



ArchivesSpace

a community served by †Lyrasis

Peter A. Corning papers 4078652

This finding aid was produced using ArchivesSpace on January 14, 2025.

Description is written in: English.

Describing Archives: A Content Standard

Rare Book and Manuscript Library

Butler Library, 6th Floor
Columbia University, Mail Code 1127
535 W. 114th St.
New York, NY 10027
Business Number: (212) 854-5153
Fax Number: (212) 854-1365
rbml@libraries.cul.columbia.edu
URL: <http://www.columbia.edu/cu/lweb/indiv/rbml/index.html>

Table of Contents

| | |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Summary Information | 3 |
| Biographical / Historical | 3 |
| Summary | 4 |
| Arrangement | 4 |
| Administrative Information | 4 |
| Controlled Access Headings | 5 |
| Collection Inventory | 6 |
| Series I: Subject File | 6 |
| Series II: Writing | 7 |

Summary Information

| | |
|----------------------------------|---|
| Repository: | Rare Book and Manuscript Library |
| Creator: | Corning, Peter A., 1935- |
| Title: | Peter A. Corning papers |
| ID: | 4078652 |
| ID: | MS#0284 |
| Date [inclusive]: | 1958-1970 |
| Physical Description: | 22 linear feet 48 manuscript boxes |
| Language of the Material: | English . |
| Abstract: | This collection contains correspondence, notes, clippings and articles of Peter A. Corning pertaining to the Social Security Project. |

Preferred Citation

Identification of specific item; Date (if known); Peter A. Corning papers; Box and Folder; Rare Book and Manuscript Library, Columbia University Library.

[^ Return to Table of Contents](#)

Biographical / Historical

Corning was employed by the Oral History Office at Columbia University to conduct all interviews for the Social Security Project.

[^ Return to Table of Contents](#)

Summary

Letters, notes, and writings of Corning. The collection contains little correspondence, but there is a large subject file of notes, articles, and clippings pertaining to Medicare, Social Security, and aging.

[^ Return to Table of Contents](#)

Arrangement

This collection is arranged in two series.

[^ Return to Table of Contents](#)

Administrative Information

Publication Statement

Rare Book and Manuscript Library

Butler Library, 6th Floor
Columbia University, Mail Code 1127
535 W. 114th St.
New York, NY 10027

Business Number: (212) 854-5153

Fax Number: (212) 854-1365

rbml@libraries.cul.columbia.edu

URL: <http://www.columbia.edu/cu/lweb/indiv/rbml/index.html>

Revision Description

XML document instance created by Alison Rhonemus. EAD was imported spring 2019 as part of the ArchivesSpace Phase II migration. 2012-05-01 2019-05-20

Restrictions on Access

This collection is located off-site. You will need to request this material at least three business days in advance to use the collection in the Rare Book and Manuscript Library reading room.

Restrictions on Access

This collection has no restrictions.

Terms Governing Use and Reproduction

Reproductions may be made for research purposes. The RBML maintains ownership of the physical material only. Copyright remains with the creator and his/her heirs. The responsibility to secure copyright permission rests with the patron.

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Source of acquisition--Corning, Peter A. Method of acquisition--Gift; Date of acquisition--1971. Accession number--M-71.

Ownership and Custodial History

Gift of Peter A. Corning, 1971.

Processing Information

Cataloged Christina Hilton Fenn 05/09/1989.

Accruals

Materials may have been added to the collection since this finding aid was prepared. Contact rbml@columbia.edu for more information.

[^ Return to Table of Contents](#)

Controlled Access Headings

- Older people -- United States -- Social conditions
- Aging
- Social security -- United States
- Medicare
- United States -- Social conditions
- United States. Social Security Administration
- Columbia University. Oral History Research Office
- Columbia University -- Employees

Collection Inventory

| Series I: Subject File | |
|--|------------------|
| Title/Description | Instances |
| Aged | box 1 |
| Aged - Aging | box 1 |
| Aged - Aging | box 2 |
| Correspondence (uncatalogued), 1964-1970 | box 3 |
| AALL - AARP | box 4 |
| AMA - Childrens Bureau | box 5 |
| Cohen - Congress | box 6 |
| Congress | box 7 |
| Congress - National Council of Senior Citizens | box 7 |
| National Council of Senior Citizens | box 8 |
| National Council of Senior Citizens | box 9 |
| National Council of Senior Citizens | box 10 |
| Ellickson | box 11 |
| Epstein - Henry | box 12 |
| Hew - Hospitals | box 13 |
| Hospitals - Insurance | box 14 |
| Insurance - Javits | box 15 |
| Johnson - Labor | box 16 |
| Labor - Lesser | box 17 |
| McLain - Medicare | box 18 |
| Medicare (cont) - National Health Conference | box 19 |
| Nestigen - Public Opinion Polls | box 20 |
| Randolph - Senior Citizens | box 21 |
| Senior Citizens (cont.) - Sheavon | box 22 |
| Social Security | box 23 |
| Social Security | box 24 |
| Social Security - Townsend | box 25 |

Wagner - Who's Who box 26

[^ Return to Table of Contents](#)

Series II: Writing

| Title/Description | Instances | |
|--|-----------|----------|
| "The Biological Bases of Behavior And Their Implications for Political Theory", 1969 | box 30 | folder 9 |
| Scope and Contents | | |
| Prepared for delivery at the 65th annual meeting of the American Political Science Association | | |
| Notes from tapes | | |
| 1-5 | box 27 | |
| 6-11 | box 28 | |
| 12-15 | box 29 | |
| 21-27, 32 | box 30 | |
| Miscellaneous Notes and Writings, Altmeyer Materials | box 31 | |
| Miscellaneous Notes and Writings, Altmeyer Memories | box 32 | |
| Miscellaneous Notes and Writings, Cruikshank Materials | box 33 | |
| Miscellaneous Notes and Writings, Cruikshank Materials | box 34 | |
| Miscellaneous Notes and Writings, Cruikshank Materials | box 35 | |
| Louis Harris Survey, 1958 and Interviews, 1958 | box 36 | |
| Miscellaneous Notes and Writings | box 37 | |
| Miscellaneous Notes and Writings | box 38 | |
| Miscellaneous Notes and Writings | box 39 | |
| Miscellaneous Notes and Writings | box 40 | |
| Miscellaneous Notes and Writings | box 41 | |
| Miscellaneous Notes and Writings | box 42 | |
| Miscellaneous Notes and Writings | box 43 | |
| Miscellaneous Notes and Writings | box 44 | |
| Miscellaneous Notes and Writings | box 45 | |
| Miscellaneous Notes and Writings | box 46 | |
| Miscellaneous Notes and Writings | box 47 | |

Miscellaneous Notes and Writings

box 48

[^ Return to Table of Contents](#)