

Robert Worth Bingham Papers

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Collection Summary

Title: Robert Worth Bingham Papers

Span Dates: 1856-1939

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ID No.: MSS56424

Creator: Bingham, Robert Worth, 1871-1937

Extent: 12,600 items ; 41 containers plus 8 oversize ; 20.4 linear feet

Language: Collection material in English

Repository: Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

Abstract: Diplomat, lawyer, and newspaper publisher. Correspondence, diaries, speeches, financial records, scrapbooks, appointment books, clippings, and other papers relating primarily to Bingham's service as ambassador to Great Britain.

Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

People

Astor, John Jacob, b. 1886--Correspondence.
Atherton, Ray, 1883-1960--Correspondence.
Baldwin, Stanley Baldwin, Earl, 1867-1947--Correspondence.
Barkley, Alben William, 1877-1956--Correspondence.
Baruch, Bernard M. (Bernard Mannes), 1870-1965--Correspondence.
Beckham, John Crepps Wickliffe, 1869-1940--Correspondence.
Bell, Ulric, 1891-1960--Correspondence.
Bingham family.
Bingham, Barry, 1906-1988--Correspondence.
Bingham, Robert Worth, 1871-1937.
Catt, Carrie Chapman, 1859-1947--Correspondence.
Chamberlain, Neville, 1869-1940.
Coolidge, Calvin, 1872-1933--Correspondence.
Daniels, Josephus, 1862-1948--Correspondence.
Davis, Norman H. (Norman Hezekiah), 1878-1944--Correspondence.
Eden, Anthony, Earl of Avon, 1897-1977--Correspondence.
Etheridge, Mark--Correspondence.
Farley, James A. (James Aloysius), 1888-1976--Correspondence.
Harris, Credo Fitch, 1874-1953--Correspondence.
Hayes, Roland, 1887-1977--Correspondence.
Hitler, Adolf, 1889-1945.
Hoover, Herbert, 1874-1964--Correspondence.
House, Edward Mandell, 1858-1938--Correspondence.
Hull, Cordell, 1871-1955--Correspondence.
Kennedy, Joseph P. (Joseph Patrick), 1888-1969--Correspondence.
Krock, Arthur, 1886- --Correspondence.
Levi, Emanuel--Correspondence.
Lindbergh, Charles A. (Charles Augustus), 1902-1974--Correspondence.
Long, Breckinridge, 1881-1958--Correspondence.
Luce, Henry Robinson, 1898-1967--Correspondence.
MacDonald, James Ramsay, 1866-1937--Correspondence.
MacVeagh, Lincoln, 1890-1972--Correspondence.
Masaryk, Jan, 1886-1948--Correspondence.
Meyer, Eugene, 1875-1959--Correspondence.
Mitchell, Margaret, 1900-1949--Correspondence.

Morgenthau, Henry, 1891-1967--Correspondence.
Mussolini, Benito, 1883-1945.
Ochs, Adolph S. (Adolph Simon), 1858-1935--Correspondence.
Rockefeller, John D. (John Davison), 1874-1960--Correspondence.
Roosevelt, Eleanor, 1884-1962--Correspondence.
Roosevelt, Franklin D. (Franklin Delano), 1882-1945--Correspondence.
Roper, Daniel C. (Daniel Calhoun), 1867-1943--Correspondence.
Vanderbilt, Cornelius, 1898- --Correspondence.
Wallace, Henry A. (Henry Agard), 1888-1965--Correspondence.
Wallace, Tom, 1874-1961--Correspondence.
Watson, Thomas John, 1874-1956--Correspondence.
Watterson, Henry, 1840-1921--Correspondence.
Wilson, Woodrow, 1856-1924--Correspondence.

Organizations

London Naval Conference.
Monetary and Economic Conference (1933 : London, England)

Subjects

Agriculture.
American newspapers--Kentucky.
Diplomatic and consular service, American--Great Britain.
Gold standard.
Italo-Ethiopian War, 1935-1936.
Money.
Tariff--United States.
Tobacco industry.
World politics.
World War, 1914-1918--Reparations.

Places

Ethiopia--History--1889-1974.
Great Britain--Foreign relations--United States.
Japan--Foreign relations--1912-1945.
Kentucky--Politics and government.
London (England)--Social life and customs.
United States--Foreign relations--Great Britain.

Titles

Louisville courier-journal.
Louisville times.

Occupations

Diplomats.
Lawyers.
Publishers.

Administrative Information

Provenance

The papers of Robert Worth Bingham, diplomat, lawyer, and newspaper publisher, were given to the Library of Congress by his son, Barry Bingham, Sr., in 1975-2010.

Processing History

The collection was processed in 1980 and expanded in 1984. The finding aid was revised in 2011. The material received in 2010 was processed in 2011 and incorporated into an existing Addition series.

Transfers

Items have been transferred from the Manuscript Division to other custodial divisions of the Library. Some photographs have been transferred to the Prints and Photographs Division. Sheet music has been transferred to the Music Division. All transfers are identified in these divisions as part of the Robert Worth Bingham Papers.

Related Material

The Filson Historical Society, Louisville, Ky., also holds a collection of Robert Worth Bingham papers.

Copyright Status

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Access and Restrictions

The Bingham Papers are open to research. Researchers are advised to contact the Manuscript Reading Room prior to visiting. Many collections are stored off-site and advance notice is needed to retrieve these items for research use.

Preferred Citation

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Biographical Note

<i>Date</i>	<i>Event</i>
1871, Nov. 8	Born, Orange County, N.C.
1890	B.A., University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, N.C.
1896	Married Eleanor E. Miller (died 1913)
1897	L.L.B., University of Louisville, Louisville, Ky.
1899-1909	Member, law firm of Bingham and Davies
1900	President, Kentucky Children's Home Society
1903-1907	County attorney, Jefferson County, Ky.
1907	Mayor, Louisville, Ky.
1911	Chancellor, Jefferson County, Ky., circuit court
1916	Married Mary Lily Kenan Flagler (died 1917)
1918	Acquired Louisville <i>Courier-Journal</i> and <i>Louisville Times</i>
1921-1922	Active in the formation of tobacco cooperative marketing associations in Kentucky

1924	Married Aleen Muldoon Hilliard
1926	Named to Business Men's Commission on Agriculture
1933	Appointed permanent American delegate, International Wheat Advisory Commission Appointed ambassador to Great Britain
1937, Dec. 18	Died, Baltimore, Md.

Scope and Content Note

The papers of Robert Worth Bingham (1871-1937) span the period 1856-1939 with the bulk of the material concentrated in the years 1933-1937, when Bingham served as United States ambassador to Great Britain. The collection is organized into eight series: [Diaries](#), [Family Correspondence](#), [General Correspondence](#), [Subject File](#), [Financial Records](#), [Speech File](#), [Miscellany](#), [Addition](#), and [Oversize](#).

The [Diaries](#) document Bingham's official and unofficial activities as ambassador. Issues that appear in the four volumes include the tariff questions that confronted the American delegation to the Monetary and Economic Conference, London, Eng., in 1933, monetary stabilization and debt liquidation, negotiations for a new naval treaty that led to the London Naval Conference, 1935-1936, disarmament, and the invasion of Ethiopia. The diaries also record his social activities as ambassador.

The [Family Correspondence](#) consists chiefly of letters and telegrams exchanged between Bingham and his second son, Barry Bingham, who assumed the management of the Louisville *Courier-Journal* and the *Louisville Times* after Bingham went to England. While these letters and the other family correspondence discuss personal and family matters, much of the correspondence between father and son deals with the policies and management of the newspapers and with Kentucky politics.

The [General Correspondence](#) displays Bingham's wide range of interests. The file begins with Bingham's acquisition of the *Courier-Journal* and the *Louisville Times*. Accordingly, a large volume of the correspondence relates to the operation and policies of the two newspapers, which can be seen in Bingham's correspondence with Mark Etheridge, Emanuel Levi, and Tom Wallace. Bingham used the newspapers to criticize the state government and to advocate for better government in Kentucky. State politics are a frequent topic in this series. Bingham was also concerned about the conditions of several state institutions, particularly the penal and charitable institutions and the state school system. Bingham opposed a bond issue for building new state roads, fearing that the expenditures would not be controlled and would be used for purposes other than road construction. Bingham's other business interests also appear in this file.

The focus of the correspondence changes when Bingham became ambassador. National politics supplant state politics as a major subject. Invitations to speak at or attend various functions and letters of introduction form a large part of the correspondence after 1933. Bingham retained his interest in the newspaper business and corresponded with British journalists discussing the issues of the day and commenting on stories appearing in the newspapers.

One of Bingham's major concerns was the economic advancement of farmers. In the early 1920s Bingham became a proponent of the Sapiro or California marketing plan as a solution for the farmers' economic plight. In both the [General Correspondence](#) and [Subject File](#) Bingham advocates the need to form farmers' associations for marketing farm products by commodity. Bingham provided financial assistance for organizing many of these associations. Prominent topics in the [Subject File](#) include the two local associations in which Bingham served on the executive committee: the Burley Tobacco Growers' Co-operative Association, 1921-1926, and the Dark Tobacco Growers' Co-operative Association, 1922-1926. In 1926 Bingham became a member of the Business Men's Commission on Agriculture, which sought to study the agricultural situation from a businessman's standpoint in the hope of finding an outline for a national policy for agriculture. The file on the subject consists chiefly of transcripts of hearings held throughout the country in 1927. Other subject files include Bingham's efforts to keep Inter-Southern Life Insurance Company in Louisville, the management of Bingham's Pineland Plantation, sympathy letters during Mrs. Bingham's illness in 1935, and congratulatory messages on the English crown's jubilee.

The [Financial Records](#) series is limited to correspondence about stock purchases and sales, bank note renewals, and company financial statements. There are a few bank statements, but the file does not provide a clear picture of Bingham's personal financial transactions from 1918 to 1937.

The [Speech File](#) contains speeches by Bingham while ambassador as well as speeches by others. Included in the [Miscellany](#) are appointment books, publications, clippings, business reports, and other printed matter, from his tenure as ambassador.

The [Addition](#) includes correspondence, memoranda, speeches, and miscellany. Bingham's nomination as minister to Great Britain as well as his day-to-day activities in London are documented through general correspondence, job requests, speeches, photographs, and printed matter. Correspondence represents the bulk of this series. Significant correspondents include Ray Atherton, Norman H. Davis, Edward Mandell House, Cordell Hull, Breckinridge Long, and Franklin D. Roosevelt. While there is some discussion of local Kentucky politics and President Roosevelt's political position in the United States, Bingham's correspondence focuses on assessments of political leaders including Adolf Hitler, Benito Mussolini, and Neville Chamberlain, and analysis of foreign governments and their policies including Japan's rising influence, Great Britain-United States relations, war debt negotiations, the London Naval Conference of 1935, the gold standard, and monetary stabilization.

The [Oversize](#) series consists of ten scrapbooks. Eight volumes contain American and British news clippings documenting reactions to the ambassador at home and abroad. The remaining two scrapbooks contain invitations, programs, dance cards, and menus and document Bingham's social obligations.

Prominent correspondents in the collection include John Jacob Astor, Ray Atherton, Stanley Baldwin, Earl Baldwin, Alben William Barkley, Bernard Baruch, John Crepps Wickliffe Beckham, Ulric Bell, Carrie Chapman Catt, Calvin Coolidge, Josephus Daniels, Norman H. Davis, Anthony Eden, Earl of Avon, James A. Farley, Credo Fitch Harris, Roland Hayes, Herbert Hoover, Edward Mandell House, Louis McHenry Howe, Cordell Hull, Joseph P. Kennedy, Arthur Krock, Charles A. Lindbergh, David Lloyd George, Breckinridge Long, Henry Robinson Luce, James Ramsay MacDonald, Lincoln MacVeagh, Jan Masaryk, Eugene Meyer, Margaret Mitchell, Henry Morgenthau (1856-1946), Adolph S. Ochs, John D. Rockefeller (1874-1960), Eleanor Roosevelt, Franklin D. Roosevelt, Daniel C. Roper, Cornelius Vanderbilt (1898-1974), Henry A. Wallace, Thomas John Watson, Henry Watterson, and Woodrow Wilson.

Arrangement of the Papers

This collection is arranged in nine series:

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- [Subject File, 1921-1937](#)
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Description of Series

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BOX 2-27	<u>General Correspondence, 1879-1937</u> Letters received and copies of letters sent, memoranda, postcards, reports, news clippings, press releases, profit and loss statements, Christmas cards, and miscellaneous enclosures. Arranged alphabetically by name of person, organization or subject and therein chronologically.
BOX 28-31	<u>Subject File, 1921-1937</u> Correspondence, memoranda, transcripts of hearings, reports, news clippings, receipts, resolutions, financial statements, lists, plats, agenda, and miscellaneous enclosures. Arranged alphabetically by subject and therein chronologically.
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BOX 33	<u>Speech File, 1922-1937</u> Typescript copies of speeches and statements by Bingham as ambassador and copies of speeches by others. Arranged chronologically with the speeches by others in a separate folder.
BOX 33-34	<u>Miscellany, 1856-1939</u> Appointment books, scrapbooks, news clippings, invitations, certificates, Christmas cards, reports, legal briefs, and printed material. Arranged by type of material and thereunder by subject or chronologically.
BOX 35-41	<u>Addition, 1929-1938</u> Invitations and regrets, photographs, menus and programs, magazine and clippings. Arranged by type of material.
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BOX 2	1935-1937 (5 folders)
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BOX 2	A-Af Agar, Herbert and Eleanor Ah-Ale Allan, W. D. Allen-Alo
BOX 3	Am-Anderson, N. Anderson, Sydney Anderson, Virginia-Ant App-Ar As-Ask Astor At Atherton, Roy Athl-Ay Ba-Baily Baker, Lisle, Jr. Baker-Baldwin Baldwin, Earl Stanley Balf-Barker

General Correspondence, 1879-1937

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	Barkley, Alben William
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	Baruch, Bernard
	Barum-Baye
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	Beckl-Bell
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	Bingham
	Binn-Blunt
	Bod-Bos
	Bou-Branch
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	Brea-Broun
	Brown-Bryan
	Bryan, Shepard
	(1 folder)
	(1 folder)
BOX 6	Bryant-Bul
	Bullitt, William C.
	Bullitt-But
	By
	Ca-Campbell
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	Capr-Carroll
	Carson-Cath
	Catt, Carrie Chapman
	Cav-Chal
	Chamberlain, Austen
	Chamberlain, C.-Chamberlain, Ivy
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BOX 7	Coolidge, Calvin
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Da
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Davis, Norman H.
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Dea-Den
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Denby-Denham
Denhardt, Henry H.
Denk-Der
Desborough, Lord and Lady
Deu-Dod
Dodd, William Edward
Dodge-Doy
Drew-Duf
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	Grot-Gw
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	Hailsham
	Halb-Halt
	Haly, Percy
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	Hert-Hey
	Hic-Hill
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	Yates-Young, Hilton
	Young, Hugh
	Young, I.-Zorn
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	Burley Tobacco Growers' Co-operative Association, 1921-1927, 1933
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	Jubilee messages to the English king and queen, 1935
	List of telegrams and letters received upon appointment as ambassador, 1933
	National Council of Farmers' Cooperative Marketing Association,
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	National Wheat Growers Advisory Committee, 1924-1925
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Subject File, 1921-1937

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Financial Records, 1918-1937

Correspondence, financial statements and reports, commissions, invoices, bills of lading, articles of incorporation, memoranda, and lists of stockholders.
Arranged chronologically.

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1918-1926
(11 folders)

BOX 33

1927, 1933-1937
(6 folders)

BOX 33

Speech File, 1922-1937

Typescript copies of speeches and statements by Bingham as ambassador and copies of speeches by others.
Arranged chronologically with the speeches by others in a separate folder.

BOX 33

By Bingham
1933-1937
(2 folders)
Undated
By others

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Miscellany, 1856-1939

Appointment books, scrapbooks, news clippings, invitations, certificates, Christmas cards, reports, legal briefs, and printed material.
Arranged by type of material and thereunder by subject or chronologically.

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Appointment books, 1933-1934
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Pamphlets, 1933-1936
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Scrapbooks, 1856, 1928-1937 [*See Oversize*](#)
(3 vols.)
Unidentified material, 1918-1930, 1937

BOX 35-41

Addition, 1929-1938

Invitations and regrets, photographs, menus and programs, magazine and clippings.

Addition, 1929-1938

Container

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Arranged by type of material.

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Davis, Norman H., 1933-1937

General correspondence, 1929-1935

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(4 folders)

House, Edward Mandell, 1933-1937

(4 folders)

Hull, Cordell, 1933-1937

(3 folders)

Job requests, 1933

(2 folders)

Letters of introduction, 1933-1934

(2 folders)

BOX 38

Long, Breckinridge, 1933-1936

Nomination, United States ambassador to Great Britain, 1933

Letters of congratulation

(11 folders)

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(4 folders)

Miscellaneous correspondence

(2 folders)

Telegrams of support

(3 folders)

BOX 40

Roosevelt, Franklin D., 1933-1937

(2 folders)

Telegrams, general, 1933-1934

VIP correspondence, 1933-1936

London Naval Conference, 1934-1935

(2 folders)

Memoranda, 1934-1937, undated

(3 folders)

Speeches, 1933-1934

By Bingham

By others

BOX 41

Miscellany

Clippings, 1938

Foreign Policy Association Washington Newsletter, 1934-1935

Invitations, 1933-1937

Accepted

(5 folders)

Engagement lists

Landmark magazine, 1935, Aug.

Menus and programs, 1933-1937

(2 folders)

Addition, 1929-1938

Container

Contents

Photographs, 1934, undated
(2 folders)
Scrapbooks
Invitation cards, 1933-1937 [*See Oversize*](#)
(2 vols.)
Press clippings, 1933-1937 [*See Oversize*](#)
(5 vols.)

BOX OV 1-OV 8

Oversize, 1856-1937

Scrapbooks containing clippings, invitations, programs and menus.
Arranged by type of material.

BOX OV 1

Miscellany
Scrapbooks
1856, 1928-1932 (Container 34)

BOX OV 2

1933-1935 (Container 34)

BOX OV 3

1937 (Container 34)

BOX OV 4

Addition
Miscellany
Scrapbooks
Invitation cards
1933-1937 (Container 41)

BOX OV 5

1937 (Container 41)

BOX OV 6

Press clippings
1933 (Container 41)
(2 vols.)

BOX OV 7

1933-1935 (Container 41)

BOX OV 8

1933-1937 (Container 41)
(2 vols.)