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FOX, FREDERIC: Papers, 1948 – 1972

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The papers of Frederic E. Fox, Congregational Minister, Special Assistant in the White House, Staff Assistant to the President, and Recording Secretary at Princeton University, were deposited in the Eisenhower Library January 8, 1969 by Mr. Fox. On October 16, 1970 Mr. Fox executed an instrument of gift for these papers.

Linear Feet shelf space occupied: 33.3
Approximate number of pages: 83,300
Approximate number of items: 80,000

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SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The papers of Frederic Fox span the years 1948 to 1972, with the most significant parts covering the years 1956 to January 1961 when Mr. Fox was Special Assistant in the White House Office.

The Pre-Eisenhower Administration portions of the Fox papers concern his ministry in the Congregational Church. The majority of this early material are his sermons and associated material concerning the different churches in which he was pastor.

About one-fourth of the papers concern Mr. Fox's activities as Special Assistant in the White House Office. Included in the files covering this period are correspondence and memoranda dealing with speeches, letters to religious and fraternal organizations as well as congratulations to individuals on anniversaries and birthdays, as well as Christmas greetings.

Over-one half of the papers concern Mr. Fox's drafts of different books after he left the Administration. Included in these files are extensive chapter files which contain draft manuscripts, correspondence, magazines, newspapers, as well as notes concerning his unpublished book on federal government and church relations entitled Allegiance. Other manuscripts included are 14 Africans v. 1 American, A Calendar of Hymns, the Pilgrim Hymnal, The Deception Team: War and Football are Getting Trickier, and Princeton '39 Goes to Russia '69.

One negative and one positive microfilm copy of a biographical scrapbook of Frederic Fox kept by his mother-in-law, Mrs. Donald Putnam, of Ashland, Kentucky, have been combined with the Fox Papers. The scrapbook covers the period from 1944, when Mr. Fox married Hanna Putnam, to 1968 at which time Mr. Fox was Recording Secretary at Princeton University. It is composed of letters, newspaper clippings, and announcements of various types.

Over 200 photographs of people in the Eisenhower Administration and 81 printed items were separated from the papers and transferred to the audio-visual and book collections of the Eisenhower Library.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

- 1917, Aug.19 Born in Stanford, Connecticut
- 1939 A. B., Princeton University
- 1941-1945 Captain, Signal Corp, service in ETO, 1943-45
- 1948 B. D. Union Theological Seminary
- 1952 D. D. Defiance College
- 1952-1956 Pastor of Congregational Churches in Ohio and Massachusetts
- 1956 Jul 16-
1957, Mar. 6 Special Assistant in the White House
- 1957 Mar. 7-
1961, Jan. 20 Staff Assistant to the President
- 1961 July 29 Christian Journalism teacher in Northern Rhodesia for 6 months
- 1964 Recording Secretary at Princeton University

DESCRIPTION OF SERIES

<u>Box No.</u>	<u>Series</u>
1-23	Church files, 1948-56. 23 containers. Sermons, correspondence, and newspaper clippings. Sermons arranged in alphabetical order. Miscellaneous items are placed at the end of the series.
24-35	White House papers, 1956-61. 12 containers. Correspondence, memoranda, and congratulatory notes to people both within the administration and to the general public. Advice on speeches to various White House Staff members. Chronologically arranged by month.
36-37	<u>White House Staff Book</u> , 1960-61. 2 containers. Manuscript and background material.
38-39	<u>Pilgrim Hymnal</u> , 1957. 2 containers. Manuscript and background material.
40-41	<u>A Calendar of Hymns</u> ; also <u>Songs of Two Christmases</u> . 2 containers. Manuscripts and background material.
42-46	<u>14 Africans v. 1 American</u> . 5 containers. Manuscript, galley proofs, and background material
47-58	<u>Allegiance</u> . 12 containers. Manuscript, correspondence, and some background material for unpublished book <u>Allegiance</u> . The book is arranged by chapters, and the order of the chapters is taken from the <u>United States Government Organization Manual</u> .
59-96	<u>Allegiance</u> background material. 38 containers. Background material, notes, newspapers, magazines, and other miscellaneous material for <u>Allegiance</u> . Arranged by chapters.
97-98	Church and State. 2 containers. Study papers on church-state aspects of the church's involvement in human need.
99	Miscellaneous writings. 1 container. Article on Foreign Missions. Article, "Princeton '39 Goes to Russia '69." Manuscript of article, "The Deception Team: War and Football are Getting Trickier." Manuscripts for article, "The National Day of Prayer (NDP)."
100-101	Memorabilia. 2 containers. Newspapers and scrapbook collected by Mr. Fox, plus other miscellaneous memorabilia. Unarranged.
102	<u>Biographical Scrapbook</u> . 1 reel microfilm. Scrapbook kept by Fox's mother-in-law, Mrs. Donald Putnam, of Ashland, Kentucky. A71-47/1 was combined with A71-47.

CONTAINER LIST

<u>Box No.</u>	<u>Contents</u>
	CHURCH FILES
1	Annual Reports (1)(2)
	Benevolence (1)(2)
	Boys Club
	Budget
	Confirmation Class
	Congregation Evening Club
	Congregational Church
	Christmas Pageant
	Church School
	Church School Lists
	Deacons
2	E and R Church Union (1)-(3)
	EMC (Every member canvas) (1)(2)
	Evening Club
	Friendly Town
	Funeral Services
3	Navajo Boy (Thomas Joe) (1)(2)
	New School (1)(2)
	New York Times

<u>Box No.</u>	<u>Contents</u>
3	Organ (1)(2) P. T. A. Radio Scripts Sermons, Ideas for (1)(2)
4	Trustees (1)(2) Trustees (old file) Welcome to Williamstown Women's Society
5	Sermons, "Social Action" (1) to (4) Advent and Christmas (sermons for)
6	Adult SS Class Apocalypse Archaeology Army Atheism Baccalaureate Baptism Bible (1)-(3) Bible Class Books and Pamphlets on Williamstown(1)
7	Books and Pamphlets on Williamstown (2)

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7 (cont.)	Bunyan Calvin, John Catholicism Children China Christ Christian Science Cleanliness Christmas (1)
8	Christmas (2) Church (1)(2) Communion (1)(2) Communism Comparative Religions Congregationalism
9	Conscience Correspondence Counseling Cross Crusade Daily Vacation Bible School Disaster

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9 (cont.)	East Harlem Protestant Parish
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	Ecumenicity
	Education
	Edwards, Jonathan
	Evangelism
	Everyday
10	Executive Committee (by-laws of Church)
	Experience
	Faith (1)(2)
	Family Night
	Financial Records (1)(2)
	Flag Day
	Forgiveness
	Fox
	Freedom
	Fulton County Expositor
11	Funeral (1)(2)
	Good Friday
	Gospel (good news) (1)(2)
	Harper's
	Haystack Celebration

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	Hospitals (medicine, doctors)
	Hymns
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	Isolationism
	Judaism
12	Labor (Migrant)
	Land
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	Lincoln
	Lord's Acre
	Love
	Luther, Martin
	Man
	Maps
	Mark
	Marriage
	Medicine
	Membership Class
	Minority
	Ministry
	Mission
	Morals

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12 (cont.)	Music
13	Nature
	New Year
	New York Times (Pieces written for Sunday Magazine (1)(2)
	Niebuhr
	Palm Sunday
	Parents (Mother's Day)
	Parish Cards
	PARS (weekend)
	Parsonage
	Patriotism
	Paul
	Pentecost
14	Pilgrim Fellowship
	Politics
	Posters
	Prayer
	Prejudice
	Pride
	Prophecy
	Protestantism
	Proverbs

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14 (cont.)	Pulpit Exchange Psychiatry Reform Relief (for gloom and hatred) Reports
15	Rewards Sacrifice Saints Salvation Sermon on the Mount Sermons Sermons in Williamstown (1)-(4)
16	Sermons in Williamstown (5)-(9)
17	Sermons in Williamstown (10)-(13)
18	Sex Sin Soldiers Special Services Stewardship Sunday Sunday School

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19	Surveys
	Swart (minister in India)
	Ten Commandments
	Thanksgiving (1)(2)
	Truth
	Vacation
	War
	Washington
	Welcome to Williamstown
20	Year Book (Cong. Christian Churches)
	Young Bible Products
	Young married couples
21	157th Annual Conference of the Congregational Christian Churches of Massachusetts (at Williamstown)
	Haystack Sesquicentennial 1806-1856 (1) to (5)
22	Haystack Memorial (1)(2)
	New York Times (mission story) (1)(2)
	Foreign Missions (1)(2)
23	Foreign Mission Information (1)-(6)
	WHITE HOUSE PAPERS
24	1956, July - November

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25	1956, December 1956 Campaign Literature 1957, January - March
26	1957, April - June
27	1957, July - December
28	1958 January - December
29	1959, January - October
30	1959, November - December 1960, January - September
31	1960, October - December 1961, January Post January 20, 1961 (Windup and memorabilia) (1)-(3)
32	Post January 20, 1961 People to People (1)-(3) Smokey the Bear (1)
33	Smokey the Bear (2) National Education Association address by the President 4-4-57 (1)(2) Alaska and the new flag

<u>Box No.</u>	<u>Contents</u>
34	<p>Proclamation--National Day of Prayer 7-30-59</p> <p>AMA "March of Medicine" TV Sound Film (suggested remarks)</p> <p>Outline for the Pre-inaugural Services - 1-20-57</p> <p>President's Speech - American University 6-9-57</p> <p>Official White House Guide for Messages (Written by Fox in 1959)</p> <p>Magazine Articles</p> <p>"Christian Advocate" re Fox 1-7-60</p> <p>Fox personal file ("beefs") and other personal items</p> <p>Local churches and synagogues around Chevy Chase, Maryland</p> <p>Illustrations for poems (revolving door, 6 faces, 7 Christs, and 1849 gold)</p>
35	<p>Christian autos and motorists</p> <p>Poetry file: The King is Dead (suicide)</p> <p>Poetry file: H. E. W.</p> <p>Poetry file: Justice - Girl in Chains</p> <p>Poetry file: Lukewarm blood</p> <p>Poetry file: re Church robes</p> <p>Poetry file: The Fall of Sherman Adams (some of his speeches)</p> <p>"Even more Poetry"</p> <p>75 years: Medicine and U. S. A. (Drafts)</p> <p>Letters to the sick</p> <p>Replies to letters</p> <p>Correspondence with various churches</p> <p>Drafts of speeches for Kendall and Hauge</p>

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35 (cont.)	Fox Christmas cards Cleveland Park Church WHITE HOUSE STAFF BOOK
36	White House Staff Book - Manuscript and background material (1) to (7)
37	White House Staff Book - Manuscript and background material (8) to (11)
	PILGRIM HYMNAL
38	Pilgrim Hymnal Committee (1957) Hymn meetings (1) Hymn promotion and stories (2) Hymnal hymns (3)(4) Hymn liturgy (5) Hymn minutes and letters (6)
39	Hymn hymns (7) TV hymns (8) Hymn meetings (9)(10) Miscellaneous (11)
	A CALENDAR OF HYMNS
40	<u>A Calendar of Hymns</u> Manuscript (1)-(3) First Drafts (4) Correspondence (5)(6) Hymnal Pages (7)
41	N.Y. Times Hymn story (8) Hymn radio script (1)(2)

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	SONGS OF TWO CHRISTMASES
41 (cont.)	<u>Songs of Two Christmases</u> manuscript (1) Manuscript and correspondence with Doubleday (2) Background material (3)(4)
	14 AFRICANS v. 1 AMERICAN
42	Africa - correspondence Manuscript (1) Background material (2)-(5)
43	Background material (6)-(11)
44	Background material (12)-(16)
45	Background material (17)(18) Correspondence (1) to (4)
46	The Book [Galley Proofs] (1)-(3) The Book [Art Work} (4)
	ALLEGIANCE
47	Preface (prologue) (1)-(3) Congress (legislature and representative) (1)(2) Supreme court (Judicial branch) (1)(2)
48	The President (1)(2) The White House (DDE's creed) (1)-(3) The White House (DDE, Abilene) (4)(5)

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51	Department of Defense (3)-(5) Department of Justice (1)(2)
52	Department of Justice (3) Post Office Department (1)-(3) Department of Interior (1)
53	Department of Interior [Indian Background] (2)to (5) Department of Agriculture (1)
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55	Department of Commerce (3) Department of Labor (1) to (4) Department of Health, Education, and Welfare [Physical Fitness, Health, Aid to Church Schools] (1)(2)
56	Department of Health, Education, and Welfare [Birth Control Controversy and Church School Problems] (3)(4)

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57	Conclusion (4) to (7) Maps and illustrations Publishers and sponsors, Macmillan & Company (1) Doubleday (2)
58	Harper and Row (3)(4) Gus Stroud '39 (5)
	ALLEGIANCE BACKGROUND MATERIAL
59	Prologue (1) to (4)
60	U.S. Traditions (1) to (6)
61	Congress (1) to (5)
62	Congress (6) to (11)
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73	Department of Defense (1) to (6)
74	Department of Defense (7) to (11)
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76	Department of Justice (7) to (10)
77	Department of Justice (11) to (15)
78	Department of Justice (16) to (19)
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89	Pope Paul's visit to New York 1965 (1) to (5)
90	Miscellany
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94	Miscellany (15) to (19)
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96	Earlier Forms of Allegiance: Easter Monday at the White House (1)(2)
	Earlier Forms of Allegiance: Porous Wall (1)(2)
	History of Union Theo. Seminary (1)(2)
	CHURCH AND STATE
97	Church and State (1) to (5)
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	MISCELLANEOUS WRITINGS
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	Manuscript: “the National Day of Prayer (NDP)”
	MEMORABILIA
100-101	Scrapbook
	Newspapers and Clippings
	Miscellaneous memorabilia
	BIOGRAPHICAL SCRAPBOOK (A71-47/1)
102	Scrapbook (microfilm)

BOOKS FROM THE FREDERIC FOX PAPERS TRANSFERRED TO BOOK COLLECTION
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Rabbis in Uniform --Barish

The Cardinal Spellman Story

The History of the Chaplain Corps USN I

The History of the Chaplain Corps USN II

The History of the Chaplain Corps USN VI

The Service of Chaplains to Army Air Force Units

Duty-Honor-Country Department of the Army June 1962

Duty-Honor-Country Department of the Army February 1957

Duty-Honor-Country Department of the Army October 1961

Duty-Honor-Country Department of the Army February 1961

Duty-Honor-Country Department of the Army January 1961

Duty-Honor-Country Department of the Army July 1959

Duty-Honor-Country Department of the Army June 1959

Duty-Honor-Country Department of the Army September 1960

The American Army Chaplaincy-A brief History October 1955

The Pentagon Protestant Pulpit

Prayers of the Eighty-Fifth and Eighty-Sixth Congress 1957-1960

Memorial Addresses Delivered in Congress for Louis C. Rabaut

Department of the Army Field Manual The Chaplain

Department of the Army Field Manual The Chaplain

The USAF Chaplain Program

Why I Am a Mormon

Congressional Directory for the 85th and 86th Congress

Prayers of the Senate - 85th and 86th Congress by Rev. Frederick B. Harris

God and Caesar in East Germany - Solbery

Church and Lobbying in the Nation's Capital - Ebersole

Cooperation without Compromise - Murch

Saints and Society - Cairns

The National Conference of Catholic Charities 1910-1960 Gavin-Bruce

Union Seminary Quarterly Review-Winter 1968

Voyages in English - Campbell and Macnickie

Trend Report - December 1961 - Department of Health, Education and Welfare

Federal Reserve Chart Book - January 1963

Survey of Postal Rates - April 1962

Report of the Advisory Council on Public Assistance January 1960

Social Security in the U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare

Hope - The Anchor of Life - Department of Health, Education and Welfare

Public Welfare programs - Department of Health, Education and Welfare

Public Assistance (reprint from Social Work Year Book 1960) Department of Health, Education and Welfare

Public Assistance 1961 Department of Health, Education and Welfare

Report on Medical Care under Public Assistance October 1960 to October 1961 by Department of Health, Education and Welfare to Committee on Ways and Means-U.S. House of Representatives, March 1962

Social Security in America

The American University Bulletin-Spring 1963

Facts about Israel 1961

The American University Bulletin

Postage Stamps of the U. S. 1847-1959

Postage Stamps of the U. S. 1847-1961

The Supreme Court on Church and State - Tussman

President's 1963 Tax Message to the House Ways and Means Committee

Official Register of the U. S. - 1959

U. S. Government Organization Manual 1958-59

U. S. Government Organization Manual 1962-63

The Awakening of Southern Italy - Carlyle

Fulton County Ohio. Farm and Business Directory 1948-49-50

Georgetown University 1963-64

Real and Personal Property of the Department of Defense, 1963

The Catholic Church and the Destitute

U. S. Government Organization Manual 1965-66

The Pilgrim Hymnal

U. S. Domestic Postage Rates 1789-1956

Postal Rate Revision Hearings - 1961

Africa and the U.S. (Images and Realities) October 22-26, 1961

Africa Its Problems and Prospects

Congressional Record - Thursday, September 27, 1962

Congressional Record - Thursday, October 4, 1962

Congressional Record - Wednesday, August 1, 1962

Congressional Record - Monday, October 1, 1962

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Radio and Electricity, June 1962

Political Science. June 1962

Homes-Construction and Maintenance, June 1962

Foreign Relations of the U.S., June 1962

Education, June 1962

Soils and Fertilizers, June 1962

Maps, June 1962

Diseases, June 1962

Health and Hygiene, June 1962

Mines, June 1962

Insects, June 1962

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