



# Rockefeller (Laurance S.) papers, Speech Files, RG 5

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## Summary Information

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## Biographical/Historical note

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Laurance Spelman Rockefeller was born on May 26, 1910, in New York City, the fourth of the six children of John D. Rockefeller, Jr. and Abby Aldrich Rockefeller. He attended Lincoln School, a progressive coeducational preparatory school connected with Teachers College of Columbia University in New York City, before entering Princeton in 1928. A philosophy major, he graduated from Princeton in 1932 with a B.A. degree in philosophy and went on to two years of graduate study at Harvard Law School.

On August 15, 1934, Laurance Rockefeller married Mary French in the Congregational Church in Woodstock, Vermont. Together they raised three daughters and a son.

During World War II, Laurance Rockefeller served in the Navy (1942-1945), attaining the rank of lieutenant commander.

Laurance Rockefeller pursued a number of successful careers during his lifetime. He was a pioneer in the field of venture capital. He was a leading and influential figure for three decades in the American conservation movement. He led the development of one of the world's foremost cancer care and research facilities, and was both a benefactor and advisor to major educational institutions. And,

with great foresight, he combined his personal vision for conservation, recreation and the spiritual needs of individuals to develop internationally acclaimed environmentally-oriented resorts. His many accomplishments have been recognized both nationally and internationally.

In 1935, he began working in the family office in Rockefeller Center. His first duties were to develop his knowledge and understanding of Rockefeller philanthropic activities, conservation projects and business interests, through both study and playing a modest role in their operation. Simultaneously, he developed his own special interest, blending business acumen with the talents of a "gadgeteer," a label he once pinned on himself.

He became well known as an investor of risk capital in young enterprises whose future was based primarily on scientific and technological developments. Over the years his investment interests included the fields of aviation, aerospace, electronics, high temperature physics, composite materials, optics, lasers, data processing, thermionics, instrumentation and nuclear power. Beginning in August 1969, his venture capital investments in these areas were made through a venture capital group, Venrock, formed by members of the Rockefeller family.

In a different area of venture capital, he developed outstanding environmentally oriented resort hotels in Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, Hawaii and Vermont, serving as chairman of Rockresorts, Inc., a resort management company which he founded and chaired.

Conservation of the environment and recreational development constituted much of Laurance Rockefeller's philanthropy and public service. His introduction to public service came in 1939 when Governor Herbert H. Lehman of New York appointed him to the Palisades Interstate Park Commission (PIPC). He was president of the PIPC from 1970 to 1977 and continued as a commissioner until his resignation in December 1978. He was an advisor to Presidents Eisenhower, Kennedy, Johnson, Nixon and Ford on matters of environmental conservation and outdoor recreation, and he worked on federal commissions set up to help develop national conservation and environmental policies and programs. In 1958, President Dwight D. Eisenhower appointed him chairman of the Outdoor Recreation Resources Review Commission (ORRRC), which charted ways of meeting the nation's outdoor recreation needs through the year 2000. He was a special emissary for President Lyndon Johnson in the effort that led to creation of the National Redwoods Park in California, and he served as chairman of President Nixon's Citizens' Advisory Committee on Environmental Quality, successor to a similar group which he headed under President Johnson. He played a pivotal role in the creation and development of several national parks including Grand Teton National Park in Wyoming, Virgin Islands National Park on the island of St. John and Marsh, Billings, Rockefeller National Historical Park in Vermont.

He served as a leader of several important nonprofit and philanthropic organizations. He was president and later chairman of the Rockefeller Brothers Fund (1958-1980) and was a trustee of the Alfred P. Sloan Foundation (1960-1982). His first association with Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center in New York City was in 1947; he also served as chairman (1960-1982), overseeing an expansion and modernization of its operations. He was a longtime trustee of the New York Zoological Society (1935-1986) and served as its president (1969-1971) and chairman (1971-1985).

Laurance Rockefeller received many honors for his efforts on behalf of the environment and cancer research and treatment. Among them are the Alfred P. Sloan, Jr. Memorial Award from the American Cancer Society (1969), the Medal of Freedom (1969), Commander (Honorary) of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (1971), the Woodrow Wilson Award from Princeton University (1991), the

Congressional Gold Medal (1991), the Chairman's Award from the National Geographic Society (1995), the Theodore Roosevelt National Park Medal of Honor (1995), and the Lady Bird Johnson Conservation Award for Lifetime Achievement (1997). In 2003, he became the first person to be made an honorary citizen of the British Virgin Islands in recognition of his many contributions to the area. In December 1959 he received the National Institute of Social Sciences' Gold Medal for distinguished services to humanity, an award previously bestowed upon his grandfather and father. This was the first time in the Institute's history that three generations of a family had been so honored. The citation to Laurance Rockefeller proclaimed him as a "creative organizer of ventures into new fields of human endeavor for the growing aspirations of mankind; [and a] leader in the conservation of natural resources and in the development of the medical and social sciences for the welfare of the individual." In 1967, the National Institute awarded Gold Medals to all five Rockefeller brothers in recognition of their individual and collective services to humanity.

Laurance Rockefeller died on July 11, 2004 at his home in Manhattan.

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- Rockefeller, Laurance Spelman

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## Physical Characteristics and Technical Requirements note

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## Collection Inventory

### Speech Files, 1941-2004

Physical Description: 38 Document Box(es)

Processing Information note:

#### Processing Information note

This collection was processed by Charley Bradley. Finding aid entered by Gail J. Antos, July 2012.

#### Arrangement note

The speech files are arranged chronologically by the date of the speech.

Related Archival Materials note:

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Speech-related materials are also found in files labeled "Addresses," included in the Personal Papers series of other record groups of the Laurance S. Rockefeller papers.

#### Scope and Contents note

Laurance S. Rockefeller's speeches were assembled into a consolidated file in late 1985-1986 by his associate George Taylor and Rockefeller family archivist Joseph M. Ernst. The aim was to create a master file that would be available for ready reference and searchable by date, institution, occasion, or subject. The family office integrated later speeches into this series. In some cases, speech files have been added from other accessions of LSR's papers.

Title/Description	Instances	
Speech File and Workbook, 1963-1966	box 1	folder 1

#### Scope and Contents note

This file contains background materials on outdoor recreation and natural beauty. The first part of the file consists of sections labeled Watts Branch, Youth Conference, Philanthropy in Texas, Mrs. Humphrey, LBJ Book, Advisory Committee, Botanical Gardens, Department of Natural Resources, and Hudson River. These materials, all of which date from 1966, appear to provide background information for LSR meetings with Lady Bird Johnson.

The second part of the file, entitled Speech Workbook, is a compilation, circa 1963-1965, of key points relating to outdoor recreation. It is divided into the following sections: The Need, Creative Leisure, The ORRRC (Outdoor Recreation Resources Review Commission) Study, Classification System, Bureau of Outdoor Recreation, Multiple Use, Private Land, New Devices, Political Action,

Role of State and Local Governments, Training, and  
Selected Quotations.

Compilation of Speech Files - Correspondence, 1958-1994	box 1	folder 2
<b>1941</b>		
<b>Title/Description</b>	<b>Instances</b>	
Air Youth of America, 1941 March 18	box 1	folder 3
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<b>1946-1950</b>		
<b>Title/Description</b>	<b>Instances</b>	
Dean Cornwell Mural, Rockefeller Center, 1946 May 28	box 1	folder 5
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>  Comments made upon acceptance of mural from Captain Rickenbacker and Eastern Air Lines.		
New York City Airport Authority, 1947 January 29	box 1	folder 6
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>  Statement made before the New York City Board of Estimate on behalf of the New York City Airport Authority.		
Jackson Hole Wildlife Park Opening Ceremonies, 1948 July 19	box 1	folder 7
Saunders Memorial Fountain, Palisades Interstate Park, 1948 October 7	box 1	folder 8
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>  Dedication of Nell Baker Saunders Memorial Fountain; LSR representing Palisades Interstate Park Commission.		
Children's Pavilion Dedication, Memorial Cancer Center, 1950 December 20	box 1	folder 9
<b>1951-1954</b>		
<b>Title/Description</b>	<b>Instances</b>	
The Society of Memorial Cancer Center, 1951 May 16	box 1	folder 10
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>  Overview of past year's accomplishments and looking to the future.		
Memorial Hospital Dinner, 1951 July 27	box 1	folder 11



**Scope and Contents note**

Dinner to welcome new members of resident staff.

Tower Clinic Dedication, Memorial Cancer Center, 1951 September 25	box 1	folder 12
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Women's National Republican Club, 1951 November 15	box 1	folder 13
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**Scope and Contents note**

Memorial Cancer Center, Alice Hill Chittenden Treatment  
Room, Clinic Building.

Dinner in Honor of Mr. Pierre Wigny, 1952 March 20	box 1	folder 14
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**Scope and Contents note**

Belgian Congo.

Unveiling of Kettering Portrait, Sloan-Kettering Institute, 1953 January 16	box 1	folder 15
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Dedication of Abby Aldrich Rockefeller Hall, Spelman College, 1953 April 12	box 1	folder 16
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Dedication of Recovery Ward, Strang Prevention Clinic, 1954 January 5	box 1	folder 17
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**Scope and Contents note**

Unveiling of Dr. L'Esperance's portrait.

Assurance Fund Dinner, Memorial Cancer Center, 1954 March 2	box 1	folder 18
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Address to Volunteers, Memorial Cancer Center, 1954 May 17	box 1	folder 19
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**Scope and Contents note**

Speech entitled "Volunteer Recognition," given at Annual  
Meeting of The Society of Memorial Cancer Center.

Groundbreaking Ceremony, New York Zoological Society, New Aquarium, 1954 October 24	box 1	folder 20
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Virgin Islands National Park, Press Release, 1954 November 19	box 1	folder 21
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**Scope and Contents note**

Announcement of plan to offer land on St. John for the  
establishment of a national park.

**1955-1956**

Title/Description	Instances
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Jackson Lake Lodge Dedication, Jackson Hole Preserve, Inc., 1955 June 11	box 1	folder 22
Tenth Anniversary Party, Sloan-Kettering Institute, 1955 June 24	box 1	folder 23
Fall Appeal Meeting, Memorial Cancer Center, 1955 October 4	box 1	folder 24
Group Affiliates, Citation Meeting, Memorial Center, 1955 November 22	box 1	folder 25
Sloan Fellows, Venture Capital Investment, 1955 December	box 1	folder 26

**Scope and Contents note**

Title: Venture capital investment and its point of similarity  
to effective giving or philanthropy.

New York Zoological Society Annual Meeting, 1956 January 17	box 1	folder 27
Kerbs Memorial Hall, Memorial Cancer Center, 1956 April 9	box 1	folder 28

**Scope and Contents note**

Unveiling of portraits of Edward A. and Alice H. Kerbs.

Fall Appeal Luncheon, Memorial Cancer Center, 1956 January 30	box 1	folder 29
Founders Day Exercises, Spelman College 25th Anniversary, 1956 April 15	box 1	folder 30
State Council of Parks Meeting, Palisades Interstate Park Commission, 1956 April 26	box 1	folder 31
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Group Affiliates, Citation Meeting, Memorial Center, 1956 October 31	box 1	folder 33
Virgin Islands National Park Dedication, 1956 December 1	box 1	folder 34

**1957-1958**

<b>Title/Description</b>	<b>Instances</b>	
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Eighth Annual Arboretum Day, Garden Club of New Jersey, 1957 May 8	box 2	folder 36
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>		
Topic: Palisades Interstate Park.		
National Park Service Development Conference, 1957 September 17	box 2	folder 37

**Scope and Contents note**

Title of address: "People and Parks: National, State and Community." Conference held at Jackson Lake Lodge.

Dedication of Sunday School Building, Union Church of Pocantico Hills, 1957 September 29	box 2	folder 38
New York Times Youth Forum, "Are We Wasting Our Natural Resources?", 1957 November 17	box 2	folder 39
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Buckley School Commencement, 1958 June 5	box 2	folder 41
Annual Appeal Committee, Opening Meeting, Memorial Center, 1958 October 14	box 2	folder 42
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**1959**

<b>Title/Description</b>	<b>Instances</b>	
North American Wildlife Conference, 1959 March 4	box 2	folder 44

**Scope and Contents note**

Title of address: "Meeting Future Recreational Needs"; LSR speaking as Chairman of National Outdoor Recreation Resources Review Commission.

Izaak Walton League of America 37th Annual Convention, 1959 April 22	box 2	folder 45
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**Scope and Contents note**

Title of address: "The Citizen's Opportunity and the Outdoor Recreation Resources Review"; LSR speaking as Chairman of National Outdoor Recreation Resources Review Commission.

Clement Cleveland Award, New York City Cancer Committee, 1959 May 6	box 2	folder 46
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**Scope and Contents note**

Outdoor Recreation Resources Review Commission.

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**Scope and Contents note**

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**Scope and Contents note**

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**Scope and Contents note**

Outdoor Recreation Resources Review Commission.

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**Scope and Contents note**

Outdoor Recreation Resources Review Commission.

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National Governors Conference, Report on ORRRC, 1960 June	box 2	folder 60

**Scope and Contents note**

Outdoor Recreation Resources Review Commission;  
 Title of address: "'Some Problems in Providing Outdoor  
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Connecticut College, Commencement Address, 1960 June 12	box 3	folder 61
Westinghouse Program, Introduction to "The Power of the Democratic Idea", 1960 September 12	box 3	folder 62

**Scope and Contents note**

LSR's introduction to last of six reports from a Rockefeller  
 Brothers Fund Special Studies Project.

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**Scope and Contents note**

Outdoor Recreation Resources Review Commission.

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**Scope and Contents note**

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<b>Title/Description</b>	<b>Instances</b>	
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**Scope and Contents note**

Panel Discussion on the Use of Leisure, 25th Anniversary Conference, "The Years of Challenge," Public Affairs Committee, Hotel Biltmore, New York.

State University College of Forestry, Syracuse University, 50th Anniversary Celebration Program, "Challenges in the Use of Forest Resources", 1961 April 13	box 3	folder 72
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**Scope and Contents note**

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**Scope and Contents note**

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Unveiling of Plaque in Memory of George W. Perkins, Palisades Interstate Park Commission, 1961 October 21	box 3	folder 76
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**Scope and Contents note**

Statement on Breezy Point Park Proposals, 1963 July 23;  
Statement on H.R. 1762, H.R. 1763 and H.R. 3541 before

the House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee, 1963  
February 12.

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Anderson-Bartlett Bill Amending New York State Constitution, State Council of Parks, 1962 March 2	box 3	folder 80
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**Scope and Contents note**

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Senate Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, Statement Urging Passage of S. 3117, ORRRC, 1962 May 10	box 3	folder 82
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**Scope and Contents note**

Outdoor Recreation Resources Review Commission;  
Statement in favor of S. 3117 creating a Bureau of  
Outdoor Recreation; folder contains prior speeches as  
background (1958-1962).

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White House Conference on Conservation, 1962 May 24	box 4	folder 83
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**Scope and Contents note**

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Administrator Weaver.

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Rockefeller Center, 20-Year Dinner, "Rockefeller Center, Thirty Years Young", 1962 June 6	box 4	folder 84
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**Scope and Contents note**

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House of Representatives Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, Subcommittee on National Parks, H.R. 11165, 1962 July 10	box 4	folder 88
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**Scope and Contents note**

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**Scope and Contents note**

Plaque containing JDR Jr.'s Credo.

Sloan House Dedication, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1962 September 11	box 4	folder 90
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**Scope and Contents note**

In memory of Irene Jackson Sloan.

**1963****Title/Description****Instances**

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Senate Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, Statement on S. 20, 1963 February 5	box 4	folder 93
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**Scope and Contents note**

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**Scope and Contents note**

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House of Representatives Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, Statement on H.R. 1762, H.R. 1763 and H.R. 3541, 1963 February 12	box 4	folder 95
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**Scope and Contents note**

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to carry out the functions which the [Outdoor Recreation Resources Review] Commission recommended."

Eighth Annual AFL-CIO National Conference on Community Services, Theme: The Shorter Work Week and the Constructive Use of Free Time", 1963 April 4	box 4	folder 96
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**Scope and Contents note**

LSR remarks entitled "Free Time and Outdoor Recreation."

National Council of State Garden Clubs, "Molding Our Environment for Modern Living", 1963 April 15	box 4	folder 97
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The Community Blood Council of Greater New York, Emergency Meeting, 1963 May 2	box 4	folder 98
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**Scope and Contents note**

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Palisades Interstate Park Commission Meeting, Report on Recent Legislation, 1963 May 15	box 4	folder 100
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House of Representatives Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, Subcommittee on National Parks, Statement on Land and Water Conservation Fund Bill, 1963 May 27	box 4	folder 101
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C. Walter Nichols Award, New York University Graduate School of Business Administration, 1963 June 3	box 4	folder 102
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**Scope and Contents note**

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New York Hilton Hotel Opening, Rockefeller Center, 1963 June 26	box 5	folder 104
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Breezy Point Park Proposals, New York City Parks, 1963 July 23	box 5	folder 105
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Robert Moses State Park Dedication, State Council of Parks, 1963 September 17	box 5	folder 106
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Parks for America Conference, 1963 September 26	box 5	folder 107
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**Scope and Contents note**

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Title of speech: "The New Horizons for Conservation and Outdoor Recreation." Additional copies of speech in Folder 127.		
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<b>Scope and Contents note</b>		
Title of speech: "The New Horizons for Conservation and Outdoor Recreation." Folder contains additional copies of speech. See also Folder 126.		
State Council of Parks, Federal Report, 1964 October 8	box 6	folder 128
YWCA (Young Women's Christian Association) National Board Meeting, Report on Conference on Outdoor Recreation and Conservation, 1964 October 28	box 6	folder 129
Squibb-Olin Senior Fellowship Luncheon, Olin Mathiesen Charitable Trust, 1964 November 10	box 6	folder 130
Capital Budget Hearing, Conservation and Parks, 1964 November 19	box 6	folder 131
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>		
LSR speaking as Chairman of State Council of Parks.		
Fort Lee Historical Park Commemoration, 1964 November 21	box 6	folder 132
Association of American Medical Colleges, Second Institute on Administration, 1964 December 6	box 6	folder 133

**Scope and Contents note**

Title of speech: "That the Parts May Truly Make a Whole:  
A Layman's View."

**1965**

<b>Title/Description</b>	<b>Instances</b>	
Statement on Re-Election as Chairman, State Council of Parks, 1965 January 8	box 7	folder 134
Conservation Award, Rod and Gun Editors Association of Metropolitan New York, 1965 February 25	box 7	folder 135
Consolidated Edison Plant at Storm King Mountain, Palisades Interstate Park Commission, 1965 March 9	box 7	folder 136
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>		
LSR statement regarding Federal Power Commission decision to build Consolidated Edison Plant at Storm King Mountain.		
Tocks Island National Recreation Area, House of Representatives Bill H.R. 89, 1965 April 27	box 7	folder 137
Dedication of Howard Laboratory, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1965 May 7	box 7	folder 138
National Press Club, Remarks on Natural Beauty, 1965 May 21	box 7	folder 139
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>		
Remarks to Press Club prior to White House Conference on Natural Beauty. See also Box 7, Folders 140 and 141.		
The White House Conference on Natural Beauty, Opening Session, 1965 May 24	box 7	folder 140
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>		
See also Box 7, Folders 139 and 141.		
The White House Conference on Natural Beauty, Report to the President, 1965 May 25	box 7	folder 141
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>		
See also Box 7, Folders 139 and 140.		
Twenty and Thirty Year Club, Rockefeller Center, 1965 June 7	box 7	folder 142
Rockland Lake Opening, Palisades Interstate Park Commission, 1965 June 15	box 7	folder 143
Fort Hamilton Parkway Playground Opening Ceremony, 1965 June 23	box 7	folder 144

**Scope and Contents note**

Ceremony marking the transfer of the Playground from the Triborough Bridge and Tunnel Authority to the Park Department of the City of New York.

Dedication of Mauna Kea Beach Hotel, Rockresorts, 1965 July 24	box 7	folder 145
National Council of State Garden Clubs and American Forestry Association Meeting, Opening Remarks, 1965 September 3	box 7	folder 146

**Scope and Contents note**

See also Box 7, Folder 147.

National Council of State Garden Clubs and American Forestry Association Banquet, Introduction of First Lady "Lady Bird" Johnson, 1965 September 7	box 7	folder 147
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**Scope and Contents note**

See also Box 7, Folder 146.

Transfer of Title of Iona Island, Palisades Interstate Park Commission, 1965 September 16	box 7	folder 148
Eastern Caribbean Conservation Conference, Governor's Reception, 1965 October 3	box 7	folder 148A
Visit of Princess Margaret and Lord Snowdon, Rockefeller Center, 1965 November 22	box 7	folder 149
70th Annual Congress of American Industry, National Association of Manufacturers, 1965 December 2	box 7	folder 150

**Scope and Contents note**

LSR's remarks entitled "Business and Beauty."

National Newcomen Dinner Honoring Eastern Air Lines, Inc., The Newcomen Society in North America, 1965 December 2	box 7	folder 151
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**Scope and Contents note**

Guest of honor, Floyd D. Hall, President and Chief Executive Officer of Eastern Air Lines, Inc.

National Recreation and Park Association, Trustees Meeting, 1965 December 4	box 7	folder 152
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**1966**

Title/Description	Instances	
State Council of Parks, Statement on Re-Election as Chairman, 1966 January 10	box 8	folder 153

Senate Committee on Commerce, Statement on S. 2507 and S. 2508, 1966 April 28	box 8	folder 154
President's Council on Recreation and Natural Beauty, Citizens Advisory Committee, Statement on Announcement, 1966 May 4	box 8	folder 155
Watts Branch Park, Washington, D.C., Opening, 1966 May 18	box 8	folder 156
National Recreation and Park Association, Trustees Meeting, 1966 May 21	box 8	folder 157
New Jersey Governor's Conference on Natural Beauty, 1966 June 1	box 8	folder 158
Twenty and Thirty Year Club, Rockefeller Center, 1966 June 6	box 8	folder 159
Gold Medal Presentation to Dr. Fairfield Osborn, New York Zoological Society, 1966 June 15	box 8	folder 160
Opening of Saratoga Performing Arts Center, 1966 July 9	box 8	folder 161
The Congress for Recreation and Parks, National Recreation and Park Association, 1966 October	box 8	folder 162

### Scope and Contents note

LSR speeches: Keynote address entitled "A Force for Good Cities," delivered October 10, 1966; Introduction of President Lyndon B. Johnson and Secretary of Commerce John T. Connor, delivered October 13, 1966.

Business and Professional Men's Association of Far Northeast, Award, 1966 October 27	box 8	folder 163
Texas Technological College, Honorary Doctor of Humanities Degree, 1966 November 1	box 8	folder 164
Keep America Beautiful, Inc., Special Award, 1966 November 10	box 8	folder 165
Association of Edison Illuminating Companies, Annual Meeting, 1966 November 30	box 8	folder 166

### Scope and Contents note

LSR address entitled "The Role of the Utility Industry in the Quality of Our Environment."

St. Thomas Chamber of Commerce, Acceptance of Plaque, 1966 December 3	box 8	folder 167
Dedication of Russell A. Firestone Radiation Therapy Center, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1966 December 7	box 8	folder 168
National Industrial Conference Board, Inc., Conference on "Preserving Our Environment: Management of Pollution", 1966 December 15	box 8	folder 169

**1967**

Title/Description	Instances	
National Industrial Conference Board, Harry Rand Correspondence, 1966-1967	box 9	folder 170
Presentation of Gift to Alfonso Valdes, Dorado Beach Golf and Tennis Club, Rockresorts, 1967 January 14	box 9	folder 171
The Camp Fire Club of America, Acceptance of Medal of Honor, 1967 January 19	box 9	folder 172
Hilo-Mainland Temporary Air Service, County of Hawaii, Rockresorts, 1967 January 26	box 9	folder 173
Natural Beauty and Recreation Congress, National Association of Counties, 1967 January 28	box 9	folder 174
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>  LSR speaking as Chairman of the President's Committee on Recreation and Natural Beauty		
Dedication of "The Birds" Sculpture, Mauna Kea Beach Hotel, Rockresorts, 1967 January 29	box 9	folder 175
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>  Sculpture by Bumpei Akaji; given as gift to Laurance and Mary Rockefeller		
White House Reception Honoring Citizens Advisory Committee on Recreation and Natural Beauty, 1967 February 18	box 9	folder 176
Governor's Second Annual Conference on Beautification and Planning, 1967 March 1	box 9	folder 177
"A Conservationist Speaks His Mind on Environment", 1967 March 20	box 9	folder 178
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>  Reprinted from March 20, 1967, issue of "Electrical World."		
Acceptance of Frances K. Hutchinson Medal, Garden Clubs of America Annual Banquet, 1967 March 31	box 9	folder 179
Statement on New Park Legislation, State Council of Parks Meeting, 1967 April 10	box 9	folder 180
International Congress on the Spiritual Values of Tourism, 1967 April 16	box 9	folder 181
Society for a More Beautiful National Capital, White House Luncheon, 1967 April 27	box 9	folder 182

**Scope and Contents note**

Luncheon given by Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson.

Salesman of the Year Award, Sales and Marketing Executives of Hilo, 1967 May 31	box 9	folder 183
Dedication of George Perkins Marsh Home as National Historic Landmark, Woodstock Foundation, 1967 June 11	box 9	folder 184
American Association of Nurserymen, Inc., Awards Program, 1967 October 18	box 9	folder 185
Chicago Club Speech to Businessmen, in Conjunction with Task Force on Electric Utilities, 1967 October 18	box 9	folder 186
Designation of Lyndhurst as Historic Landmark, New York State Historic Trust, 1967 October 24	box 9	folder 187
Agriculture Yearbook Publication Ceremony, "Outdoors USA", 1967 October 25	box 9	folder 188

**Scope and Contents note**

Speech prepared but not delivered - delayed arrival.

Adirondack Mountain Club, 1967 October 28	box 9	folder 189
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**Scope and Contents note**

LSR address entitled "The Adirondacks and the Future."

State Council of Parks and Outdoor Recreation, Budget Hearing, 1967 November 3	box 9	folder 190
Acceptance of Gold Medal Award, National Institute of Social Sciences, 1967 November 28	box 9	folder 191
National Recreation and Park Association Congress, 1967 December 4	box 9	folder 192

**1968****General note**

Box 10, Folder 206, also contains information for the calendar year 1969.

Title/Description	Instances	
New York Zoological Society Annual Members Meeting, 1968 January 9-10	box 9	folder 193
Class of 1932 Dinner, Princeton University, 1968 March 5	box 9	folder 194



## Scope and Contents note

LSR remarks entitled "Princeton and Co-Education."

Presentation of "Community Action for Natural Beauty" (First Copy) to Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson; Comment on Appointment of Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey as Chairman of the President's Council on Recreation and Natural Beauty, White House, 1968 March 29	box 9	folder 195
Building Completion Fund Meeting, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1968 April 24	box 9	folder 196
Hudson River Tour, Visit of Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson, 1968 May 17	box 9	folder 197

## Scope and Contents note

LSR introductions of Mayor John Lindsay, Mr. George Hartzog, and Mr. Fred Smith.

Society Annual Meeting, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1968 May 22	box 9	folder 198
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## Scope and Contents note

LSR speech entitled "The Third Era - A Re-dedication."

Joint Meeting of President's Council and Citizens' Advisory Committee on Recreation and Natural Beauty, 1968 June 21	box 9	folder 199
Acceptance of Honorary Membership, American Society of Landscape Architects 68th Annual Meeting, 1968 June 24	box 9	folder 200

## Scope and Contents note

LSR address entitled "The Quality of Our Environment - The Challenge to Landscape Architects."

Joint House-Senate Colloquium on Environmental Policy, 1968 July 17	box 9	folder 201
Opening of New Wing, Mauna Kea Beach Hotel, Rockresorts, 1968 September 21	box 9	folder 202
Palmer Square Tree Planting, Princeton University, 1968 September 27	box 9	folder 203

## Scope and Contents note

"Dedication of funds which would have otherwise been used for signs and billboards to the beautification of the town"; political candidates Foster Jacobs and Michael Erdman.

Receiving of Honorary Doctor of Laws Degree, University of Vermont, 1968 October 4	box 9	folder 204
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Professional Staff Dinner, Presentation of Medallion to Reginald G. Coombe, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1968 October 9	box 10	folder 205
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National Recreation and Park Association Presentation of Citation to Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson, White House, 1968 November 12, 1969 January	box 10	folder 206
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### Scope and Contents note

File also includes message from LSR for inclusion in book presented to President Lyndon B. Johnson, January 1969.

## 1969

### General note

Box 10, Folder 206, listed under "1968", also contains information regarding an event in 1969.

Title/Description	Instances	
Presentation of the Gold Medal to Dr. Harold J. Coolidge, New York Zoological Society Annual Meeting, 1969 January 8-9	box 10	folder 207
Plaza Hotel Dinner Honoring President and Mrs. Lyndon B. Johnson, 1969 January 13	box 10	folder 208

### Scope and Contents note

Folder contains only cover sheet with date and occasion noted. No comments/speech/tribute in folder.

Joint Legislative Fiscal Committee Review, Budget 1969-70, New York State Capitol, 1969 February 28	box 10	folder 209
Appeal for Upgrading Regional Managers, Civil Service Commission, 1969 April 8	box 10	folder 210

### Scope and Contents note

Appeal for reclassification of seven key management positions from the title and grade of regional manager, Grade 29, to the title and grade of regional director of parks and outdoor recreation, Grade 32.

Memorial Service for Eugene W. Kettering, Eulogy, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1969 April 21	box 10	folder 211
Huttleston Annual Award Presentations, State Council of Parks Meeting, 1969 May 12	box 10	folder 212

### Scope and Contents note

Leonard L. Huttleston Executive Award to A. K. Morgan;  
Leonard L. Huttleston Staff Award to Roger H. Gingrich.

Philipsburg Manor, Opening, 1969 May 21	box 10	folder 213
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Acceptance of Alfred P. Sloan, Jr. Memorial Award, American Cancer Society, 1969 June 4	box 10	folder 214
Dedication of Outpatient Building, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1969 September 16	box 10	folder 215
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>		
Speech entitled "The Role of Memorial in Today's Society."		
Fifth Avenue Association Award Presentation to Laurance S. Rockefeller, 1969 October 23	box 10	folder 216
Report to the President and the Environmental Quality Council, Citizens' Advisory Committee on Environmental Quality, 1969 November 20	box 10	folder 217
Dedication of Woodstock Inn, Vermont, Rockresorts, 1969 November 23	box 10	folder 218
Harlem River Park Project, Urban Development Corporation, 1969 December 8	box 10	folder 219

## 1970

### General note

Box 10, Folder 226, also contains information from the calendar year 1973.

Title/Description	Instances	
The President's Report, New York Zoological Society, 1970 February 3	box 10	folder 220
Sea Star, Launching and Christening, 1970 March 23	box 10	folder 221
Earth Day Teach-In, Princeton University, 1970 April 21-22	box 10	folder 222
Acceptance of Building Fund Contribution, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1970 May 20	box 10	folder 223
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>		
LSR remarks on accepting contribution from the Memorial Society for the Building Fund.		
Dedication of Hudson Highlands State Park, State Council of Parks and Outdoor Recreation, 1970 May 23	box 10	folder 224
Outdoor Recreationist of the Year Award to Laurance S. Rockefeller, New York State Conservation Council, 1970 September 25	box 10	folder 225
State Dinner Honoring Laurance S. Rockefeller; State Dinner Honoring Mrs. W. Vincent (Brooke) Astor, Lotus Club, 1970 November 18; 1973 November 15	box 10	folder 226

Report to the Trustees, Highlights of the Past Year, New York Zoological Society, 1970 December 10	box 10	folder 227
<b>1971</b>		
Title/Description	Instances	
New York Zoological Society Annual Meeting, 1971 January 19	box 10	folder 228
Statement to National Industrial Pollution Control Council, 1971 February 10	box 10	folder 229
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>		
LSR speaking as Chairman, Citizens' Advisory Committee on Environmental Quality.		
Dinner Remarks Preceding the First Fairfield Osborn Memorial Lecture, Rockefeller University, 1971 March 23	box 10	folder 230
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>		
Lecture series by New York Zoological Society, The Conservation Foundation, and The Rockefeller University.		
"World of Birds" Party Given by Mrs. Lila Wallace, New York Zoological Society, 1971 April 2	box 10	folder 231
Group Affiliates Citations Night, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1971 April 21	box 10	folder 232
Richard D. Vanderwarker Memorial Service, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1971 May 12	box 11	folder 233
Dedication of A. K. Morgan Overlook Lodge, Palisades Interstate Park Commission, 1971 May 17	box 11	folder 234
Society Annual Meeting, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1971 May 19	box 11	folder 235
Memorial Service for Dr. Connie Guion, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1971 May 25	box 11	folder 236
Alumni College Program, Princeton University, 1971 June 7	box 11	folder 237
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>		
LSR address entitled: "The Environmental Movement -- Where Does It Go From Here?"		
Alfred P. Sloan, Jr., Memorial Award Presentation to Mrs. Albert D. Lasker, American Cancer Society, 1971 June 9	box 11	folder 238
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>		
LSR remarks as Dinner Chairman.		
Advisory Council, Philosophy Department, Princeton University, 1971 September 17	box 11	folder 239

**Scope and Contents note**

Excerpts from "Take Off From Within" by Ervin Seale for LSR talk.

Dedication of Three National Recreation Trails, Palisades Interstate Park System, 1971 September 28	box 11	folder 240
Greenacre Park Opening, 1971 October 14	box 11	folder 241

**Scope and Contents note**

Remarks by LSR and Mrs. Jean (Babs) Mauzé.

Acceptance of National Award, American Cancer Society, 1971 November 5	box 11	folder 242
Statewide Parks Advisory Committee, 1971 November 15	box 11	folder 243
Second Annual Bear Mountain Christmas Festival, Palisades Interstate Park Commission, 1971 December 10	box 11	folder 244

**1972**

Title/Description	Instances	
Acceptance of Charles Evans Hughes Award, Riverside Church, 1972 April 17	box 11	folder 245
Dedication of Colter Bay Indian Arts Museum, Grand Teton National Park, 1972 June 29	box 11	folder 246

**Scope and Contents note**

Collection owned by, and Museum built with assistance of, Jackson Hole Preserve, Incorporated.

Tenth Reunion, Outdoor Recreation Resources Review Commission, 1972 July 26	box 11	folder 247
Dedication of The John D. Rockefeller Jr. Memorial Parkway, Grand Teton National Park, 1972 September 18	box 11	folder 248

**Scope and Contents note**

Jackson Hole Preserve, Inc.

Kawaihae Village Dedication, Puukohola National Historic Site Dedication, Rockresorts, 1972 November 4	box 11	folder 249
Trustees Meeting, Resignation of David Hunter McAlpin, New York Zoological Society, 1972 December 5	box 11	folder 250
Alfred Jacobsen Outpatient Building, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1972 December 19	box 11	folder 251

**Scope and Contents note**

Renaming of outpatient facility in Alfred Jacobsen's honor.

**1973****General note**

Box 10, Folder 226, listed under "1970", also contains information from the calendar year 1973.

<b>Title/Description</b>	<b>Instances</b>	
Four Hundred Third Meeting, Resignation as Chairman, State Council of Parks and Recreation, 1973 January 29	box 11	folder 252
L. L. Huttleston Executive Award, Presentation to Joseph Williams, Palisades Interstate Park Commission, 1973 May 14	box 11	folder 253
Task Force on Land Use and Urban Growth, Conference on Task Force Report, Citizens' Advisory Committee on Environmental Quality, 1973 May 24	box 11	folder 254
Alfred P. Sloan Jr., Memorial Award Presentation to Mr. Elmer Bobst, American Cancer Society, 1973 June 5	box 11	folder 255
Dedication of New Hospital, Staff and Public Ceremonies, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1973 November 13 and 14	box 12	folder 256
Introduction of Mrs. Brooke Astor, Lotus Club State Dinner, 1973 November 15	box 12	folder 257
Dedication of Spelman Halls, Princeton University, 1973 November 17	box 12	folder 258
"The Rockefellers," CBS Reports with Television News Correspondent Walter Cronkite, 1973 December 28	box 12	folder 259

**1974**

<b>Title/Description</b>	<b>Instances</b>	
Presentation of Vera Award to Jane Goodall, New York Zoological Society, 1974 April 30	box 12	folder 260
Welcome and Presentation of Volunteer Club Awards, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1974 May 14	box 12	folder 261
Acceptance of Dodge Medallion Award, YMCA, 1974 June 5	box 12	folder 262

**Scope and Contents note**

Award presented jointly to Mary and Laurance Rockefeller.

Luncheon Honoring Dr. Frank E. Adair, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1974 June 26	box 12	folder 263
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Fund Raising Reception and Dinner, Lyndon Baines Johnson Memorial Grove, 1974 September 6 and 7	box 12	folder 264
Fiftieth Anniversary Dinner Honoring Robert Moses and Laurance Rockefeller, State Council of Parks and Recreation, 1974 September 22	box 12	folder 265
Ground Breaking Ceremony, Lyndon Baines Johnson Memorial Grove, 1974 September 27	box 12	folder 266
Fund Raising Luncheon, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1974 November 7	box 12	folder 267
Twenty Year Club First Annual Dinner, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1974 November 12	box 12	folder 268
Statement Regarding Nelson Rockefeller's Nomination as Vice President, Senate Committee on Rules and Administration, 1974 November 15	box 12	folder 269
Dedication of Charles I. and Lavinia M. Henry Memorial, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1974 November 19	box 12	folder 270

### Scope and Contents note

Dedication of the 12th floor as a gift from Mrs. Harriet Henry de Steuch, daughter of Charles I. and Lavinia M. Henry.

Statement Regarding Nelson Rockefeller's Nomination as Vice President, Committee on the Judiciary, House of Representatives, 1974 December 4	box 12	folder 271
Office Christmas Party, Room 5600, 1974 December 19	box 12	folder 272

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## 1975

Title/Description	Instances	
Press Briefing, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1975 March 19	box 12	folder 273
Acceptance of Award, 75th Anniversary Celebration, United Neighborhood Houses, 1975 June 3	box 12	folder 274

**Scope and Contents note**

Award accepted "on behalf of the Rockefeller Brothers Fund and my family."

Dedication of Charles A. Lindbergh Bust, International Building, Rockefeller Center, 1975 August 13	box 12	folder 275
25th Anniversary Ceremonies Marking Expansion of Grand Teton National Park, 1975 September 7	box 12	folder 276
Welcoming Remarks to King Olav V of Norway, 1975 October 2	box 13	folder 277
Awards Dinner, Cancer Research Institute, 1975 October 20	box 13	folder 278
Mrs. Rockefeller's Introduction of Dr. John H. Knowles, Off-the-Record Luncheon, Foreign Policy Association, 1975 November 19	box 13	folder 279

**1976**

Title/Description	Instances	
Official Opening, Lyndon B. Johnson Memorial Grove, 1976 April 6	box 13	folder 280

**Scope and Contents note**

LSR speech entitled "The Grove Concept and Its Fulfillment."

Supporters Luncheon, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1976 April 29	box 13	folder 281
Volunteer Recognition Ceremony, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1976 May 13	box 13	folder 282
Fort Lee Historic Park Dedication Ceremonies, Palisades Interstate Park Commission, 1976 May 15	box 13	folder 283
Retirement of David W. Walsh, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1976 June 15	box 13	folder 284

**Scope and Contents note**

David W. Walsh, former Acting President and Executive Vice President of MSKCC.

Dedication of Indian Art Traveling Exhibit, "Indian Pride on the Move," National Park Service, 1976 July 12	box 13	folder 285
Dedication of the Lila Acheson and DeWitt Wallace Children's Pavilion, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1976 September 21	box 13	folder 286
Cultivation Luncheon, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1976 October 6	box 13	folder 287



Presentation of President Lyndon B. Johnson Portrait, Southwest Texas State University, 1976 October 29	box 13	folder 288
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## 1977

### General note

Folder 296, Box 14, listed under "1978".

Title/Description	Instances	
The Unfinished Environmental Agenda: A Symposium, 1977 February 2	box 13	folder 289
Alaska Project, National Park Foundation, 1977 February 8	box 13	folder 290
Cultivation Luncheon, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1977 March 16	box 13	folder 291
Dedication of Percy L. Douglas Visitor's Lounge, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1977 March 29	box 13	folder 292
Dinner, Edward J. Beattie, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1977 May	box 13	folder 293
Firestone Plaza Dedication, Princeton University, 1977 May 8	box 14	folder 294
Firestone Plaza Dedication, Princeton University, 1977 May 8	box 14	folder 295
Volunteer Recognition and Awards Ceremony, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1977 May 17	box 14	folder 297
Rosemary Hall Alumnae Award to Mrs. Laurance S. Rockefeller; YWCA Surprise Tribute for Mrs. Laurance S. Rockefeller, 1977 May 14 and 18	box 14	folder 298
Dedication of Arnold and Marie Schwartz International Hall of Science, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1977 May 26	box 14	folder 299
Acceptance of 1977 Distinguished Achievement Award, Wings Club, 1977 October 11	box 14	folder 300
Background Material for October 11 Speech, Wings Club, 1977	box 14	folder 301
Ribbon-Cutting Ceremony, Bridge-Parking Area, Lyndon B. Johnson Memorial Grove, 1977 October 12	box 15	folder 302
45th Wedding Anniversary of Mr. & Mrs. John D. Rockefeller 3rd, Rockefeller Family, 1977 November 11	box 15	folder 303
Dedication of Abby Rockefeller Mauzé Pavilion, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1977 November 30	box 15	folder 304
Memorial Service for Dr. George Cotzias, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1977 December 14	box 15	folder 305

## 1978

Title/Description	Instances	
Volunteer Recognition and Awards Program, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1978 May 16	box 14	folder 296
<b>General note</b>		
Folder 296, Box 14, was mistakenly placed out of date order in the original finding aid. Although listed among "1977" speeches, it belongs in "1978" and has been listed as such in AT.		
Gene W. Setzer, Appreciation for 25 Years of Service, 1978 April 15	box 15	folder 306
Twenty Year Club Fourth Annual Dinner, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1978 April 18	box 15	folder 307
Gold Medal Award Dinner and Presentation to Mrs. Brooke Astor, New York Zoological Society, 1978 April 27	box 15	folder 308
Dedication of Leonard Parker Pool Floor (14th Floor), Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1978 May 2	box 15	folder 309
Capital Fund Campaign Honoring Brooke Astor, New York Public Library, 1978 May 18	box 15	folder 310
Nelson A. Rockefeller's 70th Birthday Toast, Rockefeller Family, 1978 May 27	box 15	folder 311
Dedication and Opening of the Charles A. Dana Transplantation Unit, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1978 June 20	box 15	folder 311A
Memorial Service for Elmer Holmes Bobst, New York University, 1978 September 13	box 16	folder 312
Chairmen and Presidents Luncheon, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1978 October 3	box 16	folder 313
Acceptance of Distinguished Service Award, United Hospital Fund of New York, 1978 October 9	box 16	folder 314
Animal Kingdom Fund Luncheon, New York Zoological Society, 1978 October 12	box 16	folder 315
<b>1979</b>		
Title/Description	Instances	
Testimonial Dinner for Nash Castro, Palisades Interstate Park Commission, 1979 January 11	box 16	folder 316
Dedication of William Paul Hoffmann Auditorium, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1979 April 10	box 16	folder 317
Farewell Reception for Charles Forbes, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1979 May 14	box 16	folder 318
Twenty Year Club Fifth Annual Dinner, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1979 May 17	box 16	folder 319

Luncheon Sponsored by Alcoa, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1979 May 18	box 16	folder 320
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>		
Luncheon held at Duquesne Club, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.		
Japanese Businessmen Cultivation Luncheon, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1979 May 21	box 16	folder 321
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>		
Remarks by Mr. Laurance S. Rockefeller and Mr. Yuichi Katoh of Tokyo, Japan, Senior Vice President, American Express International Bank Corporation.		
Sixth Annual Volunteer Recognition Ceremony, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1979 May 22	box 16	folder 322
Animal Kingdom Fund Luncheon, New York Zoological Society, 1979 May 23	box 17	folder 323
Henry A. Kissinger Birthday Celebration, 1979 May 26	box 17	folder 324
Luncheon Sponsored by Xerox Corporation, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1979 June 27	box 17	folder 325
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>		
Luncheon held at Xerox Headquarters, Stamford, Connecticut.		
Presentation of Chair to Mrs. Virginia Kettering Kampf, Board of Overseers, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1979 July 17	box 17	folder 326
Sinatra at the Met Luncheon, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1979 July 19	box 17	folder 327
Dedication of the Nelson A. Rockefeller Academic Center at the New York College of Osteopathic Medicine, New York Institute of Technology, 1979 September 19	box 17	folder 328
Dedication of the Joseph Mullen Floor, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1979 October 10	box 17	folder 329
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>		
The 10th floor of the Howard Research Laboratory was named the Joseph Mullen Floor.		
Comments on Buddhism at Executive Committee, Rockefeller Brothers Fund, 1979 October 31	box 17	folder 330
Tribute to the Memory of Arnold Schwartz, Arnold and Marie Schwartz College of Pharmacy and Health Sciences of Long Island University, 1979 December 12	box 17	folder 331

Chairmen and Presidents Corporate Development Luncheon, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1979 December 10	box 18	folder 332
Christmas Party, Room 5600, 1979 December 11	box 18	folder 333

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**1980**

Title/Description	Instances	
Academic Convocation, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1980 March 19	box 18	folder 334

**Scope and Contents note**

Recognition of the donors of Chairs: Mrs. Brooke Astor, Mrs. Enid Haupt, Mrs. Virginia Kettering Kampf, and Mrs. Lila Wallace.

Dedication of Louise Nevelson Laboratory of Cancer Immunobiology, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1980 April 8	box 18	folder 335
Gift of Land to Princeton University, 1980 April 19	box 18	folder 336
Volunteers Recognition Awards Ceremony, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1980 April 23	box 18	folder 337
Frank Sinatra at 834 Fifth Avenue, Toast, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1980 April 29	box 18	folder 338
Spelman College Commencement, 1980 May 11	box 18	folder 339

**Scope and Contents note**

Includes Mrs. Laurance Rockefeller's acceptance of honorary degree during commencement, Laurance Rockefeller's remarks at Sunday night buffet, and Mrs. Laurance Rockefeller's remarks at Sunday night buffet.

Twenty-Year Club Sixth Annual Dinner, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1980 May 22	box 18	folder 340
Dedication of Harrison-Quinn Floor, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1980 May 29	box 18	folder 341

**Scope and Contents note**

Dorothy Thompson Harrison and Martin J. Quinn, Jr.,  
Floor is seventh floor of the International Hall of Science  
for Cancer Research.

Farewell Dinner, Princeton University Board of Trustees, 1980 June 9	box 18	folder 342
Retirement of Dr. C. Chester Stock, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1980 June 26	box 18	folder 343
Andrew Heiskell Retirement Dinner, Toast, 1980 September 17	box 18	folder 344

**Scope and Contents note**

Andrew Heiskell's retirement as Chairman of the Board of  
Time Inc. Dinner held at the New York Public Library.

Welcome and Presentation to HRH Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh, New York Zoological Society Dinner, 1980 October 1	box 18	folder 345
Frank Sinatra Luncheon Remarks, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1980 October 2	box 18	folder 346

**Scope and Contents note**

Remarks regarding upcoming Frank Sinatra benefit  
concert at Radio City Music Hall, January 1981.

Hugh Morrow Retirement Meeting with Nelson A. Rockefeller Executors, Room 5600, 1980 October 6	box 18	folder 347
Annual Appeal Luncheon, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1980 October 15	box 18	folder 348
Dedication of Elmer and Mamdouha Bobst Medical Sciences Building, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1980 October 22	box 18	folder 349
Ground Breaking Ceremony, Mauna Lani Resort Hotel, 1980 October 28	box 19	folder 350
Alcoholism Meeting at 834 Fifth Avenue, Remarks, 1980 November 20	box 19	folder 351
Sinatra Dinner, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1980 December 5	box 19	folder 352

**General note**

Folder is missing as of July 11, 2012.

Presentation of Harold Willis Dodds Achievement Award, Class Day 1980, Princeton University; Launching of Princeton Campaign, Princeton University, 1980 June 9 and December 8	box 19	folder 353
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**Scope and Contents note**

Harold Willis Dodds Achievement Award given to Robert Mason Thomas, Jr.; Princeton campaign launching includes introduction of William G. Bowen and birthday toast to Dr. Harold Helm

Installation of Dr. Paul A. Marks as President, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1980 December 2	box 19	folder 354
Fund Raising Visit to Tokyo, Japan, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1980 December 18	box 19	folder 355
<b>1981</b>		
<b>Title/Description</b>	<b>Instances</b>	
Sinatra Benefit, Radio City Music Hall, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Institute, 1981, January 10	box 19	folder 356
Acceptance of Honorary Membership, Wings Club, 1981 January 14	box 19	folder 357
Rededication of The Lee Coombe Memorial Library, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1981 February 3	box 19	folder 358
Acceptance of "New Yorker for New York" Award, The Citizens Committee for New York City, 1981 February 11	box 19	folder 359
Ruth Woodward Visiting Professorship Dinner, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1981 March 11	box 19	folder 360
Volunteers Recognition Ceremony and Awards, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1981 April 29	box 19	folder 361
Air Shuttle Service 20th Anniversary, Eastern Air Lines, 1981 May 1	box 19	folder 362
Acceptance of James Ewing Layman's Award, Society of Surgical Oncology, 1981 May 12	box 19	folder 363
Twenty Year Club Seventh Annual Dinner, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1981 May 19	box 19	folder 364
Bob Hope Golf Outing, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1981 June 2	box 19	folder 365
Corporate Cultivation Luncheon, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1981 June 4	box 20	folder 366
Retirement Dinner Honoring J. Richardson Dilworth, Room 5600, 1981 June	box 20	folder 367
Governor Winthrop Rockefeller Service at Pocantico, 1981 June 13	box 20	folder 368
Presentation of John D. Rockefeller Jr. Memorial Scholarship to Philip David Fink, 1981 June 14	box 20	folder 369

Sinatra Dinner Toast, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1981 July 9	box 20	folder 370
Acceptance of World Mercy Fund's Primum Vivere Award by Mrs. Laurance S. Rockefeller, 1981 September 25	box 20	folder 371
Annual Appeal Kickoff, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1981 September 30	box 20	folder 372
Wayfarer Ketch Dinner Honoring Retirement of Jack Fles and Randy Carpenter, Room 5600, 1981 October 2	box 20	folder 373
Dedication of Expanded Outpatient Facilities, James T. Murray Children's Pavilion, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1981 October 5	box 20	folder 374
Dinner Given by Ambassador and Mrs. Futscher-Pereira of Portugal, Inauguration of Meissen Swan Dinner Service from Nelson Rockefeller's Collection, 1981 October 7	box 20	folder 375
Unveiling of Plaque Honoring Laurance S. Rockefeller, Rockefeller Outlook, Palisades Interstate Park Commission, 1981 October 24	box 20	folder 376
Sinatra Benefit Corporate Luncheon, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1981 October 29	box 20	folder 377
Reception and Dinner Honoring King and Queen of Sweden at Rockefeller University, 1981 November 19	box 20	folder 378

### Scope and Contents note

LSR remarks regarding Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center.

## 1982

Title/Description	Instances	
Sinatra Benefit at Radio City Music Hall, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1982 January 24	box 21	folder 379
<b>Scope and Contents note</b> Artists included Frank Sinatra, Luciano Pavarotti, and George Shearing.		
Cocktail Party Honoring Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sinatra at 834 Fifth Avenue, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1982 February 1	box 21	folder 380
Retirement as Chairman of Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center's Governing Board, 1982 March 24	box 21	folder 381
Birthday Toast to Brooke Astor, 1982 March 30	box 21	folder 382
American Cancer Society Reception and Dinner Honoring "Dynamic Duos" (Laurance Rockefeller and Mary Lasker), 1982 May 17	box 21	folder 383

Toast to United Nations Secretary General Javier Perez de Cuellar, 1982 April 26	box 21	folder 384
Princeton University Faculty-Alumni Forum, "Can the Private Sector Enlarge Its Support of Nonprofit Concerns?", 1982 June 5	box 21	folder 385
Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center Award for Outstanding Support of Biomedical Science Presented to Laurance S. Rockefeller, 1982 May 17	box 21	folder 386
Cornell University Medical College Board of Overseers Meeting, 1982 May 19	box 21	folder 387
Dana S. Creel's 70th Birthday Party, Room 5600, 1982 May 24	box 21	folder 388
Retirement from The Alfred P. Sloan Foundation Board, 1982 June 15	box 21	folder 389
General Motors Cancer Research Foundation's Fourth Annual Awards Dinner, 1982 June 16	box 21	folder 390

### Scope and Contents note

LSR served as Master of Ceremonies.

Press Conference on Proposed State Park (Rockefeller State Park Preserve), 1982 July 28	box 21	folder 391
Council of State Governments' Eastern Regional Conference, 1982 August 10	box 21	folder 392

### Scope and Contents note

Conference held at Kykuit.

International Center for the Disabled Communications Awards Dinner, 1982 October 20	box 21	folder 393
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### Scope and Contents note

1982 Communications Awards Dinner Honorees:  
Clifton C. Garvin, Jr., Exxon Corporation; Laurance S. Rockefeller; and Danny Kaye.

Introduction of Mr. Douglas Dillon, Recipient of Voice Foundation VERA Award of Achievement, 1982 November 16	box 22	folder 394
Fund Raising Luncheon, New York Zoological Society, 1982 November 16	box 22	folder 395
Christmas Party and Celebration of 100th Anniversary of Family Office, Room 5600, 1982 December 17	box 22	folder 396

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## 1983

Title/Description	Instances	
Memorial Service for Nancy Hanks, Reading from Ecclesiasticus, 1983 January 18	box 22	folder 397
Opening of Mauna Lani Bay Hotel, Rockresorts, 1983 February 14	box 22	folder 398
Group Affiliates Citation Night, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1983 April 13	box 22	folder 399
Acceptance of Ira Allen Award, University of Vermont, 1983 April 22	box 22	folder 400
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>  Ira Allen Award presented to Mr. and Mrs. Laurance S. Rockefeller.		
Introduction of Dr. Paul Marks, University Club Luncheon, 1983 May 3	box 22	folder 401
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>  Dr. Paul Marks - President and Chief Executive Officer of Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center.		
Acceptance of Honorary Doctorate of Humane Letters, Marymount College, 1983 May 22	box 22	folder 401A
New York Blood Center Cruise, 1983 May 25	box 23	folder 402
New York University, Response Prepared for Milton Petrie Upon Receiving Honorary Degree, 1983 June 21	box 23	folder 403
Opening of Hudson River Situation Room, Hudson River Project, 1983 June 9	box 23	folder 404
Opening of Billings Farm and Museum, Woodstock Foundation, 1983 June 15	box 23	folder 405
Rockefeller Family Reunion, 1983 August 5	box 23	folder 406
Acceptance of Merit Award and Plaque, New York State Park and Recreation Society, 1983 June 28	box 23	folder 407

**Scope and Contents note**

Presentation of bronze plaque took place in front of Bear Mountain Inn.

News Release: Establishment of the Laurance S. Rockefeller Professorship in Philosophy at Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1983 September 2	box 23	folder 408
S. 1090 to Establish a National Outdoor Recreation Resources Review Commission, Testimony Before the Senate Committee on Energy and Natural Resources, 1983 September 23	box 23	folder 409
Dedication of the Nelson A. Rockefeller Center for the Social Sciences, Dinner, Dartmouth College, 1983 September 23-24	box 23	folder 410
Dedication of the Nelson A. Rockefeller Center for Social Sciences, Dartmouth College, Background Notes, 1983 September 23-24	box 23	folder 411
Dedication of the Nelson A. Rockefeller Center for Social Sciences, Dartmouth College, 1983 September	box 23	folder 411A

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"A Campaign for Princeton" Reception at Asia House, Princeton University, 1983 September 26	box 24	folder 412
YWCA Fund for the Future/125th Anniversary, Reception, 1983 September 29	box 24	folder 413

**Scope and Contents note**

Mrs. Laurance S. (Mary F.) Rockefeller was National Honorary Chairperson for the Fund for the Future national capital campaign.

"A Campaign for Princeton" Luncheon in Woodstock, VT, Princeton University, 1983 October 2	box 24	folder 414
Dedication of John D. Rockefeller 3rd College at Princeton University, 1983 October 16	box 24	folder 415
Dedication of John D. Rockefeller 3rd College at Princeton University, 1983 October 16	box 24	folder 416
Dedication of John D. Rockefeller 3rd College at Princeton University, 1983 October 16	box 24	folder 416A

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Presentation of Abby Aldrich Rockefeller Portrait, Rockefeller University, 1983 October 17	box 25	folder 417
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**Scope and Contents note**

Portrait in Abby Aldrich Rockefeller Hall.

Elmer Holmes Bobst Library 10th Anniversary Dinner, New York University, 1983 October 25	box 25	folder 418
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**Scope and Contents note**

Evening also included the inauguration of the Elmer Holmes Bobst Awards in Arts and Letters.

"Tune In New York," First Annual Volunteer Awards Dinner Honoring John D. Rockefeller IV, 1983 November 9	box 25	folder 419
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Retirement of Dr. Lewis Thomas, Chancellor, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1983 November 14	box 25	folder 420
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Sinatra Benefit Kickoff Luncheon, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1983 November 29	box 25	folder 421
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Rockefeller family: Christmas Party: Family Spirit, 1983 December 16	box 25	folder 422
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**1984****General note**

Folder 432, Box 26, listed under "1985". Event date: 1985 June 4.

**Title/Description****Instances**

Statement to U. S. House of Representatives in Support of the Awarding of a Gold Medal to Lady Bird Johnson, 1984 March 6	box 25	folder 423
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## Scope and Contents note

Resolution H.J.Res. 394, Joint Resolution "to provide for the awarding of a gold medal to Lady Bird Johnson in recognition of her humanitarian efforts and outstanding contributions to the improvement and beautification of America".

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Corporate Night, The Mirror Theatre, 1984 March 22	box 25	folder 424
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## Scope and Contents note

Remarks also thank Sabra Jones and mention her birthday.

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"The Land, the City and the Human Spirit," Symposium Sponsored by the University of Texas at Austin, 1984 April 12	box 25	folder 425
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## Scope and Contents note

Full title of symposium: "The Land, the City and the Human Spirit: America the Beautiful - An Assessment."  
See also Folder 426.

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"The Land, the City and the Human Spirit," Symposium Sponsored by the University of Texas at Austin, 1984 April 12	box 25	folder 426
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## Scope and Contents note

Full title of symposium: "The Land, the City and the Human Spirit: America the Beautiful - An Assessment."  
See also Folder 425.

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Kickoff Luncheon for Annual Appeal, Society of Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1984 April 25	box 26	folder 427
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Statement in Support of H.R. 2837 and S. 1090 to Establish a National Outdoor Recreation Resources Review Committee, 1984 April 26	box 26	folder 428
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## Scope and Contents note

Statement made before United States House of Representatives, Subcommittee on Public Lands and National Parks, Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs.

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Centennial Salutation, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1984 May 17	box 26	folder 429
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Declination of Interview Request Regarding Staff Changes at Reader's Digest, 1984 May 21	box 26	folder 430
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## Scope and Contents note

Request for interview came from Miriam Lacob of the Columbia Journalism Review.

Henry Kissinger-Osteopathy Luncheon, New York College of Osteopathic Medicine, 1984 May 30	box 26	folder 431
Toast to Governor John D. Rockefeller IV, Candidate for U.S. Senate, 1984 June 10	box 26	folder 433

## Scope and Contents note

Fundraising event held at Kykuit.

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Groundbreaking Ceremony for Nathan Cummings Center, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1984 June 13	box 26	folder 434
Dedication of the Jack K. Lazar Admissions Center, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1984 June 20	box 26	folder 435
Retirement Tribute to Dr. Marguerite P. Sykes, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1984 June 21	box 26	folder 436
Establishment of Abby Rockefeller Mauzé Professorship, New York Hospital-Cornell Medical Center, 1984 July 19	box 26	folder 437
25 Years Service Awards, Wayfarer Ketch Corporation, 1984 September 21	box 26	folder 438

## Scope and Contents note

Awards to Mal Doak, Frank Collins, and Leonard Kilinski.

Acceptance of the Degree Juris Doctor Honoris Causus, Vermont Law School, 1984 September 28-29	box 26	folder 439
Family Christmas Party, Toast to David Rockefeller, 1984 December 16	box 26	folder 440

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## 1985

Title/Description	Instances	
Welcome of Jeanne Thayer as Chairman, Sleepy Hollow Restorations, 1985 June 4	box 26	folder 432
<b>General note</b>		
Folder 432, Box 26, was mistakenly placed out of date order in the original finding aid. Although listed among "1984" speeches, it belongs in "1985" and has been listed as such in AT.		
New York Zoological Society Annual Meeting, 1985 February 6	box 27	folder 441
JungleWorld Dedication, New York Zoological Society, 1985 June 21	box 27	folder 442
Unveiling of Lewis Thomas Portrait, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1985 February 13	box 27	folder 443
Fund Appeal Letters on Behalf of Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1985 April 16-22	box 27	folder 444
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>		
Letters to David Roderick, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, U. S. Steel Corporation, and Lee Iacocca, Chairman and Chief Executive Officer, Chrysler Corporation.		
Fund Appeal Letter on Behalf of Sleepy Hollow Restorations, 1985 April 17	box 27	folder 445
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>		
Draft of letter to John Ackers, President of IBM Corporation.		
Mary Lasker Testimonial Dinner, National Center for Health Education, 1985 May 16	box 27	folder 446
"The Night of the Wildflowers," National Wildflower Research Center Benefit, 1985 May 22	box 27	folder 447
25-Year Tribute, Charles Browand, Room 5600, 1985 May 29	box 27	folder 448
Academic Convocation, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1985 May 30	box 27	folder 449
Academic Convocation, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1985 May 30	box 27	folder 450

**Scope and Contents note**

Folder contains research material.

Tribute to Jeanne Thayer, Sleepy Hollow Restorations, 1985 June 4	box 27	folder 451
Dedication of the DeWitt Wallace Decorative Arts Gallery, Colonial Williamsburg, 1985 June 8	box 28	folder 452
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>		
See also Folder 453.		
Dedication of the DeWitt Wallace Decorative Arts Gallery, Colonial Williamsburg, 1985 June 8	box 28	folder 453
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>		
See also Folder 452.		
Twenty Year Club, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1985 June 19	box 28	folder 454
Groundbreaking Ceremony, Research Scholar's Residence, Rockefeller University/Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1985 June 21	box 28	folder 455
Tribute to Nancy Hanks, Duke University, 1985 July 23	box 28	folder 456
25-Year Tribute, Peter Crisp, Room 5600, 1985 July 30	box 28	folder 457
Dedication of John Mayer Parlor, Woodstock Historical Society, 1985 August 10	box 28	folder 458
Announcement of the Rockefeller Research Laboratories, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1985 August 13	box 28	folder 459
First Meeting of President's Commission on Americans Outdoors, 1985 September 13	box 28	folder 460
National Campaign Committee Meeting, Princeton University, 1985 September 27	box 28	folder 461
Venrock Company Chief Executive Officers, Room 5600, 1985 October 1	box 28	folder 462
Dedication of Magnetic Resonance Imaging Unit and Endowment of the Carroll and Milton Petrie Chair in Diagnostic Imaging, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1985 October 7	box 28	folder 463
Dedication of Nathan Cummings Center, Memorial Sloan- Kettering Cancer Center, 1985 October 11	box 28	folder 464
Sinatra '86 Kickoff Luncheon, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1985 December 2	box 28	folder 465
Acceptance of New York Zoological Society Gold Medal, 1985 December 10	box 28	folder 466

**Scope and Contents note**

Medal commemorated 50 years as a Trustee of the New York Zoological Society.

**1986**

<b>Title/Description</b>	<b>Instances</b>	
National Council on Alcoholism, 1986 January 23	box 29	folder 467
Julia Parmly Billings Apse, University of Vermont, 1986 April 17	box 29	folder 468
Dedication of Lewis Thomas Laboratory, Princeton University, 1986 April 18	box 29	folder 469
Dedication of Rockefeller State Park Preserve, Pocantico Hills, 1986 May 2	box 29	folder 470
First Meeting, Central Park Perimeter Association, 1986 May 20	box 29	folder 471
Seventh Annual Academic Convocation, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1986 May 28	box 29	folder 472
Ground Breaking Ceremony, Rockefeller Research Laboratories, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1986 June 24	box 29	folder 473
Toast to President Ronald Reagan, Dinner at Pocantico, 1986 July 4	box 29	folder 474

**Scope and Contents note**

Visit coincided with the 100th anniversary of the Statue of Liberty and its relighting.

Signing of the 1986 Environmental Bond Issue, 1986 July 23	box 29	folder 475
Memorial Raffle Kickoff, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1986 September 18	box 29	folder 476
Highway Beautification Act, Correspondence, 1986 September 18	box 30	folder 477
Acceptance of Top Dog Award, The Animal Medical Center, 1986 November 11	box 30	folder 478
Saint Nicholas Dinner Dance, Sleepy Hollow Restorations, 1986 December 6	box 30	folder 479

**1987**

<b>Title/Description</b>	<b>Instances</b>	
Tribute to Benno Schmidt, Academic Convocation, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1987 May 26	box 30	folder 480



Service of Remembrance, Class of 1932, Princeton University, 1987 June 5	box 30	folder 481
Thoughts for Talk with California Associates, 1987 June 5	box 30	folder 482
Topping Off Reception, Rockefeller Research Laboratories, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1987 July 1	box 30	folder 483
Second Annual Meeting, Central Park Perimeter Association, 1987 September 29	box 30	folder 484
Historic Hudson Valley Dinner, 1987 November 2	box 30	folder 485

### Scope and Contents note

First celebration of Historic Hudson Valley as successor to Sleepy Hollow Restorations.

Reception for Mr. and Mrs. Laurance S. Rockefeller, The University of Chicago Divinity School, 1987 November 10	box 30	folder 486
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### Scope and Contents note

Reception "in gratitude for the Laura Spelman Rockefeller Chair in the Philosophy of Comparative Religions."

Tribute to Jeanne Thayer, Historic Hudson Valley, 1987 December 4	box 30	folder 487
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Rockefeller family: Christmas Party, 1987 December 13	box 30	folder 488
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## 1988

Title/Description	Instances	
Second Venrock Conference: Welcoming Speech: Venture capital, 1988 May 10	box 30	folder 489
Lady Bird Johnson's Book Party, Old Westbury Gardens, 1988 June 7	box 31	folder 490
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>  Lady Bird Johnson's book entitled "Wildflowers Across America." See also Folder 490A.		
Lady Bird Johnson's Book Party, Old Westbury Gardens, 1988 June 7	box 31	folder 490A

**Scope and Contents note**

Lady Bird Johnson's book entitled "Wildflowers Across America." See also Folder 490.

Interview by Sheila Holtzman, 1988 June 20	box 31	folder 491
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**Scope and Contents**

Interview on the topic of LSR's business success, focusing in particular on his Rockresorts.

John E. Fetzer Foundation Global Conference, "Helping Heal the Whole Person and the Whole World", 1988 June 25	box 31	folder 492
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**Scope and Contents note**

See also Folders 492A and 492B.

John E. Fetzer Foundation Global Conference, "Helping Heal the Whole Person and the Whole World", 1988 June 25	box 31	folder 492A
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**Scope and Contents note**

See also Folders 492 and 492B.

John E. Fetzer Foundation Global Conference, "Helping Heal the Whole Person and the Whole World", 1988 June 25	box 31	folder 492B
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**Scope and Contents note**

See also Folders 492 and 492A.

Toast to Dr. Samuel Hellman, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1988 June 27	box 32	folder 493
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Presentation of Top Dog Award, The Animal Medical Center, 1988 November 16	box 32	folder 494
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**Scope and Contents note**

Award presented by LSR to Mamdouha (Dodo) Bobst (Mrs. Elmer Holmes Bobst).

Introduction of Dr. Harold Shapiro, Princeton University Dinner at 834 Fifth Avenue, 1988 December 1	box 32	folder 495
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**1989****Title/Description****Instances**

Third Annual Meeting, Central Park Perimeter Association, 1989 January 12	box 32	folder 496
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Press Conference, Central Park Conservancy, 1989 April 12	box 32	folder 497
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## Scope and Contents note

Presentation of \$35 million raised in the capital campaign.

Dedication of Laurance S. Rockefeller Board Room, Rockefeller Research Laboratories, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1989 May 11	box 32	folder 498A
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## Scope and Contents note

See also Folder 498B.

Dedication of Laurance S. Rockefeller Board Room, Rockefeller Research Laboratories, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1989 May 11	box 32	folder 498B
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## Scope and Contents note

See also Folder 498A.

Dedication of the Rockefeller Research Laboratories, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1989 May 17	box 32	folder 499A
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## Scope and Contents note

Laboratories named in honor of John D. Rockefeller Jr.  
See also Folder 499B.

Dedication of the Rockefeller Research Laboratories, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1989 May 17	box 32	folder 499B
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## Scope and Contents note

Laboratories named in honor of John D. Rockefeller Jr.  
See also Folder 499A.

Dinner Dance in Honor of Mary and Laurance Rockefeller, The Society of Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1989 June 5	box 33	folder 500
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Tribute to Nash Castro, Executive Director, Palisades Interstate Park Commission, 1989 June 15	box 33	folder 501
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Dedication of Benno C. Schmidt Conference Room, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1989 June 20	box 33	folder 502
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25 Year Service Awards, Wayfarer Ketch Corporation, 1989 July 7	box 33	folder 503
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## Scope and Contents note

Service awards presented to Dick D'Ambrogio and Paul Voorhees.

Rededication of Billings Farm and Museum, Woodstock Corporation, 1989 July 15-16	box 33	folder 504
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Presentation to the Foreign Policy Association Board of Governors, Draft Copy, 1989 October 24	box 33	folder 505
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**Scope and Contents note**

Presentation on Foreign Policy Association delegation trip to the U.S.S.R., September 27 to October 8, 1989.

John D. Rockefeller 150th Anniversary Conference, 1989 October 27	box 33	folder 506
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W. Kenneth Riland Scholarship Luncheon, New York College of Osteopathic Medicine, 1989 December 6	box 33	folder 507
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Rockefeller Family and Associates: Christmas Party, 1989 December 15	box 33	folder 508
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**1990****Title/Description****Instances**

Nash Castro Retirement Dinner, Palisades Interstate Park Commission, 1990 April 4	box 33	folder 509
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Acceptance of Eighth Annual Frederick Law Olmstead Award, Women's Committee of the Central Park Conservancy, 1990 May 2	box 34	folder 510
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Award to Benno C. Schmidt, Academic Convocation, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1990 May 23	box 34	folder 511
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Senator John D. (Jay) Rockefeller IV Campaign Luncheon, Pocantico Hills, 1990 June 2	box 34	folder 512
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Senator John D. (Jay) Rockefeller IV Campaign Luncheon, Pocantico Hills, 1990 June 2	box 34	folder 512A
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Announcement of Jim and Mary Evans Horticultural Endowment Fund, Central Park Conservancy, 1990 June 8	box 34	folder 513
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25-Year Service Award to George R. Lamb, 1990 November 9	box 34	folder 514
Presentation of The Freedom of the Human Spirit Award, International Center for the Disabled, 1990 December 12	box 34	folder 515

### Scope and Contents note

Awards presented to Mrs. H. Lawrence (Margie) Bogert, chairperson of ICD, and Jeremiah (Jerry) Milbank Jr., president of ICD.

## 1991

Title/Description	Instances	
Woodrow Wilson Award, Princeton University, 1991 February 16	box 34	folder 516

### Scope and Contents note

Remarks entitled "Reflections on Princeton and Beyond."

Introduction of Dr. Deepak Chopra, Seminar on Quantum Healing, 1991 May 10	box 34	folder 517
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William F. Pounds Retirement Dinner, 1991 May 13	box 35	folder 518
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### Scope and Contents note

Dinner held at the River Club.

Dedication of Barbara Hinman Memorial Plaque, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1991 May 23	box 35	folder 519
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### Scope and Contents note

Reception also honored Barbara Hinman's husband, George L. Hinman.

Retirement Dinner for George D. Taylor, Jr., Rockefeller Financial Services, 1991 June 19	box 35	folder 520
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40th Anniversary, Historic Hudson Valley, 1991 June 22	box 35	folder 521
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Dedication of Enid A. Haupt Pavilion, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1991 July 24	box 35	folder 522
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Remarks on the Proposed Marsh-Billings National Historical Park, Woodstock Public Hearing, 1991 August 12	box 35	folder 523
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Acceptance of Congressional Gold Medal from President George Bush, 1991 September 27	box 35	folder 524
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Introduction of Paul Volcker, Venrock Conference, Pocantico Hills, 1991 October 8	box 35	folder 525
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Historic Hudson Valley Benefit Dinner, 1991 November 11	box 35	folder 526
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**1992**

<b>Title/Description</b>	<b>Instances</b>	
U. S. Senate Hearing, Marsh-Billings National Historical Park, 1992 March 26	box 35	folder 527
Statement in Support of Marsh-Billings National Historical Park, U. S. House Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs, Subcommittee on National Parks and Public Lands, 1992 June 2	box 35	folder 528
Historic Hudson Valley Summer Garden Party, Pocantico Hills, 1992 June 13	box 36	folder 529
Testimonial, National Wildflower Research Center's 10th Anniversary Newsletter, 1992 June 17	box 36	folder 530
Statement for Library Case Study, The Joseph Campbell Archives and Library, 1992 July 30	box 36	folder 531
Dinner Honoring Louis Marx, Princeton University, 1992 October 19	box 36	folder 532

**Scope and Contents note**

Remarks thanking Louis Marx for his "incredible perceptiveness and generosity to Princeton in making Marx Hall possible!"

Lady Bird Johnson's 80th Birthday Celebration, 1992 December 4	box 36	folder 533
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**1993**

<b>Title/Description</b>	<b>Instances</b>	
Resignation from Board of Directors, The Reader's Digest, 1993 January 8	box 36	folder 534
Marsh-Billings Deed Transfer Ceremony, 1993 January 11	box 36	folder 535
Dedication of Louis Marx, Jr. '53 Hall, Princeton University, 1993 April 30	box 36	folder 536
Inauguration of Historic Hudson Valley Cruises, 1993 June 23	box 36	folder 537
10th Anniversary Celebration, Billings Farm and Museum, 1993 July 25	box 36	folder 538
Reception for Laurance S. Rockefeller and the Fund for the Enhancement of the Human Spirit, 1993 September 25	box 36	folder 539
Announcement of "The Pocantico Society," Historic Hudson Valley Benefit, 1993 October 18	box 36	folder 540
Acceptance of 1993 Plymouth Committee Award, Society of Mayflower Descendants, 1993 November 5	box 36	folder 541

Opening of the Conservation Stewardship Workshop, Marsh-Billings Seminar, 1993 November 20	box 36	folder 542
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## 1994

Title/Description	Instances	
Citizens Committee for New York City Awards, 1994 February 14	box 36	folder 543

### Scope and Contents note

Mr. and Mrs. Laurance S. Rockefeller were one of four "Couples Who Care" to be awarded the New Yorker for New York Award.

The Pocantico Society, Historic Hudson Valley, 1994 May 25	box 36	folder 544
Response to Lady Bird Johnson's Toast, Scenic Hudson's "Spirit of the River Gala", 1994 June 1	box 36	folder 545
Statement for George Grune Retirement Video, The Reader's Digest, 1994 July 20	box 36	folder 546

### Scope and Contents note

Video taped June 3, 1994.

The James Madison Council of the Library of Congress Dinner, 1994 June 8	box 36	folder 547
Dinner Honoring Their Majesties, the Emperor Akihito and Empress Michiko, 1994 June 16	box 36	folder 548

### Scope and Contents note

The Emperor and Empress of Japan were honored at a dinner at Kykuit.

Dedication of Visitor Orientation, Rockefeller State Park Preserve, 1994 June 18	box 37	folder 549
Presentation of First John D. Rockefeller, Jr. Founder's Award, Historic Hudson Valley, 1994 November 8	box 37	folder 550

### Scope and Contents note

Award presented to Richard H. Jenrette.

Links Breakfast Prayer, 1994 November 22	box 37	folder 551
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## 1995

Title/Description	Instances	
Tribute to Thomas M. Debevoise, 1995 February 7	box 37	folder 552

Nomination of John Dyson as Board Chairman, Historic Hudson Valley, 1995 February 27	box 37	folder 553
Second Annual Spring Gathering, The Pocantico Society of Historic Hudson Valley, 1995 May 16	box 37	folder 554
Acceptance of the National Parks Foundation's Theodore Roosevelt National Park Medal of Honor, 1995 May 23	box 37	folder 555
Acceptance of Chairman's Award, National Geographic Society, 1995 June 8	box 37	folder 556
Cousin's Weekend: Remarks, 1995 June 17	box 37	folder 557
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DeWitt Wallace Symposium in the Biomedical Sciences, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1995 October 11	box 37	folder 558
Presentation of the John D. Rockefeller, Jr. Founder's Award, Historic Hudson Valley, 1995 November 14	box 37	folder 559
<b>Scope and Contents note</b>  Award presented to George V. Grune.		
Rockefeller Family Christmas Party, 1995 December 17	box 37	folder 560
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<b>1996</b>		
Title/Description	Instances	
Remarks Prior to Service at the Family Cemetery for Mrs. David (Margaret McGrath) Rockefeller, 1996 March 29	box 37	folder 561
Presentation of the John French Property to the National Park Service, 1996 June 7	box 37	folder 562



**Scope and Contents note**

Presentation made to Roger G. Kennedy, Director of the National Park Service.

Tribute to the Rev. Dr. Warren W. Ost, 45th National Board Meeting, A Christian Ministry in the National Parks, 1996 September 13	box 37	folder 563
Presentation of Laurance Spelman Rockefeller Conservation Award for Distinguished Service to Lady Bird Johnson, 1996 October 11	box 37	folder 564

**Scope and Contents note**

Award given by The Woodstock Foundation, Inc.

Presentation of John D. Rockefeller, Jr. Founder's Award, Historic Hudson Valley, 1996 November 12	box 37	folder 565
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**Scope and Contents note**

Award presented to Mrs. Brooke Astor.

**1997**

<b>Title/Description</b>	<b>Instances</b>	
Memorial Tribute to Mary French Rockefeller at First Congregational Church, Woodstock, Vermont, 1997 August 10	box 37	folder 566
Acceptance of Teton Award, 1997 September 10	box 37	folder 567
Presentation of Portrait of Lady Bird Johnson to the National Wildflower Center; Acceptance of Lady Bird Conservation Award for Lifetime Achievement, 1997 September 20	box 37	folder 568
Acceptance of the 1997 Governor's Parks and Preservation Award, 1997 December 13	box 37	folder 569
Dedication of Mary F. Rockefeller Memorial Chapel, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1997 December 16	box 37	folder 570

**1998**

<b>Title/Description</b>	<b>Instances</b>	
Ruth Fowler Retirement, Room 5600, Rockefeller Family and Associates, 1998 January 29	box 37	folder 571
Opening Ceremonies of Marsh-Billings National Historical Park, 1998 June 5	box 37	folder 572
Dinner to Honor James D. Robinson III, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1998 September 28	box 37	folder 573
Dedication of Rockwood Hall State Park, 1998 October 15	box 37	folder 574

## Scope and Contents note

Inclusion of Rockwood Hall into the New York State Park System.

### 1999

Title/Description	Instances	
Dedication of the Laurance S. Rockefeller Outpatient Pavilion, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1999 April 19	box 37	folder 575
Acceptance of Award for Philanthropy, Awards for Excellence Dinner, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1999 May 18	box 37	folder 576
Statement for Dinner Honoring Gil Grosvenor, 1999 June 2	box 37	folder 577
Ethan Hitchcock's 90th Birthday, 1999 July 12	box 37	folder 578
Dedication of the Carriage Barn Visitor Center, Marsh-Billings-Rockefeller National Historical Park, 1999 August 7	box 37	folder 579
Dedication of the Integrative Medicine Outpatient Center, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 1999 October 27	box 37	folder 580

### 2000

Title/Description	Instances	
Dinner Honoring Dr. Paul A. Marks, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 2000 January 13	box 38	folder 581
Tribute to Benno C. Schmidt, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 2000 March 20	box 38	folder 582
10th Anniversary Celebration, Center for Human Values, Princeton University, 2000 April 27	box 38	folder 583
Funeral Service for Rodman Clark Rockefeller, The Riverside Church, 2000 May 18	box 38	folder 584
Matthew O. Case and Suzanne Engler Wedding, 2000 June 3	box 38	folder 585

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Birthday Toast to Mrs. Rhoda Teagle, 2000 June 9	box 38	folder 586
Celebration of Laurance S. Rockefeller and David Rockefeller Birthdays, Family Weekend, Pocantico Hills: Laurance S. Rockefeller response, 2000 June 17	box 38	folder 587

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Announcement of Joint Research Venture, Cornell University, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, and Rockefeller University, 2000 June 27	box 38	folder 588
50th Anniversary Celebration, Grand Teton National Park, 2000 August 11	box 38	folder 589
Retirement of Hugh Powell, Room 5600, 2000 October 25	box 38	folder 590

**Scope and Contents note**

Hugh Powell worked at the Security Desk.

**2001**

Title/Description	Instances	
Central Park Conservancy Benefit, 2001 May 16	box 38	folder 591

**Scope and Contents note**

Benefit also included welcome of new President, Regina Peruggi.

Videotaped Greeting for Albert H. Gordon's 100th Birthday, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, 2001 June 14	box 38	folder 592
Message to the University of Vermont-Montpelier Symposium on Environmental Ethics, 2001 November 2	box 38	folder 593

**Scope and Contents note**

Message was delivered by David A. Donath, President of the Woodstock Foundation, Inc.

**2002**

Title/Description	Instances	
Elizabeth J. McCormack's 80th Birthday Celebration, Room 5600, 2002 March 7	box 38	folder 594
Reception for Bill Moyers' Hudson Valley Series, 2002 April 10	box 38	folder 595
Healing Energy and Healing Intention Research Philanthropist Meeting, 2002 May 1-3	box 38	folder 596
John D. Rockefeller, Jr. Founder's Award Gala, Historic Hudson Valley, 2002 November 12	box 38	folder 597

**Scope and Contents note**

Presentation of Founder's Award to Richard D. Parsons.

Rockefeller Family Christmas Luncheon: "Creating two Preeminent Institutions: The Legacy of Bessie Dashiell", 2002 December 15	box 38	folder 598
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**Scope and Contents note**

Each adult was given a copy of "Creating Two Preeminent Institutions - The Legacy of Bessie Dashiell."

**2003**

Title/Description	Instances	
Acceptance of the William Mott Award, National Park Conservation Association, 2003 April 9	box 38	folder 599

**Scope and Contents note**

Henry Diamond responded on behalf of Laurance Rockefeller to the presentation of the Award.

British Virgin Islands' Belonger Ceremony Honoring Laurance Rockefeller, 2003 September 26	box 38	folder 600
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**2004**

Title/Description	Instances	
Dedication of "Cherubim" Window, Union Church, Pocantico Hills: In memory of Mary French Rockefeller and in honor of Laurance S. Rockefeller, 2004 May 2	box 38	folder 601

**Scope and Contents note**

Window in memory of Mary French Rockefeller and in honor of Laurance S. Rockefeller. Ceremonies included thoughts by Laurance Rockefeller.

Dedication of "Cherubim" Window, Union Church, Pocantico Hills: In memory of Mary French Rockefeller and in honor of Laurance S. Rockefeller, 2004 May 2	box 38	folder 601A
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