

A Finding Aid to the Rosewater Family Papers

Manuscript Collection No. 503



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Collection Summary

Title	Rosewater Family Papers
Dates	1858-1939
Collection Number	MS-503
Repository	The Jacob Rader Marcus Center of the American Jewish Archives
Creator	Rosewater family Rosewater, Edward, 1841-1906 Rosewater, Victor, 1871-1940
Extent	9.6 linear feet (24 Hollinger boxes)
Language of the Material	English

Administrative Information

Physical DescriptionTechnical Requirements: The collection is divided into three (3) series: A. Rosewater Family; B.
Edward Rosewater; C. Victor Rosewater.

Biographical Sketch EDWARD ROSEWATER (1841-1906)

Edward Rosenwasser was born in Bukovan, Bohemia on January 28, 1841 to Edward and Rosalia Kohn Rosenwasser. At age 13 he immigrated to the United States with his parents who anglicized their last name to Rosewater. His family landed first in New York and then traveled to Cleveland, Ohio to find work and join other family members already in America. Edward took up peddling and other jobs throughout his youth to supplement his family's income. In 1857 he took a three-month course at Hollister and Felton's Commercial College to improve his penmanship and also to learn basic accounting and bookkeeping skills. This was the only formal education he obtained after coming to the United States.

The panic of 1857 left Edward without employment, so he left Cleveland and began to travel throughout Ohio looking for a job. During his travels he met James Hamilton Warren, a telegraph operator, who taught Edward about telegraph operation. In November of 1858 James received a permanent job as a telegraph operator while Edward continued to practice and perfect his skills. In 1859 Edward returned to Cleveland and continued to practice telegraphing, volunteering at the Cleveland Depot Office, until in April of 1859 he received his first telegraphing job at Oberlin. Edwards telegraphing skills took him south to Murfreesboro, Tennessee, Burnsville, Mississippi, and finally Stevenson, Alabama in October of 1859.

Edward's time in Stevenson, Alabama coincided with the election of 1860, the secession of the Confederate States, and the election of Jefferson Davis to President of the Confederate States of America. His job as telegrapher for Stevenson granted him access to some of the most prominent persons of this time period including Jefferson Davis and Judah P. Benjamin. Despite being loyal to the Union, Edward remained in Stevenson until May of 1861 when he moved to the Nashville telegraph office. Nashville was under Confederate control at the time, but later fell to Union troops in 1862. Edward quit the Nashville Telegraph office, after restoring the Cumberland Gap telegraph wires for the Union army, and returned to Cleveland.

In April 1862, Edward volunteered for the Union Army at Wheeling, W. VA. He was first attached to the Headquarters of General Rosecrans, then General Schnick, and then served in the Washington Navy Yard with Admiral Dalgren. In the summer of 1862, he became attached to General John Pope, and in August of 1862, telegraphed dispatches from the Second Manassas battlefield. His work at the Battle of Second Manassas led to his appointment as a telegrapher for the War Department in Washington, D.C.

While serving as a telegrapher in the War Department, Edward came into contact with many important figures of the Civil War including President Abraham Lincoln and was responsible for transmitting important communications during the Civil War between Washington and Union field operations. Edward Rosewater is best known, however, for his part in telegraphing the Emancipation Proclamation to the rest of the world.

Edward resigned from the War Department in 1863 to take a position as Chief of Operation for the Omaha City telegraph office. Edward would remain in Omaha for the remainder of his life. While in Omaha, Edward founded and became editor of the Omaha Bee newspaper. Edward was active in the Republican Party and in 1906 he tried to become the Republican Nominee for the U.S. Senate but was unsuccessful.

Edward Rosewater married Leah Colman on November 13, 1864 in Cleveland, Ohio departing after the

	wedding for Omaha, Nebraska where he had secured a home for his new bride. He passed away at the Omaha Bee building on August 30, 1906.
	VICTOR ROSEWATER (1871-1940)
	Victor Rosewater was born in Omaha, Nebraska in 1871 to the parents of Edward and Leah Rosewater. After attending Columbia University in New York and earning his Ph.D. in 1893, Victor returned to Omaha to work for the Omaha Bee becoming managing editor in 1895. He was made a Regent of Nebraska State University in 1896.
	Rosewater was actively involved in the Republican Party helping his father run for Senate in 1906, serving as the chairman of the Republican National Committee and planning the 1912 Republican National Convention. Victor moved to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania where he became involved in planning the Philadelphia Sesquicentennial. He wrote several articles on the history and significance of the Liberty Bell and continued his newspaper career writing columns for various papers. Victor was also a founder of the American Jewish Committee and wrote an unpublished biography on his father, Edward Rosewater.
	Victor married Katie and had two children, Harriet and Edward Rosewater Jr. Victor passed away in 1940 at the age of 69.
Scope and Content	Collection consisting of correspondence of Victor and Edward Rosewater, 1867-1930; diaries of Edward Rosewater, 1853-1870, and Victor Rosewater, 1914-1935; together with family writings, correspondence, and miscellaneous.
Copies	Also available in microfilm; available in repository and via interlibrary loan; AJA microfilm nos. 2118-2124.
Terms of Access	The collection is open for use; no restrictions apply.
Preferred Citation	Footnotes and bibliographic references should refer to the Rosewater Family Papers and the American Jewish Archives. A suggestion for at least the first citation is as follows:
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Index Terms

Subjects	Jews Nebraska Omaha / Jews Pennsylvania Philadelphia
Personal Names	Rosewater, Edward, 1841-1906 / Rosewater, Victor, 1871-1940
Corporate Names	Rosewater family

Series A. Rosewater Family, 1868-1934, undated

Extent 1.2 linear feet (3 Hollinger boxes)

Scope and Content Note Contains correspondence of Edward and Victor Rosewater as well as family correspondence regarding the Omaha Bee, travel, the Republican party, and family matters.

ArrangementThe series is divided into two (2) subseries: 1. Victor and Edward Rosewater
Correspondence; 2. Family Correspondence.

Subseries 1. Victor and Edward Rosewater Correspondence, 1868-1924

Extent 0.8 linear feet (2 Hollinger boxes)

Box 1. Folder 1. A, 1893-1922

Box 1. Folder 2. B, 1891-1922

Box 1. Folder 3. C, 1892-1922

Box 1. Folder 4. D, 1894-1924

Box 1. Folder 5. E, 1904-1922

Box 1. Folder 6. F, 1896-1922

Box 1. Folder 7. G, 1894-1922

Box 1. Folder 8. H, 1899-1921

Box 1. Folder 9. I, 1892-1898

Box 1. Folder 10. J, 1893-1922

Box 2. Folder 1. K, 1900-1922

Box 2. Folder 2. L, 1894-1922

Box 2. Folder 3. M, 1890-1922

Box 2. Folder 4. N, 1888-1922

Box 2. Folder 5. O, 1875-1912

Box 2. Folder 6. P, 1892-1922

Box 2. Folder 7. R, 1892-1922

Box 2. Folder 8. S, 1877-1921

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Box 3. Folder 1. T, 1868-1921

Box 3. Folder 2. U-Z, 1875-1921

Subseries 2. Family Correspondence, 1907-1934, undated

Extent 0.4 linear feet (1 Hollinger box)

Box and Folder Listing

Box 3. Folder 3. Buchard-Sloman, undated
Box 3. Folder 4. Correspondence. Family, 1920s-1930s
Box 3. Folder 5. Correspondence. Victor, Stella, and Katie, 1909
Box 3. Folder 6. Genealogy, undated
Box 3. Folder 7. Miscellaneous. Play "Secret Session.", undated
Box 3. Folder 8. Newsclippings. Victor Rosewater's Daughter's wedding, 1931
Box 3. Folder 9. Rosewater, Edward. Birth and marriage certificates, photographs, undated
Box 3. Folder 10. Rosewater, Edward (Victor's son). Marriage, 1933
Box 3. Folder 11. Rosewater, Edward. School and Scholarships, 1907, 1930s

Box 3. Folder 12. Rosewater Family. Pictures and Miscellaneous Information, undated

Box 3. Folder 13. Rosewater, Frank. Last will and testament, 1934

Box 3. Folder 14. Rosewater, Leah., undated

Box 3. Folder 15. Stock and Omaha Bee information, undated

Box 3. Folder 16. Rosewater, Lewis. Correspondence and miscellaneous, undated

Series B. Edward Rosewater, 1858-1906

Extent 2 linear feet (5 Hollinger boxes)

Scope and Content Note Contains the diaries and correspondence of Edward Rosewater.

Arrangement The series is arranged in two (2) subseries: 1. Diaries; 2. Correspondence.

Subseries 1. Diaries, 1858-1870

Extent 0.4 linear feet (1 Hollinger box)

Scope and Content Note	The diaries cover the pre-civil war period through Edwards' move to Omaha,
	Nebraska. Of considerable historic value are the diaries of Edward Rosewater that
	include part of his tenure as a telegrapher for the War Department in Washington,
	D.C. during the Civil War. Rosewater telegraphed Lincoln's Emancipation Proclamation
	to the public on January 1, 1863. In his diary, he describes a reception at the White
	House that day and briefly mentions the proclamation. Edward's Civil War diaries
	span the years of 1860-1863, however, the 1862 diary is missing though brief
	excerpts from it are preserved in Victor Rosewater's unpublished biography of
	Edward Rosewater located in Box 16, files 20-22. The Edward Rosewater Diaries
	were transcribed by staff members of the AJA in 2008. The correspondence in this
	series is related to political matters (mainly the Republican Party), journalism and
	the Omaha Bee, as well as personal matters.
	Edward Rosewater located in Box 16, files 20-22. The Edward Rosewater Diaries were transcribed by staff members of the AJA in 2008. The correspondence in this series is related to political matters (mainly the Republican Party), journalism and

Arrangement The subseries is chronologically arranged.

Box and Folder Listing

Box 4. Folder 1. Diary, 1858-1859 Box 4. Folder 2. Diary, 1860 Box 4. Folder 3. Diary, 1861 Box 4. Folder 4. Diary, 1863-1865 Box 4. Folder 5. Diary, 1868 Box 4. Folder 6. Diary, 1869 Box 4. Folder 7. Diary, 1870

Subseries 2. Correspondence, 1862-1906

Extent 1.6 linear feet (4 Hollinger boxes)

Arrangement The subseries is alphabetically arranged.

Box 5. Folder 1. Algoe, Morris S., 1905
Box 5. Folder 2. American Protective Association, 1891-1895
Box 5. Folder 3. American Publisher's Association, 1887
Box 5. Folder 4. Anti-Trust Convention, 1893
Box 5. Folder 5. Articles/Correspondence, 1902-1905
Box 5. Folder 6. Attack Upon Edward Rosewater, 1876
Box 5. Folder 7. Balcombe Cowhiding, 1873
Box 5. Folder 8. Bartley and Bignell, 1894-1906
Box 5. Folder 9. Bartley and McBride, 1888-1894
Box 5. Folder 10. Bennett Case, 1893-1894
Box 5. Folder 11. Biographical Material, undated
Box 5. Folder 12. Bollin Case, 1895
Box 5. Folder 13. Boyd, James E., 1881-1891
Box 5. Folder 14. Broach — Rosewater, 1889-1906
Box 5. Folder 15. Bye, J. W., 1893-1903
Box 5. Folder 16. Carpenter-Rosewater Interview (Civil War Telegraph Service),
Box 5. Folder 17. Charitable Contributions, 1906
Box 5. Folder 18. Civic Participation, 1888-1902
Box 5. Folder 19. Civil War Telegraphy, 1862-1905
Box 5. Folder 20. Cornell University. Lectures on Journalism, 1898-1899
Box 5. Folder 21. Cuttings and Anecdotes, 1900-1903
Box 5. Folder 22. Davis, Jefferson, 1875
Box 5. Folder 23. Debs, Eugene, 1896
Box 5. Folder 24. Dietrich, Mr. (Congressman to Theodore Roosevelt), 1904
Box 6. Folder 1. Edison, Thomas, 1891
Box 6. Folder 2. Estate of Edward Rosewater, 1906
Box 6. Folder 3. European Trip, 1891
Box 6. Folder 4. Fay Brothers, 1905
Box 6. Folder 5. "Fides" Letters. American Protective Association, 1895
Box 6. Folder 6. Financial News, 1896
Box 6. Folder 7. Griffin Case, 1872
Box 6. Folder 8. Hayes, Rutherford, 1877, 1887
Box 6. Folder 9. Hitchcock, P. W., 1877
Box 6. Folder 10. Holcomb Campaign, 1894
Box 6. Folder 11. House of Representatives. Nebraska, 1871
Box 6. Folder 12. Howell Libel Suite, 1905
Box 6. Folder 13. Invitations, 1904

1910

Box 6. Folder 14. Koen, Ed. A., 1892

Box 6. Folder 15. Law Enforcement. Address by Edward Rosewater, 1895

Box 6. Folder 16. Lectures, undated

Box 6. Folder 17. Letters of Condolence on Death of Edward Rosewater.

Box 6. Folder 18. M, 1878-1908

Box 6. Folder 19. Masonic Certificates, undated

Box 6. Folder 20. McBride, J. C., 1886-1902

Box 6. Folder 21. Medal. In Recognition of Service at the Trans-Mississippi and International Exposition, 1898

Box 6. Folder 22. Mercer, D. H., 1902-1903

Box 6. Folder 23. Mercer, 1896-1900

Box 6. Folder 24. Mercer-Rosewater, 1899-1901

Box 6. Folder 25. Miles, Nelson A., 1902

Box 6. Folder 26. Millard, J. H., 1901

Box 6. Folder 27. Mint and Coinage, 1892, 1896-1897

Box 6. Folder 28. Miscellaneous, 1891-1892

Box 6. Folder 29. Miscellaneous, undated

Box 6. Folder 30. Miscellaneous, undated

Box 7. Folder 1. Morality Campaign, Omaha, 1894

Box 7. Folder 2. Mosby, John S., 1904

Box 7. Folder 3. Nakayama, Riuji. On Government Ownership of Telephones in Japan, 1896

Box 7. Folder 4. Nebraska Politics, 1900-1903

Box 7. Folder 5. Nebraska Senate Campaign, 1900

Box 7. Folder 6. Nebraska State Republican Association, undated

Box 7. Folder 7. News Articles, 1894-1897

Box 7. Folder 8. News Articles. Life and Death of Edward Rosewater, 1906-1923

Box 7. Folder 9. Omaha Campaign, 1895

Box 7. Folder 10. Omaha and Winnebago Indians (Fraud Against), 1902-1905

Box 7. Folder 11. Personal Recollections of Some of the World Famed Electricians, undated

Box 7. Folder 12. Petition for United States Senator, 1899

Box 7. Folder 13. Political Activities, 1894-1895

Box 7. Folder 14. Political Activity, 1896

Box 7. Folder 15. Political Activity, 1899

Box 7. Folder 16. Political Campaign, 1892

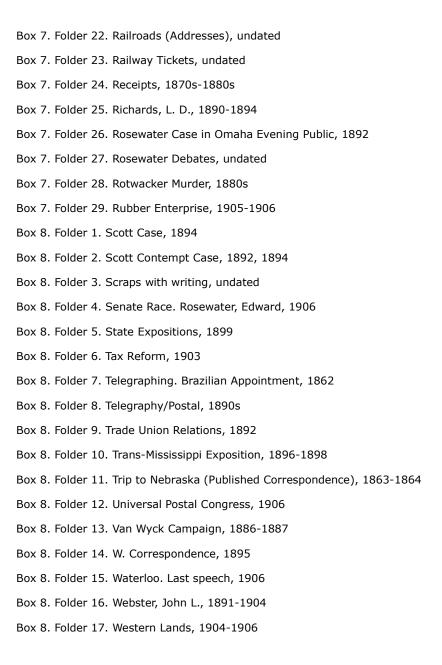
Box 7. Folder 17. Porter, John Fritz, 1884, 1888, 1893

Box 7. Folder 18. Prohibition, 1885, 1904

Box 7. Folder 19. Prohibition Campaign, 1890

Box 7. Folder 20. Publishers and Manuscripts, undated

Box 7. Folder 21. Railroads and the People, 1905



Series C. Victor Rosewater, 1870-1939

Extent 6.4 linear feet (16 Hollinger boxes)

Scope and Content Note Contains the correspondence, subject files, publications, and diaries of Victor Rosewater. The diaries cover the later years of Victor Rosewater's life including his activities in the Republican Party and the Philadelphia Sesquicentennial. His correspondence is related to political matters, the Omaha Bee, journalism, and personal matters.

ArrangementThe series is divided into ten (10) subseries: 1. Diaries; 2. Correspondence; 3. Alphabetical
Subject Files; 4.Publications; 5. Jewish Matters; 6. Nebraska; 7. Journalism; 8. Omaha Bee;
9. Philadelphia Sesqui-Centennial; 10. Republican Party.

Subseries 1. Diaries, 1914-1935

Extent 0.4 linear feet (1 Hollinger box)

Arrangement The subseries is chronologically arranged.

Box 9. Folder 1. Diary, 1914

Box 9. Folder 2. Diary, 1916

Box 9. Folder 3. Diary, 1919

Box 9. Folder 4. Diary, 1921

Box 9. Folder 5. Diary, 1923

Box 9. Folder 6. Diary, 1924

Box 9. Folder 7. Diary, 1926

Box 9. Folder 8. Diary, 1928

Box 9. Folder 9. Diary, 1930

Box 9. Folder 10. Diary, 1932

Box 9. Folder 11. Diary, 1933

Box 9. Folder 12. Diary, 1934

Box 9. Folder 13. Diary, 1935

Subseries 2. Correspondence, 1887-1939

Extent 1.6 linear feet (4 Hollinger boxes)

Arrangement The series is alphabetically arranged.

Box and Folder Listing

Box 10. Folder 1. Abbot, Willis J, 1932-1933 Box 10. Folder 2. Aldrich, Chester H. Governor of Nebraska, 1912 Box 10. Folder 3. Algoe, Morris, 1905 Box 10. Folder 4. American Biography (Dictionary of). Contributions by Victor Rosewater, 1905, 1929-1930 Box 10. Folder 5. Andrews, Martin J, 1905 Box 10. Folder 6. Anecdotes, Jokes, and Reminiscences, undated Box 10. Folder 7. Appointment of Wharton as Postmaster, 1911-1912 Box 10. Folder 8. Associated Adjusters (Auto Insurance), 1937 Box 10. Folder 9. B, 1901-1920 Box 10. Folder 10. Bercu, I. D., 1912 Box 10. Folder 11. Bernstein, Herman, 1937 Box 10. Folder 12. Blackburn, T. W, 1901-1916 Box 10. Folder 13. Brandeis, Arthur D, 1910-1913 Box 10. Folder 14. Brandeis Blackmail, 1913-1914 Box 10. Folder 15. Brandeis, Hugo, Emil, George, 1912-1919 Box 10. Folder 16. Brown, Norris, 1900-1911

Box 10. Folder 17. Bryan, William Jennings, 1894-1925

- Box 10. Folder 18. Burkett, E. J. Senator from Nebraska, 1908
- Box 10. Folder 19. Burleson, A. S. Post Master General on mail service, 1917
- Box 10. Folder 20. Burns Detective Agency, 1914
- Box 10. Folder 21. C, 1896-1909
- Box 10. Folder 22. Catholic Church and Omaha Bee, 1908
- Box 10. Folder 23. Catholic Interest, 1907-1909
- Box 10. Folder 24. Chicago Convention, 1932
- Box 10. Folder 25. Childs, Hardwood, 1936
- Box 10. Folder 26. Columbia University, 1937-1938
- Box 10. Folder 27. Constitution, Celebration of 150th Anniversary, 1935
- Box 10. Folder 28. Cosgrove-Kelly Frame Up, 1919
- Box 10. Folder 29. Couzins, Phoebe W, 1904-1905, 1910
- Box 10. Folder 30. Cowin, Will, 1908
- Box 10. Folder 31. D, 1900, 1913
- Box 10. Folder 32. Dahlman, James C, Mabray, J. C., 1907-1909
- Box 10. Folder 33. Dennison, T, 1902-1914
- Box 10. Folder 34. Dietrich, Charles H, 1904, 1907
- Box 10. Folder 35. Dietz, C. N., 1895, 1915
- Box 11. Folder 1. Elgutter-Feil Estate, 1921-1923
- Box 11. Folder 2. Epstein, Jacob, 1906
- Box 11. Folder 3. Freeport. Doc's Correspondence, 1912-1934
- Box 11. Folder 4. G, 1900, 1911
- Box 11. Folder 5. Grossman-Fink, 1922
- Box 11. Folder 6. H, 1902-1922
- Box 11. Folder 7. Hayes, John W, 1920
- Box 11. Folder 8. Hays, Will H, 1900
- Box 11. Folder 9. Hayward, William. "Thin Man", 1934
- Box 11. Folder 10. Hinshaw, E. H., 1900, 1906
- Box 11. Folder 11. Hitchcock, Gilbert M, 1897-1918
- Box 11. Folder 12. Hitchcock, P. W. and G. M., 1887-1918
- Box 11. Folder 13. Holcumb, Silas A. Governor of Nebraska, 1898
- Box 11. Folder 14. Irvine, Alexander, 1895
- Box 11. Folder 15. Irwin, Will, 1910-1911
- Box 11. Folder 16. Institute of Politics. Brown, Dr., 1930
- Box 11. Folder 17. Institute of Public Affairs, 1927-1929
- Box 11. Folder 18. J, 1895, 1906, 1916
- Box 12. Folder 1. K, 1906, 1919, 1922
- Box 12. Folder 2. Keller, Helen, 1924 December 23

Box 12. Folder 3. Knopf, Alfred A, 1934

- Box 12. Folder 4. Kohlsaat, Herman, 1922
- Box 12. Folder 5. Langer, Charles, 1906-1932
- Box 12. Folder 6. Lenroot, Irvine, 1920
- Box 12. Folder 7. Lighton, Loomus, Loveland, 1902-1909
- Box 12. Folder 8. M, 1908-1917
- Box 12. Folder 9. Metcalf, Richard, 1899-1907
- Box 12. Folder 10. Meyer, A. L., 1916-1917
- Box 12. Folder 11. Miscellaneous, 1910-1936
- Box 12. Folder 12. Miscellaneous, 1893-1939
- Box 12. Folder 13. Miscellaneous, 1911-1922
- Box 12. Folder 14. Miscellaneous, 1926-1928
- Box 12. Folder 15. Muller, Arthur, 1909-1918
- Box 12. Folder 16. Negro, 1908-1922
- Box 12. Folder 17. Negro Riot, 1919
- Box 12. Folder 18. New World's Fair, 1939
- Box 12. Folder 19. New Years Cards, 1925
- Box 12. Folder 20. Nicholson, Meredith, 1913, 1918
- Box 12. Folder 21. Norton, Charles D. Secretary to President Taft, 1910
- Box 12. Folder 22. Norris, George W, 1918-1921
- Box 13. Folder 1. Patti, Adelin, 1910-1915
- Box 13. Folder 2. Pierce, John H, 1910
- Box 13. Folder 3. Polcar, Joseph, 1914
- Box 13. Folder 4. Polcar, Joseph, Burns, Pickard/Hansen Case, 1914
- Box 13. Folder 5. Political Correspondence, 1920-1921
- Box 13. Folder 6. Pollard, Poynter, W. A. (Senator), Pruce, 1900-1915
- Box 13. Folder 7. Postal Correspondence, 1908-1911
- Box 13. Folder 8. Presidential Correspondence, 1910-1924
- Box 13. Folder 9. R, 1897-1918
- Box 13. Folder 10. Roosevelt, Theodore, 1902-1923
- Box 13. Folder 11. Rosewater, Edward Jr. Victor's Son, 1922-1924
- Box 13. Folder 12. Salisbury, W. A., 1899
- Box 13. Folder 13. Sandal, Charles, Saunders, Alvin, 1896, 1918
- Box 13. Folder 14. Shaw, Albert, 1911-1915
- Box 13. Folder 15. Sheldon, George, 1905-1908
- Box 13. Folder 16. Singerly, William, 1932
- Box 13. Folder 17. Sloan, Chas, 1904-1912
- Box 13. Folder 18. Smith, Edward, 1903-1918
- Box 13. Folder 19. Smoot Case, 1916

Box 13. Folder 20. Stone, Melville E, 1932

- Box 13. Folder 21. Strickler, Virgil, 1895-1913
- Box 13. Folder 22. Stuntz, Homer, 1918
- Box 13. Folder 23. Sullivan, John J, 1897-1903
- Box 13. Folder 24. Sullivan, Mark, 1933
- Box 13. Folder 25. Sutherland, Ralph E. Switzler, W, 1890-1911
- Box 13. Folder 26. Tax Problems, 1924
- Box 13. Folder 27. Terminal Tax Fight, 1907
- Box 13. Folder 28. Theodore Roosevelt to Victor Rosewater, 1919
- Box 13. Folder 29. Thomas, Norman, 1929
- Box 13. Folder 30. Thompson, D. E., 1907
- Box 13. Folder 31. Treasury Department, 1920-1922
- Box 13. Folder 32. University Correspondence, 1926
- Box 13. Folder 33. Viereck, George Sylvester, 1912-1916
- Box 13. Folder 34. Villard, Oswald Garrison, 1930
- Box 13. Folder 35. Visscher, Will. Case, 1908
- Box 13. Folder 36. Wade, Martin J. Wappich, W. F., Walter, Victor B, 1900-1917
- Box 13. Folder 37. Waterworks, 1893-1910
- Box 13. Folder 38. Webster, John R, 1897-1918
- Box 13. Folder 39. Westover, W. H. Judge, 1906
- Box 13. Folder 40. Wood, Leonard Major General, 1919
- Box 13. Folder 41. Woods, Mark, 1902-1919

Subseries 3. Alphabetical Subject Files, 1888-1939

Extent 0.8 linear feet (2 Hollinger boxes)

- Box 14. Folder 1. Banking, 1925
- Box 14. Folder 2. Boston Tercentenary, 1924
- Box 14. Folder 3. Child Labor Committee, 1906-1907
- Box 14. Folder 4. Deep Waterways Convention, 1907
- Box 14. Folder 5. Elections, 1899, 1909, 1912
- Box 14. Folder 6. Electric Lighting, 1890-1892
- Box 14. Folder 7. Endorsements of Victor Rosewater for Postmaster.
- Box 14. Folder 8. European Trip, 1891-1892
- Box 14. Folder 9. Haverford Centenary, 1933
- Box 14. Folder 10. Institute of Politics, 1921-1925
- Box 14. Folder 11. Jewish Refugees, 1938-1939

- Box 14. Folder 12. John Hopkins University, 1888-1893
- Box 14. Folder 13. Literary Clubs, 1923
- Box 14. Folder 14. Menus/Programs, 1910-1928
- Box 14. Folder 15. Mexican Trip, 1910
- Box 14. Folder 16. Miscellaneous, 1924-1932
- Box 14. Folder 17. Miscellaneous, undated
- Box 14. Folder 18. National Bar Association, 1925
- Box 14. Folder 19. National Civic Federation. Ralph Easley, 1925
- Box 14. Folder 20. Newspaper Contributions, 1927
- Box 14. Folder 21. Newspaper and Radio, 1929-1934
- Box 14. Folder 22. Newspaper Comments on Victor Rosewater, 1921-1930
- Box 14. Folder 23. Newspaper Work, 1918-1926
- Box 14. Folder 24. New Years Greetings, 1919-1924
- Box 14. Folder 25. Omaha Post Office, 1909-1924
- Box 14. Folder 26. Palgrave's Dictionary of Political Economy. Contributions by Victor Rosewater, 1893-1897
- Box 14. Folder 27. Political Appointments, 1890-1906
- Box 14. Folder 28. Political Science, 1924
- Box 14. Folder 29. Postmaster General. Correspondence, 1919
- Box 15. Folder 1. Postmaster General. Miscellaneous, 1918-1932
- Box 15. Folder 2. Postmaster General. Miscellaneous, 1918-1932
- Box 15. Folder 3. Railroads, 1918
- Box 15. Folder 4. Red Cross, 1914-1919
- Box 15. Folder 5. Schools, 1931
- Box 15. Folder 6. Schools/Colleges, 1899
- Box 15. Folder 7. School Compositions and Memorabilia, undated
- Box 15. Folder 8. Scott, Cunningham R. Judge Scott Strikes Back, undated
- Box 15. Folder 9. Slacker Voters, 1926
- Box 15. Folder 10. Speeches, 1925
- Box 15. Folder 11. Stabilization, 1933
- Box 15. Folder 12. Subscription-Lincoln Park Library, 1896, 1900
- Box 15. Folder 13. Telephones, 1934
- Box 15. Folder 14. Trans-Missippi and International Exposition, 1898
- Box 15. Folder 15. Typographical Union. 8-Hour Work Day, 1906
- Box 15. Folder 16. University of Nebraska, 1896-1897
- Box 15. Folder 17. Wages, Budgets, and Cost of Living, 1921
- Box 15. Folder 18. Wartime Activities, 1916-1919
- Box 15. Folder 19. Wilson, Woodrow. Prohibition letter, 1911
- Box 15. Folder 20. Women's Suffrage, 1912-1915
- Box 15. Folder 21. World War I, 1914-1916

Subseries 4. Publications, 1898-1936, undated

Extent 0.8 linear feet (2 Hollinger boxes)

Box and Folder Listing

- Box 15. Folder 22. Articles by Rosewater, Victor, undated
- Box 15. Folder 23. Articles about Omaha for Encyclopedia Britannica, 1901-1902
- Box 16. Folder 1. Articles and notes, 1933-1936
- Box 16. Folder 2. Articles and Notes, 1917-1935
- Box 16. Folder 3. Articles, 1935
- Box 16. Folder 4. Economics of Advertising, undated
- Box 16. Folder 5. Edward Rosewater Autobiography, undated
- Box 16. Folder 6. Edward Rosewater Autobiography, undated
- Box 16. Folder 7. Edward Rosewater Autobiography, undated
- Box 16. Folder 8. Behold the Mighty Newspaper and Maine was Sunk, 1898
- Box 16. Folder 9. The Editorial Page, undated
- Box 16. Folder 10. The Greatest News Beat in American History, undated
- Box 17. Folder 1. History of News-Gathering Associations in the United States, undated
- Box 17. Folder 2. Letters of a Politician to his son. When Philadelphia was Capital of the Country, undated
- Box 17. Folder 3. Omaha Club Reminisces, 1934
- Box 17. Folder 4. Personal writings, undated
- Box 17. Folder 5. Published Articles, undated
- Box 17. Folder 6. Publications, undated
- Box 17. Folder 7. Some Convention Problems, undated
- Box 17. Folder 8. Untitled manuscript, undated
- Box 17. Folder 9. Untitled manuscript, undated
- Box 17. Folder 10. What of the Slacker Vote?, undated

Subseries 5. Jewish Matters, 1899-1936

Extent 0.2 linear feet (0.5 Hollinger box)

- Box 18. Folder 1. American Jewish Committee, 1916-1936
 Box 18. Folder 2. Anti-Jewish Propaganda. Presidential Election, 1936
 Box 18. Folder 3. Bernstein, Herman. Diplomatic Service Appointment, 1926-1931
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- Box 18. Folder 18. Civic Federation. Elmer, Thomas E., 1904-1908
- Box 18. Folder 19. Civil and Commercial, 1887-1903
- Box 18. Folder 20. Constitutional Convention, 1919-1920
- Box 18. Folder 21. Crowe, Pat, and Cudahy, Edward, 1896-1925
- Box 18. Folder 22. Dodge, N. P., 1907-1918
- Box 18. Folder 23. Education, 1897-1904
- Box 18. Folder 24. Forest Lawn Cemetery, 1930
- Box 18. Folder 25. History, 1874-1905
- Box 18. Folder 26. Historical Society, 1903-1920
- Box 18. Folder 27. Howell, R. B., 1894-1920
- Box 18. Folder 28. Local Politics, 1904-1913
- Box 18. Folder 29. Miscellaneous Election Materials, 1894-1905
- Box 18. Folder 30. Miscellaneous Omaha/Nebraska materials, 1895-1914
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- Box 19. Folder 1. Obituaries, 1927-1930
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- Box 19. Folder 6. Pokrok, Zapadu (not in English), undated
- Box 19. Folder 7. Public Library, 1895

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- Box 19. Folder 9. Thompson, David E. U.S. Senator from Nebraska, 1898-1909 Box 19. Folder 10. Thompson, W. T., 1900-1919 Box 19. Folder 11. Thurston, John M, 1879-1905
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Subseries 8. Omaha Bee, 1871-1937

Extent 0.4 linear feet (1 Hollinger box)

- Box 20. Folder 18. Omaha Bee, 1894-1922
- Box 20. Folder 19. Associated Press Agent, 1898-1900
- Box 20. Folder 20. Associated Press Agent. Bee Editorial Page, 1885-1918
- Box 20. Folder 21. Carrier's New Year's Address, 1873-1878
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- Box 21. Folder 1. Omaha newspapers, 1895-1917
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- Box 21. Folder 3. Paper Supply, 1918-1920
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- Box 21. Folder 5. Sold to World Herald, 1937
- Box 21. Folder 6. Stock, 1920
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- Box 21. Folder 8. Taylor, Cadet, 1895-1911
- Box 21. Folder 9. Threatening letters, 1899-1913

Subseries 9. Philadelphia Sesqui-Centennial, 1876-1931, undated

Extent 0.6 linear feet (1.5 Hollinger boxes)

- Box 21. Folder 10. Aftermath, 1924-1925
- Box 21. Folder 11. Appointment to Sesqui Centennial Committee, 1921-1922
- Box 21. Folder 12. British Empire Exhibition. Bartran's Garden's, 1923-1924
- Box 21. Folder 13. Bushnell-Hart, Albert, 1922
- Box 21. Folder 14. Centennial and Trans-Mississippi, 1876, 1922
- Box 21. Folder 15. Correspondence, 1922-1924
- Box 21. Folder 16. Costs of Other Exhibitions, undated
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- Box 21. Folder 18. Exhibition Association, 1923
- Box 21. Folder 19. Expositions including Sesqui-Centennial Celebration, 1901-1925
- Box 21. Folder 20. Finances, 1922-1923
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- Box 21. Folder 22. Housing problems, undated

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- Box 22. Folder 2. International Exposition of Decorative and Modern Industrial Arts. Paris, France, 1925
- Box 22. Folder 3. Liberty Bell, 1915-1934
- Box 22. Folder 4. Miscellaneous, 1921-1924
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- Box 22. Folder 6. News Articles, 1922-1924
- Box 22. Folder 7. One Hundred and Fiftieth Fourth, undated
- Box 22. Folder 8. Opening, 1926
- Box 22. Folder 9. Order of the Liberty Bell, 1930-1931
- Box 22. Folder 10. Panama Pacific Exposition, undated
- Box 22. Folder 11. Pilgrimage to the Liberty Bell, 1925-1926
- Box 22. Folder 12. Problems, 1925
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Subseries 10. Republican Party, 1899-1937

Extent 0.8 linear feet (2 Hollinger boxes)

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