-(7)
  - Presidentials, Nov. 1955 (1)-(7)
  - Presidentials, Oct. 1955 (1)-(8)
- 41 Presidentials, Sep. 1955 (1)-(6)
  - Presidentials, Aug. 1955 (1)-(8)
  - Presidentials, Jul. 1955 (1)-(5)

- 42 Presidentials, Jul. 1955 (6)-(8)
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  - Presidentials, May 1955 (1)-(5)
- 43 Presidentials, May 1955 (6)-(14)
  - Presidentials, Apr. 1955 (1)-(10)
- 44 Presidentials, Apr. 1955 (11)(12)
  - Presidentials, Mar. 1955 (1)-(12)
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- 45 Presidentials, Jan. 1955 (1)-(6)
  - Presidentials, Dec. 1954 (1)-(6)
  - Presidentials, Nov. 1954 (1)-(7)
- 46 Presidentials, Nov. 1954 (8)-(13)
  - Presidentials, Oct. 1954 (1)-(12)
  - Presidentials, Sep. 1954 (1)(2)
- 47 Presidentials, Sep. 1954 (3)-(9)
  - Presidentials, Aug. 1954 (1)-(9)
  - Presidentials, Jul. 1954 (1)-(3)
- 48 Presidentials, Jul. 1954 (4)
  - Presidentials, Jun. 1954 (1)-(8)
  - Presidentials, May 1954 (1)-(8)

Presidentials, Apr. 1954 (1)(2)

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Presidentials, Mar. 1954 (1)-(5)

Presidentials, Feb. 1954 (1)-(5)

Presidentials, Jan. 1954 (1)-(3)

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Presidentials, Oct. 1953 (1)-(9)

Presidentials, Sep. 1953 (1)-(4)

Presidentials, Aug. 1953 (1)(2)

Presidentials, Jul. 1953 (1)(2)

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Presidentials, May 1953 (1)-(6)

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Presidentials, Mar. 1953 (1)(2)

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