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Summary Information

Repository:	Rare Book and Manuscript Library
Creator:	Putnam, George Haven, 1844-1930
Title:	George Haven Putnam papers
ID:	4079243
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Date [inclusive]:	1900-1930
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Biographical / Historical

American publisher. Putnam was born in London and educated at the Sorbonne and the University of Göttingen. During the Civil War he enlisted as a private. Subsequently he entered his father's publishing house - G.P. Putnam's Sons, later becoming president. He was a leader in establishing the American Copyright League in 1887 and founded the English Speaking Union in the U.S. His writings include MEMORIES OF A PUBLISHER.

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Summary

Business correspondence, 1904-1921, and material dealing with national preparedness, 1914-1916, and the National Security League.

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- Preparedness
- Copyright -- United States -- Societies, etc
- World War, 1914-1918
- Publishers and publishing
- National Security League
- G.P. Putnam's Sons
- American Copyright League
- English-Speaking Union
- Universität Göttingen -- : Students
- Université de Paris -- : Students