

# George Dewey Papers

A Finding Aid to the Collection in the  
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# Collection Summary

Title: George Dewey Papers

Span Dates: 1805-1949

Bulk Dates: (bulk 1885-1931)

ID No.: MSS18366

Creator: Dewey, George, 1837-1917

Extent: 25,000 items; 86 containers plus 6 oversize; 42.8 linear feet

Language: Collection material in English

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

Abstract: Naval officer. Correspondence, letterbooks, diaries, journal, military papers, financial papers, scrapbooks, and photographs chiefly relating to Dewey's activities as naval commander in the Far East during the Spanish-American War, especially at the battle of Manila Bay; as admiral and president of the General Board of the Navy ; president of the court of inquiry concerning Winfield Scott Schley; and commander-in-chief of naval winter maneuvers.

## 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

Bonaparte, Charles J. (Charles Joseph), 1851-1921--Correspondence.

Bugher, Frederick M. (Frederick McLean)--Correspondence.

Chandler, William E. (William Eaton), 1835-1917--Correspondence.

Cortelyou, George B. (George Bruce), 1862-1940--Correspondence.

Creel, George, 1876-1953--Correspondence.

Daniels, Josephus, 1862-1948--Correspondence.

Dewey family--Correspondence.

Dewey, George G. (George Goodwin), d. 1963--Correspondence.

Dewey, George, 1837-1917.

Dewey, Julius Y. (Julius Yemans)--Correspondence.

Dewey, Mary Perrin, d. 1843?--Correspondence.

Dewey, Mildred McLean Hazen, 1850-1931. Mildred McLean Hazen Dewey papers.

Dodge, Grenville Mellen, 1831-1916--Correspondence.

Garfield, James A. (James Abram), 1831-1881--Correspondence.

Hay, John, 1838-1905--Correspondence.

Hazen, William Babcock, 1830-1887--Correspondence.

Lansing, Robert, 1864-1928--Correspondence.

Lodge, Henry Cabot, 1850-1924--Correspondence.

Long, John Davis, 1838-1915--Correspondence.

Mahan, A. T. (Alfred Thayer), 1840-1914--Correspondence.

McLean, John R. (John Roll), 1848-1916--Correspondence.

Moody, William H. (William Henry), 1853-1917--Correspondence.

Morton, Paul, 1857-1911--Correspondence.

Newberry, Truman Handy, 1864-1945--Correspondence.

Poe, Elisabeth Ellicott, 1886-1947--Correspondence.

Proctor, Redfield, 1831-1908--Correspondence.

Roosevelt, Theodore, 1858-1919--Correspondence.

Root, Elihu, 1845-1937--Correspondence.

Sargent, Nathan, 1849-1907.

Schley, Winfield Scott, 1839-1911.

Sherman, William T. (William Tecumseh), 1820-1891--Correspondence.

Untermyer, Alvin, 1882-1963--Correspondence.  
Williams, Oscar Fitzalan, 1843-1909--Correspondence.

#### Organizations

Mayflower (Yacht)  
Olympia (Cruiser)  
Pensacola (Screw steamer)  
Rosiclare Lead and Fluorspar Mining Company.  
United States. Navy--History--Spanish-American War, 1898.  
United States. Navy--Maneuvers.  
United States. Navy. Asiatic Squadron.  
United States. Navy. European Station.  
United States. Navy. General Board.

#### Subjects

Courts-martial and courts of inquiry--United States.  
Manila Bay, Battle of, Philippines, 1898.  
Spanish-American War, 1898--Campaigns.

#### Occupations

Naval officers.

## Administrative Information

### Provenance

The papers of George Dewey, naval officer, were deposited in the Library of Congress by his son, George G. Dewey, from 1933 to 1937 and were converted to a gift in 1952. Additional material was given to the Library in 1940 by J. O. Thorn and in 1963 by the estate of George G. Dewey. Further additions were transferred to the Library by the National Museum of American History, Smithsonian Institution, in 1990 and 1992.

### Processing History

The Dewey Papers were processed in 1963 and revised and expanded in 1997. The finding aid was revised again in 2010.

### Related Material

The Manuscript Division also holds a separate collection of George Dewey papers as part of its Naval Historical Foundation Collection.

### Transfers

Items have been transferred from the Manuscript Division to other custodial divisions of the Library. Maps and atlases have been transferred to the Geography and Map Division. Photographs have been transferred to the Prints and Photographs Division. All transfers are identified in these divisions as part of the George Dewey Papers.

### Copyright Status

Copyright in the unpublished writings of George Dewey in these papers and in other collections of papers in the custody of the Library of Congress has been dedicated to the public.

### Access and Restrictions

The papers of George Dewey 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

Researchers wishing to cite this collection should include the following information: Container number, George Dewey Papers, Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

## Biographical Note

| <i>Date</i>   | <i>Event</i>  |
|---------------|---|
| 1837, Dec. 26 | Born, Montpelier, Vt.   |
| 1854          | M.M.S., Norwich University, Northfield, Vt.   |
| 1858          | Graduated, U.S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.   |
| 1858-1861     | Attached to steam frigate <i>Wabash</i>   |
| 1861          | Promoted to lieutenant, U.S. Navy<br>Assigned as executive officer on the steam sloop-of-war <i>Mississippi</i>   |
| 1861-1865     | Took part in Civil War naval engagements at Fort St. Phillip and Fort Jackson, 1862; Port Hudson, 1862; New Orleans, 1862; Donaldsonville, 1863; and Fort Fisher, 1864-1865; also served with the North Atlantic Blockading Squadron and on the <i>Mississippi</i> , <i>Monogahela</i> , <i>Brooklyn</i> , <i>Minnesota</i> , <i>Colorado</i> , and <i>Agawam</i> |
| 1865          | Promoted to lieutenant commander  |
| 1865-1867     | Served on the <i>Kearsarge</i> and the <i>Canandaigua</i> and commanded the steam frigate <i>Colorado</i>   |
| 1867          | Married Susie Goodwin (died 1872)   |
| 1867-1869     | Assigned to the U.S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.  |
| 1870-1875     | Commanded the sloop <i>Narragansett</i>   |
| 1872          | Promoted to commander   |
| 1875-1882     | Assigned to the Lighthouse Board  |
| 1882-1884     | Commanded the steam sloop <i>Juaniata</i> of the Asiatic Squadron   |
| 1884          | Promoted to captain   |
| 1885-1888     | Commanded the screw steamer <i>Pensacola</i> , flagship of the European Squadron  |
| 1889-1896     | Chief, Navy Department's Bureau of Equipment, and served on the Lighthouse Board  |
| 1895-1897     | President, Board of Inspection and Survey, U.S. Navy  |
| 1896          | Promoted to commodore   |

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|---------------|---|
| 1898-1899     | Commanded Asiatic Squadron from flagship <i>Olympia</i>   |
| 1898, May 1   | Battle of Manila Bay  |
| 1898, May 7   | Promoted to rear admiral  |
| 1898, Aug. 18 | Assisted Major-General Wesley Merritt, U.S. Army, in the capture of Manila, Philippines               |
| 1899          | Promoted to admiral<br>Married Mildred McLean Hazen   |
| 1900-1917     | President, General Board of the Navy  |
| 1901          | President, Schley Court of Inquiry  |
| 1902-1903     | Commander-in-chief, combined U.S. naval force assembled at Culebra, Puerto Rico, for winter maneuvers |
| 1917, Jan. 16 | Died, Washington, D.C.  |

## Scope and Content Note

The papers of George Dewey (1837-1917) span the years 1805-1949, with the bulk of the material concentrated in the period 1885-1931. The collection primarily concerns Dewey's naval career after 1885 and consists of diaries, correspondence, letterbooks, military papers, clippings, printed matter, financial records, scrapbooks, and memorial volumes comprising the following series: [Diaries](#), [General Correspondence](#), [Military File](#), [Financial File](#), [Miscellany](#), [Addition](#), and [Oversize](#).

The [General Correspondence](#) and [Military File](#) include correspondence and letterbooks focusing on Dewey's service as a naval commander in the Far East during the Spanish-American War commanding the Asiatic Squadron of the United States Navy, specifically his command of the cruiser *Olympia* at the Battle of Manila Bay, 1 May 1898, and the subsequent capture of Manila in August 1898. Of special interest are the correspondence and letterbooks for the period 1898-1899, particularly correspondence from Oscar Fitzalan Williams, American consul in Manila. The [Military File](#) contains copies of telegrams between Dewey and John Davis Long, secretary of the navy; Theodore Roosevelt, assistant secretary of the navy; Oscar Fitzalan Williams; and the American consuls in Shanghai, Tokyo, and Hong Kong. The material also relates to Dewey's service as commander of the screw steamer *Pensacola*, flagship of the European Squadron, 1885-1888; admiral of the navy and president of the General Board of the Navy, 1899-1917; president of the Winfield Scott Schley court of inquiry, 1901; and commander-in-chief of naval maneuvers while aboard the presidential yacht *Mayflower*, 1902-1903.

The [General Correspondence](#) series also includes letters exchanged between Dewey's parents, Mary Perrin and Julius Y. Dewey, and other family members. Letters from William T. Sherman and James A. Garfield in 1874 to Mildred Dewey's first husband, William B. Hazen, are also in the General Correspondence. Other prominent correspondents include Charles J. Bonaparte, William E. Chandler, George B. Cortelyou, George Creel, Josephus Daniels, Grenville Mellen Dodge, John Hay, Robert Lansing, John Davis Long, A. T. Mahan, William H. Moody, Paul Morton, Truman Handy Newberry, Redfield Proctor, Theodore Roosevelt (1858-1919), Elihu Root, and Oscar Fitzalan Williams. An index to most of the letters is filed at the beginning of the series.

The [Financial File](#) includes correspondence and records that reveal Dewey's large real estate holdings and other investments. Among the [Miscellany](#) series are clippings, genealogical and biographical material, memorabilia, memorial volumes, notes, printed matter, records of the Naval Order of the United States, and scrapbooks. Also, there is a typescript of an article written in 1904 by Commander Nathan Sargent entitled "Admiral Dewey and the Manila Campaign," an account of the Battle of Manila Bay and subsequent actions and operations of Dewey and the Asiatic Squadron.

The [Addition](#) includes [general correspondence](#) and material pertaining chiefly to the estate of Dewey's second wife, Mildred McLean Hazen Dewey. Correspondence includes Dewey's letters to Mildred Dewey and letters he received from others, many of which relate to his service as president of the Schley court of inquiry and Mildred Dewey's exchanges with Frederick M. Bugher, Josephus Daniels, her stepson George G. Dewey, Henry Cabot Lodge (1850-1924), her brother John R. McLean, Elisabeth Ellicott Poe, and Alvin Untermeyer. A daughter of the founder of the *Washington Post*, Mildred Dewey held a sizable estate at her death. The [estate file](#) documents the disposition of the estate and includes correspondence of family members and lawyers, including Democratic Party presidential contender John W. Davis (1873-1955). Family interests in the Rosiclare Lead and Fluorspar Mining Co., which was owned by Mildred Dewey's father, Washington McLean, is documented in the [estate file](#) as well as the [financial file](#).

[Miscellaneous files](#) among the additional material include clippings, a copy of a letter by Thomas Jefferson to Katharine Duane Morgan, memorabilia, notes, poetry, printed matter, and a report on the reception of Dewey at Washington, D.C., October 2-3 1899. Commissions, citations, degrees, awards, posters, and memorial volumes comprise the [Oversize](#) series.

## Arrangement of the Papers

The collection is arranged in seven series:

- [Diaries, 1882-1909](#)
- [General Correspondence, 1820-1919](#)
- [Military File, 1876-1916](#)
- [Financial File, 1883-1916](#)
- [Miscellany, 1805-1923](#)
- [Addition, 1811-1949](#)
- [Oversize, 1872-1917](#)

## Description of Series

| <i>Container</i> | <i>Series</i>   |
|------------------|---|
| BOX 1-2          | <u>Diaries, 1882-1909</u><br>Diaries of George and Mildred McLean Hazen Dewey.<br>Arranged chronologically.   |
| BOX 3-43         | <u>General Correspondence, 1820-1919</u><br>Primarily letters received with copies of some letters sent.<br>Arranged chronologically. Includes an index to most of the correspondence.  |
| BOX 43-53        | <u>Military File, 1876-1916</u><br>Letterbooks, ships' records, reports, telegrams, printed matter, and miscellany.<br>Arranged alphabetically by topic or type of material and chronologically thereunder.   |
| BOX 54-62        | <u>Financial File, 1883-1916</u><br>Account books, correspondence, receipts, and material related to real estate, loans, and investments.<br>Arranged alphabetically by topic or type of material and chronologically thereunder.   |
| BOX 63-72        | <u>Miscellany, 1805-1923</u><br>Appointment books, articles re Dewey, certificates, clippings, genealogical and biographical material, memorial volumes, letterbooks, memorabilia, record books, notes, poetry, printed matter, and scrapbooks.<br>Arranged alphabetically by topic or type of material and chronologically thereunder. |
| BOX 73-86        | <u>Addition, 1811-1949</u>  |
| BOX 73-76        | <u>General Correspondence 1896-1931</u><br>Letters sent and received.<br>Arranged alphabetically by name of correspondent and chronologically thereunder.   |
| BOX 76-80        | <u>Estate File, 1811-1949</u><br>Correspondence, account statements, clippings, deeds, and legal documents.<br>Arranged alphabetically by topic or type of material and chronologically thereunder.   |
| BOX 81-85        | <u>Financial File, 1912-1932</u><br>Correspondence, account statements, and account books.<br>Arranged alphabetically by topic or type of material and chronologically thereunder.  |

BOX 85-86

Miscellany, 1817-1929

Certificates, clippings, commissions, copy of a Thomas Jefferson letter, memorabilia, notes, poetry, and printed matter.

Arranged alphabetically by type of material or topic and chronologically thereunder.

BOX OV 1-OV 6

Oversize, 1872-1917

Oversize material consisting primarily of commissions, citations, degrees, awards, memorial volumes, and posters.

Organized and described according to the series, folders, and boxes from which the items were removed.

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| <i>Container</i> | <i>Contents</i>   |
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| BOX 1-2          | Diaries, 1882-1909<br>Diaries of George and Mildred McLean Hazen Dewey.<br>Arranged chronologically.  |
| BOX 1            | Dewey, George<br>1882-1895<br>(6 folders)   |
| BOX 2            | 1896-1909<br>(2 folders)<br>Dewey, Mildred McLean Hazen, 1900-1907<br>Set I<br>(4 folders)<br>Set II<br>(3 folders)   |
| BOX 3-43         | General Correspondence, 1820-1919<br>Primarily letters received with copies of some letters sent.<br>Arranged chronologically. Includes an index to most of the correspondence. |
| BOX 3            | Index, 1898-1917<br>(3 vols.)   |
| BOX 4            | 7 Apr. 1820-4 May 1898<br>(10 folders)  |
| BOX 5            | 5-31 May 1898<br>(8 folders)  |
| BOX 6            | 1 June-6 Sept. 1898<br>(7 folders)  |
| BOX 7            | 9 Sept. 1898-28 Feb. 1899<br>(10 folders)   |
| BOX 8            | 2 Mar.-30 June 1899<br>(7 folders)  |
| BOX 9            | 1 July-30 Sept. 1899<br>(6 folders)   |
| BOX 10           | 2 Oct. 1899-28 Feb. 1900<br>(7 folders)   |
| BOX 11           | 1 Mar.-30 Oct. 1900<br>(9 folders)  |
| BOX 12           | 3 Nov. 1900-27 Feb. 1902<br>(8 folders)   |
| BOX 13           | 10 Mar. 1902-28 Feb. 1903<br>(7 folders)  |
| BOX 14           | 10 Mar.-27 June 1903<br>(6 folders)   |

## General Correspondence, 1820-1919

| <i>Container</i> | <i>Contents</i>                          |
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| BOX 15           | 1 July-31 Dec. 1903<br>(7 folders)       |
| BOX 16           | 4 Jan.-30 June 1904<br>(7 folders)       |
| BOX 17           | 1 July 1904-17 Jan. 1905<br>(7 folders)  |
| BOX 18           | 18 Jan.-31 May 1905<br>(8 folders)       |
| BOX 19           | 1 June-23 Dec. 1905<br>(7 folders)       |
| BOX 20           | 24 Dec. 1905-17 May 1906<br>(7 folders)  |
| BOX 21           | 19 May-31 Dec. 1906<br>(7 folders)       |
| BOX 22           | 2 Jan.-29 June 1907<br>(6 folders)       |
| BOX 23           | 1 July 1907-17 Feb. 1908<br>(8 folders)  |
| BOX 24           | 18 Feb.-29 June 1908<br>(8 folders)      |
| BOX 25           | 6 July 1908-26 Feb. 1909<br>(8 folders)  |
| BOX 26           | 1 Mar.-20 Dec. 1909<br>(8 folders)       |
| BOX 27           | 21 Dec. 1909-31 May 1910<br>(10 folders) |
| BOX 28           | 3 June-31 Dec. 1910<br>(9 folders)       |
| BOX 29           | 1 Jan.-30 Apr. 1911<br>(8 folders)       |
| BOX 30           | 1 May-18 Dec. 1911<br>(8 folders)        |
| BOX 31           | 19 Dec. 1911-20 Apr. 1912<br>(9 folders) |
| BOX 32           | 22 Apr.-21 Oct. 1912<br>(10 folders)     |
| BOX 33           | 23 Oct. 1912-7 Jan. 1913<br>(8 folders)  |
| BOX 34           | 8 Jan.-30 Apr. 1913<br>(8 folders)       |
| BOX 35           | 1 May-16 Oct. 1913<br>(6 folders)        |
| BOX 36           | 17 Oct. 1913-31 Jan. 1914<br>(8 folders) |
| BOX 37           | 1 Feb.-6 May 1914<br>(7 folders)         |
| BOX 38           | 6 May-24 Dec. 1914<br>(9 folders)        |

## General Correspondence, 1820-1919

| <i>Container</i> | <i>Contents</i>  |
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| BOX 39           | 25 Dec. 1914-13 May 1915<br>(9 folders)  |
| BOX 40           | 14 May-31 Dec. 1915<br>(8 folders)   |
| BOX 41           | 2 Jan.-9 May 1916<br>(8 folders)   |
| BOX 42           | 10 May-30 Dec. 1916<br>(9 folders)   |
| BOX 43           | 2 Jan. 1917-29 May 1919, undated<br>(6 folders)  |
| BOX 43-53        | Military File, 1876-1916<br>Letterbooks, ships' records, reports, telegrams, printed matter, and<br>miscellany.<br>Arranged alphabetically by topic or type of material and chronologically<br>thereunder. |
| BOX 43           | General Board of the Navy, 1900-1902, undated<br>(2 folders)   |
| BOX 44           | Miscellany, 1897-1907, undated<br>(2 folders)<br><i>Mayflower</i> (yacht)<br>Journal, 1902-03<br>Letterbooks<br>8 Dec. 1902-6 Jan. 1903<br>5-15 Jan. 1903, undated   |
| BOX 45           | <i>Olympia</i> (cruiser)<br>Forwarding books, 1897-1899<br>(3 vols.)   |
| BOX 46           | Letterbooks<br>Flag secretary, 1898-1899<br>(2 vols.)<br>Navy Department letters, 1898-99<br>(2 vols.)   |
| BOX 47           | Station letters<br>14 Sept. 1897-23 Dec. 1898<br>(3 vols.)   |
| BOX 48           | 15 Oct. 1898-29 Sept. 1899<br>(3 vols.)  |
| BOX 49           | Supplies and maintenance records, 1897-1899<br>(3 folders)<br><i>Pensacola</i> (screw steamer), letterbooks<br>Received, 1885-1888   |
| BOX 50           | Sent, 1885-1888<br>(2 vols.)<br>Printed matter, 1897-1904, undated<br>Registers of salutes and official visits, 1891-1899<br>(2 vols.)   |

Military File, 1876-1916

| <i>Container</i> | <i>Contents</i>  |
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| BOX 51           | Reports and background material, 1876-1916, undated<br>(3 folders)<br>Spanish documents found at Cavite, Philippines, 1898<br>(2 folders)  |
| BOX 52           | Telegrams<br>Originals<br>26 Feb. 1898-30 Apr. 1899<br>(9 folders)   |
| BOX 53           | 1 May-31 Aug. 1899<br>(2 folders)<br>Transcripts, 1895-1899<br>(5 folders)   |
| BOX 54-62        | Financial File, 1883-1916<br>Account books, correspondence, receipts, and material related to real estate, loans, and investments.<br>Arranged alphabetically by topic or type of material and chronologically thereunder. |
| BOX 54           | Account books, 1899-1901, 1914-1916<br>Correspondence<br>Index, 1900-1916<br>Feb. 1900-Apr. 1901<br>(3 folders)  |
| BOX 55           | May 1901-Aug. 1902<br>(6 folders)  |
| BOX 56           | Sept. 1902-Aug. 1904<br>(6 folders)  |
| BOX 57           | Sept. 1904-July 1906<br>(6 folders)  |
| BOX 58           | Aug. 1906-Feb. 1910<br>(6 folders)   |
| BOX 59           | Mar. 1910-Apr. 1914<br>(6 folders)   |
| BOX 60           | May 1914-Apr. 1916, undated<br>(4 folders)<br>Investments and loans, circa 1900-circa 1913   |
| BOX 61           | Real estate and loans, 1885-1916<br>(8 folders)  |
| BOX 62           | (5 folders)<br>Receipts, 1883-1916, undated<br>(2 folders)   |

Financial File, 1883-1916

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|           | Taxes, 1913-1914, undated   |
| BOX 63-72 | Miscellany, 1805-1923<br>Appointment books, articles re Dewey, certificates, clippings, genealogical and biographical material, memorial volumes, letterbooks, memorabilia, record books, notes, poetry, printed matter, and scrapbooks.<br>Arranged alphabetically by topic or type of material and chronologically thereunder.  |
| BOX 63    | Appointment books, 1901-1912<br>(2 vols.)<br>Articles<br>"Admiral Dewey and the Manila Campaign," by Nathan Sargent, 1904<br>"The Attack of the Federal Fleet, under the Command of Admiral Farragut, upon the Confederate Batteries at Port Hudson, La., and the Destruction of the <i>Mississippi</i> commanded by Lieut. Com. George Dewey," by H. C. Haskins, undated<br>Citations, degrees, and awards, 1892-1917 <i>See also Oversize</i> |
| BOX 64    | Clippings, 1805-1910, undated<br>(11 folders)<br>Genealogical and biographical material, undated<br>Greeting cards, 1911-1916, undated  |
| BOX 65    | Invitations, 1899-1913, undated<br>(4 folders)<br>Memorabilia, 1883-1916, undated<br>(3 folders)  |
| BOX 66    | (6 folders)   |
| BOX 67    | (2 folders)<br>Memorial volumes<br>Dewey Home Fund, 1899<br>(1 vol.)<br>(2 vols.)   |
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| BOX 69    | Dewey Watch Fund, 1899 <i>See Oversize</i><br>New York, N.Y., 1899 <i>See Oversize</i><br>Philadelphia, Pa., 1899 <i>See Oversize</i><br>Shipping interests of New York, 1898-1899 <i>See Oversize</i><br>Naval Order of the United States<br>General Commandery<br>General recorder, letterbooks, 1899-1904<br>(3 vols.)<br>Triennial Congress, Boston, Mass., 1895  |
| BOX 70    | New York Commandery, record books, 1894-1923<br>(3 vols.)<br>Notes and fragmentary material, 1893-1911, undated<br>Poetry and music, 1897-1913, undated   |
| BOX 71    | Printed matter, 1874-1917, undated<br>(6 folders)   |
| BOX 72    | Scrapbooks  |

Miscellany, 1805-1923

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|           | Vol. I, 1899<br>(2 folders)  |
|           | Vol. II, 1901-1907<br>(4 folders)  |
|           | Vol. III, 1907-1916<br>(4 folders)   |
|           | Speech, undated  |
| BOX 73-86 | Addition, 1811-1949  |
| BOX 73-76 | General Correspondence 1896-1931<br>Letters sent and received.<br>Arranged alphabetically by name of correspondent and chronologically<br>thereunder.  |
| BOX 73    | Dewey, George<br>Dewey, Mildred McLean Hazen (wife), 1896-1906<br>(10 folders)<br>Lodge, Henry Cabot (1850-1924), 1898 <i>See also Container 74, same<br/>heading</i><br>Others<br>1898-1901<br>(2 folders)  |
| BOX 74    | 1902-1915, undated<br>(3 folders)<br>Roosevelt, Theodore, 1906-1908 <i>See also Container 76, same heading</i><br>Dewey, Mildred McLean Hazen<br>Bugher, Frederick H. (nephew), 1904-1923<br>Bugher, Frederick McLean (grandnephew), 1919-1930, undated<br>Daniels, Josephus, 1923-1924, undated<br>Dewey, George Goodwin (stepson), 1906-1930, undated<br>(3 folders)<br>Dewey Congressional Medal Men's Association, 1927-1931<br>Longworth, Alice Roosevelt <i>See Container 76, Roosevelt, Alice Lee</i><br>Lodge, Henry Cabot (1850-1924), 1923 <i>See also Container 73, same<br/>heading</i><br>McCully, N. A., 1926-1927<br>McLean, John R. (brother), 1904, 1914-1915<br>Navy League of the United States, Women's Section, 1915-1923,<br>undated |
| BOX 75    | Others, 1899-1931, undated<br>(7 folders)<br>Poe, Elisabeth Ellicott, 1915-1923, undated<br>(3 folders)  |
| BOX 76    | Roosevelt, Alice Lee, undated<br>Roosevelt, Theodore, 1904 <i>See also Container 74, same heading</i><br>Thissal, H. D., 1916, undated   |

Addition, 1811-1949

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|           | Untermeyer, Alvin, 1923-1930, undated<br>(2 folders)<br>Wilson, Woodrow, 1917   |
| BOX 76-80 | Estate File, 1811-1949<br>Correspondence, account statements, clippings, deeds, and legal documents.<br>Arranged alphabetically by topic or type of material and chronologically thereunder.  |
| BOX 76    | Adirondack, N.Y., property<br>Bell, Frank L., 1927-1935, undated<br>Benedict, Farrand N., 1934-1935<br>Chittenden, Henry T., 1927-1928<br>Davis, John W. (1873-1955), 1928-1934, undated<br>Deeds and legal papers, 1811-1928, undated<br>Harrison, Walter J., 1927-1934<br>Snyder, David E., 1934-1935<br>Untermeyer, Alvin, 1927-1928<br>Audubon, John James, drawings by, 1931-1933<br>Bills against Dewey estate, 1933<br>Bugher, Frederick McLean<br>Bid for estate, 1947<br>Distribution received, 1926-1934, undated<br>Expenses, 1930-1933      |
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