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Guide to MS-201:

Hauser Collection of Eisenhower Political Ephemera



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Size

1 box, 0.33 cubic feet

Location

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Dates

Inclusive: 1964-198
Bulk: 1969-1971

Provenance

This collection was donated by Jane Hauser Patrono in September 2014. The items were collected by the donor's father, John Hauser, who knew President Eisenhower in Gettysburg.

Scope and Content Note

This collection is comprised of an assortment of President Dwight D. Eisenhower related political materials from the 1960s and 1970s. A few relate directly to the donor's family (Hauser), but most do not. The collection is predominantly programs from Eisenhower-related events or dedications, a few pamphlets and photographs, and a few political bumper stickers from national elections. There is also the occasional item related to President Ronald Reagan or President Richard Nixon. This collection does not provide a wealth of information about or memorabilia from local politics or political events that Eisenhower attended.

Subjects

Eisenhower, Dwight D. (Dwight David) 1890-1969
Presidents – United States – Elections – 1980
Presidents – United States – Elections – 1972
Presidents – United States – Eisenhower, Dwight D.
United States – Politics and government – 1945-1989
Republican Party (U.S. : 1854-) – History – 20th century
Political Culture – United States – History – 20th century

Series Description

This collection is divided into three Series. **Series 1:** Eisenhower Honored Events & Dedications, **Series 2:** Federal Government, **Series 3:** National Republican Party.

Box List

Box 1

1-0 Finding Aid and Biographical Information

Series 1: Eisenhower Honored Events & Dedications

1-0 Eisenhower Honored Events & Dedications

- Christmas cards from the Eisenhowers to Mrs. Hauser
- Typed correspondence from DDE to Mr. John House [sic], September 27, 1969 re: luncheon invite
- Program from Eisenhower Night at the Washington International Horse Show, October 28, 1969
- Program from the Dedication of the Dwight D. Eisenhower National Republican Center, January 15, 1971
- Program from the Ground Breaking of the Dwight D. Eisenhower U.S. Army Hospital, Fort Gordon, GA, April 23, 1971
- Program from the Dedication of the Dwight D. Eisenhower Chair of Strategic Appraisal, U.S. Army War College, August 31, 1966
- Souvenir program from the Dedication Ceremony of the New Wing of the Eisenhower Museum, Abilene, KS, October 14, 1971
- Newsprint print program from the Dedication of the Eisenhower Memorial Hospital, Palm Desert, CA, November 24, 1971
- 5 programs (4 in envelopes) of the Keel Laying of the Nuclear-Powered Aircraft Carrier Dwight D. Eisenhower CVAN-69, August 15, 1970
- Color photograph of the Dwight D. Eisenhower CVAN-69 aircraft carrier "We Like Ike" spelled out on deck
- Program and 2 invitations from the Rock Ford Plantation, Guest of Honor Mrs. Dwight David Eisenhower, June 18, 1971
- Program and 3 tickets for Ohio University's President's Convocation, October 5, 1965
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Series 2: Federal Government

1-2 Federal Government

- "Good-bye Hillary" bumper sticker
- color photos of Air Force One in flight
- Printed booklet of The Declaration of Independence and The Constitution of the United States of America, 1976 reprint

Series 3: National Republican Party

1-3 National Republican Party

- Program from the 1981 Presidential Inauguration
- Color photograph of Ronald & Nancy Reagan departing the White House for Camp David in a helicopter, taken by Michael Evans
- Official Program from the 1972 Republican National Convention, Miami Beach, August 1972
- 2 information flyers from the 1973 Inaugural Parade, January 20, 1973
- “Carter/Mondale” bumper sticker
- Color print of an RF-4C Phantom II (fighter jet) from the Minnesota National Guard signed by Walter F. Mondale
- Postcard of Eisenhower labelled “Greetings from Historic Gettysburg” Home of General Dwight D. Eisenhower, unsent
- B&W photo (Lane) of the Adams County Republican Dinner, 10/12/64 in College Dining Hall
- DDE, Fred Pfeffer, and Sen. Hugh Scott pictured

Removed from collection

Daily Evening Bulletin, Friday, June 6, 1862

Location: Civil War Newspapers

Related Collections

MS-071: Mamie Eisenhower Letters

MS-088: Dillon Anderson Papers

MS-098: Eisenhower Letters to Col. And Mrs. Sam White

MS-109: Dwight D. Eisenhower Appointment Books, 1961-1967

MS-111: Eisenhower Society Papers

MS-157: The Donald Brett Collection of Eisenhower Memorabilia

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