Mabeth Hurd Paige Collection
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Biography

Mabeth Hurd Paige was born in Newburyport, Massachusetts in 1869 or 1870. She remained in Massachusetts through high school, after which she went on to attend the University of Nebraska at Lincoln, the Massachusetts Art School in Boston, and the Julian Art Academie in Paris, France. After returning to the United States in 1891, she settled in Minneapolis where she began work with the art department in the Minneapolis Public Schools.

In Minneapolis she became acquainted with James Paige, a professor of law at the University of Minnesota, and the two were married in 1895. James encouraged her to pursue a degree in law which Mabeth did, graduating from the University of Minnesota in 1900 and being admitted to the bar shortly thereafter. After law school she was active in a number of social and civic groups. She served as president of the Women’s Christian Association from 1910 to 1922, founded the Minnesota chapter of the League of Women’s Voters, and was also active with the Urban League, Minnesota Women's Cooperative Alliance, and various state and municipal boards and committees. She was also a delegate to the First International Congress of Women in Rome in 1923 as well as two successive congresses in Paris and Geneva.

In 1922 she ran for the Minnesota State House of Representatives seat for the 30th District (comprising parts of Downtown and North Minneapolis). She was elected and, along with three other women elected that year, became one of the state's first elected female legislators. She caucused with the Republican Party but was described as a "freelance" who was not beholden to a political party. She pursued a number of different legislative initiatives in the areas of public welfare, labor, education, and environmental protection. She served ten consecutive terms, retiring from her seat in 1945.

Later in life she continued to remain active in politics, serving on committees and commissions including the Minneapolis Charter Commission, the State Constitutional Commission, and the Governor's Interracial Commission.

She suffered a stroke in early 1961 and later died in Minneapolis on August 19, 1961. She was survived by her daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Paige Thompson.

Description of Collection

The collection consists of three boxes and one oversized container. One box contains personal correspondence and papers. The second box contains notes and typewritten transcripts related to her biography "Lady in Law". The third box contains unpublished manuscripts and speeches, as well as newspaper clippings.
Administrative Information

Publication Information
James K. Hosmer Special Collections Library Finding aid expanded and revised December 2013

Related Materials

Related Materials

Lady In Law, a Biography of Mabeth Hurd Paige by Darragh Aldrich. Multiple copies available in Special Collections  Lp143a1

Mabeth Hurd Paige, 1869-1961: Her Contributions as Humanitarian and Legislator by Caroline M. Erwin Thesis written by Mabeth Hurd Paige's granddaughter available in Special Collections  Lp143e1

Controlled Access Headings

Geographic Name(s)

- Minnesota -- Politics and government.

Subject(s)

- Politicians -- Minnesota.
- Women -- Suffrage -- Minnesota
- Women in politics -- Minnesota -- Minneapolis.
## Collection Inventory

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**Scope and Contents note**

Contains biographical summaries, tributes, and memorials written for various publications/events over the course of Paige's life and after her death.

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**Scope and Contents note**

Correspondence to or from Mabeth Hurd Paige.

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**Scope and Contents note**

Letter dated December 1, with "1914" added in pencil.
Letter: Wedding Plans undated

Scope and Contents note

"12-13-14" written in pencil at top of letter.

Letter undated

Scope and Contents note

Letter undated other than "1915" added at the top.

Letter undated

Scope and Contents note

Letter dated March 28, with "1916" added in pencil.

Letter: Princeton Morality and Spirituality February 15, 1910

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- Princeton University.
- Yale University.
Letter: Newspaper Article Anecdote May 6, 1910

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Interdenominational cooperation

Letter: New University of Minnesota President December 14, 1910

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

- Vincent, George E. (George Edgar), 1864-1941

Letters 1911-1912

Letter: Child Welfare Exhibit March 28, 1911

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Child Welfare Exhibit (1911 : Chicago, Ill.)

Letter April 19, 1911
Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

• University of Minnesota. Law School.

Subject(s)

• Convalescence

Letter April 24, 1911

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

• University of Minnesota. Law School.

Subject(s)

• Child Welfare Exhibit (1911 : Chicago, Ill.)

Letter May 24, 1911

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)
• Child Welfare Exhibit (1911 : Chicago, Ill.)

Letter May 29, 1911

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Child Welfare Exhibit (1911 : Chicago, Ill.)

Letter September 20, 1911

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

• University of Minnesota. Law School.

Letter October 25, 1911

Letter November 29, 1911

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Household employees
### Letter: Wedding Plans

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#### Controlled Access Headings

**Subject(s)**

- Household employees

### Letter: Christmas Thanks December 28, 1911

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**Subject(s)**

- Ventilation

### Letter: Stickney Books from the Chicago Historical Society May 20, 1912

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McCormick, Harriet Hammond, 1862-1921 Letter November 19, 1912

**Scope and Contents note**
Handwritten note to Harriet signed "Mother."

Letter November 25, 1912

Letters 1913-1914

Letter February 22, 1913

Letter: Charitable Financial Arrangements March 11, 1913

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Charitable contributions

Letter: Summer Plans, Harvester Litigation May 16, 1913

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Actions and defenses

Letter: Home Decor November 22, 1913

Controlled Access Headings
Subject(s)

- Interior decoration.

Letter: Christmas Greetings December 1, 1913

Letter: Travel Plans January 15, 1914

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- Lusitania. (Steamship)

Letter: Decorating Elizabeth's Room January 17, 1914

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Interior decoration.

Letter: Decorating Follow Up January 24, 1914

Scope and Contents note

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Interior decoration.

Letter: Furniture Arrangement February 4, 1914

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Interior decoration.

Letter: Cost of Home Decorating February 10, 1914

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Interior decoration.

Letter February 17, 1914

Letter August 17, 1914

Letter: To Cousin Lizzie September 1, 1914
Letter October 13, 1914

Scope and Contents note
Signature seems to read "M. H. Jaynes" writing on behalf of Harriet McCormick.

Letters 1915

Letter: Wedding Travel and Seating Arrangements January 27, 1915

Letter: To Cousin Lizzie, Travel Plans February 23, 1915

Letter March 19, 1915

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- World War, 1914-1918 -- America
- World War, 1914-1918 -- Public opinion, American

Letter March 24, 1915

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Charitable contributions
Letter March 27, 1915

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Charitable contributions

Letter December 8, 1915

Letter December 15, 1915

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- Princeton University. Triangle Club.

Letters 1916

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Letter: Decorating Advice, Hope Chapel January 20, 1916

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- Hope Chapel. (Minneapolis, Minn.)
Subject(s)

• Interior decoration.

Letter January 26, 1916

Letter February 19, 1916

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Murder & crime

Letter: Health Issues March 20, 1916

Scope and Contents note

Included is a letter referenced, and presumably originally enclosed, in the item: a letter from Mrs. Waterman, dated March 20, 1916, regarding Cousin Lizzy's health.

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Gallstones
• Older people -- Care

Letter: Health and Recovery Update March 24, 1916
Letter: Wedding Plans

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Gallstones

McCormick, Harriet Hammond, 1862-1921 Telegram March 27, 1916

Letter: Dr. Robinson's Honorary Degree April 14, 1916

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• World War, 1914-1918 -- Public opinion, American

Letter: Follow-up on Dr. Robinson's Honorary Degree April 24, 1916

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• World War, 1914-1918 -- Public opinion, American

Letter April 26, 1916

Letter: Typewriter Accomodations May 12, 1916
Letter: Wedding Plans

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Marriage and family life

Letter: Regarding Cousin Lizzy's Care June 24, 1916

Scope and Contents note

Included are letters referenced, and presumably originally enclosed, in the item: a letter from Mrs. Waterman to Harriet McCormick dated "Saturday before breakfast 1916" and a reply to Mrs. Waterman from Harriet McCormick dated June 8, 1916 both regarding care of Cousin Lizzy and her estate.

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Gallbladder -- Diseases
- Older people -- Care

Letter: Death of Cousin Lizzy, Treatment Plans July 7, 1916

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- Mayo Clinic.
Subject(s)

- Executors and administrators
- Obituaries

Letter: Follow-up on Cousin Lizzy's Estate July 29, 1916

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Executors and administrators

Letter: Home Decoration September 22, 1916

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Interior decoration.

Letters 1917

Letter: Visiting Plans January 11, 1917

Letter January 15, 1917

Letter January 29, 1917

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Charitable contributions

Letter February 2, 1917

Letter February 9, 1917

Letter June 18, 1917

Letter June 28, 1917


Letter September 4, 1917

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Canning and preserving
Letter: Boardinghouse Dining Etiquette September 11, 1917

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Table etiquette

Letter: Follow-up on Boardinghouse Dining Etiquette September 18, 1917

Scope and Contents note

Included with item is a clipping from the Chicago Daily Tribune ("How Mother of Our Country Rebuked Girls") referenced and enclosed with original letter.

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Table etiquette

Letter September 20, 1917

Letter December 28, 1917

Letters 1918-1920

Letter January 2, 1918
Letter February 23, 1918

Letter March 21, 1918

Letter May 9, 1918

Letter July 11, 1918

Letter September 13, 1918

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

• Young Women's Christian Association of the U.S.A..

Letter: Educational Initiatives March 13, 1919

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Nursing -- Education -- History -- 20th century

Letter: Elizabeth September 15, 1919

Controlled Access Headings
Personal Name(s)

- Paige, James, 1863-1940
- Thompson, Elizabeth Paige May

Subject(s)

- Child rearing -- Anecdotes
- Etiquette for women
- Parent and child

Letter March 25, 1920

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- League of Women Voters. (U.S.)

Letter March 27, 1920

Letter March 29, 1920

Letter April 13, 1920

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)
• League of Women Voters. (U.S.)

Letter April 26, 1920

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

• League of Women Voters. (U.S.)

Letter December 30, 1920

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• College women

Letters 1921

Telegram: Operation Delay January 4, 1921

Telegram: Update on Operation January 6, 1921

Telegram: Update on Harriet's Condition January 7, 1921

Telegram: Update on Harriet's Condition January 8, 1921
Telegram: Update on Harriet's Condition January 10, 1921

Telegram: Update on Harriet's Condition January 11, 1921

Telegram: Update on Harriet's Condition January 12, 1921

Telegram: Update on Harriet's Condition January 15, 1921

Telegram: Harriet's Relapse January 17, 1921

Telegram: Funeral Announcement (1) January 17, 1921

Telegram: Funeral Announcement (2) January 17, 1921

| Thompson, Elizabeth Paige May Elizabeth Paige undated, 1921-1945 (Bulk, 1921-1923) | Box 1 | Folder 9 |

**Scope and Contents note**

Elizabeth Paige May Thompson's correspondence, primarily from her mother (Mabeth Hurd Paige).

Letter undated

Letter: Campaign Anecdotes undated

**Scope and Contents note**

Handwritten note indicates letter may be from November, 1932.
Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Endorsements (Political)
- Political campaigns -- Minnesota.

Thompson, Elizabeth Paige May Letter: Election Congratulations undated

Scope and Contents note

Additional note in pencil at top of letter reads, "1934".

Letter March 22, 1921

Postcard: Travel Note Butte October 9, 1921

Postcard: Travel Note October 12, 1921

Scope and Contents note

Picture on postcard of buildings; caption reads, "Main St. looking west, Forsyth, Mont."

Paige, James, 1863-1940 Letter: College Advice September 27, 1922

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)
• Academic achievement

Paige, James, 1863-1940 Letter: College Courses and Campaign October 13, 1922

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Academic achievement
• Political campaigns -- Minnesota.

Faries, Anne G. Letter November 10, 1922

Letter January 26, 1923

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Bills, Legislative -- Minnesota.

Letter: Travel Plans April 12, 1923

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)
• Convention of International Woman Suffrage Alliance (1923 : Rome, Italy)

Letter: Alternative Travel Plans April 14, 1923

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Convention of International Woman Suffrage Alliance (1923 : Rome, Italy)

Letter April 18, 1923

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Convention of International Woman Suffrage Alliance (1923 : Rome, Italy)
• Women -- Suffrage

Letter May 8, 1923

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Christian pilgrims and pilgrimages -- Europe
• Europe -- Description and travel
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**Personal Name(s)**

- McCormick, Cyrus H. (Cyrus Hall), 1859-1936

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**Controlled Access Headings**

**Corporate Name(s)**


**Subject(s)**

- House buying

**Thompson, Elizabeth Paige May Letter: Lobbying February 21, 1945**

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**
- Lobbying.

### Paige, James, 1863-1940 James Paige undated, 1927

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- Postcard: The Twentieth Century Limited undated  Photograph of train with the words "The Twentieth Century Limited" printed on front. Postmark has been smudged; looks to read April 21, but year is illegible.

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

- Railroad travel.

- Postcard: Boats, Lloyd Sabaudo undated  Color reprint, painting of boats on front. Printed on back: "Lloyd Sabaudo Sede in Genova." Postmark date is faded/obscured; date reads April 23 of unknown year (might be 1927.)

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

- Travel -- Europe

- Letter: Travel Communication undated  Letterhead states: "New York Central Lines Twentieth Century Limited." Some of the handwritten print has bled from apparent moisture exposure.

**Controlled Access Headings**
Subject(s)

- Railroad travel.

Letter: Travel Description, Leaving from Rome to Florence undated  Letter written on stationary from Grand Hotel de Russie in Rome. Parts of handwritten text illegible due to smudging.

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Travel -- Europe

Letter: Travel Description, Leaving Italy undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Travel -- Europe

Letter: Travel Description, Florence undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Europe -- Description and travel
• Travel -- Europe

Letter undated

Scope and Contents note

Handwritten note in pencil at top of letter reads, "[April 1923]".

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

• McCormick, Cyrus H. (Cyrus Hall), 1859-1936

Telegram April 23, 1927

Letter: Travelling on the Conte Biancamano April 25, 1927

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Ocean liners

Letter: Conclusion of Voyage, Conte Biancamonte May 1, 1927

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)
• Ocean liners

Letter May 3, 1927

Scope and Contents note
Letter handwritten on "Marconigram" paper.

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Europe -- Description and travel

Letter May 6, 1927

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Europe -- Description and travel

Letter May 11, 1927

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Subject(s)
• Travel -- Social aspects

Hurd-Mead, Kate Campbell, 1867-1941 Kate Campbell Hurd-Mead undated, 1907-1924 (Bulk, 1920-1924)

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Letter undated

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

• Woman's Club of Minneapolis.

Letter undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Child rearing -- Anecdotes
• Household employees
• Marriage and family life

Hurd-Mead, Kate Campbell, 1867-1941 Letter: From Kate undated

Letter undated

Letter undated
Scope and Contents note

Letter is dated Wednesday, November 27; "1906?" added in pen.

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Child rearing -- Anecdotes
- Clothing and dress -- Purchasing
- Married people -- Finance, Personal

Letter undated

Scope and Contents note

Note in pen reads, "Spring 1921".

Letter undated

Scope and Contents note

Letter is dated November 5 in pen; additional note of "1924" and "Mabeth's second election to Legislature of Minnesota" written in pencil.

Letter October 19, 1907

Letter November 2, 1920

Letter February 24, 1921
Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- League of Women Voters. (U.S.)

Subject(s)

- Florida -- Description and travel
- South Carolina -- Description and travel
- Women -- Suffrage -- United States -- History
- Women in politics

Letter April 27, 1921

Letter May 17, 1921

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Women in medicine

Letter: Election Announcement November 8, 1922

Letter September 8, 1924

Letter October 29, 1924
Other Correspondence

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**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

- Women -- Housing
- Women -- Minnesota -- Societies and clubs.
- Working class women -- Minnesota -- Minneapolis.

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**Scope and Contents note**

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Huxmann, Eva Letter: Hope Chapel Play Preparation April 8, 1914

Letter August 9, 1915

Scope and Contents note
No signature, return address on envelope lists a Mrs. Richards in Winthrop, Massachusetts. Includes two fabric pieces.

Postcard June 2, 1923

Chapman, Joseph Letter: Support for Reelection to Legislature December 12, 1925

Letter: News about Cyrus H. McCormick January 16, 1926

Scope and Contents note
Letter noted as "VERY CONFIDENTIAL." Last name of signature is difficult to make out; name looks to read "Alice Hoit." Handwritten "and later Mrs. Cyrus McCormick" added to signature in different colored ink.

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

- McCormick, Cyrus H. (Cyrus Hall), 1859-1936

Telegram: Audition Stock January 3, 1927
Scope and Contents note

Telegram signed C.H.M.

Letter July 13, 1927

Scope and Contents note

Addressed to "Mother" from "Elliot". Maybe from son-in-law.

Milesi, Pietro Letter: Translated Copy of Doctor's Letter July 10, 1929

Scope and Contents note

Note at beginning states: "Copy of translation of letter from Prof. Doct. Pietro Milesi."

Youngquist, G. A. (Gustaf Aaron), 1885-1959 Letter: Female Lawyers February 14, 1930

Letter: Union City Mission February 10, 1932

Scope and Contents note

Signature illegible; on Union City Mission letterhead.

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

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Scope and Contents note

Contains first person narrative accounts of Paige's personal life and professional career, speeches and addresses given by Paige, and unpublished miscellaneous manuscripts. Series also contains research materials used in Paige's biography "Lady in Law" and materials related to Paige's granddaughter's master's thesis about Paige.

Personal and Professional undated, 1948-1950

Scope and Contents note

Subseries was accompanied by a memo from the Minneapolis Public Library noting, "This ms consist (sic) of a few notes in Mrs. Paige's handwriting, but, for the most part, of transcriptions from dictation--Mrs. Paige's reminiscences of her life. Mrs. Darragh Aldrich had access to these in writing her biography of Mrs. Paige, Lady in Law, though much of the material in the notes did not get into the book."

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

Paige, Mabeth Hurd, 1870-1961

Index and Notes undated, 1949

List of European Voyages March 26, 1949
Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- International travel.

Index undated

Notes undated

Outline Notes undated

Handwritten Notes undated

Scope and Contents note

Handwriting is mostly illegible; unclear whether notes are part of Mrs. Paige's autobiographical writings or Mrs. Aldrich's biography.

Charity and Society Work undated, 1949

Women's Christian Association Involvement undated

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- Women's Christian Association. (Minneapolis, Minn.)
Subject(s)

- Women in charitable work -- Minnesota -- Minneapolis.
- Women in community organization -- Minnesota.

Era of Mrs. Thorp, Hope Chapel, etc. undated

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- Women's Co-operative Alliance. (Minneapolis, Minn.)

Subject(s)

- Women -- Minnesota -- Societies and clubs.
- Women -- Suffrage -- Minnesota

Women's Christian Association - Further Notes undated

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- Women's Christian Association. (Minneapolis, Minn.)

Subject(s)
• Women -- Minnesota -- Societies and clubs.
• Women -- Services for -- Minnesota -- Minneapolis.

Hope Chapel, Riverside Chapel, Union City Mission undated

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

• Hope Chapel. (Minneapolis, Minn.)
• Riverside Chapel. (Minneapolis, Minn.)
• Union City Mission. (Minneapolis, Minn.)

Subject(s)

• Parish missions

Beginnings of Phillis Wheatley House undated

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

• Phyllis Wheatley Settlement House. (Minneapolis, Minn.)

Subject(s)

• Race relations.
Presidency of Women's Christian Association - 1921 undated

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- Women's Christian Association. (Minneapolis, Minn.)

Subject(s)

- Women -- Housing

Woman's Club undated

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- Woman's Club of Minneapolis.

Subject(s)

- Women -- Minnesota -- Minneapolis -- Societies and clubs.
- Women -- Suffrage -- Minnesota

Fill-In Notes: Church Work undated

Controlled Access Headings
Corporate Name(s)

- Hope Chapel. (Minneapolis, Minn.)

Subject(s)

- Church entertainments

Vocational High School undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Women -- Vocational education

Vocational Building January 3, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Women -- Vocational education

Fill-In Notes: Amalie Langdon undated

Scope and Contents note
Item title reflects ms spelling of "Amalie." Per LC authority, linked to name with correct spelling of "Amelie."

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

• Langdon, Amelie

Notes: Women's Cooperative Alliance January 5, 1949

Scope and Contents note

Correspondence from Mabeth Paige regarding a section in ongoing manuscript.

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

• Women's Co-operative Alliance. (Minneapolis, Minn.)

Mabeth Paige Hall undated

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

• Women's Christian Association. (Minneapolis, Minn.)
### Trips to Europe undated, 1948-1949

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

- Europe -- Description and travel

### World's Fair, Kate's Wedding, Trip to Europe undated

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

- Travel -- Europe
- World’s Columbian Exposition (1893 : Chicago, Ill.)

### Kate's Wedding Trip undated

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

- Norway -- Description and travel

### Panic of 1893, Further Details of First European Trip undated
Trip to Europe with Miss Bovey in 1927 December 15, 1948

Lindbergh in Paris March 26, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

- Lindbergh, Charles A. (Charles Augustus), 1902-1974

1929 Trip to Europe, Illness in Rome undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Convalescence

English Nurse in Rome March 26, 1949

Harriet McCormick, Kate Campbell Hurd-Mead undated, 1948-1949

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

- Hurd-Mead, Kate Campbell, 1867-1941
• McCormick, Harriet Hammond, 1862-1921

Harriet's Assistance, Law School (1895) undated

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

• McCormick, Harriet Hammond, 1862-1921

Subject(s)

• Minnesota -- Description and travel

Visit to Gloucester and to Kate undated

Kate's Death undated

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

• Hurd-Mead, Kate Campbell, 1867-1941
• Mead, William Edward, 1860-1949

Subject(s)
• Funeral service.

Fill-In Notes: Visit with my Mother in Chicago undated

Harriet undated

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

• McCormick, Harriet Hammond, 1862-1921

Subject(s)

• Child welfare -- United States

Harriet's Death, Memorial December 8, 1948

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

• Young Women's Christian Association of the U.S.A..

Personal Name(s)

• McCormick, Cyrus H. (Cyrus Hall), 1859-1936
Personal and Professional

- McCormick, Harriet Hammond, 1862-1921

Anecdote April 2, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

- McCormick, Cyrus H. (Cyrus Hall), 1859-1936

More Notes on Harriet's Death April 9, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

- McCormick, Harriet Hammond, 1862-1921

Childhood, Schooling undated

Religion undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Revivals
• United States -- Religion

Political Notes undated

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

• Labor movement--United States
• Presidential candidates -- United States.
• World War, 1914-1918.

Adolphus W. Greeley undated

**Scope and Contents note**

Title reflects incorrect spelling of Greely's name, "Greeley," throughout item.

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Personal Name(s)**

• Greely, A. W. (Adolphus Washington), 1844-1935

**Subject(s)**

• Lady Franklin Bay Expedition (1881-1884)

Adolescence in Newburyport undated
Art School Period undated

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

- Art -- Study and teaching

Law School 1895 undated

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

- Law -- Study and teaching

Post-Graduate Work undated

Wedding, Early Years in Minneapolis undated

Trip to Europe, Wedding Plans undated

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

- Betrothal -- United States
Wedding 1895 undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Europe -- Description and travel
• Marriage and family life
• Weddings

Fill-In Notes: Wedding undated

Return to Minneapolis After Wedding Journey undated

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

• University of Minnesota. Law School.

Personal Name(s)

• Mead, William Edward, 1860-1949

Subject(s)

• Church services
• Marriage and family life
• Parish missions

More About First Days in Minneapolis undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Church services
• Colorado -- Description and travel
• Cycling
• Prayer meetings

School Teaching Period in Minneapolis undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Art -- Teaching
• Travel -- Anecdotes

Daughter Elizabeth, Paige Family undated, 1948-1949

Birth of Elizabeth, Alaskan Trip undated

Scope and Contents note

Papers include fill-in notes on related topics.
Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Alaska -- Description and travel
- Child rearing -- Anecdotes
- Funeral service.
- Muir Glacier (Alaska)

Elizabeth's Schooling undated

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- Wellesley College.

Personal Name(s)

- Thompson, Elizabeth Paige May

Subject(s)

- Schools -- Minnesota -- Minneapolis.

Trip to Europe with Elizabeth undated

Fill-In Notes: Trip to Europe with Elizabeth in 1922 December 15, 1948
Elizabeth's Weddings February 12, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

• Thompson, Elizabeth Paige May

Subject(s)

• Divorce and remarriage
• Marriage and family life

Fill-In Notes: Elizabeth April 21, 1948

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

• Thompson, Elizabeth Paige May

Elizabeth's Wedding December 1, 1948

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)
• Thompson, Elizabeth Paige May

Subject(s)

• Weddings

Death of Jaime's Mother undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Parents-in-law

Precis of Paige History February 9, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

• Paige, James, 1863-1940

Subject(s)

• Marriage and family life
• Parish missions

Fill-In Notes: Paige Family undated
Scope and Contents note

Includes brief notes on James Paige's siblings and "The Tillies."

Life and Travel with Jamie undated, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

• Paige, James, 1863-1940

Subject(s)

• Marriage and family life
• Travel -- Anecdotes

Life with Jamie (Trips, etc.) February 2, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

• University of Minnesota. Law School.

Subject(s)

• Alaska -- Description and travel
• Colorado -- Description and travel

Trips to Canadian Rockies and Glacier Park undated

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

• Canadian Rockies (B.C. and Alta.) -- Description and travel
• Glacier National Park (Mont.) -- Description and travel

Yellowstone Park Trips undated

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

• Yellowstone National Park -- Description and travel

Notes on Trips March 26, 1949

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

• Travel -- Anecdotes
Additional Notes on Texas Trip February 21, 1949

Money Affairs undated

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

• McCormick, Harriet Hammond, 1862-1921

Subject(s)

• Married people -- Finance, Personal

Life with Jamie February 9, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

• League of Women Voters. (U.S.)

Subject(s)

• College sports.

St. Croix Cabin undated
Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Vacation homes

Mr. Paige and University Football undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- College sports -- Moral and ethical aspects
- University of Minnesota -- Football -- History

Deans of the Law School undated

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- University of Minnesota. Law School.

Jamie's Last Years May 4, 1949

Suffrage Movement, League of Women Voters, National Conventions undated, 1948-1950 2 10
Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

• League of Women Voters. (U.S.)

Subject(s)

• Women -- Suffrage -- United States -- History

Suffrage Movement undated

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

• Ueland, Clara, 1860-1927

Subject(s)

• Women -- Suffrage -- Minnesota

Suffrage Society undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)
• Political campaigns -- Minnesota.
• Women in politics

League of Women Voters undated

Suffrage Society and League of Women Voters, Further Notes undated

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

• Catt, Carrie Chapman, 1859-1947
• Hebard, Grace Raymond, 1861-1936
• Park, Maud Wood, 1871-1955

Subject(s)

• Women -- Suffrage -- Minnesota
• Women in politics

More Notes on Suffrage undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Women -- Suffrage -- Minnesota
Fill in Notes on Suffrage December 15, 1948

Mrs. Andreas Ueland March 12, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

- Ueland, Clara, 1860-1927

Presidential Conventions of 1920 undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Democratic National Convention (1920 : San Francisco, Calif.)
- Presidential campaigns -- United States
- Republican National Convention (1920 : Chicago, Ill.)

National Convention Notes December 8, 1948

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Democratic National Convention (1920 : San Francisco, Calif.)
1940 Republican Convention May 4, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

- Willkie, Wendell L. (Wendell Lewis), 1892-1944

Subject(s)

- Presidential campaigns -- United States
- Republican National Convention (1940 : Philadelphia, Pa.)

The Pan-American Congress January 11, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

- Catt, Carrie Chapman, 1859-1947

Subject(s)

- Women -- Suffrage
Pan American Congress in 1921 January 14, 1950

International Woman Suffrage Alliance Conventions undated, 1948-1949

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- International Alliance of Women.

International Suffrage Alliance Convention in Rome in 1923 undated

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

- Mussolini, Benito, 1883-1945

Subject(s)

- Convention of International Woman Suffrage Alliance (1923 : Rome, Italy)
- International travel.
- Peace movements -- International cooperation
- Women -- Suffrage

Further Notes on 1923 Congress in Rome December 15, 1948

Controlled Access Headings
Subject(s)

- Convention of International Woman Suffrage Alliance (1923 : Rome, Italy)
- Married women -- Legal status, laws, etc

Excerpts from Mrs. Maud Wood Park's Notes on the Rome Convention undated

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

- Mussolini, Benito, 1883-1945
- Park, Maud Wood, 1871-1955

Subject(s)

- Convention of International Woman Suffrage Alliance (1923 : Rome, Italy)
- Peace movements -- International cooperation
- Women -- Suffrage

Trip to Paris in 1926 March 26, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Convention of International Woman Suffrage Alliance (1926 : Paris, France)
Paris Convention in 1926 December 15, 1948

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Convention of International Woman Suffrage Alliance (1926 : Paris, France)

Convention in Berlin in 1929 January 11, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Convention of International Woman Suffrage Alliance (1929 : Berlin, Germany)

1929 Congress in Berlin December 15, 1948

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Convention of International Woman Suffrage Alliance (1929 : Berlin, Germany)

Decision to Run for Legislature, Campaign Notes undated, 1948-1949

Decision to Run for Legislature undated
Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Women in politics

Campaign for the Legislature undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Women -- Political activity -- Minnesota

The Organized Unemployed January 3, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Unemployed -- Minnesota.

Campaign of 1931 Against Shirley Edleston May 24, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)
• Edleston, Shirley

Subject(s)

• Political campaigns -- Minnesota.

Campaign Anecdote January 3, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Political campaigns -- Minnesota.

Anecdote January 11, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Artificial limbs

After My First Campaign November 10, 1948

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)
End of First Session in Legislature April 9, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- Minnesota. Legislature.

Subject(s)

- Women in politics

Legislative Procedures undated, 1948-1949

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- Minnesota. Legislature.

Subject(s)

- Minnesota. Legislature -- Rules and practice

Legislative Notes December 1, 1948
Speaker of the House, Duties, etc. May 28, 1949

Visitors to the Legislature May 28, 1949

Luncheons and Dinners at the Legislature May 28, 1949

Women Legislators undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Women in politics

Passage of a Bill April 9, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Bills, Legislative -- Minnesota.

Explanatory Notes December 8, 1948

| Legislative Activities undated, 1948-1950 | 2 | 14 |
| Legislature undated |
Scope and Contents note

Unlike the other writings included in the manuscript of Paige's reminiscences, this is written in the third person and may not have been written/dictated by Paige. Includes information about Paige's legislative career including campaign information, committee assignments, and legislative activity.

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Bills, Legislative -- Minnesota.
- Political campaigns -- Minnesota.

Organization of House of Representatives (Pre-Session Caucuses) undated

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)


Subject(s)

- Minnesota. Legislature -- Leadership
- Minnesota. Legislature -- Rules and practice

Legislative Memoranda November 17, 1948

Controlled Access Headings
Subject(s)

- Pensions -- Law and legislation -- United States
- Public welfare -- Law and legislation

Special and Extra Sessions May 4, 1949

Organization of Legislature December 29, 1948

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Bills, Legislative -- Minnesota.
- Minnesota. Legislature -- Rules and practice

Women Working in the Legislature April 9, 1949

Session of 1935 - Correction May 24, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Demonstrations

Two Memorable Parties I Gave May 24, 1949
My St. Paul Apartment May 24, 1949

Alice Fraser May 24, 1949

Prohibition Amendment undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Prohibition -- Social aspects -- United States -- History

Period of Re-election in 1940 and Session of 1941 January 14, 1950

Scope and Contents note

Page two of item is dated January 16, 1949, but seems to be a continued thought from page one. All other pages of item are dated January 14, 1950.

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

- Stassen, Harold Edward, 1907-2001
- Willkie, Wendell L. (Wendell Lewis), 1892-1944

Subject(s)
- Republican National Convention (1940 : Philadelphia, Pa.)

1942 and Session of 1943 January 14, 1950

Scope and Contents note

Last page of item dated January 16, 1950.

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

- Stassen, Harold Edward, 1907-2001

Subject(s)

- Political campaigns -- Minnesota.

Legislative Bills (1) undated, 1948-1949

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Bills, Legislative -- Minnesota.

Divorce on Grounds of Insanity undated

Psychopathic Hospital November 10, 1948
**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

- Psychiatric hospitals

**Psychopathic Hospital Bill December 8, 1948**

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

- Bills, Legislative -- Minnesota.

**Small Loan Bills November 10, 1948**

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Personal Name(s)**

- Stassen, Harold Edward, 1907-2001

**Subject(s)**

- Public welfare -- Law and legislation
- Usury laws -- Minnesota

**Additional Small Loan Information June 2, 1948**
Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Usury laws -- Minnesota

Small Loan Bill: Collins-Paige Conversation undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Usury laws -- Minnesota

Common-Law Marriage undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Common law marriage
• Marriage law
• Public welfare -- Law and legislation

Marriage Laws November 10, 1948

Controlled Access Headings
Subject(s)

- Common law marriage
- Marriage law

Five Day Waiting Period undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Marriage law

Notes on Collins-Paige Conversation undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Bills, Legislative -- Minnesota.

Part Time School Bill November 10, 1948

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- High school dropouts -- Education
• Vocational education

One Day Rest in Seven November 10, 1948

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Labor laws and legislation

Mississippi River and Sewage Problem November 17, 1948

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Mississippi River -- Environmental aspects
• Water quality -- Minnesota -- Twin Cities Metropolitan Area

Minnesota Equal Rights Law April 15, 1949

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Subject(s)

• Equal rights amendments
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Fill-In Notes: Child Labor December 15, 1948

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Subject(s)

- Child welfare -- United States

Unemployment Compensation undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Unemployment insurance

Narcotics Laws in Minnesota undated

Narcotics Bills December 8, 1948

Scope and Contents note

Two copies of second page are included, but first page was not found with rest of collection.

Housing December 22, 1948

Controlled Access Headings
Subject(s)

- Low-income housing -- Law and legislation

Housing January 26, 1949

Scope and Contents note

Two copies of this item are included.

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Low-income housing -- Law and legislation
- Public welfare -- Minnesota -- Minneapolis.

Housing Bills March 12, 1949

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Subject(s)

- Low-income housing -- Law and legislation

Bills on Working Conditions undated

Controlled Access Headings
Subject(s)

- Labor laws and legislation

Legislative Notes and Impressions undated, 1948-1950

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- Minnesota Legislature.

Subject(s)

- Legislators -- Minnesota -- Anecdotes

Legislative Remarks February 21, 1949

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Corporate Name(s)


Anecdotes December 1, 1948

Controlled Access Headings
Subject(s)

- Political campaigns -- Minnesota.

Legislative Impressions February 9, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Corporate Name(s)

- Farmer-Labor Party (Minn.).

Subject(s)

- Minnesota. Legislature -- Rules and practice
- Women legislators -- Minnesota

Legislative Notes undated

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

- LaDu, Blanche

Subject(s)

- Appointment to office
• Governors -- Minnesota
• Inmates of institutions

Legislative Anecdote December 29, 1948

Legislative Anecdote (Hennepin County Delegation) March 26, 1949

Legislative Anecdote February 17, 1950

Governor Stassen May 24, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

• Stassen, Harold Edward, 1907-2001

Subject(s)

• Bills, Legislative -- Minnesota.

Governor Thye May 28, 1949

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)
• Thye, Edward John, 1896-1969

Hannah Kempfer April 9, 1949

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Personal Name(s)**

• Kempfer, Hannah, 1880-1943

Illegitimate Children Bill May 24, 1949

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

• Bills, Legislative -- Minnesota.

Floyd Olson March 12, 1949

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Personal Name(s)**

• Benson, Elmer Austin, 1895-1985
• Olson, Floyd Björnstjerne, 1891-1936

Notes on Floyd Olson Regime May 4, 1949
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Subject(s)

• Political campaigns -- Minnesota.

Notes on Governor Preus March 12, 1949

Post-Retirement Appointments undated, 1950 2 18

Minneapolis City Charter Commission February 8, 1950

Controlled Access Headings

Geographic Name(s)

• Minneapolis (Minn.) -- Politics and government.

Advisory Council of the Division of Employment and Security February 8, 1950

The Governor’s Interracial Commision February 8, 1950

Appointment to Interracial Commission undated

Minneapolis Police Survey Committee February 8, 1950

State Constitutional Commission February 8, 1950
**Aldrich, Darragh, 1884-1967  Lady in Law Biography Materials undated, 1949**

**Scope and Contents note**

Research materials and partial drafts of Aldrich's biography of Paige, "Lady in Law."

**Interview Subjects Biographical Information undated**

**Notes Taken During Mrs. Aldrich's Conversation with Miss Horr and Miss Mitchell June 10, 1949**

**Interview Notes: Mrs. Paige's Personality undated**

**Interview Notes: Lobbying undated**

**Interview Notes: Bills Mrs. Paige Worked On June 10, 1949**

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

- Bills, Legislative -- Minnesota.

**Remarks made by Mrs. Clapesattle, as Reported by Mrs. Aldrich undated**

**Prologue Draft undated**

**Scope and Contents note**
Item dated November 12, either 1945 or 1948.

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Report on Young Women's Club of Hope Chapel undated

Campaign Questions and Answers undated

Scope and Contents note

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Subject(s)

- Women -- Minnesota -- Minneapolis -- Societies and clubs.

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Women in politics

Women's Christian Association Communication undated
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**Subject(s)**

- Convention of International Woman Suffrage Alliance (1923 : Rome, Italy)

| Personal Experiences in the Ruhr undated | 3 | 1 |

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**Subject(s)**

- Ruhr River Valley (Germany) -- Social conditions

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**Subject(s)**

- Women -- Employment -- Law and legislation

| Legislative Communication April 17, 1939 | 3 | 1 |
Item is addressed to "Mr. H. A. Lux, Editor"; last paragraph indicates this was meant to be published in some form.

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

- Minnesota. Legislature -- Rules and practice

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**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

- Public welfare -- Law and legislation

Women in Public Life undated

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**Scope and Contents note**

Item seems to be missing pages; last page ends without finishing sentence.

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

- Women civic leaders
- Women in charitable work
- Women in politics

Statement: Decision Not to File for Legislature 1945 undated

Scope and Contents note

First paragraph notes statement is responding to a "request of the Star Journal and the Tribune."

A Diary Account of the Campaign for the Legislature undated

Scope and Contents note

Includes two copies of item. Second copy missing pages 16-17.

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Subject(s)

• Political campaigns -- Minnesota.

An Anecdote undated

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Subject(s)

• Political campaigns -- Minnesota.

The Relationship of Church and Politics undated
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### Subject(s)

- Legislation -- Moral and ethical aspects -- United States
- Prohibition.
- Religion and politics

### Speeches and Addresses undated, 1929-1932

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### Controlled Access Headings

### Subject(s)

- Speeches, addresses, etc.

### Women and the Peace Movement undated

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### Scope and Contents note

Manuscript is undated but refers to the Womans Congress in Rome (1923) "last May".

### Controlled Access Headings

### Corporate Name(s)

- League of Nations.
### Subject(s)

- Convention of International Woman Suffrage Alliance (1923: Rome, Italy)
- Peace movements -- International cooperation
- Women and peace

Norway Women undated 3 4

### Controlled Access Headings

**Corporate Name(s)**

- Girls' Vocational High School. (Minneapolis, Minn.)

**Personal Name(s)**

- Fish, Elizabeth
Subject(s)

- Women -- Vocational education

Aesthetics in Education undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Aesthetics
  - Art -- Study and teaching

Philanthropy Presentation Outline undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Child welfare -- United States
  - Health and disease in society

Radio Speech: First Days of the Legislature undated

Scope and Contents note

Note in ink reads, "WCCO Jan. 22 1927" with "22" crossed out.

Controlled Access Headings
Corporate Name(s)

- Minnesota. Legislature.

Subject(s)

- Bills, Legislative -- Minnesota.
- Minnesota. Legislature -- Leadership
- Minnesota. Legislature -- Rules and practice

Talking Points for Legislative Issues undated

Scope and Contents note

Set of index cards featuring talking points and handwritten notes about legislative issues, especially in regards to marriage legislation.

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Bills, Legislative -- Minnesota.
- Marriage law

Women Past and Present undated

Scope and Contents note
Two copies of item included. Handwritten note on first page of first copy seems to read, "Given at St. James Colored Church [illegible] 36." Includes handwritten notes in text and back of pages.

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Personal Name(s)**

- Addams, Jane, 1860-1935
- Barton, Clara, 1821-1912
- Nightingale, Florence, 1820-1910
- Shaw, Anna Howard, 1847-1919

**Subject(s)**

- Women civic leaders
- Women in charitable work

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Ten Days in Rome undated

**Scope and Contents note**

Note in pencil reads, "[1929?]".

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Personal Name(s)**

- Mussolini, Benito, 1883-1945
Subject(s)

- Politics and culture -- Italy -- 20th century

Audience with the Pope undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Vatican Palace (Vatican City) -- Social life and customs

Arguments Supporting Introduced Bills undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Bills, Legislative -- Minnesota.
- High school dropouts -- Education
- Psychiatric hospitals

Radio Talk: Federation of Women's Clubs February 2, 1931

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)
• Child welfare -- Minnesota
• Educational law and legislation -- Minnesota

Radio Comments: Women in Public Affairs undated

Scope and Contents note
Two copies of item included. First copy has handwritten notes on back of last page. In second copy, "Women in Politics" is handwritten in ink at top of first page.

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Women in politics

Women in Politics undated

Scope and Contents note
"Women in Politics 1920s possibly" is handwritten in ink at top of item. Next to this, "L of W Voter's 1920 Speech" has been crossed out. Note in pencil reads, "Be somebody [illegible]."

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Women in politics
### Speech Precis: Psychiatric Clinic undated

**Subject(s)**

- Bills, Legislative -- Minnesota.
- Interest -- Law and legislation
- Public welfare -- Law and legislation

### Radio Speech, WCCO: Public Welfare Committee March 21, 1929

**Subject(s)**

- Bills, Legislative -- Minnesota.
- Child welfare -- Minnesota
- Legislation -- Social aspects
- Public welfare -- Law and legislation

### What are Laws undated

**Subject(s)**

- Bills, Legislative -- Minnesota.
- Child welfare -- Minnesota
- Legislation -- Social aspects
- Public welfare -- Law and legislation

### Notes: Women's Progress undated

**Subject(s)**

- Bills, Legislative -- Minnesota.
- Child welfare -- Minnesota
- Legislation -- Social aspects
- Public welfare -- Law and legislation
• Male domination (Social structure)
• Minnesota. Legislature -- Rules and practice
• Women in charitable work

Justice undated

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Corporate Name(s)**

• Phyllis Wheatley Settlement House. (Minneapolis, Minn.)

Notes: League of Women Voters and Democracy undated

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Corporate Name(s)**

• League of Women Voters. (U.S.)

Responses undated

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

• Women in politics
Speech: State League Convention of 1929 1929

Scope and Contents note
Item notes speech given in Fall of 1929.

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

• Harrison, Elizabeth Wood Hunt

Talk: Response to Governor Stassen's Inaugural Address undated

Scope and Contents note
Two copies of item are included.

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

• Stassen, Harold Edward, 1907-2001

Subject(s)

• Bills, Legislative -- Minnesota.

Speech: Women's Centennial Congress of 1940 undated
Scope and Contents note

Item is undated but references being given at the "Woman's Centennial Congress of 1940."

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Sex discrimination against women
- Women's Centennial Congress (1940 : New York, N.Y.)
- World War, 1939-1945 -- Participation -- Female
- World War, 1939-1945.

Campaign Speech for Thye and Youngdahl undated

Scope and Contents note

Handwritten note at top seems to read, "Radio shot WTCN June 25."

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

- Thye, Edward John, 1896-1969
- Youngdahl, Luther W., 1896-1978

Subject(s)

- Political campaigns -- Minnesota.
Radio Speech: Human Welfare vs. Game and Fish undated

**Scope and Contents note**

Includes duplicate copy of first page. Handwritten note on first page reads, "Stassen Governor 1939 Bill."

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

- Marriage law
- Public welfare -- Law and legislation

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What Women Should Know About Legislation March 21, 1932

**Scope and Contents note**

Attached to last page is a newspaper clipping with this quote from the Washington Star: "'War ends no argument,' said Hi Ho, the sage of Chinatown. 'When a man faithfully believes he is right, you cannot convince him he is wrong, even by killing him.'"

**Controlled Access Headings**

**Subject(s)**

- Public welfare -- Law and legislation
- Women in politics
Politics and Religion undated

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Subject(s)

• Legislation -- Moral and ethical aspects -- United States
• Religion and politics

Woman as Legislator undated

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Subject(s)

• Political campaigns -- Minnesota.
• Women in politics

Race Relations undated

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Subject(s)

• African Americans -- Social conditions
• Racism

Cooperation in the Household undated
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Subject(s)

• Marriage and family life
• Sexual division of labor

Christianity and Governance undated

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

• Legislation -- Social aspects
• Religion and politics

Women in the European Regime undated

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Subject(s)

• Sex discrimination against women
• Women civic leaders

Women and Governance undated

Scope and Contents note
Item seems to be incomplete; last page ends without completing sentence.

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Subject(s)

- Minnesota. Legislature -- Rules and practice
- Women -- Political activity -- Minnesota

Pan-American Congress undated

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Personal Name(s)

- Astor, Nancy Witcher Langhorne Astor, Viscountess, 1879-1964

Subject(s)

- Public welfare -- International cooperation

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Scope and Contents note

Contains abstract and correspondence related to Erwin's Master's thesis about Paige.

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### Memberships and Affiliations

#### Personal Name(s)

- Paige, Mabeth Hurd, 1870-1961

#### An Abstract on the Life of Mabeth Hurd Paige September 17, 1964

Thesis Correspondence 1964-1965

**Dissertation:** Mabeth Hurd Paige, 1869-1961; Her Contributions as Humanitarian and Legislator by Caroline M. Erwin January, 1965  Typed manuscript.

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#### Scope and Contents note

Contains materials produced by or for the various social, charitable, and political organizations to which Paige belonged.
### Newspaper Clippings 1911-1961, 1997

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#### Scope and Contents note

Preservation photocopies of newspaper clippings referencing Paige. Bulk of clippings pertain to Paige's legislative and public welfare work.

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#### Unidentified Photographs and Postcards undated

Scope and Contents note

Group of twelve unidentified, undated photographs (possibly from travels) and three copies of a blank postcard with a photograph of a home on the front.
## Awards and Certificates

### Scope and Contents note

Two campaign cards (1922, 1938) and one flier. Flier likely from 1942; date handwritten in ink at bottom.

### Awards and Certificates 1938-1953

#### Scope and Contents note

Awards and certificates bestowed on Paige recognizing professional achievements and appointments. Includes election and Bar Association certificates, committee appointments, and awards for service.

### Book

Book: *Lady in Law; a Biography of Mabeth Hurd Paige* by Darragh Aldrich 1950  Autographed by Paige and Aldrich.