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Descriptive Summary

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Abstract: This is a collection of materials created and/or collected by Frank Wilkinson during the period 1929-1999. The bulk of the collection is comprised of correspondence, photographs and newspaper clippings. Frank Wilkinson has spent the better part of his life directly involved with the issues and movements surrounding civil liberties and first amendment freedoms. The materials in this collection reflect many of these activities.

Language: English

Access

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Biography

Background and Education

Frank Wilkinson was born in Charlevoix, Michigan, in 1914, to Ada and A.M. (Allan) Wilkinson. His father was a physician and Methodist lay minister. The family moved west, first to Douglas, Arizona, and then, when Frank was ten, to Beverly Hills, California. After graduating from Beverly Hills High School, Wilkinson went on to UCLA, where he majored in Political Science. He was active in fraternity life, student affairs, and "Youth for Herbert Hoover". Upon graduation in 1936, Wilkinson had plans to become a minister and was preparing to begin graduate work in Religious Studies. However he and a friend, Delbert Harter, decided first to take a year off to travel the world.

During his year abroad, Wilkinson and his friend traveled to Europe, the Middle East and North Africa. They budgeted to live on \$1.00 a day, .30 cents of which they spent on postage, often traveling by bicycle and sleeping outdoors. This trip provided Wilkinson his first exposure to real poverty and he was deeply moved by this. He was equally struck by what he saw of organized religion and religious rivalry. In his eyes, it was doing a disservice to these people and he abandoned his plans to enter the ministry.

Instead when Frank Wilkinson returned to California, he began a lecture series designed to educate civic organizations about what he witnessed during his travels. In 1939, Mnsgr. Thomas O'Dwyer, President of the Citizens Housing Council (CHC), an organization that promoted slum clearance and low-rent integrated public housing, selected Wilkinson as Secretary.

Housing Authority Years

Remaining an active member of the CHC, in 1942 Wilkinson went to work for the Housing Authority of the City of Los Angeles (HACLA) and was appointed manager of the first integrated project in Los Angeles, located in Watts. Over time he served as manager of Hacienda Village, Avalon Gardens and Ramona Gardens. In 1945 he was appointed Special Assistant to the Executive Director, and later was promoted to Director of the Office of Information.

During a routine condemnation action in 1953, in which the City Housing Authority was seeking to acquire lands for the Chavez Ravine-Elysian Park Heights housing site, Frank Wilkinson appeared as an expert witness. On cross-examination, in an attempt to discredit him and the Housing Authority, he was asked questions of a personal nature, including to which organizations he belonged, other than those which qualified him as an expert witness. Upon even further questioning, Wilkinson gave the following answer:

I believe that I shall be compelled by matters of personal conscience to refuse to answer the question and state that I am doing so because of personal conscience, and I'd like to assure you that there is nothing that I have belonged to that I am not completely proud and that my personal record wouldn't make me proud to state, but I do not feel that I want to answer this question and, if necessary, I would hold that to answer such a question might in some way incriminate me.

Wilkinson was immediately suspended from his position in the Housing Authority and was later fired.

Civil Liberties

After Frank Wilkinson's dismissal from the Housing Authority, he was named secretary of the Los Angeles-based Citizens Committee to Preserve American Freedoms, an organization founded to defend the victims of the State and House Committees on Un-American Activities. His life for the next half-century would be devoted to advancing civil liberties, most notable as executive director of the National Committee to Abolish HUAC, an organization founded in 1960 by civil libertarians Alexander Meiklejohn and Aubrey Williams. Based in Los Angeles for virtually his entire career, Wilkinson also worked briefly (1958) for the emergency Civil Liberties Committee in New York.

Wilkinson traveled the country organizing support for those subpoenaed by HUAC. While in Atlanta in 1958, working on a campaign with the Southern Conference Educational Fund, Wilkinson found himself faced with a subpoena. Greatly influenced by the writings of Alexander Meiklejohn, and represented by Rowland Watts of the ACLU, Frank decided to make a First Amendment challenge of HUAC. Refusing to answer questions on First Amendment grounds, Frank Wilkinson was cited for contempt of Congress and, along with Carl Braden, another civil liberties organizer, lost a five-to-four decision before the U.S. Supreme Court. Both he and Braden served one-year prison sentences in 1961.

Upon his release from prison, Wilkinson returned to organizing, working for the National Committee to Abolish HUAC. Over the next decade the power of HUAC waned and it was eliminated by Congress completely in 1975.

NCARL and Beyond

As HUAC's authority began to crumble, the National Committee to Abolish HUAC began to change and expand its focus, renaming itself the National Committee Against Repressive Legislation (NCARL). NCARL helped to organize a campaign to repeal the 1950 Emergency Detention Act, dismantle the Subversive Activities Control Board and since 1973, NCARL has worked tirelessly to reorganize the federal criminal code.

In 1980, NCARL filed suit against the FBI for years of illegal wiretapping surveillance of staff members and illegal entry. *Wilkinson v. FBI* was settled in 1987, with a declaration from the Court that any further violations of NCARL leadership's First Amendment rights would result in monetary damages without further litigation.

In 1985, the First Amendment Foundation was established and Frank Wilkinson served as its first Executive Director. In August 2004, he celebrated his 90th birthday with his second wife Donna (whom he married in 1966), and his extended family of children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren. At that time he was still assisting in the development of films, books, articles, seminars and research projects in the defense of civil liberties. Under the auspices of the First Amendment Foundation, political writer Robert Sherrill is completing a biography of Wilkinson with publication anticipated for 2005.

Scope and Content

This collection is comprised of materials created and/or collected by Frank Wilkinson including correspondence, personal items, press clippings, ephemera, photographs and videocassette tapes. These items span the years 1929-1999 and serve to provide a detailed picture of the life and work of Frank Wilkinson. Of particular interest are the materials relating to Frank's years with the Housing Authority of the City of Los Angeles, (1942-1952), his correspondence regarding his First Amendment challenge of the House Un-American Activities Committee (HUAC), and his correspondence during his incarceration. Also of note are the materials related to his activities in the struggle to preserve civil liberties, his efforts to abolish HUAC, and his direct involvement in various nonprofit organizations, such as the Emergency Civil Liberties Committee, National Committee Against Repressive Legislation (NCARL), and the First Amendment Foundation.

Arrangement

The collection is divided into 7 series: 1. Biographical Materials, 1934-1999, 2. Legal Materials, 1950-1962, 3. Organizations, 1942-1996, 4. Correspondence, 1934-1985, 5. Photographs, 1929-1991, 6. Newspaper Clippings, 1961-1962 and 7. Videocassette and Audiocassette Tapes, 1975-1999.

Arrangement

Every effort has been made to keep these materials in their original order; however where no original order was evident, the materials have been placed in chronological order.

Administrative Information

Separated Material

Several videocassette tapes were separated and placed into the Library's Video Collection.

Title: Citizens Committee to Preserve American Freedoms Records,

Date (inclusive): 1947-1950s

Physical Description: 1 2/3 linear feet

Title: A.A. Heist Papers,

Date (inclusive): 1910-1965

Physical Description: 1 linear foot

Title: National Committee Against Repressive Legislation Records,

Date (inclusive): 1980s-1990s

Physical Description: 3 linear feet

[The Wisconsin Historical Society, Madison, Wisconsin, is the major repository for the records of the National Committee to Abolish HUAC and the National Committee Against Repressive Legislation]

Series I. **Biographical Materials, 1934-1999**

Physical Description: 8.5 legal size boxes, 1 oversize folder

Scope and Content Note

This series includes biographical materials of Frank Wilkinson. These materials include diaries, personal writings, calendars, tax returns and miscellaneous ephemera such as membership cards and receipts. This series also includes newspaper clippings and other publications written about Frank Wilkinson and articles concerning projects with which Frank had been involved, such as Chavez Ravine and Wilkinson vs. FBI.

This series is divided into three subseries: A. General Biographical Materials, 1937-1999, B. Diaries and Collected Personal Writings, 1934-1974, C. 1936-1937 Travel Materials

Subseries A. **General Biographical Materials, 1937-1999**

Physical Description: 4.5 legal size boxes, 1 oversize folder

Scope and Content Note

This subseries includes materials collected by Frank Wilkinson, which provide general biographical information about him. Such items include newspaper clippings regarding his lecture tours and the court case Wilkinson vs. FBI, programs honoring Frank Wilkinson, desk calendars and address book, tax returns, receipts, membership cards and a book manuscript entitled Redress of Grievances by Robert Janis. Also found in this subseries is a scrapbook of clippings compiled by Frank Wilkinson, which details Los Angeles politics during the late 1930s. These clippings have been removed from the scrapbook, but were arranged according to their original order.

Box-folder 1/1	Address book, n.d.
Box-folder 1/2-1/4	Desk calendars, 1948-1951
Box-folder 1/2	1948
Box-folder 1/3	1950
Box-folder 1/4	1951
Box-folder 1/5-1/10	Tax returns, 1941-1959
Box-folder 1/5	1941
Box-folder 1/6	1943
Box-folder 1/7	1956
Box-folder 1/8	1957
Box-folder 1/9	1958
Box-folder 1/10	1959
Box-folder 1/11	Receipts and notes for tax returns, 1960
Box-folder 2/1-2/13	Scrapbook, c. 1937-1940
Box-folder 2/1	Newspaper clippings, c. 1937-1940
Box-folder 2/2	Photocopies of newspaper clippings from Folder 2/1
Box-folder 2/3	Newspaper clippings, c. 1937-1940
Box-folder 2/4	Photocopies of newspaper clippings from Folder 2/3
Box-folder 2/5	Newspaper clippings, c. 1937-1940
Box-folder 2/6	Photocopies of newspaper clippings from Folder 2/5
Box-folder 2/7	Newspaper clippings, c. 1937-1940
Box-folder 2/8	Photocopies of newspaper clippings from Folder 2/7
Box-folder 2/9	Newspaper clippings, c. 1937-1940
Box-folder 2/10	Photocopies of newspaper clippings from Folder 2/9
Box-folder 2/11	Loose scrapbook items, c. 1937-1940
Box-folder 2/12	Loose scrapbook items, c. 1937-1940
Box-folder 2/13	Scrapbook covers, c. 1937-1940
Box-folder 3/1	Clippings regarding Frank Wilkinson at UCLA, n.d.
Box-folder 3/2	Speech notes, c. 1940
Box-folder 3/3-3/4	Newspaper clippings regarding lectures, 1940-1942
Box-folder 3/5-3/7	Announcements and publications regarding lectures, 1940-1942

Subseries A. **General Biographical Materials, 1937-1999**

Box-folder 3/8	A. M. Wilkinson obituaries, 1940
Box-folder 3/9	Membership cards, 1942-1951
Box-folder 3/10	Receipts and miscellaneous ephemera collected by Frank Wilkinson, 1940-1952
Box-folder 3/11	Receipts and miscellaneous ephemera collected by Frank Wilkinson, 1961-1962
Box-folder 3/12	Articles regarding Frank Wilkinson's activism, 1987-1997
Box-folder 3/13	Items regarding UCLA Oral History Program project, 1997
Box-folder 4/1-4/8	Manuscript of Redress of Grievances, 1994
Box-folder 4/1	Chapter 1
Box-folder 4/2	Chapter 2
Box-folder 4/3	Chapter 3
Box-folder 4/4	Chapter 4
Box-folder 4/5	Chapter 5
Box-folder 4/6	Chapter 6
Box-folder 4/7	Chapter 7
Box-folder 4/8	Chapter 8
Box-folder 4/9	Frank Wilkinson's notes on manuscript, 1994
Box-folder 4/10	Correspondence regarding Redress of Grievances between Frank Wilkinson and author Robert Janis, 1994-1995
Box-folder 4/11	Collected materials regarding manuscript, c. 1994
Box-folder 5/1	Bill of Rights Foundation's "A Civil Liberties Celebration" program honoring Frank Wilkinson, 1989
Box-folder 5/2	National Lawyers Guild Los Angeles Chapter program honoring Frank Wilkinson, 1982
Box-folder 5/3	Bill of Rights Day Celebration program honoring Frank Wilkinson, 1997
Box-folder 5/4	City of Los Angeles Resolution praising Frank Wilkinson for service, 1995
Box-folder 5/5	Copy of "Chavez Ravine and the Coming of the Brooklyn Dodgers: A People's Displacement" by Charlotte Negrete White, 1989
Box-folder 5/6	Transcript of Charlotte Negrete White's interview with Frank Wilkinson, 1999
Box-folder 5/7	Copy of "The Taking of Chavez Ravine" by Marcus Bastida, 1991
Box-folder 5/8	Copy of "Are You Now, Or Have You Ever Been, Related to Your Brother?" by Mrs. Earl Richard Evans, n.d.
Box-folder 5/9	Manuscript FBI vs. the First Amendment by Richard Criley, c.1981-1990s
Box-folder 5/10	Research materials regarding Chavez Ravine housing project, c.1981-1990s
Box-folder 5/11	Promotional material for FBI vs. the First Amendment, 1992
Box-folder 5/12-5/13	Profiles, resume and articles written about Frank Wilkinson, 1952-1996
Box-folder 5/14	Clippings and miscellaneous ephemera regarding Frank Wilkinson, 1961-1994
Box-folder 5/15	Newspaper clippings regarding Wilkinson vs. FBI, 1981-1993
Box-folder 10v/1	Poster honoring Frank Wilkinson, charcoal drawing, Bachelor of Arts diploma, 1936, and Life magazine special Bill of Rights 200th Anniversary issue which includes an article featuring Wilkinson and his First Amendment challenge, 1991

Subseries B. **Diaries and Collected Personal Writings, 1934-1974****Physical Description:** 2 legal size boxes**Scope and Content Note**

This subseries is comprised of the personal writings of Frank Wilkinson, including copies of published articles, bibles, diaries and materials from his days as a student at UCLA.

Box-folder 1/1-1/4	Bibles, 1936-1952
Box-folder 1/1	1936
Box-folder 1/2	1936
Box-folder 1/3	1952
Box-folder 1/4	n.d.
Box-folder 1/5-1/10	UCLA materials, 1934-1939
Box-folder 1/5	Officers and Students publication, 1934
Box-folder 1/6	Interfraternity Ball dance card, 1936
Box-folder 1/7	Copy of paper on Friedrich Nietzsche, c. 1934-1936
Box-folder 1/8	Correspondence and other materials relating to "Student Board of Religious Conference at UCLA", 1936

Subseries B. **Diaries and Collected Personal Writings, 1934-1974**

Box-folder 1/9	Newspaper clippings, 1935-1936
Box-folder 1/10	Graduate student papers, 1939
Box-folder 2/1-2/2	Diaries, 1928-1936
Box-folder 2/1	1928
Box-folder 2/2	1936
Box-folder 2/3	Notebook, n.d.
Box-folder 2/4-2/5	Typewritten observations "New York City" and "On Leaving Lisbon, Portugal", 1936
Box-folder 2/6	Typewritten observations "First Observation of Europe", 1936
Box-folder 2/7	Typewritten observations "Italy and Greece", 1937
Box-folder 2/8	Typewritten observations on the subject of prayer, n.d.
Box-folder 2/9	Article concerning public housing written for Frontier and copies of publication, 1965
Box-folder 2/10	Article "What Went Wrong in Watts?" and "The Era of Libertarian Repression-1948 to 1973: From Congressman to President, with Substantial Support from the Liberal Establishment", 1965-1974
Box-folder 2/11	Article "FBI Crackdown on Opposition to HUAC", n.d.

Subseries C. **Travel Materials, 1936-1937**

Physical Description: 2 legal size boxes

Scope and Content Note

This subseries is comprised of the materials created and/or collected by Frank Wilkinson during his 1936-1937 trip through Europe, the Middle East and North Africa. These materials include tour books, postcard books and miscellaneous souvenirs.

Box-folder 1/1-1/4	Tour books, 1936-1937
Box-folder 1/1	Concise Statistical Yearbook of Poland, 1936
Box-folder 1/2	Events and Personalities in Polish History, 1936
Box-folder 1/3	Elements of Polish Culture, 1937
Box-folder 1/4	New Guide to Rome and its Environs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 1/5-1/14	Postcard books, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 1/5	Firenze
Box-folder 1/6	Genova
Box-folder 1/7	Milan, Part I
Box-folder 1/8	Milan, Part II
Box-folder 1/9	Quadri e Sculture
Box-folder 1/10	Rome, Part I
Box-folder 1/11	Rome, Part II
Box-folder 1/12	Torino
Box-folder 1/13	Venezia
Box-folder 1/14	Verona
Box-folder 2/1	Typewritten trip narrative, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 2/2	Newspaper clippings of Delbert Harter, Frank Wilkinson's travel companion, n.d.
Box-folder 2/3-2/4	Ticket stubs, receipts, and handwritten notes, 1936-1937
Box-folder 2/5	Maps and programs collected during travels, 1936-1937
Box-folder 2/6	Address books and notebooks from trip, 1936-1937
Box-folder 2/7	American flag, n.d.
Box-folder 2/8	Carved sticks, n.d.
Box-folder 2/9	Miniature wooden sandals, n.d.
Box-folder 2/10	Miscellaneous souvenirs, including bottle cap, locket, stamp and business card, n.d.

Series II. Legal Materials, 1950-1962

Physical Description: 1 legal size box, 1 oversize folder

Scope and Content Note

This series comprises materials collected by Frank Wilkinson, which pertain to his legal activities, including his appearances before the US House of Representatives Un-American Activities Committee (HUAC), and his Appeals to the 5th Circuit and Supreme Courts. Also included here are press releases issued by the American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU), whose attorneys represented Frank Wilkinson, and correspondence between Frank Wilkinson and his attorneys. General materials and newspaper clippings regarding Frank Wilkinson's First Amendment challenge are included here, as well as official documents Frank Wilkinson received from prison, materials regarding his parole, pardon and clemency appeal, materials he collected while in prison concerning Abstinence Always (AA), and documents regarding his release from prison in 1962. Also included in this series in an oversize folder are photographs from the trial of Carl Braden, who attempted a First Amendment legal challenge along with Wilkinson.

- Box-folder 1/1 **Subpoena to appear before Subcommittee on Housing Authorities Law of the Assembly Interim Committee on Governmental Efficiency and Economy of the State of California, 1952**
- Box-folder 1/2 **Testimony of Frank Wilkinson before US House of Representatives HUAC, 1956**
- Box-folder 1/3 **Subpoena to appear before US House of Representatives HUAC in Atlanta, Georgia, and copies of Proceedings Against Frank Wilkinson, 1958**
- Box-folder 1/4 **Testimony of Frank Wilkinson before US House of Representatives HUAC, 1958**
- Box-folder 1/5 **Materials regarding Contempt of Congress proceeding in Atlanta, GA, 1959**
- Box-folder 1/6 **Materials regarding Appeal to Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals, 1959**
- Box-folder 1/7 **Partial notes on argument before U.S. Supreme Court and copy of statement by Frank Wilkinson after Supreme Court decision, 1960-1961**
- Box-folder 1/8 **Correspondence between Frank Wilkinson and his attorney, Rowland Watts of the ACLU, 1958-1960**
- Box-folder 1/9 **ACLU Press Releases regarding Frank Wilkinson's First Amendment challenge, 1958-1961**
- Box-folder 1/10 **Materials collected by Frank Wilkinson, including articles, receipts, and handwritten notes, regarding his First Amendment challenge, 1950-1960**
- Box-folder 1/11 **Photocopies of newspaper clippings collected by Frank Wilkinson regarding his First Amendment challenge, 1959-1961**
- Box-folder 1/12 **Official prison documents collected by Frank Wilkinson during his incarceration, including visiting instructions, inmate requests, receipts, personal property records, and lists of authorized correspondents, 1961-1962**
- Box-folder 1/13 **Materials regarding Appeal for Executive Clemency, 1961**
- Box-folder 1/14 **Application for Parole, Notification of Action of Parole Board, and Frank Wilkinson's handwritten notes regarding parole**
- Box-folder 1/15 **Materials collected by Frank Wilkinson during incarceration regarding AA, including Bulletins and meeting minutes, 1961**
- Box-folder 1/16 **Materials collected by Frank Wilkinson regarding his release from prison, including typewritten greetings by many associates and friends, 1962**
- Box-folder 1/17 **The Nation magazine, containing an article entitled "A Time for Amnesty: The Braden-Wilkinson Case", 1961**
- Box-folder 1ov/4 **4 photographs from trial of Carl Braden and typewritten summary of case, 1953**

Series III. Organizations, 1942-1996

Physical Description: 3.5 legal size boxes 2 oversize folders

Scope and Content Note

The bulk of this series is comprised of materials collected from Frank Wilkinson's years with the Housing Authority of the City of Los Angeles (HACLA), where he worked from 1942 until 1952 when he was suspended and eventually fired for refusing to answer questions under oath regarding his political associations. It should be noted that additional material related to Frank's years with the HACLA can be found in Series 4, Subseries A: General Correspondence, 1942-1952 (Box 1, Folders 8-18). This series also includes materials such as newsletters, correspondence, and reports from various organizations with which Frank Wilkinson was involved, including the Emergency Civil Liberties Committee, First Amendment Foundation, Chicago Committee to Defend the Bill of Rights, Council for Civic Unity, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, National Committee to Abolish the Un-American Activities Committee, National Committee Against Repressive Legislation, and the Southern Conference Educational Fund.

Box-folder 1/1-2/4	Housing Authority of City of Los Angeles (HACLA) materials, 1942-1953
Box-folder 1/1	HACLA correspondence, memorandums, forms, statements, certificates and miscellaneous paperwork, 1942-1952
Box-folder 1/2	Copy of Division 49- Housing Requirements, Digest- Division 49, Article VI- Division B Repair, Vacation, Demolition of Dangerous or Substandard Residential Buildings , and Code Amendments, n.d.
Box-folder 1/3	Copy of Ordinance amending Chapter 9 of the Los Angeles Municipal Code, n.d.
Box-folder 1/4	Housing Advisory Committee meeting minutes, press release, 1952
Box-folder 1/5	Materials collected regarding racially integrated public housing, c.1946-1947
Box-folder 1/6	Newspaper clippings, 1949
Box-folder 1/7	Background and education of Frank Wilkinson, statement of Frank Wilkinson regarding his cross-examination during Housing Authority's condemnation court action August 29, 1952
Box-folder 1/8	Publication entitled The Los Angeles Story, printed by Citizens Committee to Re-elect Mayor Bowron, 1952
Box-folder 1/9	HACLA Credit Union materials, 1945-1952
Box-folder 1/10-1/17	Letters received by Frank Wilkinson in his capacity as employee of HACLA, 1952-1935
Box-folder 1/10	August 1952
Box-folder 1/11	September 1952
Box-folder 1/12	Letters received after Frank Wilkinson's suspension, August/September 1952
Box-folder 1/13	October 1952
Box-folder 1/14	November 1952
Box-folder 1/15	December 1952
Box-folder 1/16	January 1953
Box-folder 1/17	Thank you letters received by Frank Wilkinson for his HACLA work, 1950-1951
Box-folder 2/1-2/4	HACLA vs. Meyer materials (removed from binding), 1952
Box-folder 2/1	Excerpt from Testimony of Frank Wilkinson, 1952
Box-folder 2/2	Report cover, 1952
Box-folder 2/3	Testimony of Frank Wilkinson, Howard Holtendorff and Conrad Jamison, 1952
Box-folder 2/4	Testimony of Harold Harby, Fritz Burns and Charles Senn, 1952
Box-folder 3/1	American Civil Liberties Union (ACLU) materials, 1961
Box-folder 3/2	American Friends Service Committee materials, 1949
Box-folder 3/3	California Housing & Planning Association materials, 1943
Box-folder 3/4	Citizens Committee to Preserve American Freedoms materials, 1958-1961
Box-folder 3/5	Chicago Committee to Defend the Bill of Rights materials, 1961-1962
Box-folder 3/6	Citizens Housing Council of Los Angeles materials (see also Series 4, Subseries A: General Correspondence 1942, Box 1, Folder 8), 1942-1952
Box-folder 3/7	Congregational Committee for Christian Democracy materials, 1947-1948
Box-folder 3/8-3/19	Council for Civic Unity, 1945-1950
Box-folder 3/8	By-laws, 1946
Box-folder 3/9	Board of Directors list, 1946
Box-folder 3/10	Meeting minutes, 1945
Box-folder 3/11	Meeting minutes, 1946
Box-folder 3/12	Meeting minutes, 1947
Box-folder 3/13	Meeting minutes, 1948

Box-folder 3/14	Correspondence and newsletters, 1945
Box-folder 3/15	Correspondence and newsletters, 1946
Box-folder 3/16	Correspondence and newsletters, 1947
Box-folder 3/17	Correspondence and newsletters, 1948
Box-folder 3/18	Correspondence and newsletters, 1949-1950
Box-folder 3/19	Miscellaneous collected publications, 1946-1949
Box-folder 3/20-3/21	Emergency Civil Liberties Committee, 1958
Box-folder 3/20	Publication entitled Rights, petition to Congress regarding abolition of HUAC, 1958
Box-folder 3/21	Miscellaneous publications, n.d.
Box-folder 3/22	First Amendment Foundation materials, 1996
Box-folder 3/23	First Unitarian Church of Los Angeles materials, 1949-1962
Box-folder 3/24	Hollenbeck Council for Youth materials, 1945
Box-folder 3/25	International Congress on Mental Health materials, 1948
Box-folder 3/26	International Institute of Los Angeles materials, 1947
Box-folder 3/27	Los Angeles Youth Council materials, 1945-1947
Box-folder 3/28	National Alliance Against Racist and Political Repression materials, 1988
Box-folder 3/29	National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) materials, 1945-1948
Box-folder 3/30	National Association of Housing materials, 1944-1952
Box-folder 3/31	National Committee to Abolish the Un-American Activities Committee materials, 1960-1961
Box-folder 3/32	National Committee Against Repressive Legislation (NCARL) materials, 1988-1994
Box-folder 3/33	National Housing Conference materials, 1951
Box-folder 3/34	New York Council to Abolish House Un-American Activities Committee materials, 1961-1962
Box-folder 4/1	San Francisco Planning & Housing Association materials, 1946
Box-folder 4/2	Southern Conference Educational Fund materials, 1960-1961
Box-folder 4/3-4/4	New York Teacher News, 1957-1963
Box-folder 4/3	1957-1959
Box-folder 4/4	1960-1963
Box-folder 4/5-4/11	Teachers Union materials, 1941-1958
Box-folder 4/5	Newspaper clippings, 1958
Box-folder 4/6	Notes and clippings, 1955-1958
Box-folder 4/7	Notes and clippings, 1955-1958
Box-folder 4/8	Miscellaneous publications, 1955-1958
Box-folder 4/9	Miscellaneous publications, 1955-1958
Box-folder 4/10	Miscellaneous publications, 1955-1958
Box-folder 4/11	Miscellaneous publications, 1941
Box-folder 4/12	Town Hall materials, 1950-1952
Box-folder 4/13-4/15	Miscellaneous materials from anti-HUAC activities, 1958-1962
Box-folder 10v/2	Appeal to House of Representatives to abolish HUAC (advertisement), n.d.
Box-folder 10v/3	Advertisements for Ralphs Grocery Stores (removed from Council for Civic Unity file), n.d., and promotional material for First Amendment Foundation's publication The FBI's Violations of the First Amendment, n.d.

Series IV. **Correspondence, 1934-1985****Physical Description:** 11 legal size boxes**Scope and Content Note**

This series includes correspondence collected by Frank Wilkinson over the years 1934-1985. It covers such topics as Frank Wilkinson's travels as a young man just graduated from college, his suspension and termination from the Housing Authority of the City of Los Angeles, his subsequent legal battles, and correspondence during his incarceration with individuals including members of his family, Otto Nathan, Anne Braden and Richard Criley.

This series is divided into three subseries: A. General Correspondence, 1934-1985, B. 1936-1937 Travel Correspondence, C. Prison Correspondence, 1959-1962

Subseries A. **General Correspondence, 1934-1985****Physical Description:** 1 legal size box**Scope and Content Note**

This subseries includes general correspondence collected by Frank Wilkinson over the years 1934-1985, with the bulk of the material dating from the 1940s and 1950s. Found here are letters to a college professor, Dr. Rolf Hoffmann, letters of recommendation written by John Anson Ford and others, letters of sympathy regarding the death of A.M. Wilkinson, and letters concerning Frank Wilkinson's work during his years at the Los Angeles County Housing Authority and public housing, in general. Also included are correspondence with various civic groups, vendors, and friends. The correspondence had been arranged chronologically.

	General Correspondence, 1934-1985
Box-folder 1/1-1/28	
Box-folder 1/1	1934
Box-folder 1/2	1935
Box-folder 1/3	1936
Box-folder 1/4	1937
Box-folder 1/5	1938
Box-folder 1/6	1939
Box-folder 1/7	1940
Box-folder 1/8	1942
Box-folder 1/9	1943
Box-folder 1/10	1944
Box-folder 1/11	1945
Box-folder 1/12	1946
Box-folder 1/13	1947
Box-folder 1/14	1948
Box-folder 1/15	1949
Box-folder 1/16	1950
Box-folder 1/17	1951
Box-folder 1/18	1952
Box-folder 1/19	1953
Box-folder 1/20	1954
Box-folder 1/21	1956
Box-folder 1/22	1960
Box-folder 1/23	1961
Box-folder 1/24	1962
Box-folder 1/25	1971
Box-folder 1/26	1984
Box-folder 1/27	1985
Box-folder 1/28	n.d.

Subseries B. Travel Correspondence, 1936-1937

Physical Description: 4 legal size boxes

Scope and Content Note

This subseries includes letters written and received during Frank Wilkinson's travels through the United States, Europe, North Africa and the Middle East in 1936-1937. After graduating UCLA in 1936, Frank Wilkinson along with his friend Del Harter embarked upon this trip, in order to study social and political conditions worldwide. The budget for their travels was \$1.00 per day, .30 cents of which they spent on postage. As a result, Frank Wilkinson and Del Harter spent many nights camped out in parks, rode bicycles as transportation, and relied on the kindness of strangers.

The correspondence found here are letters to and from Frank Wilkinson, describing his experiences, thoughts and impressions of all he saw during his travels. The first two boxes of this subseries contain letters written to Frank Wilkinson while he was traveling. These include letters from various friends and family members. There is a significant amount of letters collected from Gilbert Harrison, a good friend of Frank's from UCLA, and Ellinor Hoffmann, daughter of Professor Rolf Hoffmann and Frank's girlfriend at the time. The last two boxes of this subseries contain letters written by Frank Wilkinson. The bulk of these collected letters were written to members of Frank's family, including his parents and siblings; however, there are some letters here written to Jean Benson, Frank Wilkinson's future wife, and Gilbert Harrison. The final items in this subseries are miscellaneous postcards collected by Frank Wilkinson and stamps he collected during his travels.

The correspondence in this subseries has been arranged as closely as possible in the original order established by Frank Wilkinson. The overall order is chronological, but the letters have also been arranged according to author/recipient.

Box-folder 1/1-1/3	General trip correspondence received by Frank Wilkinson, 1936-1937
Box-folder 1/1	1936
Box-folder 1/2	January 1937-June 1937
Box-folder 1/3	July 1937-November 1937
Box-folder 1/4	Correspondence to Frank Wilkinson from Gilbert Harrison, 1936-1937
Box-folder 1/5-2/2	Correspondence to Frank Wilkinson from Ellinor Hoffmann, 1936-1940
Box-folder 1/5	1936
Box-folder 1/6	1937
Box-folder 1/7	1937
Box-folder 1/8	1937
Box-folder 2/1	1937-1940
Box-folder 2/2	1938
Box-folder 2/3-2/7	Correspondence to Frank Wilkinson from Wilkinson family, 1936-1937
Box-folder 2/3	1936
Box-folder 2/4	1936
Box-folder 2/5	1937
Box-folder 2/6	1937
Box-folder 2/7	1937
Box-folder 2/8	Telegrams, 1936-1937
Box-folder 2/9	Letters of introduction, 1936
Box-folder 2/10	List of correspondents, n.d.
Box-folder 3/1-4/4	Correspondence to Wilkinson family from Frank Wilkinson, 1936-1937
Box-folder 3/1	August 1936-September 1936
Box-folder 3/2	October 1936
Box-folder 3/3	November 1936-December 1936
Box-folder 3/4	January 1937
Box-folder 3/5	February 1937
Box-folder 3/6	March 1937
Box-folder 3/7	April 1937
Box-folder 3/8	May 1937
Box-folder 4/1	June 1937
Box-folder 4/2	July 1937
Box-folder 4/3	August 1937
Box-folder 4/4	September 1937-October 1937

Subseries B. **Travel Correspondence, 1936-1937**

Box-folder 4/5	Correspondence to Jean Benson from Frank Wilkinson, 1937
Box-folder 4/6	Correspondence to Gilbert Harrison from Frank Wilkinson, 1936-1937
Box-folder 4/7-4/11	Postcards from Frank Wilkinson, 1936-1937
Box-folder 4/7	1936
Box-folder 4/8	1937
Box-folder 4/9	1937
Box-folder 4/10	1937
Box-folder 4/11	n.d.
Box-folder 4/12	Postcards received by Frank Wilkinson, 1935-19378
Box-folder 4/13	Various stamps collected by Frank Wilkinson during his travels, 1936-1937

Subseries C. **Prison Correspondence, 1959-1962****Physical Description:** 6 legal size boxes**Scope and Content Note**

This subseries includes the correspondence Frank Wilkinson collected immediately before, during and after his incarceration in 1961-1962 for his Contempt of Congress conviction. These include letters both written by Frank to various friends and family members and letters received by Frank from family and friends. Also found in this subseries are letters written to and by Jean Benson Wilkinson, Frank's wife, regarding matters that concerned Frank's prison term. The correspondence in this subseries has been arranged as closely as possible in the original order established by Frank Wilkinson, with the overall order chronological.

Box-folder 1/1-4/7	Correspondence received by Frank Wilkinson during prison term, 1961-1962
Box-folder 1/1	May 1961
Box-folder 1/2	June 1961
Box-folder 1/3	July 1961
Box-folder 1/4-1/5	August 1961
Box-folder 2/1-3/2	Birthday messages, August 1961
Box-folder 3/3-3/5	September 1961
Box-folder 4/1-4/2	October 1961
Box-folder 4/3	November 1961
Box-folder 4/4-4/5	December 1961
Box-folder 4/6	January 1962
Box-folder 4/7	February 1962
Box-folder 4/8	Correspondence received by Frank Wilkinson regarding his release, 1962
Box-folder 5/1-5/3	Correspondence written by Frank Wilkinson during prison term, 1961
Box-folder 5/1	May 1961
Box-folder 5/2	June 1961
Box-folder 5/3	November 1961
Box-folder 5/4-5/5	Correspondence written by Frank Wilkinson and collected by his sister Betty in an album (letters have been removed from the album, but retain the original order), 1961
Box-folder 5/6-5/10	Correspondence written by Frank Wilkinson and collected by his sister Betty in an album (letters have been removed from the album, but retain the original order), 1961
Box-folder 5/11-5/12	Correspondence written by Frank Wilkinson and collected by his sister Betty in an album (letters have been removed from the album, but retain the original order), 1961
Box-folder 5/13-5/16	Correspondence written by Frank Wilkinson and collected into an album labeled #1 (letters have been removed from the album, but retain the original order), 1961
Box-folder 5/17-5/19	Correspondence written by Frank Wilkinson and collected into an album labeled #2 (letters have been removed from the album, but retain the original order), 1961
Box-folder 5/20-5/23	Correspondence written by Frank Wilkinson and collected into an album labeled #3 (letters have been removed from the album, but retain the original order), 1961
Box-folder 6/1	Correspondence written or received by Jean Benson Wilkinson during Frank Wilkinson's prison term, 1961-1962
Box-folder 6/2	Letters of support received by Frank Wilkinson concerning his First Amendment challenge, 1959-1961
Box-folder 6/3	Letters from Frank Wilkinson regarding his First Amendment challenge, 1959-1961
Box-folder 6/4	Correspondence with Richard Criley of the Chicago Committee to Defend the Bill of Rights, 1961-1962

Box-folder 6/5	Correspondence with Otto Nathan, 1961-1964
Box-folder 6/6	Miscellaneous letters and telegrams concerning Frank Wilkinson and his First Amendment challenge, 1961
Box-folder 6/7	Correspondence received by Frank Wilkinson during prison term, c. 1961-1962
Box-folder 6/8	Miscellaneous handwritten notes of Frank Wilkinson created during his incarceration, 1961-1962

Series V. Photographs, 1929-1991

Physical Description: 2 legal size boxes, 8 letter size boxes

Scope and Content Note

This series includes photographs taken and collected by Frank Wilkinson over his lifetime. The bulk of these photographs document Frank Wilkinson's travels to Europe, the Middle East and North Africa in 1936-1937. Also included in this series are several photographs of his first wife, Jean Benson Wilkinson, his children, and his father, Dr. A.M. Wilkinson. Additionally in this series are photographs taken during Frank Wilkinson's travels to Vietnam in 1984.

This series is divided into three subseries: A. General Photographs, 1929-1991, B. 1936-1937 Travel Photographs, C. 1984 Vietnam Travel Photographs.

Subseries A. General Photographs, 1929-1991

Physical Description: 1 legal size box

Scope and Content Note

This subseries includes photographs of Frank Wilkinson, his first wife, Jean Benson Wilkinson, his children, and his father, Dr. A.M. Wilkinson. Of note in this subseries is a photograph of Frank Wilkinson with Reverend Martin Luther King, Jr. taken in 1958, during a visit to Atlanta. Also of interest are several photographs taken of Frank Wilkinson's FBI file, acquired by a Freedom of Information Act request. This report totaled approximately 130,000 pages.

Box-folder 1/1	Group of men, including A.M. Wilkinson, Mayor Porter, Governor Young and Chief Davis, at the Hollywood Bowl, 1929
Box-folder 1/2	Los Angeles County earthquake damage, 1933
Box-folder 1/3	Frank Wilkinson as UCLA student, c. 1935-1936
Box-folder 1/4	Clipping of Frank Wilkinson, Jean Benson, Gilbert Martin and Thomas Lambert at UCLA, c. 1935-1936
Box-folder 1/5	Frank Wilkinson, c. 1936
Box-folder 1/6	Frank Wilkinson, 1945
Box-folder 1/7	Frank Wilkinson breaking ground for the Los Angeles County Housing Authority, c. 1942-1952
Box-folder 1/8	Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr. with Frank Wilkinson, 1958
Box-folder 1/9	HUAC demonstration, c.1961
Box-folder 1/10	HUAC demonstration, c.1961
Box-folder 1/11	Frank Wilkinson, Dr. Willard Uphaus and Carl Braden on Midwest speaking tour, 1961
Box-folder 1/12	Charlotta Bass, Frank Wilkinson, Dr. Uphaus at dinner in Wilkinson's honor, 1961
Box-folder 1/13	Wilkinson children, 1961
Box-folder 1/14	Anne Braden, Carl Braden, Frank Wilkinson and Otto Nathan, 1961
Box-folder 1/15	Frank Wilkinson with Aubrey Williams, 1961
Box-folder 1/16	Frank Wilkinson with Aubrey Williams, 1961
Box-folder 1/17	Jo, Tony and Jean Wilkinson, 1961
Box-folder 1/18	Frank Wilkinson with copy of his FBI file, c. 1986
Box-folder 1/19	FBI file of Frank Wilkinson, c. 1986
Box-folder 1/20	FBI file of Frank Wilkinson, c. 1986
Box-folder 1/21	FBI file of Frank Wilkinson negative, c. 1986
Box-folder 1/22	Frank Wilkinson, 1991
Box-folder 1/23	Jean Benson, n.d.
Box-folder 1/24	Regent Fairfax, n.d.
Box-folder 1/25	A.M. Wilkinson, n.d.
Box-folder 1/26	Junior Coghlan, n.d.
Box-folder 1/27	W.C. Pearce, n.d.
Box-folder 1/28	Jeff, Jo and Tony Wilkinson as children, n.d.
Box-folder 1/29	Jean Benson Wilkinson with children in Washington, D.C., n.d.
Box-folder 1/30	Frank Wilkinson with group at North Bend Central High School for speaking engagement, n.d.
Box-folder 1/31	Promotional photograph for public housing, n.d.

Subseries B. **Travel Photographs, 1936-1937****Physical Description:** 8 letter size boxes**Scope and Content Note**

This subseries includes photographs of Frank Wilkinson and Del Harter on their trip across America, Europe, the Middle East and North Africa. The photographs in this subseries have been arranged by location in keeping with the original order established by Frank Wilkinson. Also included in this subseries are duplicates and negatives of many of the photographs and postcards collected by Frank Wilkinson during his travels.

Box-folder 1/1-1/2
 Box-folder 1/1
 Box-folder 1/2
 Box-folder 1/3
 Box-folder 1/4-1/5
 Box-folder 1/4
 Box-folder 1/5
 Box-folder 1/6-1/7
 Box-folder 1/6
 Box-folder 1/7
 Box-folder 1/8-1/9
 Box-folder 1/8
 Box-folder 1/9
 Box-folder 1/10-1/11
 Box-folder 1/10
 Box-folder 1/11
 Box-folder 1/12-1/13
 Box-folder 1/12
 Box-folder 1/13
 Box-folder 1/14
 Box-folder 1/15
 Box-folder 1/16-1/18
 Box-folder 1/16
 Box-folder 1/17
 Box-folder 1/18
 Box-folder 1/19
 Box-folder 1/20-1/21
 Box-folder 1/20
 Box-folder 1/21
 Box-folder 2/1
 Box-folder 2/2
 Box-folder 2/3-2/4
 Box-folder 2/3
 Box-folder 2/4
 Box-folder 2/5
 Box-folder 2/6
 Box-folder 2/7-2/8
 Box-folder 2/7
 Box-folder 2/8
 Box-folder 2/9
 Box-folder 2/10-2/11
 Box-folder 2/10
 Box-folder 2/11
 Box-folder 2/12-2/13
 Box-folder 2/12
 Box-folder 2/13
 Box-folder 2/14-2/16
 Box-folder 2/14
 Box-folder 2/15
 Box-folder 2/16
 Box-folder 2/17
 Box-folder 3/1-3/2
 Box-folder 3/1

Austria, c. 1936-1937
 Austria photographs, c. 1936-1937
 Austria negatives, c. 1936-1937
Baalbek photographs, c. 1936-1937
Belgium, Holland & Luxembourg, c. 1936-1937
 Belgium, Holland & Luxembourg photographs, c. 1936-1937
 Belgium, Holland & Luxembourg negatives, c. 1936-1937
England, 1937
 England and London for Coronation photographs, 1937
 England and London for Coronation negatives, 1937
France, 1937
 France photographs, 1937
 France negatives, 1937
Germany, 1937
 Germany photographs, 1937
 Germany negatives, 1937
Greece, 1937
 Greece photographs, 1937
 Greece negatives, 1937
Hungary photographs, c. 1936-1937
Ingria photographs, c. 1936-1937
Italy, 1937
 Italy photographs, 1937
 Italy photographs, 1937
 Italy negatives, 1937
Jerusalem photograph, c. 1936-1937
North Africa, c. 1936-1937
 North Africa photographs, c. 1936-1937
 North Africa negatives, c. 1936-1937
Portugal photographs, 1936
Scandinavia photographs, c. 1936-1937
Scotland, 1937
 Scotland photographs, 1937
 Scotland negatives, 1937
Spain photographs, c. 1936-1937
Switzerland photographs, 1937
Syria, 1937
 Syria photographs, 1937
 Syria negatives, 1937
Turkey photographs, c. 1936-1937
U.S.A., 1936
 U.S.A. photographs, 1936
 U.S.A. negatives, 1936
U.S.S.R., c. 1936-1937
 U.S.S.R. photographs, c. 1936-1937
 U.S.S.R. negatives, c. 1936-1937
159 Miscellaneous identified photographs, c. 1936-1937
 50 Miscellaneous identified photographs, c. 1936-1937
 50 Miscellaneous identified photographs, c. 1936-1937
 59 Miscellaneous identified photographs, c. 1936-1937
Miscellaneous unidentified negatives, c. 1936-1937
California to Chicago photographs, 1936
 California to Chicago photographs, 1936

Box-folder 3/2	California to Chicago negatives, 1936
Box-folder 3/3	Detroit to New York negatives, 1936
Box-folder 3/4	New York to Washington, D.C. photographs and negatives, 1936
Box-folder 3/5	New York to Maine photographs and negatives, 1936
Box-folder 3/6	New York to Portugal photographs and negatives, 1936
Box-folder 3/7	Portugal photographs and negatives, 1936
Box-folder 3/8	Spain negatives, 1936
Box-folder 3/9	Morocco negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 3/10	Algeria photographs and negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 3/11	Tunis photographs and negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 3/12	Malta and Libya negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 3/13	Egypt photographs and negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 3/14	Palestine photographs and negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 3/15	Syria photographs and negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 3/16	Baalbek photographs and negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 3/17	Greece photographs and negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 3/18-3/19	Italy photographs and negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 3/18	Italy photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 3/19	Italy negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 4/1-4/2	France photographs and negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 4/1	France photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 4/2	France negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 4/3-4/4	England photographs and negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 4/3	England photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 4/4	England negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 4/5-4/6	Ireland photographs and negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 4/5	Ireland photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 4/6	Ireland negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 4/7	Scotland photographs and negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 4/8	Belgium and Luxembourg photographs and negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 4/9	Holland photographs and negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 4/10	Switzerland photographs and negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 4/11	Austria photographs and negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 4/12	Hungary photographs and negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 4/13	Czechoslovakia photographs and negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 4/14	Scandinavia photographs and negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 4/15	U.S.S.R photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 4/16	Rumania to Turkey to Palestine photographs and negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 4/17	Palestine photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 5/1	Iraq photographs and negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 5/2-5/4	India photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 5/5	Siam and Indo-China photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 5/6	Philippine Islands photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 5/7-5/8	China photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 5/9	Korea photographs and negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 5/10	Hawaii photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 6/1-7/5	417 Duplicate travel photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 6/1	50 Duplicate travel photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 6/2	50 Duplicate travel photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 6/3	50 Duplicate travel photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 6/4	50 Duplicate travel photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 6/5	50 Duplicate travel photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 6/6	50 Duplicate travel photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 6/7	40 Duplicate travel photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 7/1	15 Duplicate travel photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 7/2	15 Duplicate travel photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 7/3	15 Duplicate travel photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 7/4	15 Duplicate travel photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 7/5	17 Duplicate travel photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 7/6-7/7	Unidentified miscellaneous photographs, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 7/8-7/9	Unidentified miscellaneous negatives, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 7/10	Photocopy of Frank Wilkinson's passport, 1936
Box-folder 7/11	Newspaper clippings re 1936-1937 travels of Frank Wilkinson and Del Harter, 1936-1937
Box-folder 8/1-8/15	Postcards, c. 1936-1937

Series V. **Photographs, 1929-1991**

Subseries B. **Travel Photographs, 1936-1937**

Box-folder 8/1	Postcards of Egypt and North Africa, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 8/2	Postcards of England and Scotland, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 8/3	Postcards of France, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 8/4	Postcards of Germany, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 8/5	Postcards of Greece, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 8/6	Postcards of Italy, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 8/7	Postcards of Jerusalem, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 8/8	Postcards of Lebanon, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 8/9	Postcards of Libya, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 8/10	Postcards of Malta, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 8/11	Postcards of Middle East, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 8/12	Postcards of Palestine, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 8/13	Postcards of Switzerland, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 8/14	Postcards of Syria, c. 1936-1937
Box-folder 8/15	Miscellaneous collected postcards, c. 1936-1937

Subseries C. **Vietnam Travel Photographs, 1984**

Physical Description: 1 legal size box

Scope and Content Note

This subseries includes photographs of Frank Wilkinson on his trip to Vietnam in 1984. On this trip, Frank Wilkinson served as a member of a delegation invited by the Vietnamese Foreign Ministry and Friendship Organizations to visit the country and meet with various representatives of their government ten years after the U.S. withdrawal. The photographs in this series were removed from a photograph album, but their original order has been retained. A descriptive caption was also written on the backside of each photograph before placement in the album.

Box-folder 1/1	Typewritten summary of trip, c. 1984
Box-folder 1/2-1/61	Photographs of Vietnam trip removed from photograph album, 1984

Series VI. **Newspaper Clippings, 1961-1962**

Physical Description: 2 letter size boxes

Scope and Content Note

This series includes newspaper clippings collected for and by Frank Wilkinson during his incarceration in prison in 1961-1962. These clipping come from a wide variety of publications, including the New York Times, New York Post, Los Angeles Times, Los Angeles Mirror, and the Louisville Courier-Journal. The topics of these clippings concern First Amendment issues, anti-HUAC activities, letters to the editor, NATO, civil defense and the U.S.S.R., the C.I.A., civil rights and civil liberties.

These clippings have not been arranged in any particular order; however, they do provide an important understanding of Frank Wilkinson's interests during this period of his life.

Box-folder 1/1-1/12 **Various newspaper clippings, 1961-1962**

Box-folder 2/1-2/14 **Various newspaper clippings, 1961-1962**

Series VII. Videocassette and Audiocassette Tapes, 1975-1999

Physical Description: 2 letter size boxes

Scope and Content Note

This series is comprised of seven videocassette tapes, six audiocassette tapes and one 7-inch reel featuring Frank Wilkinson. Of the videocassette tapes, one was produced by Justin Neutra, grandson of architect Richard Neutra, and features clips of his family. Frank Wilkinson and his first wife Jean had at one time lived in a house designed by Mr. Neutra and they remained friends. Also included here is copy of the HUAC production "Operation Abolition", a film which depicts the HUAC/FBI version of the events that took place at the HUAC hearing in San Francisco in 1960.

- Box-folder 1 **First Amendment Foundation. The Price of Freedom, Eve Goldberg Producer, 1994.**
- Box-folder 1 **First Amendment Foundation. Reverend Elijah Lovejoy: The Vigil.**
- Box-folder 1 **First Amendment Foundation. The Un-Americans (Frank Wilkinson - The Campaigner), BBC, 1994.**
- Box-folder 1 **House Committee on Un-American Activities (HUAC). Operation Abolition, c.1960.**
- Box-folder 1 **Frank Wilkinson: City of Los Angeles Honorarium, 1995.**
- Box-folder 1 **Frank Wilkinson: Surrey Hills Elementary, 1999.**
- Box-folder 1 **Video cassette featuring clips of Neutra family (Richard, Dione, Ray, Mariah, Justin and Matt) and an interview with Frank Wilkinson, n.d.**

- Box-folder 1/1 **Handwritten note to Frank Wilkinson from Justin Neutra, n.d.**
- Box-folder 2 **Frank Wilkinson audiocassette tape, 1975**
- Box-folder 2 **Frank Wilkinson audiocassette tape, 1975**
- Box-folder 2 **Frank Wilkinson Pacifica audiocassette tape, 1976**
- Box-folder 2 **Frank Wilkinson audiocassette tape, 1978**
- Box-folder 2 **Frank Wilkinson audiocassette tape, 1978**
- Box-folder 2 **Frank Wilkinson audiocassette tape, 1979**
- Box-folder 2 **7-inch reel tape (sent to Wilkinson from Mark Worthen) featuring Frank Wilkinson, WRA Chapel in Hudson, Ohio, 1971**

- Box-folder 2/1 **Handwritten note to Frank Wilkinson from Eleanor and Mark Worthen, n.d.**