

Accession No. 92-048

The State Archives staff transferred all artifactual items, published materials including books and reports to the appropriate State Library Unit for addition to their collections or disposition as they deemed appropriate. The following is a list of materials remaining within the custody of the Connecticut State Archives. Some of the subject files are in alphabetical order by folder. Other files are in no particular order. Brackets indicate information added by the archives staff during initial processing.

Container List

PG 600 General Poster Collection

Level 7

There are 25 posters related to the bicentennial celebration but not necessarily produced by the Connecticut Commission. Topics include promoting the Constitution, the Old State House, Connecticut contribution to the Revolutionary War cause, final proofs for a calendar poster, reproductions of relevant documents, the Fundamental Orders, New Britain Herald Building, a panorama of Hartford, the Charter Oak, invitation to attend the main celebration in Philadelphia, and Spuds McKenzie.

RG 068 Film/Video collection

Level 7

Philip Morris, Bill of Rights TV Commercials (VHS)
 "Constitution Plaques Presentation," Strong Arts (VHS)
 Ratification Convention, January 9, 1988 (VHS)
 Constitutional Symposium #1 and #2 (VHS)
 We the People, staged reading in Stratford, VHS Video tape
 The Advertising Council PSAs (3/4" Beta)
 United States Army, Constitution Series Part I (3/4" Beta)
 United States Army, A Bicentennial Celebration, "We the People" (3/4" Beta)
 "We the People - a Bicentennial Celebration, (3/4" Beta)

Oversize scrapbook:

Level 7

primarily news clippings of coverage in Connecticut newspapers.

Boxed materials

90 Wash

Box 1 Accounting Sheets (Controller's Office)
 American Constitution Committee
 Amistad Stamp
 Army
 Bar Ass[ociatio]n - Publications
 Bell Ringing Jan. 9, 1988
 Bibliography [of literature related to Connecticut]
 Bicentennial Campus [Program]
 Bicentennial Communities (DBC's)
 Bicent[ennial] Community: Blank Applications
 Bicentennial Competition
 Bicentennial Towns
 Bill of Rights

Box 1 (cont.)

- Blessings of Liberty Exhibit
- Braille Constitution
- Calendar of Events (Printed summer of 1987)
- Calendar of Events (Original Data)
- Charter Oak [Incident Tercentennial]
- Certificate of Appreciation
- Clipping Service
- Commission Committees
- Constitution for Kids
- Convention to Reconsider Ratification, Jan 9, 1988
- Correspondence - Misc.
- Correspond[ence] JBC [Janet Crook, Exec. Dir.]
- Educational Grant Committee
- Education, Dept. of (Dan Gregg)
- Education Info
- Events - Past
- Financial (Appropriations)
- Financial Proposed Budget [1988-1991]
- Financial Budget
- Financial Budget - Forms
- Financial - misc.
- Flag
- Fundamental Orders
- General Mailing Package (sent summer '87) includes material related to video.

Box 2

- Landmarks of the Constitution Program
- Law Related Education - 1988 Proposal
- Legal Info for BiCentennial [sic]
 - Regulations
 - Code of Ethics - Multi copies
- Liberty Bell Foundation
- Living Legacy - [Planting Program]
- Logos
- Magna Carta in CT
- Mailings
 - Mailing List: AAUW
 - Mailing List: College Presidents
 - Mailing List: Bar Ass[ociatio]n President
 - Mailing List: Education, Misc.
 - Mailing List: Bicentennial Community
 - Mailing List: Bullfinch Society
 - Mailing List: Calendar of Events Only
 - Mailing List: CCLU
 - Mailing List: Constitutional Scholars
 - Mailing List: Commission Members
 - Mailing List: CT Humanities Council (Various, From)
 - Mailing List: Superior Court Judges
 - Mailing List: Press
 - Mailing List: Historical Societies
 - Mailing List: Libraries - Public & College
 - Mailing List: Mayors & Selectmen

Box 2 (cont.)

Mailing List: Curriculum Coordinators
 Mailing List: DAR
 Mailing List: Fundamental Orders [1 name]
 Mailing List: Funding Sources [corps]
 Mailing List: General
 Mailing List: Law Related Education
 Mailing List: League of Women Voters
 Mailing List: Newspaper in Educ[ation] Coord[inators]
 Mailing List: Past Program Coordinators
 Mailing List: Poli-Sci/ History Dept Ch[air]m[e]n (College level)
 Mailing List: Soc Studies Dept Middle School
 Mailing List: Dept Head Mid & High School
 Mailing List: Summer Institute on Ratification
 Merrill Lynch Ratification Celebration
 Misc. Info Re Bicentennial
 Mural H.C. Christy [Disney]
 National Meeting 2/5-7/88
 National Council of Jewish Women
 New England & the Constitution "The Other Boston Tea Party" [article]
 New London Fireworks
 Newsletter - Misc. for Reference
 Newspapers in Educ[ation]
 Newspaper Supplement
 Postage
 Photos: Sept. 17, 1987 [Signing Ceremony]
 Photos: Jan 9, 1988 Stamp Ceremony
 Press Release: CT Compromise Day 7/16/97
 Press Release: Sept. 1987 1) Gov[ernor]'s Procl[amation] 2) Release 3)
 Calendar of Events
 Press Release: Sept. 17, 1987 #2 Constitution Reading
 Press Release: Braille Constitution
 Press Release: January 9, 1988 Ratification 1) Gov[ernor]'s
 Procl[amation] 2) Release
 Misc. Bicent Program Info
 Programs Endorsed
 Program Commemorative Stamp [includes a transparency of CT Stamp]
 Programs - Encouraged
 Programs - Rejected or Put on Permanent Hold

Box 3

[Correspondence, lists, notes re meetings]
 [Correspondence, lists, notes re programs and proposals]
 Minutes 1990 Bicentennial Commission
 Chrono 1990 Bicentennial Commission
 Expenses 1990 Bicentennial Commission
 Chrono 1989 Bicentennial Commission
 Expenses 1989 Bicentennial Commission
 Minutes 1989 Bicentennial Commission
 Correspondence 1988 Bicentennial of the Constitution
 Expenses 1988 Bicentennial of the Constitution
 Education Committee 1988 Bicentennial of the Constitution
 Minutes 1988 Bicentennial of the Constitution
 Program Committee 1988 Bicentennial of the Constitution

- Box 3 (cont.)
- Stamp Dedication Program 1988 Bicentennial of the Constitution
 - Bicentennial of the Constitution 1987 Expenses
 - Bicentennial of the Constitution 1987 Program Committee
 - Bicentennial of the Constitution 1987 Stationary
 - Bicentennial of the Constitution 1987 Minutes & Agenda
 - Calendar Requests 1987 Bicentennial of the Constitution
 - Bicentennial of the Constitution 1987 Members list
- Box 4
- We the People, a musical play
 - We the People, musical score, Cassette Audio Tape
 - Maryland Bicentennial Gazette
 - Parchment style reproduction of the Constitution
 - Constitutional Bicentennial Commission of New Jersey
 - Report of the Delaware Heritage Commission
 - [Congressional Research Service Info Pack]
 - Correspondence - photocopies [misc. items]
 - Readers Digest article, "Countdown to a Miracle"
 - Promotional items [correspondence]
 - Patrick Henry
 - Promotional Items Bicentennial [catalogues]
 - Misc. handouts from Boston
 - Loose items:
 - Exec[utive] Dir[ectors] D[irect] P[urchase] O[rder]s for advertisements
 - AB Bookman's Yearbook, 1983 Part two
 - [Sign On program info] The National Conference of Christians and Jews
 - Overview of We the People
 - We the People [Office publication]
 - Commemorative catalogue
 - Connecticut Trust for Historic Preservation News, Jan. 1988 [with Bibliography of Constitutional era literature]
 - Freedom's Light - Historical Restrospective (sic)
 - Noah Webster's Words with Music (promo) script and audio tape
 - George Washington Journey to the Presidency
 - [Connecticut and Constitutions]
 - The East Hartford Gazette. Mar 6, 1987
 - Congregation Commonwealth: Connecticut. Jones, Mary Jeanne Anderson. [photocopy of chapters reproduced as pamphlet] (2 copies)
 - Exhibit catalogue "The Seasoned Eye"
 - "Thank Your Lucky Starts & Stripes" Hollander, Lewis Audio Tape and sheet music.
 - The Tower pamphlet re Travelers Tower
 - Building the Constitution
- Box 5
- Reproduction of Declaration of Independence, Constitution (U.S. and CT) 1985 Secretary of State
 - [Loose correspondence]
 - [Misc. product (commemorative) materials - loose]
 - Program [committee] - General
 - Program [committee] - People
 - [Jack] Shannahan - Background

Box 5 (cont.)

- Nat'l Commission [drafts & final publication]
- Kentucky [events]
- Disney Conf[erence]
- [Initial meetings and correspondence]
- [Handwritten minutes]
- BiCent [sic] flag [design]
- CT Humanities
- CT Ratification
- Const[itution] Holiday Sept. 17, 1987
- Ethics - State Code of
- Freedom Inform FOIC
- Liason [sic] Com[mittee] - Bicent
- BiCent [sic] Minutes
- Waivers [for meeting notices] - BiCentennial [sic] Commission [FOI]
- Magna Carta
- Merrill Lynch
- Members - List of BiCent. [sic] (multi copies)
- Press [news clippings]
- Program Endorsements
- State Status on BiCent [sic]
- Program Products [pamphlets and brochures]
- We the People 200 [publications for events]
- Maryland [pamphlets and publications]
- New Jersey [newsletter]
- Washington State [newsletter]
- Northwest Ordinance - press release
- Virginia [newsletter]
- Proj[ect] '87 [published materials]

Box 6

- Bill of Rights Host Committee - Philip Morris - Correspondence
- Supplements - Constitution Program Newspaper Supp[lement]
- Program Sign-On [School kids]
- Programs Educational Teaching Aids
- Public Reading - Preamble & Bill of Rights
- Proposals to Celebrate Bicentennial
- Public Service Announcements
- Ratification [Commemoration]- Jan 5, 1988
- Ratification [History Resources]
- Sales Items Official
- Speakers [list, available]
- Springfield Fair "Big E"
- Ralph Elliot's Speech - Soc[iety] of Prof[essional] Journalists
- Polaroid Celeb[ration] of Citizenship
- U.S. Commission - Resources Logo Licensees, etc.
- U.S. Commission: Annual Report, Misc. Info
- Typewriter State of CT Equipment
- Symposium Sept. 17, 1987 Registration
- St. Joseph College Program
- Commission Stationary and Supplies
- September 17th Constitution Day
- Sept. 17, 1987 Constitution Conference
- Program Master

Box 6 (cont.)

1987 Annual Report
Appendix to annual report
Research Historical Facts, Dates, etc.
Community Program Idea's
Time lines
Misc. [Janet B. Crooks Application for job]
U.S. State Commissions
DBC [Director Bicentennial Commission]
Program [Committee]
Education [Committee]
Inquiries [for information]
Thomas Jefferson Research Center Proposal
Johnson, William Samuel - Boothe Memorial Park Stratford

Box 7 News clipping files, 1987-1988 - New England Newsclip Agency, Inc.

Box 8 News clipping files, 1987 - New England Newsclip Agency, Inc.

Box 9 Legal size Items:

Plant a Living Legacy certificates, an official calendar,
proclamations from Chief Justice Ellen Peters, Governor
William O'Neill and President Ronald Reagan

Binders:

Bicentennial Regional Planning Conference
Connecticut Host Committee for Philip Morris Bill of Rights Tour
Minutes, 1986-1991
We the People: A Handbook on Community Forums on the
Constitution. Lucinda J. Peach, Ed.
National Conference of States on Bicentennial Planning

The staff transferred the following non-archival materials to the appropriate
CSL units for disposition as they determined:

State Librarian's Office:

Three bottles of California wine with Constitution theme labels

Museum of Connecticut History

Tan banner
2 sets McDonald's corporation food tray liners re the Bill of Rights
Christmas ornament depicting the official bicentennial logo
T-shirt with blue and white logo sold at Old State House
Clothe covered foam visor with logo
3'x5' National Nylon Flag with unofficial design (prototype)
5 commemorative stamp folders for first day issue of "statehood" stamps for
Delaware, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, and (2) Connecticut.
2 buttons with logo

Collections Management:

Klienknecht, C. Fred Anchor of Liberty
Peck, Robert S. and Mary Manemann Speaking and Writing Truth
Peck, Robert S. and Ralph S. Pollock The Blessings of Liberty:
Bicentennial Lectures at the National Archives
Enwall, Beverly Let's Celebrate America
We the People ... do ordain ...
New York Times, "A Young Citizen's Guide to the United States Constitution

Government Documents:

Plant a living legacy
Celebrate the Constitution
We the People
Soldier - Statesmen of the States
Celebrating the Bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution
National Constitution Bicentennial Events
Media Guide to the Bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution
We the People [Official Newsletter]
Celebrating Our Constitution
Guide to Celebrating the Bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution for
Connecticut Schools
Do ordain & establish ...
We the People [packet]
Book about our Constitutional Heritage
Evolution of the Constitution
About the Constitution
Reflections on America
Telling the Story of Our Constitution
Fully & Freely & Entirely
State/Local Affairs Update: A Model Bicentennial Program, 1987
A Guide to Celebrating the Bicentennial of the U.S. Constitution