

Collection 941

J. Hampton Moore Peace Jubilee Celebration collection

1898-1899 (bulk 1898) 8 boxes, 3.2 lin. feet

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Abstract

Joseph Hampton Moore (1841-1950) was a congressional representative and later mayor of Philadelphia. In 1898, he was appointed secretary of the finance committee for the Peace Jubilee, a celebration held in Philadelphia which commemorated the conclusion of the Spanish-American War in 1898. It included multiple festivities, such as military, naval, and civic parades. At the time, Philadelphia was the first city to hold such an event; as a result, it received national attention.

The collection contains correspondence, photographs, circulars, lists, and other documents that are associated with Moore's involvement as finance secretary. Boxes 7 and 8 contain photographs of the proceedings. All of the photographs are labeled and numbered but there are no references to the numbers within the collection. There are photographs of President William McKinley who attended the celebration and events associated with the Jubilee, such as the Naval Day Review and Civic Day Parade.

The remaining material in the collection includes an acceptance and regrets book, order forms, requisitions, tickets, unused checks, and a list of contributors.

Subjects

Parades - Parades-Pennsylvania- Philadelphia United States - History - War of 1898 - Armistices

Moore, J. Hampton (Joseph Hampton), 1864-1950

Related materials

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Restrictions

The collection is open for research.

Provenance

Gift of J. Hampton Moore, 1940.

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Box and folder listing

Box	Brief description	Approximate	Extent
number		date range	
Box 1	Acceptances and regrets book	1898	1 Folder
Box 1	Requisitions	1898	2 Folders
Box 1	Invitations	1898	1 Folder
Box 1	Tickets	1898	1 Folder
Box 1	Order forms	1898	1 Folder
Box 1	Receipts	1898	1 Folder
Box 1	Unused checks	1898	1 Folder
Box 2	Miscellaneous lists and notes	1898	2 Folders
Box 2	Official circulars and committee lists	September- October 1898	4 Folders
Box 2	Miscellaneous	1898	1 Folder
Box 2	Correspondence relating to proposed book on jubilee	1898	1 Folder
Box 3	Civic Day correspondence	September- October 28, 1898	6 Folders
Box 3	Mixed correspondence and sheet music	1898	2 Folders
Box 4	Estimates and suggestions	1898	2 Folders
Box 4	Bands	1898	6 Folders
Box 4	Sheet music	1898	1 Folder
Box 5	List of contributors	1898	1 Folder
Box 5	Correspondence of various committees	September 1898-January 1899	8 Folders
Box 6	Miscellaneous correspondence and notes	September- November 5,1898	7 Folders
Box 6	Various group notes	1898	2 Folders
Box 7	Photographs	1898	6 Folders
Box 8	Photographs	1898	9 Folders