

Stephen James Chadwick papers, 1910-1932

Overview of the Collection

Creator	Chadwick, Stephen J. (Stephen James), 1863-1931
Title	Stephen James Chadwick papers
Dates	1910-1932 (inclusive) 1910 1932
Quantity	.63 cubic feet (2 boxes)
Collection Number	0071 (Accession No. 0071-001)
Summary	Papers of a Washington State judge and civic leader.
Repository	University of Washington Libraries, Special Collections Special Collections University of Washington Libraries Box 352900 Seattle, WA 98195-2900 Telephone: 206-543-1929 Fax: 206-543-1931 speccoll@uw.edu
Access Restrictions	The papers are open to all users
Languages	English
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Biographical Note

Stephen James Chadwick, civic leader and judge, was born in Roseberg, Oregon, in 1863, moving to Colfax, Washington, in approximately 1885. Chadwick was a judge of the Superior Court of Whitman County from 1900 to 1908; judge of the Supreme Court of the State of Washington from 1908 to 1919; and chief justice in 1918 and 1919. He ran in the Washington Democratic gubernatorial primary in 1926 but lost to A. Scott Bullitt. Judge Chadwick then resumed the practice of law in Seattle in partnership with his son, Stephen Fowler Chadwick. Judge Chadwick was also an active member of the Freemasons. He died on November 19, 1931.

Content Description

The collection consists largely of Chadwick's correspondence, speeches, and writings. The speeches comprise three folders of Masonic addresses and nine folders of general speeches, circa 1910-1931, and include tributes to individuals and addresses given before the Freemasons.

The correspondence series includes 172 outgoing letters and 38 incoming letters with 12 enclosures. Many of the letters are concerned with Chadwick's contest with A. Scott Bullitt for the Democratic nomination for governor of Washington in 1926. The letters, written in 1931, are retrospective in nature. See particularly the letters from Chadwick to the following individuals:

Collier, Harry H.

Falconer, Fred W.
Hanna, John W.
Kizer, B. H.
Maloney, J. J.
McCroskey, William E.
Morgan, F. L.
Stephenson, George

Use of the Collection

Restrictions on Use

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Administrative Information

Arrangement

The collection has been arranged into 5 series:

- Biographical information
- Correspondence
- Clippings
- Ephemera
- Speeches and writings

Acquisition Information

Gift of Stephen Fowler Chadwick, son of Stephen J. Chadwick. Donated in several parts between 1958 and 1962.

Processing Note

This collection is a merger of materials from Accession No. 0014-001, sometimes referred to as Part I (material separated from Stephen Fowler Chadwick papers received November 24, 1958); Accession No. 0071, sometimes referred to as Part II, (received January 5, 1960); Accession No. 0343-001 (received May 27, 1963), and approximately 24 items of ephemera received on October 20, 1969.

Detailed Description of the Collection

Biographical information

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Container(s)	Description	Dates
Box/Folder		
1/1	"Reminiscences" by Stephen James Chadwick Published in <i>Pacific Northwest Quarterly</i> , July 1964.	circa 1964
1/2	Biographical material 2 items	

Correspondence

Container(s)	Description	Dates
Incoming correspondence		
Box/Folder		
1/3	Canfield, H. W. 1 item with 3 enclosures.	1928
1/4	Dill, Clarence C. 5 items	1926-1928
1/5	Jones, Wesley L. 4 items	1926
1/6	Washington State Bar Association 1 item with 4 enclosures.	1931
	Miscellaneous One letter from each correspondent unless otherwise indicated.	
Box/Folder		
1/7	Chadwick, Stephen Fowler	1928
1/7	Ettinger	undated
1/7	Faulkner, L. B. 1 item with 2 enclosures.	1931
1/7	Fisk, T. P.	1932

Container(s)	Description	Dates
1/8	Geraghty, J. M.	1926
1/8	Gilbert Brothers (firm)	1919
1/8	Gillies, John F.	1919
1/8	Gray, Ella C. 3 items	1919
1/8	Gray Brothers (firm) 2 items	1919
1/8	[Gwydir?], R. D.	1919
1/8	Haberlin, William J.	1919
1/8	Hastings and Stedman (firm)	1919
1/8	Horn, R. R.	1919
1/8	Lee, George A.	undated
1/9	McKeehen, O. D.	1927
1/9	Mitchell, John R.	1919
1/9	Olympia Light and Power Company	1919
1/9	The 100 Percent Club	1919
1/9	Patterson, I. L.	1926
1/9	Ratliff, S. E.	1926
1/9	Redington, J. W.	1931
1/9	Ritchie, Albert C.	1926
1/9	Rogers, Hugh M.	1926
1/10	Smith, Sydney	1917

Container(s)	Description	Dates
1/10	Spangler, J. W.	1926
1/10	Walsh, Thomas J.	1926
1/10	Washington Voter	1917

Outgoing correspondence

One letter per correspondent unless otherwise indicated.

Box/Folder		
1/11	Agatz, Fred W.	undated
1/11	Allen, Clay	undated
1/11	American Trust Company	undated
1/11	Archer, Finch R.	undated
1/11	Bounds, Irving	undated
1/11	Brown, E. J.	undated
1/11	Brown, Nat U.	undated
1/12	Calderhead, S. C.	undated
1/12	Carroll, E. A.	undated
1/12	Chadwick, Pitzer F.	undated
1/12	Cleland, H. H.	undated
1/12	Collier, H. H.	undated
1/12	Desmond, G. E.	undated
1/12	Dill, Clarence C.	undated
1/12	Eldridge, A. S.	undated
1/12	Erickson, Oliver T.	undated

Container(s)	Description	Dates
1/12	Erickson, Mrs. Robert	undated
1/12	Erickson, Robert	undated
1/12	Ettinger, U.	undated
1/13	Foster, H. E.	undated
1/13	Frazier, Fannie B.	undated
1/13	Friese, A. J.	undated
1/13	Fullerton, Mark A.	undated
1/13	Fullerton, Mrs. Mark A.	undated
1/13	Falconer, Fred	undated
1/14	Gatch, Honorable Claude	undated
1/14	Girl Scout Headquarters	undated
1/14	Gibbs, John T.	undated
1/14	Gose, M. F.	undated
1/15	Haines, A. F.	undated
1/15	Hall, Lewis	undated
1/15	Hanna, John W.	undated
1/15	Hayden, Miller B.	undated
1/15	Hendricks, R. J.	undated
1/15	Herman, Henry	undated
1/15	Holmes, E. H.	undated
1/15	Hoover, Herbert	undated

Container(s)	Description	Dates
1/15	Howard	undated
1/15	Huyette, William	undated
1/15	Jerguson, O. A.	undated
1/15	Johnson, Dr. Robert Underwood	undated
1/16	Kern, F. A.	undated
1/16	King, W. B.	undated
1/16	Kizer, B. H.	undated
1/16	Klepper, William V.	undated
1/16	Lancaster, Charles D.	undated
1/16	Larson, A. E.	undated
1/16	Lawrence, John C.	undated
1/16	Lewis, James Hamilton	undated
1/16	Linklater, W. A.	undated
1/16	Lowman, Will H.	undated
1/17	McCarty, M. W.	undated
1/17	McClure, Mrs. Henry	undated
1/17	McCroskey, Will 3 items	undated
1/17	McElroy, H. B.	undated
1/17	McKeehen, O. D. 3 items	undated
1/17	McLean, Mrs. Alice	undated

Container(s)	Description	Dates
1/17	Maloney, J. J.	undated
1/17	Maury, Matthew Fontaine 2 items	undated
1/17	Martin, Nan	undated
1/17	Matthews, Dr.	undated
1/18	Merrick, Ivan	undated
1/18	Millar, Ronald	undated
1/18	Millard, William J. 3 items	undated
1/18	Miller, Ella	undated
1/18	Mills, Jesse	undated
1/18	Morgan, G. T.	undated
1/18	Motoyama, Hikoichi	undated
1/18	Mraz, Henry	undated
1/18	Mount Adams Lodge, Treasurer	undated
1/18	Mumaw, W. C. 2 items	undated
1/18	Myers, Carrie T.	undated
1/19	Odlin, Reno	undated
1/19	O'Sullivan, James	undated
1/19	Owens, Rose M.	undated
1/19	Parsons, Reginald H.	undated
1/19	Penroese, Dr.	undated

Container(s)	Description	Dates
1/19	Perkins, San	undated
1/19	Perkins, S. A.	undated
1/19	Phillips, Mrs. Lila	undated
1/19	Pickrell, J. N.	undated
1/19	Plechner, Mrs. Ceil	undated
1/19	Plummer, Dr. Samuel Craig	undated
1/19	Puget Mill Company	undated
1/19	Redington, Colonel J. W.	undated
1/19	Reeves, Honorable Belle 2 items	undated
1/19	Reinhart, C. S.	undated
1/19	Remington, Arthur	undated
1/19	Riely, Charles S.	undated
1/19	Robert, J. H.	undated
1/19	Rochford, J. A.	undated
1/19	Rosete, Francisco	undated
1/19	Rudkin, Frank H.	undated
1/20	Saety, H. A.	undated
1/20	Seattle Traffic and Safety Council	undated
1/20	Seller, L. L.	undated
1/20	Severyns, W. D.	undated
1/20	Shank, Corwin S.	undated

Container(s)	Description	Dates
1/20	Skaggs, T. E.	undated
1/20	Slattery, Mrs. M. B.	undated
1/20	Southern Club, Pierce County 2 items	undated
Box/Folder		
1/20	Boland, M. D.	undated
1/20	Southern Pacific Company	undated
1/20	Spencer, Lloyd	undated
1/20	Sprague, C. A. 4 items	undated
1/20	Standard Furniture Company	undated
1/20	Stedman, L. B.	undated
1/20	Stein, Fred W.	undated
1/20	Stephenson, George	undated
1/20	Stewart, F. H.	undated
1/20	Stimson, Mrs. Thomas M.	undated
1/20	Stotler, F. L.	undated
1/21	Tacoma Bar Association	undated
1/21	Teal, Henry	undated
1/21	Trefethen, Daniel B.	undated
1/21	Tomlinson, O. A.	undated
1/21	Tourney, George	undated

Container(s)	Description	Dates
1/21	Tucker, Hunter and Dublin	undated
1/21	Turner, George	undated
1/21	United States Biological Survey	undated
1/21	United States Federal Trade Commission	undated
1/22	Walker, George	undated
1/22	Washington Athletic Club	undated
1/22	Watt, Mrs. P. H.	undated
1/22	Webster, Honorable J. Stanley 2 items	undated
1/22	Williams, W. R.	undated
1/22	Wilson, Fred 8 items	undated
1/22	Wisconsin Aquatic Nurseries	undated
1/22	Wood, James A.	undated
1/22	Wright, Lias A.	undated

Clippings, undated

Box-folder1/23

approximately 15 items

Ephemera, undated

Box-folder1/24

approximately 10 items

Primarily publications of the Freemasons.

Speeches and writings, circa 1910-1931

Box-folder1/25-30, 2

approximately 100 items

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Most of these are undated, but from notations present, they seem to date between 1910 and 1931. Box 2 contains tributes to individuals and the Freemason speeches. The rest are general in nature.

Names and Subjects

Subject Terms :

Fraternal organizations--Washington (State)
Judges--Washington (State)--Archives
Political candidates--Washington (State)--Archives
Primaries--Washington (State)

Personal Names :

Chadwick, Stephen Fowler, 1894-1975
Chadwick, Stephen J. (Stephen James), 1863-1931--Archives
Chadwick, Stephen J. (Stephen James), 1863-1931--Freemasonry

Corporate Names :

Freemasons--Washington (State)

Geographical Names :

Washington (State)--Politics and government

Form or Genre Terms :

Clippings (Books, newspapers, etc
correspondence
ephemera
Speeches, addresses, etc
writings

Names and Subjects

Subject Terms :

Personal Papers/Corporate Records (University of Washington)

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