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Collection: Papers of John H. Crooker, Jr., 1959 - 1969 [NAID 29914957]

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PERSONAL PAPERS OF JOHN H. CROOKER, JR.

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Creator: Crooker, John Henry, Jr., 1914-2007

Biographical sketch:

John Henry Crooker, Jr. (b. October 26, 1914, Houston, Texas-d. May 18, 2007, Houston, Texas), lawyer. He received a B.A. from Rice Institute (now known as Rice University) in 1935 and a LL.B. from the University of Texas in 1937. He was admitted to the Texas Bar in 1937 and the District of Columbia Bar in 1953, and practiced law in Houston with the firm Fulbright & Crooker (now Fulbright & Jaworski) and Washington, D.C. Crooker was also chairman of the Civil Aeronautics Board from 1968 to 1969, chairman of the board of directors of the University of St. Thomas in Houston from 1974 to 1978, chairman of the Houston Chamber of Commerce from 1978 to 1979, and chairman of the Houston YMCA. He served in World War II with the United States Naval Reserve. He is the son of John H., Sr., and Marguerite Malsch. He married Kay Berry and they had five children. Crooker is interred in Forest Park Cemetery in Houston, Texas.

Scope and content note:

This collection consists of correspondence, lists, photographs, and campaign materials pertaining to the 1960 Presidential election with special emphasis on Harris County, Texas, 1959-60. Also included is a 31-page background report on the Civil Aeronautics Board and 19-page transcript of Mr. Crooker's press conference on January 14, 1969.

- Date range of collection: 1959 - 1969
- 1 linear inch
- Available for research. (Open 12/9/93)
- 1 series

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