GERALD R. FORD MATERIALS PHOTOCOPIED FROM OTHER PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARIES

Collection Type

Federal Records

Extent

Less than one linear foot (ca. 600 pages)

Record Type

Textual

Access

Open except where the original document is itself closed at the Truman, Eisenhower, or Johnson Library.

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Scope and Content Note

This collection consists of memoranda, letters, and occasional other items by and about Gerald Ford, 1949-71, especially his contacts with the White House staffs of Presidents Truman, Eisenhower, Johnson, and Nixon. The major portion is from the Johnson administration. A notable segment of the Johnson Library materials is a transcript of selected telephone conversations between President Johnson and various individuals concerning the formation of the Warren Commission. Cassette recordings of the conversations are available in the Ford Library's audiovisual department. The collection also includes correspondence from the post-White House years of the three presidents.

Staff at the libraries provided most of the photocopies after they searched for documents filed under "Ford, Gerald R." in selected collections. The archivists did not attempt an exhaustive search for all materials related to Mr. Ford. Many of the Johnson Library items are only cross-references to more complete document cases in the Johnson White House Central Files. In response to the President John F. Kennedy Assassination Records Collection Act of 1992, the Johnson Library produced a compilation of recordings and transcripts of telephone conversations and supplied a copy to the Ford Library. The Ford Library received a few pages of post-presidential correspondence from the Eisenhower Library as the result of a request made by a researcher.

The materials are arranged according to library of origin.

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Status	Title
OPEN	Truman Library
OPEN	Eisenhower Library - Items from White House Central Files
OPEN	Eisenhower Library - Post-Presidential Papers
OPEN	Johnson Library - Confidential Files Name File
OPEN	Johnson Library - Congressional Favors File
OPEN	Johnson Library - Diary Cards (presidential appointments)
OPEN	Johnson Library - Macy Files

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OPEN	Johnson Library - O'Brien Files
OPEN	Johnson Library - Panzer Files
OPEN	Johnson Library - Post-Presidential Name File
OPEN	Johnson Library - Selected Telephone Conversations Concerning the Special Committee to Investigate the Assassination of President Kennedy (Warren Commission)
OPEN	Johnson Library - White House Central Files Name File (1)-(3)
OPEN	Johnson Library - White House Famous Names File
OPEN	Johnson Library - White House Social Files Name File
OPEN	Johnson Library - Wilson Files (1)-(2)
OPEN	Nixon Presidential Materials Project