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Summary Information

Repository:	Rare Book and Manuscript Library
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Identification of specific item; Date (if known); Joseph Pulitzer papers; Box and Folder; Rare Book and Manuscript Library, Columbia University Library.

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Biographical Note

Jopseph Pulitzer was a newspaper publisher of the *St. Louis Dispatch* and *The New York World*.

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Summary

Correspondence and business documents of Joseph Pulitzer, the Pulitzer family, and the operation of the ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH. Also, drafts of Thomas E. Eichhorst's dissertation, Representative and Reporter: Joseph Pulitzer as a Missouri State Representative.

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Arrangement

Chronological.

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Administrative Information

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Revision Description

xml document instance created by Carrie Hintz EAD was imported spring 2019 as part of the ArchivesSpace Phase II migration. Link switched from PDF to EAD. kws Expanded container list for Series I: Cataloged Correspondence (Boxes 1-3). Updated processing note, and removed Boxes 61-62 from the container list.CCR. 2009-07-07 2019-05-20 2019-08-07 2023-07-31

Restrictions on Access

This collection is located on-site.

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This collection has no restrictions.

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Source of acquisition--Pulitzer, Joseph, Jr. Method of acquisition--Gift; Accession number--M-59.

Processing Information

The rough drafts and final draft of Thomas E. Eichhorst's dissertation "Representative and Reporter: Joseph Pulitzer as a Missouri State Representative" were deaccessioned, circa 2006-2012. These comprised Boxes 61-62. The remaining boxes in the collection were not renumbered, and are currently 1-60 and 63-64.

Processing Information

Cataloged Christina Hilton Fenn 08/--/89.

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No additions are expected.

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Related Materials

Related Archival Materials

The material directly relating to Pulitzer's New York newspaper, THE WORLD, forms a separate collection. See [THE WORLD \(New York\) - Papers](#) .

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Controlled Access Headings

- Families -- Missouri -- Saint Louis
- Newspaper publishing -- Missouri -- Saint Louis
- Politicians
- Journalists
- St. Louis post-dispatch

Collection Inventory

Series I: Cataloged Correspondence, 1883-1911, 1947

Title/Description	Instances
Bartholdi, Frédéric Auguste, 1886-1903	box 1
Belmont, August (1816-1890), 1885-1887, undated	box 1
Belmont, August (1853-1924), 1884-1911, undated	box 1
Belmont, Perry, 1885-1904	box 1
Bigelow, John (1817-1911), 1886-1887	box 1
Bloomington, Emanuel, 1900	box 1
Boas, Franz, 1907	box 1
Boyesen, Hjalmar Hjorth, 1903-1905	box 1
Butler, Nicholas Murray, 1904-1911	box 1
Chambers, Julius, 1885-1903	box 1
Cockran, Bourke, 1904	box 1
Coler, Bird S., 1902	box 1
Conkling, Roscoe, 1883-1888	box 1
Conried, Heinrich, 1904-1905	box 1
Corcoran, William Wilson, 1887	box 1
Craigie, Pearl Mary Teresa, 1905-1906	box 1
Cravath, Paul D., 1909	box 1
Damrosch, Walter, 1904-1905	box 2
Davis, Varina Anne, 1886-1887	box 2
Davis, Varina Howell (Mrs. Jefferson), 1887-1906	box 2

De Forest, Robert Weeks, 1906-1909	box 2
De Koven, Reginald, 1907	box 2
Depew, Chauncey Mitcehll, 1886-1905	box 2
Depew, May Palmer (Mrs. Chauncey), 1902	box 2
Drew, Mary Gladstone (Mrs. Harry), 1908	box 2
Dudley, Rachel Gurney Ward, Countess of, 1903	box 2
Dunning, William, 1907	box 2
Eggleston, George Cary, 1903-1904	box 2
Eliot, Charles William, 1907-1911	box 2
Evarts, William Maxwell, 1885-1886	box 2
Field, Cyrus West, 1886-1887	box 2
Field, Kate, 1885	box 2
Fish, Stuyvesant (1851-1923), 1905-1908	box 2
Flagler, Harry, 1907	box 2
Frewen, Moreton, 1900	box 2
Gerry, Elbridge Thomas, 1887	box 2
Gibson, Preston, 1884	box 2
Gladstone, Herbert John Gladstone, Viscount, 1887	box 2
Glennon, John Joseph, 1904	box 2
Godwin, Parke, 1886	box 2
Gould, Jay, 1886, undated	box 2
Greet, Sir Philip Barling "Ben", 1907	box 2
Gregory, Eliot, 1906	box 2
Hawthorne, Julian, 1904	box 2
Hewitt, Abram, 1886-1887	box 2
Hill, David Bennett, 1886-1888	box 2
Hitchcock, Ripley, 1907	box 2
Huntington, Daniel, 1886-1887	box 2
Hyde, James Hazen, undated	box 2
Jay, John (1817-1894), 1885-1887	box 2
Jerome, Leonard, 1886-1887, undated	box 2
Lee, Sidney, 1904	box 2

Lipton, Thomas Johnstone, Sir, 1902	box 2
Low, Seth, 1899	box 2
McAllister, Ward, 1886	box 2
McCarthy, Justin, 1887	box 2
McKelway, St. Clair (1845-1915), 1886-1911	box 2
McKim, Charles, 1900	box 2
MacVeagh, Wayne, 1887	box 2
Marble, Manton, 1886-1888	box 2
Mason, Alfred Bishop, 1909-1911	box 2
Mead, William Rutherford, 1900-1902	box 3
Mitchell, S. Weir, 1891	box 3
Morris, Stuyvesant, 1885	box 3
Morton, Levi Parsons, 1886	box 3
Muir, William, Sir, 1903	box 3
Munsey, Frank A., 1907	box 3
Noble, Edmund, 1886	box 3
Northcliffe, Alfred Harmsworth, Viscount, 1900-1904	box 3
Northcliffe, Mary Elizabeth Milner Harmsworth, Viscountess, 1901-1905, undated	box 3
O'Connor, Thomas Power, 1899-1903	box 3
Ogden, Rollo, 1907	box 3
Page, Thomas Nelson, 1903	box 3
Page, Walter Hine, 1904	box 3
Pène du Bois, Henri, 1885	box 3
Pinchot, Gifford, 1904	box 3
Plimpton, George A., 1903	box 3
Potter, Henry Codman, 1900	box 3
Rosebery, Archibald Philip Primrose, Earl of, 1887	box 3
Pruyn, John V. L., 1885	box 3
Pulitzer, Joseph, 1947	box 3

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Commemorative postage stamps. Signed by Albert Goldman, Joseph John Lawler, Robert Porter Patterson, and Joseph Pulitzer, Jr. With related items.

Putnam, George Haven, 1885	box 3
Reid, Whitelaw, 1887-1901	box 3
Ritz, César, 1902	box 3
Rodin, Auguste, 1907	box 3
Sargent, John Singer, 1903-1905	box 3
Schieffelin, William Jay, 1907-1911	box 3
Schiff, Jacob Henry, 1905	box 3
Schurz, Carl, 1886	box 3
Sickles, Daniel Edgar, 1910	box 3
Tarbell, Ida Minerva, 1906	box 3
Thwing, Charles Franklin, 1904	box 3
Vanderbilt, Frederick William, 1906	box 3
Washington, Booker T., 1901-1908	box 3
White, Andrew Dickson, 1905	box 3
White, Horace, 1907-1908	box 3
White, Stanford, 1891-1903	box 3
Whitney, Flora Payne (Mrs. William C.), 1886	box 3
Whitney, William C., 1887-1902, undated	box 3
Worth, Frédéric, 1900-1901	box 3
Wyndham, Mary Moore, Lady, 1904	box 3

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Series II: Chronological Files, Printed Material, and Ephemera , 1883-1936

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Undated Items, Undated	box 4
1883-1885	box 5
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1887-1888	box 7
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	box 8
1899	box 9
1900 January-March, 1900	box 10
1900 April -August, 1900	box 11
1900 September -December, 1900	box 12
1900--Bills and Receipts	box 13
1900--Bills and Receipts	box 14
1901 January -May, 1901	box 15
1901 June -December, 1901	box 16
1901 Bills and Receipts, 1901	box 17
1902 Bills and Receipts, 1902	box 18
1902 January -June 15, 1902	box 19
1902 June 16-September, 1902	box 20
1902 October -December, 1902	box 21
1903 Bills and Receipts, 1903	box 22
1903 January -March, 1903	box 23
1903April -June	box 24
1903 July -September 12, 1903	box 25
1903 September 13-December, 1903	box 26
1904--Bills and Receipts	box 27
1904 January -February, 1904	box 28
1904 March-May, 1904	box 29
1904 June -August, 1904	box 30
1904 September -December, 1904	box 31
1905 January -February, 1905	box 32
1905 March-April, 1905	box 33
1905 May -August, 1905	box 34
1905 September -December, 1905	box 35
1905--Bills and Receipts	box 36
1906--Bills and Receipts	box 37
1906 January -April, 1906	box 38
1906 May -July, 1906	box 39

1906 August -December, 1906	box 40	
1907 January -February15, 1907	box 41	
1907 February16-April, 1907	box 42	
1907 May -September, 1907	box 43	
1907 October -December, 1907	box 44	
Bills and Receipts	box 44	
1908--Bills and receipts	box 45	
1908--Bills and receipts	box 46	
1908 January -April, 1908	box 47	
1908 May -December, 1908	box 48	
1908-1911--Account Books of the yacht <i>Liberty</i>	box 49	
1909	box 50	
1909 Bills and Receipts, 1909	box 51	
1910 Bills and Receipts, 1910	box 52	
1910	box 53	
1911 Bills and Receipts, 1911	box 54	
1911 January -August 19, 1911	box 55	
1911 August 20-December, 1911	box 56	
Account Book	box 56	
1912-1916	box 57	
1917	box 58	
1918-1936	box 59	
Printed Materials:		
<i>The World</i> Vol. XXVII, No/ 1,386, Wednesday, March 30, 1887	box 64	folder 12
Miscellaneous Printed Materials	box 60	
James G. Blaine:		
<i>Central Independent Republican Club of Wisconsin</i> [Broadside], 8 October 1884	box 64	folder 1
<i>James Gillespie Blaine: Biographical Sketch of the Great Commoner</i> [Pamphlet], 7 June 1884	box 64	folder 2

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(Compiled from the Chicago Tribune)

<i>Blaine, the Friend of Railroads</i> {Pamphlet}	box 64	folder 3
<i>James G. Blaine: An Ultra Prohibitionist</i> [Broadside]	box 64	folder 4
<i>Speech of Hon. Joseph Pulitzer, at the German-American Mass meeting in the Academy of Music, New York</i> [Pamphlet], 29 September 1884	box 64	folder 5
<i>Central Independent Republican Club of Wisconsin to Republicans in the State of Wisconsin</i> [Pamphlet]	box 64	folder 6

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(Re. voting for Blaine)

<i>An Appeal to Earnest Citizens</i> [Pamphlet], 16 October 1884	box 64	folder 7
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Scope and Contents

(An appeal not to vote for James G. Blaine)

<i>Speech of Hon. Carl Schurz, Delivered in Brooklyn, N.Y.</i> [Pamphlet], 6 August 1884	box 64	folder 8
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Scope and Contents

(An appeal not to support George G. Blaine)

Undated material, Undated	box 63	
Joseph Pulitzer's watch fob	box 65	

Scope and Contents(with his initials on one face, the logo of *The World* on the reverse and a miniature of his mother inside)[^ Return to Table of Contents](#)**Series III: Albert & Walter Pulitzer Memoirs**

Title/Description	Instances	
Photocopy of typescript of Memoirs	box 64	folder 10 & 11

Scope and Contents

In the course of his research, James McGrath Morris discovered the unpublished memoir of Walter Pulitzer, the son of Albert and nephew of Joseph Pulitzer, still held by family members. Within it is contained the memoirs, also unpublished, that Albert completed in the spring of 1909, shortly before committing suicide.

Morris was able to acquire photocopies for his use and to add to the Pulitzer Papers in RBML.

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of James McGrath Morris, 2008

Albert Pulitzer signature on card	box 64	folder 9
Photographs (11) loaned by James McGrath Morris to the Library of Congress and subsequently donated by Morris to the Rare Book and Manuscript Library.	box 64	folder 13

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