

COLLECTION DESCRIPTION and FOLDER TITLE LIST

Collection: Office Files of Bruce Thomas, 1953 - 1965 [NAID 350438469]

Aides Files: Bruce Thomas

Scope and content note:

This collection was created by Bruce Thomas while he served as an administrative assistant for Lyndon B. Johnson and includes correspondence maintained by Thomas and members of his staff. It covers Johnson's time as a Senator through his presidency, along with a small volume of post-presidential material.

The collection primarily contains correspondence from and to individuals and organizations, along with occasional clippings, articles, photos, and other assorted attachments. It contains a large volume of letters of appreciation to people who supported Johnson in his 1964 campaign. Also included are copies of White House and presidential correspondence to individuals and organizations who sent messages of support on various topics, as well as condolences, congratulatory messages, acceptances of resignations, invitations to conferences and conventions, and celebrations of milestones and events.

There is a small volume of correspondence covering the years 1971-1980 maintained by Eliza Hasek, who worked with Bruce Thomas during the Johnson presidency. There are files maintained by Joe Bruno as well; Bruno worked with Thomas on arranging White House tours.

- Date range: 1953-1980
- 3 linear feet
- Available for research

Folder Title List

Box #	Folder Title
1	Public Mail
1	Kelly, Norman L. vs. U. S. Civil Service - #3328
1	Hugh Joseph Kelly
1	Flags, U.S. Requests (1963)
1	[Untitled folder with handwritten note]
1	Vice Presidential Files
1	W. Jenkins 1953-1963 [1 of 3]
1	W. Jenkins 1953-1963 [2 of 3]

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2	W. Jenkins 1953-1963 [3 of 3]
2	[Archivists Memos for the Record]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab A]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab B]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab C]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab D]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab E]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab F]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab G]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab H]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab I]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab J]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab K]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab L]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab Mc]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab M]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab N]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab O]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab P]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab Q] [empty]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab R]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab S]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab T]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab U]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab V]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab W]
2	[1964 Campaign Correspondence, Tab XYZ]
3	Miscellaneous Mr. Shoemaker Material
3	Support—after Death of JFK
3	Speeches—Joint Session of Congress
3	Presidential, Resignation, Acceptance of—various Commissions, Boards, Committees, etc.

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3	Vietnam—support--servicemen
3	Post-Election, 1964
3	Election, Pre-Convention and Convention
3	Presidential, Appointment, to government position
3	Pro Presidential Appointee
3	Presidential, Resignation, acceptance of, International agencies
3	Retirement/Resignation, Non "Presidential" appointment
3	[Resignations and Retirements]
3	[Primarily thank-you letters signed by WH staff, Nov. and Dec. 1963] [1 of 2]
3	[Primarily thank-you letters signed by WH staff, Nov. and Dec. 1963] [2 of 2]
4	[American Association of State Highway Officials]
4	Anniversaries—synagogues, etc.
4	[Israel, Jewish groups, synagogues]
4	[Labor, Unions]
4	[Military Associations]
4	[Thank you letters]
4	Special Issues—Gulf of Tonkin
4	Space Flights
4	Newspapers and Periodicals--anniversaries
4	Newspapers—Anniversaries--Individuals
4	Newspapers—Foreign language
4	News Media--organizations
4	News Media, Radio/TV
4	[Athletics]
4	[Religion/Faith]
4	[Accolades of WH, executive, judicial, and congressional employees]
4	[Arts]
4	[Aviation]
4	[Various associations, clubs, organizations, civic groups]

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4	[Health/medical organizations]
4	[Civil Rights]
4	Special Issues—Civil Rights
4	[Agriculture]
4	Anniversaries (nuns)—religious—individuals
5	Anniversary (Jewish)—religious—individuals
5	Anniversaries (promotions)—religious—individuals
5	Anniversaries (Protestant)—religious—individuals
5	Anniversaries (Priests)—religious—individuals
5	Anniversaries (dual observances)—religious—individuals
5	Anniversaries (200 and over)—religious—churches
5	Anniversaries (below 100)—religious—churches
5	Anniversaries (100-199 yrs.)—religious—churches
5	Anniversaries—religious groups, orders, etc.
5	Anniversaries (dual Observances)—religious
5	Anniversaries—educators
5	Anniversaries—educational institutions
5	Letters to individual students
5	Anniversaries (100 (centennials))—historical—state and local
5	Anniversaries (125 to 400 yrs)—historical—state and local
5	Anniversaries—cities, municipalities, etc.—below 100 yrs
5	Anniversaries—States
5	Condolences, re space flights
5	Condolence (General)
5	Condolence (VIP's)
5	Condolence (Peace Corps)
5	[Conventions and conferences]
5	Cornerstones, Dedications, Groundbreaking, Remodeling, Etc.
5	[Education groups, conferences and conventions]
5	[Financial groups, conferences and conventions]
5	[Conventions and conferences of varied interest groups]
5	Get Well (Military, etc.)

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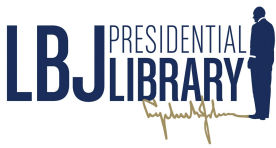
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6	Get Well (VIP's)
6	Get Well (general)
6	Get Well (Children) (Presidential)
6	[Thank you letters for gifts]
6	[Government-related conferences and conventions]
6	Health – Medical (Professional Groups)
6	Physically Handicapped
6	Physical Fitness
6	Anniversaries—Hospitals and/or medical institutions
6	Invitations
6	[International associations – anniversaries, conferences]
6	Election—editorial endorsement of LBJ-HHH Ticket (1964) (Staff Officers)
6	Speeches, Inaugural
6	[Speeches]
6	[Acknowledgements of expressions of support]
6	Speeches, State of the Union
6	Goodwill re—grandchildren
6	Goodwill (children)
6	Birthday Greetings—extended to President
6	Goodwill/Support, Servicemen and Families
6	Viet-Nam—support, families
6	Condolence, Military, Viet-Nam, etc.
6	[Veterans groups]
6	Messages—for weddings
6	Anniversaries--weddings
7	Get-Well wishes—extended to the President
7	[Thank you letters acknowledging support]
7	Tributes
7	Miscellaneous
7	[Foreign trade]

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7	Birthdays, no particular year, VIP's and personal friends
7	Births, Congratulations extended by Pres.
7	Birthdays, 100 yrs and over
7	Birthdays, 80 thru 99 yrs.
7	Birthdays, 50 thru 79 yrs.
7	[Religious groups]
7	[Youth groups]
7	[Atomic energy groups]
7	Holidays
7	Christmas (Dec.)
7	[celebratory messages on national and international days/weeks/months/years]
7	Support/Goodwill (General)
7	[Resignations]
7	Resignations, Acceptance of, Department of State, US Ambassadors
7	[Resignations, military]
7	[Resignations, government]
8	Resignations, Acceptance of, the judiciary
8	[Eliska Hasek's files of presidential messages, 1971-1980] [1 of 2]
8	[Eliska Hasek's files of presidential messages, 1971-1980] [2 of 2]
8	[WH Information Media Telephone List, July 1965]
8	[Joe Bruno's correspondence and tour requests, 1965-1967]
8	[WH Tour Requests July 1966]
8	[WH Tour Requests August 1966]
8	[WH Tour Requests September 1966]
8	[WH Tour Requests October 1966]
8	[WH Tour Requests November 1966]
8	[WH Tour Requests July 1967]
9	[WH Tour Requests August 1967]
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9	[WH Tour Requests October 1967]
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