

COMMITTEE ON THE HISTORY OF THE FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM

Register of Papers

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CALVIN COOLIDGE

(1872 - 1933)

The papers of Calvin Coolidge, lawyer, Governor of Massachusetts, President of the United States, appear to be divided between the Library of Congress and the Forbes Library at Northampton, Massachusetts. Other papers may still be in the possession of Mrs. Coolidge.

The collection at the Library of Congress were given to the Library by Mr. Coolidge.

Measure of size: 540 boxes

Approximate number of items: 10,000

These papers are in numbered files, rendered easy to use by an alphabetic index which came with them. They appear to be Mr. Coolidge's Presidential papers. Permission for use must be sought from Mrs. Coolidge through the Library. It has been obtained for this Committee.

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Papers at the Forbes Library seem, with some exceptions, to concern Mr. Coolidge's career as lawyer and Governor.

Measure of size: 51 boxes and 28 bound volumes

Approximate number of items:

Each group is arranged chronologically, but no index to the collection is provided. The papers are available for use, without restriction, to students of or above the graduate level.

A container list is appended.

## Biographical Note

1872, July 4	Born, Plymouth, Vermont
1895	A.B., Amherst College
	Studied law with Hammond and Field, Northampton, Massachusetts
1897	Began practice, Northampton
1899	Councilman, Northampton
1900-01	City solicitor, Northampton
1904,	Clerk of courts, Northampton
1905, Oct. 4	Married Grace Anna Goodhue (2 children)
1907-08	Member, General Court of Massachusetts
1910-11	Mayor of Northampton
1912-15	Member, State Senate of Massachusetts (president of Senate, 1914-15)
1916-18	Lieutenant Governor of Massachusetts
1919-20	Governor of Massachusetts
1921-23	Vice President of the U.S. under Warren G. Harding
1923-29	President of the U.S. (became Pres. on Harding's death in 1923, elected for 4 year term in 1924)
1933, Jan. 5	Died

See: Who Was Who in America, 1897-1942, vol. I, Marquis

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Container List

Calvin Coolidge Papers at Forbes Library

Speeches and statements, 1895-1924, 3 v.

(As Gov. of Mass.) correspondence, 30 boxes

Personal letters, 1919-20, 1 v.

Official letters, 1920-21, 3 v.

Proclamations, speeches, messages, letters, statements, 1919-20, 5 v.

Statements to newspapers, 1919, 1 v.

(As Vice Pres.) correspondence, 1921-23, 21 boxes

(as Pres.) addresses, proclamations, remarks, statements, 1923-29, 4 v.

Remarks to newspaper correspondents (stenographic notes of press conferences, Aug. 1923 - Mar. 1929), 11 v.