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Title: Albert B. Fall Papers, 1851-1928 (bulk 1922-1928)

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Biography

Albert Bacon Fall was born November 21, 1861, in Frankfort, Kentucky, where he first studied law. In 1883 Fall married Emma Garland Morgan in Clarksville, Texas, and came to New Mexico in 1885. He settled in Kingston in 1886 where he prospected for gold and silver, worked as an underground miner and a cowboy, and became friends with Edward L. Doheny, a fellow prospector and miner. In 1887 Fall moved to Las Cruces, where he continued studying law.

In 1888 Fall entered frontier politics as a Democratic candidate for the New Mexico Territorial Legislature, the only election he ever lost. He was admitted to the Territorial Bar in 1889 and opened his first law office, beginning his legal career as a specialist in Mexican law, Southwestern resources, and water rights. In 1889 Fall was elected to the Dona Ana Board of Acequia Commissioners; in 1890 he was elected to the New Mexico Territorial House of Representatives (Lower House), was selected Floor Leader, and appointed Chairman of the Judiciary Committee. In 1892 he was elected to the Territorial Council (Upper House). In March 1893 President Grover Cleveland appointed him Residing Judge for the Third Judicial District of New Mexico and Associate Justice of the Territorial Supreme Court. He resigned that post in February 1895.

In 1896 Fall was reelected to the Territorial Senate and in 1897 was appointed Solicitor General for the Territory. Fall served as president of the New Mexico Bar Association in 1897. In March 1898 during the Spanish-American War he enlisted in the 1st Voluntary Infantry, was commissioned captain, and served until 1899. Following the New Mexico Statehood Convention in 1901, Fall was appointed a Democratic delegate and went to Washington, D. C. in the cause of statehood. He was reelected to the territorial council in 1902, his last political office as a Democrat.

Severing his connections with the Democrats he became a Republican in 1902. His legal and political reputation grew, his El Paso firm prospered, and in 1906 he purchased Tres Ritos (Three Rivers) Ranch which figured prominently in later Senate investigations. In April 1907 Fall was again appointed Attorney General (formerly Solicitor General) of New Mexico Territory. Fall was a Republican delegate to the 1911 New Mexico Constitutional Convention and participated in framing the state constitution.

Elected by the New Mexico legislature to the U. S. Senate in 1912, Fall was one of the first two senators from the new State of New Mexico. Re-elected, he served in the Senate until March 4, 1921. Appointed to the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations in 1918, he served as Chair of the Senate Subcommittee to Investigate Mexican Affairs where he was a staunch advocate for the protection of American property and lives in revolutionary Mexico. On March 5, 1921, President Harding appointed him Secretary of the Interior. Fall served two years, resigning March 4, 1923, to return to private legal practice.

On April 7, 1922, Interior Secretary Fall leased the Teapot Dome Oil Reserves to Harry F. Sinclair and on December 11, 1922, leased the Elk Hills Oil Reserves to Edward L. Doheny. The Doheny agreement also provided for the construction of extensive storage tanks at Pearl Harbor for refined naval fuel oil reserves to fortify against an anticipated attack by the Japanese in the Pacific. In 1923 Congressional investigations began which revealed that Sinclair had purchased a 1/3 interest in Fall's Tres Ritos Ranch, and that Doheny had lent Fall \$100,000 in 1921 to purchase land, newly offered for sale, which was adjacent to Tres Ritos and controlled its water supply. The Congressional investigations resulted

in criminal prosecutions against Fall, Doheny and Sinclair. Fall became the center of the famous Teapot Dome scandal which was a major campaign issue in the 1924 presidential election during which Democrats alleged that widespread corruption was rampant among Republicans in Harding's Administration.

Fall, Sinclair, and Doheny were acquitted of conspiracy to defraud the United States. Sinclair was found guilty of contempt and served nine months. In October 1929 Fall was convicted of receiving a \$100,000 bribe from Doheny. Doheny was later acquitted of bribery respecting the same bribe for which Fall was convicted. Both cases were tried by the same judge in the same court, with the same two federal prosecutors and the same defense counsel. Fall was sentenced to a year in prison and a \$100,000 fine, the only defendant convicted in the original cases stemming from the 1923-24 Senate investigations.

During his bribery trial, Fall's failing health worsened and he suffered a hemorrhage of the lungs. A panel of four Court-appointed doctors thereafter declared him too ill to continue the trial, stating his life would be endangered, but Fall insisted the trial proceed. Due to his fragile condition, he had to be carried in and out of court, constantly attended by a nurse. In April 1931 Fall lost his appeal before the U.S. Court of Appeals, ending eight years of investigation and litigation. Showing compassion for Fall's condition, the Department of Justice allowed one day to be tacked onto his sentence, making Fall eligible to serve his sentence as a Federal prisoner in the New Mexico State Penitentiary at Santa Fe, near a good hospital and close to his family. Driven by ambulance from El Paso, Fall entered prison July 20, 1931. During his entire incarceration he remained confined to his bed in the prison hospital, where he was diagnosed with multiple illnesses including chronic tuberculosis. After serving nine months, Fall was released May 9, 1932, again departing in an ambulance.

The first presidential cabinet member to be convicted and imprisoned for a felony committed while in public office, the scandal tainted Fall permanently. It ruined his career, eclipsed his prior achievements, and marked him for unsavory renown in every general account of American history. He spent his last years in near poverty, his health broken and his reputation destroyed. In 1929 after other creditors foreclosed on Fall's mortgage, E. L. Doheny acquired control of Tres Ritos Ranch and subsequently foreclosed on Fall for failure to repay the \$100,000 loan, allowing Fall to continue living on the ranch for a nominal rent. Fall was evicted in 1936 following Doheny's death. He died November 30, 1944, in the Hotel Dieu, a Catholic hospital in El Paso. For the remainder of his life Fall insisted that his transactions with Sinclair and Doheny were legitimate business loans, totally disassociated from the leasing of the naval oil reserves.

Scope and Content

The collection contains papers covering 1851-1931, and includes correspondence, newspaper clippings; congressional records dealing with the oil scandals and Mexican affairs; and legal transcripts and briefs relating to court cases. It is divided into eight series.

Correspondence Relating to the Oil Scandals, 1921-1928

Contains correspondence and documents relating to the scandals over deals Fall made involving the Teapot Dome Oil Reserves in Wyoming and the Elk Hills Oil Reserves in California.

Teapot Dome and Elk Hills Reserve Litigation

Contains defense memoranda, notes, court documents and correspondence regarding charges of conspiracy and bribery against Fall in the matter of oil leases at the reserves.

Personal Correspondence

Fall's personal correspondence is divided into two subseries: papers relating to Tres Ritos Ranch (Three Rivers), and correspondence of Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces lawyer and Fall's close friend

Tres Ritos Ranch (Three Rivers)

Patrick Coghlan, owner of most of the lower Tres Ritos Valley near Tularosa, borrowed money from Numa Reymond, a Las Cruces financier, which resulted in eventual foreclosure. Fall and two partners, whom Fall later bought out, purchased the foreclosure judgment. Fall established himself at Three Rivers in 1906. In 1913 Fall consolidated his holdings with those of his son-in-law Mahlon T. Everhart and formed the Tres Ritos Cattle and Land Company (hereafter referred to as TRCLC). Harry F. Sinclair subsequently purchased a one-third interest in TRCLC. In 1921 Fall borrowed \$100,000 from Edward L. Doheny to purchase adjacent land newly offered for sale which controlled TRCLC's water supply. TRCLC eventually encompassed 90,000 acres and figured prominently in the Senate investigations of the 1920's.

Mark R. Thompson Correspondence

Mark Thompson was a Las Cruces lawyer and close personal friend of Albert Fall. Thompson was one of the attorneys who represented Fall during the oil scandal litigations.

Mexican Affairs, 1912-1923

Contains papers relating to Mexican Affairs, 1912-1923. Albert B. Fall was one of the first two U.S. Senators from NM and served in the Senate from March 27, 1912, to March 4, 1921. In 1918 he was appointed to the Committee on Foreign Relations and served as Chairman of the Senate Subcommittee to Investigate Mexican Affairs.

Includes documents by Henry Ossian Flipper. Fall employed Flipper as an interpreter and translator for the Senate Subcommittee, and later appointed him as his special assistant in the Interior Department. Flipper, the first black graduate from West Point (1877), was dishonorably discharged from the Army, reputedly due to racial prejudice. For many years, Fall unsuccessfully attempted to have Flipper reinstated. In 1976 the Army changed Flipper's dismissal to an honorable discharge. He received a full executive pardon in 1999.

Department of the Interior, 1914-1923

Contains papers relating to activities of the Department of the Interior, Fall's activities as Secretary of the Interior, and domestic and foreign affairs, 1914-1923. Also contains papers relating to patronage and favors.

Clarence C. Chase Papers

Contains the Clarence C. Chase papers. Chase was Fall's son-in-law, and Collector of Customs in El Paso in the early 1920s.

Newspaper Clippings

Contains newspaper clippings, pamphlets and clippings from the *Congressional Record*. Also contains scrapbooks of newspaper clippings regarding Mexico, oil scandals, and sugar.

Federal Court Proceedings

Contains documents pertaining to three different federal cases.

U. S. v. Albert B. Fall, et al, contains subpoenas and court transcripts in the federal criminal cases against Fall, Edward L. Doheny (Sr. and Jr.) and Harry F. Sinclair for conspiracy to defraud and accepting/offering a bribe. Includes court transcripts in the federal criminal case against Doheny and Fall. In 1922 Harry F. Sinclair was Chairman of the Board of Directors and the largest stockholder of Sinclair Consolidated Oil Corporation. He was also the controlling stockholder of the Mammoth Oil Company, incorporated February 28, 1922, which held the oil and gas lease to Naval Petroleum Reserve No. 3, Wyoming, aka Teapot Dome.

U. S. v. Pan American Petroleum Co., contains court transcripts and printed briefs in U.S. v. Pan American Petroleum, contesting the naval leases.

U. S. v. Mammoth Oil Co., contains court documents in the Mammoth Oil Company federal court litigations. In late 1922 the Board of Directors of Sinclair Consolidated Oil Corporation authorized an exchange with Harry F. Sinclair of its common stock for Mammoth Oil Company stock owned by Harry Sinclair, and giving Sinclair Consolidated an option to make another such exchange. In 1924 the U.S. Government sued Mammoth Oil Company, Sinclair Crude Oil Purchasing Company, & Sinclair Pipe Line Company, respecting the validity of 1922 and 1923 contracts between the U.S. Government & Mammoth Oil Company.

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Thomas B. Catron Papers, Center for Southwest Research.

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Access Terms

Subject headings

Fall, Albert B. (Albert Bacon), 1861-1944

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Teapot Dome Scandal, 1921-1924.

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United States -- Politics and government -- 20th century.

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Rear-Admiral J. K. Robison s report to Denby on Fall interview October 22. General agreement reached re Naval Petroleum Reserves, to be administered by Interior Dept. Interior Dept. will have Reserves Nos. 1 & 2 drilled. All leases/contracts will be arranged/consummated by Interior Dept. Intent of agreement to transform royalty crude oil into fuel oil for Naval vessels/use and/or to be stored as Navy reserve oil. Provides for erection of suitable storage facilities at Pearl Harbor. Returns letter from Int. Dept. re leases it is prepared to enter into with certain parties in Reserve No. 1. All leasing details to be left entirely to Interior Dept. Asks to be advised if agreement/policies are agreeable to Interior Dept.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, Secretary of the Interior, Washington, October 30, 1921, to Edwin Denby, Secretary of the Navy, Washington.

Agreement/policies set forth in previous letter are entirely agreeable. Several wells coming in; can exchange immediately for fuel certificates as needed at Pacific Ports.

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Letter, E. C. Finney, Acting Secretary of the Interior, December 10, 1921, to Department of the Navy, Attention Admiral J. K. Robison.

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Letter, E. C. Finney, Acting Secretary, Dept. of Interior, Washington, December 14, 1921, to Edwin Denby, Secretary of the Navy, Washington. Two pages.

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Letter, John K. Robison, Engineer-in-Chief, U.S. Navy, Bureau of Engineering, Department of Navy, December 15, 1921, to E. C. Finney, Assistant Secretary of the Interior, Washington.

Sending four sets of blueprints in re Pearl Harbor storage project.

Letter, E. C. Finney, Acting Secretary, Washington, December 17, 1921, to John Robison, Engineer-in-Chief, Bureau of Engineering, Navy Dept., Washington.

Received 4 sets of blueprints on Pearl Harbor storage. Requests 4 copies specifications as sent with letter, December 9, 1921.

Letter, Captain Hepbourn, Acting Chief of Bureau of Engineering, Navy Department, December 24, 1921, to E. C. Finney, Assistant Secretary of the Interior, Washington.

Sending one vandyke, 4 blueprints elevations of bottoms of proposed steel tanks, Pearl Harbor.

Letter, E. C. Finney, Acting Secretary, December 29, 1921, to J. K. Robison, Chief Bureau of Engineering, Washington.

Bureau of Mines unable presently to use help of naval engineering officer until January 20, 1922.

Letter, J. K. Robison, no date, to Secretary of Interior, Washington.

Transmits 4 copies of specifications for fuel oil storage tanks at Pearl Harbor.

Letter, E. C. Finney, Acting Secretary, Washington, December 30, 1921, to John K. Robison, Chief Bureau of Engineering, Navy Department, Washington.

Received 4 copies of specifications for fuel oil storage tanks at Pearl Harbor.

Memorandum of Agreement between John Leo Stack & Pioneer Oil & Refining Co., and Societe Belgo Americaine des Petroles du Wyoming, December 31, 1921. Four pages, with blue back.

Contract between Stack/Edward Doheny re joint participation securing Teapot Dome lease, Naval Reserve No. 3.

Folder 2 Correspondence & Papers, January to June, 1922

Draft (presumably telegram), unsigned, undated, handwritten, presumably from Fall. Roosevelt Hotel stationery, New Orleans.

Impossible arrive Washington today; arrival Thurs. Desires to consult with counsel. Suggests Fall appear before committee not before Monday.

Oil Discrimination Denied by Britain, Newspaper clipping, *Washington Herald*, March 14, 1922.

Re British denial oil discrimination against Americans, Near East or elsewhere. Standard Oil has 50-50 share in Persia.

Letter, Jas. C. Crawford, Secretary, Equitable Petroleum Corporation, Denver, CO, March 15, 1922, to Secretary of Interior, Washington.

Re conference re Texas Co., whom they represent, application for development Teapot Dome.

Telegram, Finney & Safford, Washington, April 17, 1922, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pp.

Quotes Sen. Resolution No. 277 by Kendrick. Quotes insertion into record by John B. Kendrick re prevention consummation Teapot Dome. Rocky Mt. Oil/Gas Producers Assn. adopted resolution protesting development/drilling of Teapot Dome (Reserve No. 3) & letting private contract to Harry Sinclair or any other person/corporation for stated reasons.

Telegram, Finney and Safford, Washington, April 17, 1922, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Received California reserve bids; Pan American best bid offered. Receipt & provisions Pam American bid. Secy. Denby desires complete publicity re Navy Dept. s part opening naval reserves. Suggests Fall make public all Naval Reserve contracts with reasons therefor.

Telegram, Fall, Secretary, Three Rivers, NM, April 18, 1922, to Finney and Safford, Washington.

Re telegram No. 2 re California bids. If Admiral Robinson/Secretary Navy think best, close immediately on basis of Pan American bid. If Secretary Denby authorizes, immediately award contract, make public entire policy, status of contract, & my policy offering royalty oils for sale. Principal object to bring 3rd competitor into WYO fields & obtain highest prices for oils. Finney & Safford to emphasize that Mammoth Oil Co. presented deeds for all outstanding claims of title.

Letter, Amos L. Beaty, President, The Texas Company, NY, April 18, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Washington.

Wants to know if Fall favorable to Texas Co. s offer to take Salt Creek Royalty oil in exchange for Bunker C fuel oil delivered at Gulf & Atlantic ports.

Letter, W. A. Williams, NY, April 21, 1922, to President Warren G. Harding, Washington.

Protests against leasing Teapot Dome (Naval Reserve No. 3) by Secretary of Interior [Albert B. Fall] to an association headed by Harry F. Sinclair.

Telegram, Fall, Secretary, Three Rivers, NM, May 2, 1922, to Finney [and] Safford, Interior Dept., Washington.

Requests Bureau of Mines & Salt Creek Field officials ascertain public opinion to verify info received in telegram. Instructions to prepare documents for presentation to Committee. Wiring *NY Herald* answering their invitation to present my [Fall s] side of case.

Telegram, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, May 8, 1922, to F. Thayer, Hotel Clark, Los Angeles, CA.

Party left for Washington today without coming here.

Telegram, F. Thayer, Los Angeles, CA, May 8, 1922, to C. C. Chase, Collector of Customs, El Paso, TX.

Very anxious to know if that can be arranged this week

Senate Resolution Number 294, 67th Congress, April 20 (Calendar Day May 15), 1922 [damaged].

Submitted by LaFollette: amendment re Committee to Audit/Control Senate Expenses.

Letter, Secretary of Interior, June 2, 1922, to Reed Smoot, Senate Committee on Public Lands. Three pp.

Informs Smoot of data, documents, info on Naval Reserves included in report Fall preparing for President. Requests it be sent to Congress if President sees fit.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, June 2, 1922, to Reed Smoot, Senate Chairman, Committee on Public Lands. Three pages.

Fall's report: his 3 objections to Senate Bill No. S. 3457; to pay to Wyoming royalty not less than 5% all oil/gas produced from Naval Reserve No. 3, in compliance with Smoot request.

Note, undated, unsigned: I decline to answer the question on the grounds previously stated.

Folder 3 Correspondence, July to December, 1922

Letter, unsigned, presumably Albert B. Fall, July 5, 1922, to Captain W. M. Hanson, no address. Two pages, appears incomplete.

Requests 1000 cornhusk cigarettes. Proposition involving construction 800-1000 miles of pipeline. Proposed offer of position as one of Fall personal inspectors to Hanson.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, July 5, 1922, to Buster/Guss [Gus] T. Jones, San Antonio, TX. Two pages.

Re Captain Hanson & supply of cornhusk cigarettes. Use of peyote among Indians, pressure on Bureau of Indian Affairs. Jones' action for Fall in event Judge Valls not able.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Albert B. Fall, July 24, 1922, to Harry F. Sinclair, New York.

Letter of introduction to Colombian minister Enrique Olaya who desired conference regarding possibilities of oil development in Colombia.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, July 24, 1922, to Edward B. McLean, Bar Harbor, Maine.

Sending cornhusk cigarettes and check for \$200.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, July 27, 1922, to Secretary, Rocky Mountain Oil and Gas Producers Association, Casper, Wyo.

Replies to RMOGPA letter: Bureau of Mines investigation report re crude oil price in Mid-Continent and Salt Creek Fields will be forwarded.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, July 31, 1922, to C. E. Mitchell, Alamogordo, NM

Re candidacy of Holt for Senate, no endorsement, but is satisfactory to Fall.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, August 1, 1922, to Mrs. Emma Fall [wife], Three Rivers, NM. Three pages.

Fall store to be turned over to Everhart. Three pages.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, August 8, 1922, to Emma [wife], Three Rivers, NM. Four pages.

General situation of country; miscellaneous Washington news, conversation with President re Gus Shaw. Appointment of Curry to Mexican Boundary Commission.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, August 9, 1922, to Mrs. Thomas F. Walsh, Washington. Two pages.

Regret cannot attend dinner Thursday evening.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, August 11, 1922, to W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX. Two pages.

John A. Eddy & fight on so-called conservationists. Reorganization re Forestry Bureau.

Letter, Charles S. Thomas, Law Office of Charles S. and George K. Thomas, Denver, CO, August 26, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Washington. Two pages.

Encloses Memorandum/Agreement, December 31, 1921, between John Leo Stack, and Pioneer Oil & Refining Co. and Societe Belgo Americaine des Petroles du Wyoming. Non-performance of Stack particularly in contract with Doheny. Can secure Clark's statement re Pioneer's position re contract with Doheny. Doheny did not retire from contest for lease.

Memorandum for the Press, from Department of the Interior September 18, 1922.

Certification by Fall of payments to states entitled to royalties & amounts to each.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, September 18, 1922, to Judge Amos L. Beatty, Pres., Texas Oil Co., NY. Draft. Three pages.

Re royalty oils, Salt Creek Field. Re terms of contract between Dept. of Interior & Shipping Board. Prepared to consider bids for crude oil produced Salt Creek, WYO & Montana fields.

Telegram, J. W. Zevely, Marceline, Montana, September 22, 1922, to Charles V. Safford, Interior Department, Washington.

Arrive, New York Saturday morning all well.

Letter, Personal, E. C. Crampton, Crampton, Phillips & Darden. Raton, NM, October 4, 1922, to Charles Safford, Washington.

Requests info re granting government oil/gas leases against grants to citizens of Netherlands.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, October 12, 1922, to Edwin C. Crampton, Raton, NM.

Re reciprocity existing between U. S. government & the Netherlands re prospecting for oil.

Memorandum, D. A. Lyon, Acting Director for H. Foster Bain, Director, Bureau of Mines, to Mr. Safford, October 12, 1922.

Re October 4 letter to Safford. No reciprocity exists between U. S. and Netherlands.

Letter, H. Foster Bain, Director, Bureau of Mines, October 21, 1922, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Five pages.

Fort Worth government plant big ... money eater. Saw Sinclair Co. s plans to enlarge plant for new business from Teapot. Budget Commission refused Interior Dept. s request for oil shale & appropriation on non-metallics. Sending preliminary report on oil prospects on Navajo Indian Reservation. Admiral Robison favorable to Doheny proposals for oil leases & oil storage. Doheny proposal may result in field price increase & lower purchase price for Navy & storage as clear profit. Difficulties re foundation of tanks in Pearl Harbor.

Telegram, Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, October 23, 1922, to Albert B. Fall, El Paso, TX.

Requests to see Fall before departure for Washington.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, October 30, 1922, to H. Foster Bain, Washington. Two pages.

Memo from Doheny was not proposition, was suggestion on which proposition can be based. Doheny suggestion along policy lines, should be adopted/followed if favorable details can be arranged & government gets maximum royalty.

Press Release, Office of the Secretary of the Interior, December 2, 1922, Washington.

20 bids received for purchase of royalty oil in Salt Creek, WYO (13 bids) & Cat Creek, Montana fields (7 bids). Bids being studied by department s engineers & officials, will consider comparative merits. Gives present receipts from these fields.

Senate Resolution No. 368, November 22, 1922, submitted by Mr. Walsh of Montana, referred to Committee on Public Lands & Surveys. Five pages.

Committee on Public Lands & Surveys is authorized to inquire into leases issued under Act of February 25, 1920, & report/recommend appropriate Congressional or executive action.

Folder 4 Correspondence, 1923

Letter, Nathan Boyd, presumably Washington, handwritten, no date (presumably 1923), to A. B. F [Fall].

Re Sinclair leases and borrowing from Sinclair and others.

Letter, J. S. Bishop, San Diego, CA, January 30 [1923], to Sen. Fall.

Business taken care of by writer with editors.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, February 1, 1923, to William J. Burns, Director, Bureau of Investigation, Department of Justice, Washington.

Sending Dave Gershon letter to Mr. Armijo, personal inspector, self-explanatory. Encloses Falls reply to Gershon.

Letter, Edwin S. Booth, Office of the Solicitor, Department of Interior, February 7, 1923, to Secretary of Interior. Two pages.

Re applications for oil permits on Ute Reservation, status of such applications.

Letter, W. J. Burns, Director, Bureau of Investigation, Dept. of Justice, February 17, 1923, to Albert B. Fall, Washington.

Gershon deliberately falsified circumstances re Gershon s resignation. Glad Fall responded & answered Gershon as he did

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, March 12, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Emma Adair has bad cold

Telegram, J. W. Zevely, New York, May 22, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Requests Fall come in immediately. Regards transportation arrangements to Europe.

Letter, H. C. Bretschmeide, Asst. to Pres., Midwest Refining Co., Denver, CO, July 30, 1923, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Re geological survey in area of Three Rivers area. Will send Toyah Basin report shortly.

Letter, Barbara Topnrhine(?), Moscow, August 12, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Five pages. Envelope postmarked Paris.

Change being made in Russian foreign office. Removes only anti-American interest.

Letter, Joseph I. France, Pres., Republic International Corp., NY, August 15, 1923, to Albert B. Fall, Wardman Park Hotel, Washington. Three pages.

States views in possibility of their cooperation in securing for American interests larger opportunity to develop potential oil territory in foreign countries, particularly Russia.

Letter, H. M. Daugherty, Office of Attorney General/Washington, Columbus, OH, August 20, 1923, to Albert Fall, Washington.

Matter of importance, confirmation of report received.

Letter, Gus T. Jones, Department of Justice/Bureau of Investigation, San Antonio, TX, August 25, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Requests information re Fall s whereabouts.

Letter, H Walker, Washington, October 20, 1923, to My dear Judge [Fall].

Writer not able to meet with Fall.

Warren F. Martin, Special Asst. to Attorney General, Washington, October 30, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. With enclosure.

Re new book, Pres. Harding s speeches on Alaska trip. Limited no. of volumes being subscribed, requests whether Fall wants one. Encloses Memorandum re patrons names.

Telegram, Joseph L. Martin, South Orange, NJ, November 16, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Washington.

Mr. Buckley out of town. Advises Fall where to contact Buckley.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, November 30, 1923, to International News Service, Denver, CO.

States Fall s position on charges re unpaid taxes on property. Magee previously convicted of criminal libel against NM Chief Justice Parker, afterwards pardoned by governor. Presently indicted for libel of Ex Chief Justice C. J. Roberts.

Letter, H. B. Kauffmann, M.D., U. S. Veterans Bureau, Washington, December 1, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Encloses clippings *Washington Star & Washington News*, November 30, 1923 (clippings missing). Witnesses before committee trying to create trouble for Fall

Letter, Charles Barker, December 3, 1923, to Reed Smoot, U. S. Senate, Washington. Two pages.

Magee s testimony before committee investigating Teapot leases is false, can provide facts.

Calling card, Mr. Pierce Miller, for Mr. Secretary.

Still are 1 or 2 of us who covered original Teapot Story who have confidence in you, for you.

Letter, Fred Muller, State Land Agency, Santa Fe, NM, December 7, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Washington.

Sent enclosure (missing) to show Magee does not know what he is talking about re Land Office [presumably re Magee s testimony before committee].

Letter, H. Foster Bain, Office of the Director, Bureau of Mines, Dept. of Interior, December 12, 1923, to Judge Fall.

Re Fall s illness. Enclosed report (went into record), supporting papers. Requests Fall look over before sent to Committee. Re McFarren testimony Sect. 36 & Doheny testimony.

Letter, H. F. Sinclair, New York, December 22, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Wardman Park Hotel, Washington.

Extends Christmas wishes.

Letter, Mark W. Potter, Commissioner, Interstate Commerce Commission, Washington, December 28, 1923, to Albert B. Fall, Washington.

Sympathy for Fall. Annoyed with Fall's humiliation, official inquiry re his personal integrity. Fall's friends feel he is marked by high integrity, unselfishness, desire to do what duty prompts.

Folder 5 Correspondence, January to February, 1924

Letter, H. Foster Bain, Cosmos Club, Washington, January 1, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Washington.
Four pages.

My Dear Boss. Wishes better health for Fall, approves letter Fall sent committee.

Letter, Reg A. Brett, Ray Oil Co., Inc., Little Rock, AK, January 4, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Palm Beach, FL.

Supplement of proposition on Redfield property, encloses geological report.

Geological Report by Brett & Peay, Little Rock, Ark. Three pages plus blueprint map of Redfield, Ark.

Concerns northwestern part of Jefferson County, Arkansas, et al.

Letter, C. C. Chase, January 8, 1924, to C. V. Safford, Bureau of Indian Affairs, Dept. of Interior.

Requests wire re when Safford will arrive in El Paso.

Letter, W. M. Hanson, Office of Inspector in Charge, Immigration Service, U. S. Dept. of Labor, District 22, San Antonio, TX, January 11, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Washington.

Expresses support for Fall.

Letter, T. J. Walsh, The Breakers, Palm Beach, FL, January 11, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Palm Beach, FL.

Took testimony Edward B. McLean pursuant to Senate Committee on Public Lands & Surveys. McLean agreed to loan Fall \$100,000 but Fall returned checks, arranged funds elsewhere. McLean returned Fall's \$100,000 note. Glad to take any statement Fall cares to make.

Telegram, Holmes, Manager, International News Service, Washington, January 17, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Hotel Grunewald or St. Charles, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Sen. Caraway charges corruption, attacks Fall in Senate re Teapot Dome leases. Glad to carry any statement Fall wants to make.

Telegram, to Holmes, Manager, International News Service, unsigned [presumably Fall], handwritten, no date [presumably January 1924]. Two pages.

Denies charges of corruption in Naval Reserve leases.

Letter, Josie Bishop, San Diego, CA, January 18, no year [presumably 1924], to Sen. Fall. Two pages.

Expresses sympathy for Fall.

Telegram, Robert J. Bender, News Manager, United Press, New York, January 18, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Roosevelt Hotel, New Orleans.

Rumors in Washington about the Teapot. Request for statement.

Telegram, International News Service, Denver, CO, no date [presumably January 1924], to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM

McGee's testimony before Senate Committee stated Fall was in bad financial condition, but paid unpaid taxes on Ranch & made improvements 2 months after leasing Teapot Dome. Accuses Fall of threatening editor Magee because editorial criticized certain [NM] land deal. Wants authorized statement from Fall.

Telegram, *New York Herald*, no date [presumably January 1924], to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Relates Senate's unanimous vote to investigate Sinclair WYO oil lease & criticism of Interior Dept. Requests Fall present his side of case through *Herald*. Telegraph reply appreciated.

Telegram, *Albuquerque Morning Journal*, no date [presumably January 1924], to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Requests Fall's statement re Teapot Dome leases & statements of Senate Committee witnesses. Requests Fall verify press reports he was invited to appear before Committee, if will testify.

Telegram, *New York World*, New York, January 21, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Offers space for Fall's statement re developments Teapot Dome inquiry, discrepancies in Fall and Walsh statements.

Telegram, *New York Herald*, New York, January 21, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Roosevelt Hotel, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Requests signed statement from Fall re Teapot Dome.

Letter, Kathleen Lawler, Washington, January 24, 1924, to A. B. Fall.

Offers help, disbelieves charges against Fall. Gives negative opinion of young Roosevelts.

Telegram, Harris Walthall, El Paso, TX, January 25, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Washington.

Personal best wishes. Strongly supports Fall.

Letter, H. B. Kauffmann, Washington, January 25, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Washington.

Offers assistance to Fall.

Letter, Nathan Boyd, Washington, January 26, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Washington. Two pages.

Offer of help and support ... circumstances make coincidence appear a fault.

Letter, Kenner Taylor, Frankfort, Kentucky, January 26, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Washington

Expresses utmost confidence in Fall.

Letter, F. W. Hare, Attorney, Monroeville, Alabama, January 26, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Washington.

Expresses confidence and respect.

Letter, Josephine A. Pearson, Southern Seminary, Buena Vista, VA, January 26, 1924, to Judge Fall.

Opinion on leases, Fall's right to borrow money. Sees no justification for political calumny, sees no guilt in Fall.

Letter, G. P. Offutt and J. P. Anderson, Morganfield, KY, January 26, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Washington. Two pages.

Expresses confidence in Fall.

Telegram, Robt. P. Coon, San Antonio, TX, January 26, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Washington.

Expresses regret present situation. Has info re conspiracy by Democratic National Executive Committee to destroy Fall. Unwavering faith in Fall's integrity.

Letter, W. M. Hanson, San Antonio, TX, Inspector in Charge, Immigration Service, District No. 22, Department of Labor, January 26, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Washington. Two pages.

Offers immense sympathy. McLean action no surprise. Negative opinion of Roosevelts. Doheny is true friend. You have done no wrong, we all know it.

Letter, J. H. Estes, Washington, January 27, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Washington.

In possession of facts important to Fall, asks interview. Note on back: Man of no importance.

Telegram, Emma [Fall], El Paso, TX, January 27, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Washington.

Glad Fall improving. Friends in west are with you.

Letter, John A. Happer, Washington, January 28, 1924, to Judge [Fall].

Writer offers aid, sympathy, high opinion of Fall.

Telegram, Brant & Jouett Elliott (Fall's daughter, son-in-law), El Paso, TX, January 29, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Washington.

Western friends indignant at treatment of Fall.

Telegram, Emma Fall, El Paso, TX, January 29, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Washington.

Received Registered letter, New Orleans, claiming valuable info forwarded to Fall.

Letter, Chas. C. Lee, U. S. Post Office, Las Cruces, NM, January 29, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Washington.

Regrets situation Fall is in. Friends in Las Cruces have full confidence in Fall.

Telegram, John M. Bowman, Las Cruces, NM, February 1, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Washington.

New Mexico friends support Fall. Know you are right. Unjust, unfair attack.

Letter, James Deitrick, Consulting Engineer, Washington, January 29, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Washington. Two pages.

Writer returned from Columbia, SA. Reports 1919 conversation with Fall/Doheny, plan to join in cattle/oil business. Wonders if any value now.

Letter, James M. Givens, Attorney, Muskogee, OK, January 30, 1924, to J. W. Zevely, Washington. Two pages.

Fall s testimony before committee may be used against him later trial. People not ready to believe Fall innocent.

Letter, E. Dangerfield, Manager, Faraway Farms, Lexington, KY, February 2, 1924, to Mr. Fall. Two pp.

Regret at Fall s illness.

Letter, W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX, February 6, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Washington. Three pages.

Believes knows full extent Sinclair matter from conversation with Mrs. Fall & Chase. Matter magnified. Believes Fall should not be forced to testify before committee & reveal facts not to be revealed in a criminal case.

Letter, James Campbell Flournoy, Attorney, Washington, February 27, 1924, to Mrs. Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Enclosed editorial in *Times* (missing), a saner ... kinder view of Tea Pot Dome controversy.

Letter, W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX, February 28, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Encloses brief mailed to Hawkins, without identification, apparently by someone knowing most facts re present situation.

Letter, Judge Henry Douglas Pierce, January 28, 1924, to Albert B. Fall. Two pages.

Expresses confidence in Fall. Unfavorable opinion of Roosevelt.

Receipt, Pacific-Southwest Trust & Savings Bank, Trust Dept., Los Angeles, CA, for Certified copy of Agency Agreement, Trust No. 3852.

Letter, George R. Walker, Attorney, Chicago, Illinois, no date, to Senator Fall. Two pages.

Personal opinion of indictment. Confident it will work no harm

Letter, Dr. Alfred Ludemann, St. Michel, Minnesota, no date, to Secy. Fall.

Condemns Fall for attitude to Mexico, corruption in government. Denby and Daugherty mentioned in same vein.

Folder 6 Correspondence, March to June, 1924

Letter, C. V. Safford, U. S. Indian Service, Dept. of the Interior, Black Rock, NM, March 9, 1924, to Judge Fall.

Confident Fall will be able to fight charges.

Letter, C. R. Mahaffey, San Jose, CA, March 13, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Assurance of confidence in Fall.

Letter, Frank T. French, Bascom-French Company, Las Cruces, NM, March 18, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Attached: three-page Report by Committee on Resolutions.

Dona Ana County Republican County Convention voted confidence in Fall by narrow margin. Report/Resolution addressed to Chairman/Members Republican Convention, Dona Ana County.

Report, Committee on Resolutions [Republicans of Dona Ana County], by Frank French, Chairman; H. B. Holt, Robt. Milldebrook, Chas. J. Winkler, Felipe Lucero, no date, to Chairman & Members of Republican Convention of Dona Ana County. Three pages.

Endorses Pres. Coolidge; commends present tariff law; approves foreign policy; commends Sen. Bursum. Condemns unjust, un-American, partisan attempt to assassinate Fall's reputation, character, impeaching his honesty, uprightness & integrity. Expresses faith/confidence in Fall & his actions as public official.

Letter, H. A. Allen, Attorney, Atlanta, Georgia, March 19, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Notes Republican Organization Otero County passed resolution expressing confidence in Fall. Expresses personal confidence in Fall's vindication.

Telegram, C. W. Davis, Morenci, AZ, March 22, 1924, to F. C. Rolland, Alamogordo, NM.

Opinion favoring Republican County Organization, Otero County, resolution in favor of Fall.

Letter, F. C. Rolland, Alamogordo, NM, March 27, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Encloses March 22 telegram from Morenci, AZ.

Letter, J. F. Sattley, Chicago, Illinois, March 28, 1924, to Judge Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

Expresses confidence in Fall.

Letter, G. A. Martin, Managing Editor, *El Paso Herald*, April 4, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages. Five-page attachment.

Encloses article for Fall approval, requests permission to publish in entirety or part. Attached 5-page article calls Fall target for character assassination, Republican Party no longer unified.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, no date, to W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX. Two pages.

Robison & Barn depositions should settle case. Wishes to consult Hawkins.

Telegram, Geo. R. Beneman, Washington, April 7, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Government Printing Office mailing complete set hearing today.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, Wise, Whitney & Parker, NY, April 7, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Three pages.

Re investigation Fall books by McCauley for income taxes. Writ of habeas corpus, moving defendant from one district to another. If indictment in D.C., properly charged for all U. S.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, NY, April 9, 1924, to W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX.

Kellogg, Doheny counsel, value of partial or complete payment by Fall to Doheny.

Letter, W. Lee Person, Hickory, North Carolina, April 9, 1924, to A. B. Fall, El Paso, TX. Two pages.

Suggests Fall place his side before American people in version to Associated Press. Attached: two-page statement by Fall re Teapot Dome & Coolidge's involvement.

Letter, Levi Cooke, Cooke & Beneman, Washington, April 10, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

Opinion, disposal of Sinclair charges. Government lawyers Ponerene & Roberts concerned re ability to present case to grand jury. Intent to prove bribery, conspiracy to defraud government.

Letter, A. B. Fall, April 12, 1924, to W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX.

Encloses Wise letter & Fall s answer. Opinion of Wise, question re fighting case on removal.

Letter, A. B. Fall, April 14, 1924, to Levi Cooke, Washington. Two pages.

Encloses letter to Reed Smoot, Chairman of Committee, February 22, 1922, re Walsh calling for investigation of leases. Reference to McFarren Report. Concern re editorial, *The Real Root of the Oil Scandal*, *National Republic*, April 12, re granting leases by Secy Payne.

Letter, A. B. Fall, April 14, 1924, to Levi Cooke, Washington. Two pages.

Encloses statements re Teapot & California leases. Beginning of Fall connection with Naval Reserves in letter from President which Fall does not have. Expects to fight removal from NM.

Letter, W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX, April 15, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Encloses Wise letter & John J. Vertrees brief in Treat case. Opinion on Supreme Court modification of Treat Decision.

Letter, A. B. Fall, April 17, 1924, to James F. Sattley, Chicago, Illinois.

Expresses gratitude for Sattley s attitude, assurances confidence is not misplaced.

Letter, Levi Cooke, Kansas City, MO, April 19, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Plans to visit Fall in NM, requests confirmation. Encloses page, *Kansas City Times* (missing).

Letter, H. G. Clunn, Los Angeles, CA, April 21, 1924, to W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX.

Re conference with Doheny who would be glad to speak to Hawkins any time.

Telegram, Levi Cooke, Kansas City, MO, April 22, 1924, to A. B. Fall, El Paso, TX.

Leaving for Three Rivers this morning Golden State Limited.

Letter, B. F. Pankey, Santa Fe, NM, April 22, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Expresses confidence in Fall.

Letter, Mark R. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, April 26, 1924, to Judge [Fall].

Conferred in El Paso with Gamble and Burgess, opinions re conspiracy statute Section 37, criminal code. Relates business conditions El Paso.

Letter, Levi Cooke, Washington, April 30, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Encloses clipping *Washington Post* April 26 re special grand jury (missing). Justice Hitz s statement to Grand Jury. Scheduled witnesses Finney, Bain, Josephus Daniels.

Letter, Levi Cooke, Washington, May 2, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Encloses copies of letters: Mr. Christian, Secy. to Pres., April 20, 1921; from Pres. Harding June 10, 1921, re United Midway Co. Grand Jury proceedings, demurrer of Government to Sinclair contumacy indictment. Encloses *Post* s report of testimony taken before Committee on Public Lands on Honolulu & California leases (enclosures missing).

Telegram, Mark Thompson, May 7, 1924, to Levi Cooke, Washington.

Pueblo party inquiring for Wise s address.

Telegram, Cooke and Beneman, Washington, May 8, 1924, to Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM.

Gives NY address of Henry A. Wise.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, May 8, 1924, to Levi Cooke, Washington. Four pages.

Fall s faculty to absorb ideas/persons while appearing indifferent. Conferences between principals in Sinclair & Doheny cases. Opinion subpoenae as sole subject of investigation.

Letter, Confidential, Levi Cooke, Washington, June 13, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pp.

Government counsel s attention to civil side of case. Grand Jury recess, can report charging offense because of absence of witnesses.

Telegram, T. Sanford, Albuquerque, June 15, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Asks conference with Fall and confirmation.

Letter, Edward McLean, *Washington Post*, June 17, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Is overstocked, offers mares to Fall.

Telegram, Cooke and Beneman, Washington, June 18, 1924, to Mark R. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM.

Term of court for which jury drawn and expiration session jury.

Letter, T. Sanford, Albuquerque, NM, June 23, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Returning Fall s statement. Sending copies depositions taken New York/El Paso, requests return, also Sen. Walsh s report behalf Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

Telegram, Levi Cooke, Washington, June 30, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Indictments returned against Doheny s Sr. & Jr., Sinclair, Fall charging conspiracy between Fall and Doheny, and between Fall and Sinclair; charging Fall with accepting bribe, and charging Doheny with giving bribe.

Telegram, Jack, Des Moines, Iowa, June 30, 1924, to Frank T. French, Las Cruces, NM.

Assures Fall he supports him.

Letter, Frank T. French, Las Cruces, NM, June 30, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pp.

Assurance that Fall will be cleared.

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Letter, George W. Frenger, Bascom-French Co., Las Cruces, NM, July 1, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Looks forward to Fall s vindication.

Letter, A. B. Fall, July 2, 1924, to E. B. McLean, *Washington Post*, Washington.

Reply re offer of mares. Expects to give bond, proceed to Los Angeles. Breeding of thoroughbred and Arabian for thoroughbreds and polo ponies.

Letter, A. B. Fall, July 2, 1924, to Frank T. French, Las Cruces, NM.

Appreciates letters from friends. Knew five days before of indictment. Arrangement of bond, El Paso. Action is welcome, affords opportunity to clear matters up. ... my conscience acquits me of any wrongdoing ... I am proud of the contracts I assisted in making ...

Letter, A. B. Fall, July 2, 1924, to W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX.

Encloses copy Fall s letter to U. S. Attorney, El Paso. Info from Wise re appearance. Doheny mutual friend of Hawkins. Proposed conference with Doheny.

Letter, A. W. Hawkins, El Paso, TX, July 3, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Departure time for Los Angeles. Communication with Crowell. Placing of bond.

Telegram, W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX, July 4, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Departure time for Los Angeles.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, no date, to W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX. Two pages.

Hawkins should expect letter from Los Angeles. Depositions from Robison & Boin should settle case.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, July 6, 1924, to Miss Donahue, Secretary to
W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX.

Requests Hawkins Los Angeles hotel address.

Letter, R. P. Barnes, Belen, NM, July 16, 1924, to Judge Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Expresses confidence in Fall.

Letter, C. E. Mead, Security State Bank, Ontario, CA, July 17, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Los Angeles, CA. Two
pages.

Welcomes Fall to his home if ever in Ontario.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, July 17, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Los Angeles, CA.
Two pages.

Encloses letter of instruction to Wise for Fall to forward, encloses Thompson letter to Hinkle.

Letter, Mark R. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, July 17, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Los Angeles, CA

Letter of instructions signed by Payton Gorden, U. S. Attorney, on date bond returnable.

Letter, Mark R. Thompson, July 17, 1924, to Governor James F. Hinkle, Santa Fe, NM. Two pages.

Expression of gratitude for Hinkle s faith in Fall.

Letter, K. [Kenneth] K. Scott, Foley & Scott, Los Angeles, CA, no date, to A. B. Fall, Los Angeles, CA.

Assures his confidence in Fall.

Letter, Geo. W. Armijo, Los Angeles, CA, July 17, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Los Angeles, CA.

Letter of assurance to Fall, appreciates past favors.

Letter, W. E. Pomeroy, Los Angeles, CA, July 18, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Los Angeles, CA.

Request to see Fall.

Letter, Mark Miller, Vernon H. Peck Investments, Los Angeles, CA, July 19, 1924, to A. B. Fall.

Request to see Fall, offer of assistance.

Telegram, W. A. Hawkins, Bowie, AZ, July 21, 1924, to A. B. Fall, c/o E. L. Doheny, Los Angeles, CA.

Re when Hawkins will be free at Van Nuys Hotel.

Letter, Mark R. Thompson, July 21, 1924, to Judge [Fall]. With envelope.

Report on comparison of bribery indictments.

Letter, H. G. Clum, July 26, 1924, to Judge Fall. Two pages.

Encloses letter from Harris [Walthall], presents compliments of Mr. Barstow.

Letter, Harris Walthall, El Paso, TX, July 24, 1924, to Harry G. Clum, Pan American Petroleum Company, Los Angeles, CA.

Requests meeting with Fall, invites Fall to visit when in El Paso.

Telegram, J. W. Zeely [Zevely], NY, July 28, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Los Angeles, CA.

Requests time of meeting with Fall.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, August 4, 1924, to Judge Fall.

Impressions of occurrence in Washington. Comments on attack on Sections 1 & 2, Doheny leases. Encloses clippings re new grand jury investigation.

Newspaper clipping, New Inquiry On A. B. Fall Is Ordered, Washington, D. C., unknown paper, September 3 [1924].

Newspaper clipping, Walsh Refusal to Stump a Blow to Democratic Party, Washington, D. C., September 3 [1924].

Newspaper clipping, Another Doheny Lease Cancellation is Sought, Los Angeles, September 3 [1924].

Letter, H. C. Hensel, Seattle, Washington, August 4, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Writer distributed several articles (Federal Reserve System May Save World, et al), encloses The Oil Scandal and the Alaskan Development (3 pages) for Fall's approval.

Telegram, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, August 11, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Hawkins delayed for conference with Fall.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Fall, August 13, 1924, to Colonel J. W. Zevely, NYC.

Requests copies all depositions.

Telegram, J. W. Zerely [Zevely], New York, August 13, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Leaving for NM to see Fall.

Letter, J. W. Zevely, New York, August 19, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Must make trip to Seattle to get depositions of Admirals Kuntz & Cole.

Telegram, J. W. Zevely, New York, August 19, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Mailing testimony desired.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, August 22, 1924, to Frank Hogan, c/o Doheny, Los Angeles, CA.

Preparing documents, will send. Enclosed report on drilling, drilling requirements, Naval Reserves 1 & 2, made after leases executed to United Midway & Pan American.

A Report on Drilling in Naval Petroleum Reserves No s. 1 and 2, California, Department of Interior, Bureau of Mines, by A. W. Ambrose and W. W. Cutler, no date. Twelve pages, with back sheet.

Telegram, W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX, August 26, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Request Fall meet in La Luz.

Letter, presumably A. B. Fall, August 27, 1924, to W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX.

Enclosing confirmation telegram sent Doheny. Sending copy of documents, statement containing supplement original statement, and exhibits.

Telegram, W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX, August 28, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Telegram from Party requests I [Hawkins] come immediately for conference. Leaving today.

Telegram, J. W. Zevely, San Francisco, CA, August 31, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Arrived El Paso, taking morning train Three Rivers.

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Telegram, J. W. Zevely, San Francisco, CA, September 1, 1924, to A. B. Fall, El Paso, TX.

Arriving El Paso Tuesday, first train for Three Rivers.

Letter, Mark R. Thompson, September 5, 1924, to Judge Fall.

Enclosed clipping, grand jury seeking new indictments. Thompson s comments.

Newspaper clipping, Grand Jury Seeks New Indictments in Fall Oil Leases, *El Paso Times*, September 5, 1924.

Telegram, Henry A. Wise, Washington, September 6, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Explains new government moves. Recommends filing petition Fall s behalf quashing subpoenas. Requests approval.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, no date, to Col. Henry A. Wise, Washington.

Will follow your recommendations, approve filing petition.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, no date, to Col. Henry A. Wise, Washington.

Hawkins in Washington. Zevely arriving today.

Letter, C. V. Safford, U.S. Indian Field Service, Dept. of Interior, Santa Fe, NM, September 8, 1924, to Senator A. B. Fall. Three pages.

Reports of interview by Mr. Foster, Department of Justice special agent, re oil leases.

Letter, W. A. Hawkins, Washington, September 9, 1924, to A. B. Fall. Three pages.

Encloses clippings from *Post* on recent moves of government attorneys. Wise confident new move would be unsuccessful.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, NYC, September 10, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Four pages.

Argument September 9, Judge Siddons, Criminal Court, D. C., re Wise s petition Government counsel not acting in good faith. Court enjoined Government from proceeding before present Grand Jury, must start over before new Grand Jury. Sinclair called as Government witness WYO case. Believes purpose of Government s new investigation to inquire into transactions of First Liberty Loan bonds. Enclosed copies D. C. court proceedings.

Letter, Mark R. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, September 11, 1924, to Judge Fall.

Broke some State s witnesses in cross examination.

Telegram, W. A. Hawkins, Chicago, September 17, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Arrival El Paso.

Telegram, Henry A. Wise, NYC, September 18, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Postponement Wyoming case refused; trial begins October 7. Arrangement with government counsel to postpone arraignments on indictments until after civil case.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, NYC, September 18, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Three pages.

Situation developed as result of Washington Grand Jury investigation, necessitated going to Pueblo. Sinclair applied for postponement WYO case, denied conflicts between date of WYO trial & date for arraignment. Will attend but take no part in trial. Needs serial no s. Liberty Loan

Bonds delivered you [Fall] by Zevely. Mr. Davis (Democratic candidate for President, Pres., American Bar Assn., when resolution adopted denouncing trial of cases in newspapers) in recent speeches severely belabors you [Fall]. Judge Carpenter recently postponed Forbes trial due to inflamed condition of the public mind.

Telegram, W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX, September 25, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Waldorf Astoria, NY.

Asks confidentiality protecting news of his new employment.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, October 10, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Proposed meeting El Paso. Believes mistake if Fall makes trip to Los Angeles. Government counsel unable to obtain evidence necessary to support allegations in Bill of Complaint. At best, can only create slim *prima facie* case.

Telegram, W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX, October 11, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Eberhardt going Three Rivers. Proposes conference with Fall after Eberhart visit.

Letter, W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX, October 14, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Schumacher will arrive Sunday.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, Los Angeles, CA, October 21, 1924, to Senator Fall. Two pages.

Government attorneys commence trial. Hogan powerful argument, presentation of defense.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, Los Angeles, October 22, 1924, to Senator Fall. Two pages.

Completion of opening defense by Hogan.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, Los Angeles, October 23, 1924, to Senator Fall. Six pages.

Hill (Secy., Sen. Public Lands Committee) testified, identified \$100,000 note. Fall's steno-grapher Mack identified note as Fall's handwriting. Hogan & Burton, VP & Cashier, 1st National Bank, El Paso, testified re deposits. Ed Harris testified re 12/5/1921 sale of ranch, \$91,500, gave history cash/check payments. Doheny Sr. & Jr. called, refused to testify. Sr.'s wife testified.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, Los Angeles, CA, October 25, 1924, to Senator Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Three pp.

Received memo from Fall. Government counsel read Doheny's testimony before Senate Committee characterizing transaction as loan, called Oscar Sutro as witness, then Finney.

Telegram, Henry A. Wise, Los Angeles, CA, October 27, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Advises not to comply with Revenue Agent's request. Will communicate with Commissioner.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, Los Angeles, October 27, 1924, to Senator Fall. Three pages.

Re court session same date. Finney s testimony defends Fall, disagrees with Sutro s testimony re details leading up to April 25, 1922, contract. In Fall s absence Finney reported to Fall by telephone; Fall replied to do whatever Navy says.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, Los Angeles, CA, October 28, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Seven pp.

Proceedings of trial in California. Finney principal actor in Interior Department.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, Los Angeles, CA, October 28, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Four pp.

Re testimony, happenings in California trial.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, Los Angeles, CA, October 30, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Four pp.

Re testimony, happenings in California trial.

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Letter, Henry A. Wise, Los Angeles, CA, November 5, 1924, to Senator Fall. Six pages.

Account of trial in California, testimony of Dr. Bain and others.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Hawkins, November 6, 1924, to Col. Henry A. Wise, c/o Doheny, Los Angeles, CA. Two pages.

Fall delayed by conference with Southern Pacific and E.P.& S.W. ownership. Discussion re income tax officials demand to investigate books and accounts of Tres Ritos Cattle Company.

Letter, W. A. Hawkins, General Attorney, Legal Department, El Paso & Southwestern System, El Paso, TX, November 6, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

Unable go Los Angeles, see Wise. Writing Wise, sending correspondence, sending c/o Doheny.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, Los Angeles, CA, November 6, 1924, to Senator Fall. Four pages.

Relates happenings of trial in California, Admiral Robison on witness stand.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, Los Angeles, CA, November 7, 1924, to Senator Fall.

Evidence in case closed, Robinson s cross exam. Account of evidence, telegram to Commissioner Blair. Sees nothing to this case, thinks fraud charge totally failed. WYO trial won t start until Jan. Will be warm weather *if ever* before tried. Advises not to delay trip because of indictments.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, Los Angeles, CA, November 7, 1924, to W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX. Five pp.

Has letter, enclosures. Telegram to Commissioner Blair with ref to income tax. Evidence in Pan American case closed, court adjourned.

Letter, W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, November 10, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Encloses letter from Wise. Conference with Southern Pacific representative.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, November 20, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

Denver Agent matter taken up with Commissioner Int. Rev. Requests serial no. s \$25,000 bonds from Colonel Zevely. Examination set, Canadian witnesses in Wyoming case.

Letter, W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX, November 22, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pp.

Presentation Hogan argument for defense in California trial.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, November 23, 1924, to Col. Henry A. Wise, New York.

Re Fall s 1923 trip to Europe, services rendered there for Russian Petroleum Syndicate. Fall requests Wise collect/settle for fee due for consultations in Russia & Germany, amount to be applied to Zevely note of \$25,000.

Letter, M. T. Everhart, Hatchet Cattle Co., Pueblo, CO, December 1, 1924, to Henry Wise, NY. Two pp.

Indebtedness of Fall and Tres Ritos; new proposition by Fall.

Letter, Henry Wise, NY, December 4, 1924, to M. T. Everhart, Hatchet Cattle Co., Pueblo, CO. Four pp.

Proposed loan for Fall, previous 1921 loan.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, December 4, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Encloses copy Everhart letter, Wise s reply. Requests map showing all properties in name of Tres Ritos Cattle Co., & statement: acreage, no. of cattle; forced sale value; lands acquired intended to be conveyed to cattle company in Pueblo matter.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, NYC, December 16, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Encloses clipping *New York Times* re Justice Riddell, Canadian contempt proceeding. New government moves, WYO case.

Letter, H. T. McCaluey, Revenue Agent, Denver, CO, December 23, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Requests examination, Fall books. Otherwise report must be made outside sources.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, NYCX, December 26, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Government Notice to bring pleas to indictments to Washington for Argument January 9.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Fall, El Paso, December 27, 1924, to Henry A. Wise, New York. Two pp.

Completion proposed mortgage TRCLC property. Conference, Pueblo Everhart, Thatcher, Gast. Provisions of loan.

Letter, presumably Fall, El Paso, TX, December 27, 1924, to B. C. Hernandez, Collector of Internal Revenue, Albuquerque, NM.

Due to absence overlooked payment last installment 1923 taxes, encloses payment plus penalty.

Letter, presumably Fall, El Paso, TX, December 27, 1924, to Col. Henry A. Wise, NYC.

Encloses letter from J. G. Bright, deputy commissioner, Int. Rev., waiver for Fall and wife. Investigation Fall back tax returns, 1919 on.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, no date, to Henry A. Wise, New York.

Forwarded letter of authority to Wise, NYC. Some witnesses NM & CO subpoenaed.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, NYC, December 31, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Has letter re communication from Bright and waivers. Treasury Dept. investigation. Argument, special pleas for indictments set January 23.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, December 31, 1924, to Solicitor of Bureau of Internal Revenue, Washington.

Waivers re Mrs. Fall 1919 returns. Filing power of attorney in future.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, NYC, December 31, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Opinion on Thompson, keeping Trustee s Certificate. Attempt to remove matter from Thatcher control.

Folder 10 Correspondence, January to February, 1925

Letter, Mark. B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, January 25, 1925, to Henry A. Wise, NY.

Forwarding memorandum on bribery indictments, matters not in previous memorandum.

Memorandum on Bribery Indictments, by Mark Thompson. Ten pages.

Folder 11 Correspondence, March to May, 1925

Letter, A. B. Fall, El Paso, TX, March 2, 1925, to Col. Henry A. Wise, New York. Two pages.

Fall s illness, Spears matter, unauthorized interview, Pomerene s last news story, telegraph operator in Three Rivers, NM.

Telegram, Henry A. Wise, Cheyenne, Wyo., March 7, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Santa Fe Train No. 1, Raton, NM.

Date needed, meeting at Denver.

Telegram, Law, Paris, March 18, 1925, to Fall, Carlton Hotel, London, England (with envelope).

My profoundest sympathies.

Telegram, *El Paso Herald*, no date, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Wants statement re Fall s appearance before Senate Committee to reply to Carl Magee accusations. If filing written statement, wants advance copy.

Telegram, Henry A. Wise, New York, April 3, 1925, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Judge McCoy opinion sustaining pleas, dismissing indictments. Congratulations.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, April 4, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, El Paso, TX.

McCoy decision, government announcement of appeal, opinion on bribery charges, possible attempt to secure new indictments.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, April 16, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, El Paso, TX.

Government appeal McCoy decision, Statute of Limitations, securing new indictments.

Letter, W. A. Hawkins, Los Angeles, CA, April 21, 1925, to A. B. Fall. Four pages.

\$12,500 payment by party under agreement, other half applies as credit under original agreement with Fall. Encloses personal check for half amount of agreement. Also due Fall: half Hawkins independent earnings present year to May 1, sufficient liquidate Fall note \$3,000.

Telegram, Henry A. Wise, New York, May 3, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, El Paso, TX.

Government issued subpoenas for Fall, Chase, Everhart. Wise going to Cheyenne.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, May 8, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Sending briefs filed, Mammoth Oil Co., WYO suit. Government calling witnesses for Grand Jury. Government appeals re McCoy decision cannot be heard until autumn.

Letter, C. F. R. Ogilby, Washington, May 20, 1925, to Harry H. McElroy, General Attorney, Southern Pacific Company, El Paso, TX. Two pages.

Re furnishing water from Indian Creek on Mescalero Reservation, proposed between Fall, Hawkins, El Paso & Northeastern Railway Company, Southern Pacific Company.

Letter, W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX, May 28, 1925, to E. L. Doheny, Los Angeles, CA. Three pages.

Re Doheny s preparation of articles explaining transactions of oil matters. Recommends Thompson as possible help. Doheny s offer of salary for Thompson.

Letter, W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX, May 28, 1925, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Enclosed letter re Indian Creek water from Ogilby, attorney, Washington.

Telegram, Georgia Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, May 31, 1925, to Mrs. A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Mark R. Thompson s Chicago address.

Telegram, Mark B. Thompson, New York, May 31, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Trip to Chicago, Chicago address.

Folder 12 Correspondence, June, 1925

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, June 2, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

Quotes May 27 telegram. Copies of Indictments to Thompson. Conference with Cooke on Fall appearance for indictments, bond, Fall appearance for bond.

Telegram, Mark R. Thompson, Chicago, June 3, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Arrival El Paso.

Telegram, Mark R. Thompson, June 4, 1925, to Albert B. Thompson [error: Fall], Three Rivers, NM.

Departure time, will contact Wise.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, June 8, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Re Fall arraignment, disappointment in Judge McCormick s decision.

Letter, Frank J. Hogan, Washington, June 8, 1925, to Harry A. Wise, New York. Two pages.

Re new indictments, old indictments, and motion to quash indictments March 1925.

Telegram, Frank J. Hogan, Washington, June 9, 1925, to W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX. Two pages.

Mailing Certified copy of papers to U. S. District Attorney, El Paso. Posting of bond.

Telegram, W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX, no date, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Parties are at Haywood Hotel, Los Angeles, waiting word from Fall.

Letter, Frank J. Hogan, June 10, 1925, to Henry A. Wise, New York. Four pages.

Accounts of indictments presented May 27. Government intends to press for hearing Court of Appeals, motion to quash bribery indictments.

Letter, W. A. Hawkins, Legal Dept., Rock Island & Pacific Railway Co., June 10, 1925, to A. B. Fall.

Encloses telegram from Hogan. Re bank loans for Mrs. Fall, wants different signed \$1800 note.

Telegram, Mark R. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, June 11, 1925, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Albuquerque has not served notices yet.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, June 12, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Encloses copies two letters from Hogan. Hogan arranged Fall's bail on new indictments..

Telegram, Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, June 16, 1925, to W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX.

Re Fall's arrival El Paso, arrangements with Crowell.

Letter, W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX, June 17, 1925, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Explains halt in Hawkins' professional plans, copy of letter to Doheny, cancellation of present agreement for employment.

Letter, W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX, June 17, 1925, to E. L. Doheny, Los Angeles, CA. Two pp.

Re inability to comply with assuming whole or divided responsibility of position at Pan American Co. production.

Letter, presumably Fall, Three Rivers, NM, June 19, 1925, to W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX. Two pp.

Re Hawkins severing connections.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, June 19, 1925, to Colonel Henry A. Wise, New York. Two pages.

Went to El Paso, executed bond. Opinion of law in contracts.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, NYC, June 20, 1925, to Sinclair Exploration Company, New York.

Re compensation due Fall for services rendered Sinclair Corp. in Russian negotiations, summer 1923. Enclosed Statement for \$16,666.66.

Statement tendered Sinclair Exploration Co., June 20, 1925, from Albert B. Fall through Henry A. Wise.

Professional services rendered re Saghalin Concession, June 19 to August 19, 1923, \$16,666.66.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, June 20, 1925, New York, to Russian American Baku Development Syndicate, New York City.

Re compensation due Fall for services rendered Russian negotiations, summer 1923. Enclosed Statement \$16,666.66 for services. Dissolution of syndicate.

Statement tendered Russian American Baku Development Syndicate, NY, from Albert B. Fall, June 20, 1925, through Henry A. Wise.

For professional services rendered Russian American Baku Development Syndicate July 1923 re negotiations with Russian Soviet Government for oil concessions in Russia, \$8,333.33.

Letter, G. T. Sanford, New York, June 22, 1925, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Re opinion Mammoth Oil case, forwarding printed copies 59-page opinion.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, June 22, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Report on Judge Kennedy's decision ... made on law & facts, not public opinion.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, June 25, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Re arraignment on new indictments & arrangement of bail.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, June 28, 1925, to G. T. Stanford, New York.

Received Stanford letter, glad for copies of opinion.

Folder 13 Correspondence, July, 1925

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, July 1, 1925, to Henry A. Wise, New York. Eleven pages.

Fall's dissatisfaction with Wise's actions. Doheny's statement that McLean made the loan. Supervision of contracts by Finney, Denby, Robinson. Details of \$100,000 note. Enclosed copy Fall's July 2, 1923, telegram to *New York World*

Telegram, E. L. Doheny, Los Angeles, CA, July 2, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Nothing in [*Times*] interview which would not cause Fall great satisfaction. Cannot account for what others say. Sending copies of interview, telegrams, newspaper accounts. Preparing appeal.

Telegram, Albert B. Fall, July 7, 1925, to W. A. Hawkins.

Inquires whether Fall will be home.

Letter, Henry Wise, New York, July 7, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

Newspaper discussions pending litigation, Doheny statement, advisability of publicity.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, July 11, 1925, to W. A. Hawkins, La Luz, NM. Three pages.

Indian Creek water matter, explains reasons for not signing agreement.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, July 17, 1925, to J. W. Zevely, New York. Three pages.

Strength of Fall & NM supporters, business opportunities in Las Cruces general area.

Letter, Mark. B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, July 18, 1925, to Mr. J. J. Cotter, Los Angeles, CA.

Whether Cotter has letter, Denby to Fall, October 25, 1921, with details re oil leases.

Letter, Mark. B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, July 20, 1925, to Col. E. L. Doheny, Los Angeles, CA.

Sending page omitted from memorandum of debates over oil lease laws. Fall wants copy of Judge Shepherd's very gratifying decision.

Letter, Joseph J. Cotter, Pan American Petroleum & Transport Co., Pan American Petroleum Co. Subsidiary, Los Angeles, July 22, 19125, to Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM.

Denies possession of letter referred to, quotes p. 1535, Court Record re letter.

Letter, A. R. O'Brien, Editor, Ukiah Republican Press, Ukiah, CA, July 25, 1925, to Judge Fall. Two pp.

Motoring South, may see Fall, suffered much same position in NM, may be of help.

Letter, Frank J. Hogan, Los Angeles, July 26, 1925, to Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM. Three pp.

Re Memo by Fall & Thompson, Congressional policy re public domain. Three judges interpreted June 4, 1920, Act as competitive bidding not required. Judge McCormick found law authorized contracts as between Government & Pan American: negotiation without competition.

Folder 14 Correspondence, August, 1925

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, August 1, 1925, to Frank J. Hogan, Los Angeles, CA. Ten pp.

Forwarded Hogan's July 26 letter re Memo to Doheny. Doheny's loan to Fall. Legislation history leading to oil leases. Considers McCormick's decision as illogical, contrary to facts.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, August 3, 1925, to Henry A. Wise, New York. Two pp.

Completed analytical history of legislation leading to Act of June 4 & contracts.

Letter, E. L. Doheny, Los Angeles, CA, August 11, 1925, to Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

Did not receive word re Fall & Thompson work, Pan American Western Co. appeals and brief.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, August 12, 1925, to Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM. Two pp.

Convinced Court of Appeals will sustain Judge McCoy's decision dismissing indictments. Hopeful can develop attack upon new indictments. Requests copy compilation legislative history to Act of June 4th, discussion of contracts.

Telegram, Mrs. Hawkins, La Luz, NM, August 14, 1925, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Gives information re Hawkins whereabouts.

Telegram, Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, August 14, 1925, to W. A. Hawkins, La Luz, NM.

Inquires whether Hawkins will be home.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, August 14, 1925, to E. L. Doheny, Los Angeles, CA. Two pp.

Received Doheny's August 11 letter. Transcription & work compiled, encloses rough draft of section dealing with ranch.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, August 18, 1925, to Col. Henry A. Wise, New York. Two pages.

Encloses memo re oil policy of Congress. Reiterates position re criminal indictments.

Memorandum. Twenty-eight pages, blue back.

Legislative history, oil policy of U. S. Congress up to Act of June 4th, discussion of contracts.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, August 19, 1925, to Henry A. Wise, New York. Two pp.

Fall's desire to protect friends sole reason he attempted to mislead Senate Committee by means of McLean letter re source of monies he received. Calls Doheny statement, *New York Times* interview, criminal thoughtlessness deliberate attempt to destroy Sen. Fall.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, August 22, 1925, to Col. E. L. Doheny, Los Angeles, CA.

Forwarding work re Fall's Norman-Jersey, Irish-Scotch ancestry, branch of family Fall descended from. Final draft, 2 earlier drafts with handwritten corrections.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, August 26, 1925, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

CA & WYO May indictments meaningless allegations, failing to charge any offense.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, August 26, 1925, to Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM. Two pp.

Received Memo history of oil legislation. Agrees Doheny interview *New York Times* inexcusable, without forethought. Government counsels withdrawing appeals McCoy decision.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, August 28, 1925, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM. Four pp.

Interview with Mr. Moffat. Statements of Mr. Spears, U. S. Bonds traced to Fall. Hogan s statements re Spears & Liberty Bonds. Doheny July interview *New York Times*. Believes Government Counsel feeding press info obtained in Grand Jury investigation.

Newspaper clipping, Fall Defends Oil Land Lease in Wyoming (*New York Times?*), no date.

Folder 15 Correspondence, September, 1925

Telegram, Mark B. Thompson, New York, no date, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Thompson will travel straight through if desired.

Telegram, Henry A. Wise, New York, September 9, 1925, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Requests stenographer s report oral arguments before McCoy on pleas to indictments.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, September 10, 1925, to Henry A. Wise, New York.

Mailing transcript argument before McCoy January 23 to 26, 1925.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, September 19, 1925, to E. L. Doheny, Los Angeles, CA.

Encloses section of work re relationship between Fall & Theodore Roosevelt. Discovered incomplete files *Rio Grande Republican*, frequent correspondence from Kingston, compiling.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, September 23, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Encloses Transcript of Record, government s brief. Served papers to postpone argument of appeal until November, avoiding conflict with arguing appeal in California case.

Letter, Frank J. Hogan, by Geo. W. Johnson, Jr., Los Angeles, CA, September 24, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Three pages.

Writing Wise re pleadings to indictments pending Supreme Court, D.C. Updates on Pan American cases. Two cases pending on bribery, new indictments on conspiracy, future moves.

Folder 16 Correspondence, October, 1925

Letter, Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, October 1, 1925, to Frank J. Hogan, Los Angeles, CA.

Encloses more detailed letter re latter portion Hogan letter September 24.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, October 1, 1925, to Frank J. Hogan, Los Angeles, CA. Six pp.

Astonished by Hogan s Sept. 24th letter. Interaction between Hogan & Dr. Bain; Hogan s interpretation of Fall s supplemental & original statements and exhibits. Fall explanation re declining to negotiate December 11th lease until specific instructions received from Secy. of Navy. Doheny s Sept. 6 letter re development of Government oil. Judge McCormick says no evidence in record to substantiate case. Bain letter to Fall October 21, 1922, waived aside by Judge McCormick; if admitted to record would have revealed absurdity of conspiracy charges.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, October 2, 1925, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Attached: photograph 2 unidentified men.

Encloses copies of demurrers prepared to 2 indictments by D.C. Grand Jury last May. Disagrees with Hogan s opinion on no action. If demurrer filed, Fall s appearance not required.

Telegram, Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, October 2, 1925, to Frank J. Hogan, Los Angeles, CA.

Suggests Hogan await Fall s letter before concluding argument San Francisco.

Telegram, Frank J. Hogan, Los Angeles, CA, October 2, 1925, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Arrange to forward letter to reach Hogan before concluding argument.

Letter, Private and Confidential, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, October 4, 1925, to G. T. Stanford, New York.

Enclosures sent on own initiative, requests return of 1 letters, 1 memo for Senator Fall s info. Requests Stanford discretion if info given to parties in NY.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, October 9, 1925, to Henry A. Wise, New York. One copy.

Approved action demurrers, requests briefs, authorities. Enclosed Hogan letter re recent developments, Fall reply & telegram, Hogan reply. Regrets Fall s Oct. 30 letter to Bain not used.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, October 17, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Five pages.

Ideas on indictments, allegations, fact of oil-bearing lands.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, October 22, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Encloses 3 copies brief Government s appeal from Justice McCoy s decision. Appeal will be argued Nov. 2 or 3.

Letter, A. Ziegler, Ziegler Brothers Carrizozo, NM, October 26, 1925, to Mark. B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM. With envelope.

Re whereabouts of Mr. Brownfield.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, October 28, 1925, to Henry A. Wise, New York.

Denver Deputy Marshal inquiring re whereabouts Tom Johnson & A. D. Brownfield. Attached Memorandum of Differences re conspiracy indictments of Fall & Doheny, and Fall & Sinclair.

Memorandum of Differences as Between the Indictment of A. B. Fall and Edward L. Doheny for Conspiracy, and A. B. Fall and Harry F. Sinclair on the Same Charge. Three pages.

Folder 17 Correspondence, November, 1925

Letter, Henry A. Wise, Washington, November 3, 1925, to Senator Fall. Four pages.

Completed argument of appeal McCoy decision. Arguments to new demurrer. U. S. Marshal.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, November 3, 1925, to G. T. Stanford, New York.

Enclosed copy of memo Doheny conspiracy indictment & letter to Mr. Hogan.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, November 3, 1925, to Frank J. Hogan, Washington.

Fall s ideas on demurrers in completed memo enclosed.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, November 3, 1925, to Henry A. Wise, New York. Two pages.

Encloses copy of memo of ideas of demurrer to indictment.

Indictment, Edward L. Doheny & Albert B. Fall for Conspiracy to Defraud the U.S. Typed copy, 17 pages.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, November 7, 1925, to Henry A. Wise, New York.

Motion of Senator Wheeler to quash indictments against him in Washington.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, November 9, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Received November 3 letter, enclosures.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, November 9, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Conference with Stanford, agreed to adjust Fall claims, \$16,666.66 & \$8,333.33, for compensation for Sinclair Exploration Co. & Russian American Baku Development Co.

Letter, G. T. Stanford, New York, November 10, 1925, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Received memo conspiracy indictment, turned over to Littleton & to Hoover.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, November 13, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Conference with Hogan, argument Circuit Court of Appeals, San Francisco. Government demurrer to Wheeler motion to quash.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, November 20, 1925, to J. W. Zevely, New York.

New matters to be presented before hearing on indictments, arrival in New York.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, November 23, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Received payment for claims Russian matter. Gave endorsed checks to Zevely, exchanged for note marked Paid Nov. 23-25 J. W. Zevely.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, November 27, 1925, to Martin W. Littleton.

Requests Littleton have conference with Thompson re additional phases of demurrers.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, November 27, 1925, to Henry A. Wise, through Thompson.

Re whereabouts of Thompson, ideas of Fall on briefs and demurrers in New York with Wise.

Folder 18 Correspondence, December, 1925

Letter, Agnes C. Laut, New York, undated, to Mrs. A. B. Fall. Three pages.

Letter sent under cover of Mrs. Branch of Mexican Petroleum, stampede of editors against Fall.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, December 5, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Three pages.

Arrangement of division of time allotted by court. Report presentation in court previous day.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, December 7, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Decision by Court of Appeals, D.C., reversing McCoy decision, reinstatement of indictments. Proposal of demurrer. Reinstated 1 indictment, alleging bribe. Sending opinion of indictment.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, December 18, 1925, to Henry A. Wise, New York. Seven pages.

Has confidence in Wise. Fall & Denby's acts of administration, endorsed, approved as such.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, December 26, 1925, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Four pages.

Argument of demurrers, Stafford decision. Aware of government policy, administration acts Fall mentioned previous letter. Opinion on Fall taking stand.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, December 31, 1925, to Henry A. Wise, New York.

Fall, Wise at cross purposes. Hogan & Fall in agreement over suggestions offered in good faith. Fall determined to testify in event of trial.

BOX 2 - Correspondence & Documents Relating to Oil Scandals, 1926-1928

Folder 1 Correspondence, January, 1926

Letter, Frank J. Hogan, Washington, January 4, 1926, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Three pages, with attached note by Albert B. Fall, Mr. Hogan is rather pessimistic.

San Francisco Circuit Court of Appeals affirms lower court decision cancelling Doheny leases, Elk Hills Reserves. Defendant companies denied credit for cost of improvements Pearl Harbor & on reserves. Preparing petition Supreme Court for certiorari. Conspiracy & bribery indictments pending; Judge Stafford's questions requiring additional briefs by defense.

Telegram, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, January 9, 1926, to Henry A. Wise, New York.

Informed Judge Stafford requesting additional briefs. Request information re filing same.

Letter, Arthur G. Warren, Wise, Whitney & Parker, NY, January 9, 1926, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM. Two pages plus attachment.

Compliance with Stafford's request for additional briefs. Attached: Criminal #43, 325, questions of Judge Wendell P. Stafford.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, January 12, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

Circuit Court of Appeals decision Pan American case, McCormick decision re June 4, 1926 Act.

Telegram, Henry A. Wise, NY, January 13, 1926, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM.

Judge Stafford's.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, January 13, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Judge Stafford appended citation to second question. Encloses memo prepared from authorities, re questions of Judge Wendell Stafford.

Memorandum in re Questions of Mr. Justice Wendell P. Stafford, in Criminal No. 43,325, D.C. Four pages.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, NY, January 15, 1926, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM. Four pages.

Requests information certain points memorandum history of government policy on public lands.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, January 19, 1926, to Col. Henry A. Wise, NYC. Two pages.

Believes further measures on technical grounds to no avail.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, January 19, 1926, to Henry A. Wise, New York.

Preparation of statement desired.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, January 21, 1926, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM.

Will send copy of brief for Stafford near future.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, January 21, 1926, to Henry A. Wise, NY. Sixteen pp.

Explains policies re mineral lands, public lands, categories of each.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, January 21, 1926, to Henry A. Wise, NY. Seven pp.

Telegram, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, January 22, 1926, to Henry A. Wise, New York.

See US vs Royer, October 1924, US Supr Court affirming decision Norton vs Shelby County.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, NY, January 25, 1926, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM.

Filing briefs with Judge Stafford before end week. Want briefs filed by Littleton & Hogan.

Letter, Owen J. Roberts, Special Counsel, & Atlee Pomerene, Special Counsel, Office of U. S. Attorney, Washington, January 25, 1926, to American Surety Company, New York.

Request to produce defendant [Fall] in US vs. Albert B. Fall, Criminal 42, 304, arraignment Criminal Division No. 2, Supreme Court for District of Columbia, Saturday, February 6, 1926.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, NY, January 26, 1926, to Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

Conferring with Hogan re brief (not filed), arraignment for bribery indictments set February 6th.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, January 26, 1926, to Joseph J. Cotter, Washington.

Requests copies of Visalia leases listed, wants copy of each if they vary.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, January 29, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pp.

Disregard date of February 6th as interposing demurrer to be argued.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, January 29, 1926, to Henry A. Wise, New York.

Uncalled for, unnecessary that bondsmen be notified before my [Fall s] appearance. Suggests Wise notify government of interposing demurrer & request they notify bonding company.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, January 29, 1926, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM.

Substantially same as Wise to Fall letter above, same date.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, January 29, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.
Two pp.

American Surety telegram requesting Fall bond Feb. 6, advising Crowell re new developments.

Telegram, Henry A. Wise, New York, January 29, 1926, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Will interpose demurrer February 6th, no need for Fall appearance.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, January 29 and 30, 1926, to Henry A. Wise, New York. Five pp.

Received Thompson telegram & notice from bonding co Suggests giving immediate notice to government counsel to interpose demurrers Feb. 6.

Folder 2 Correspondence, February, 1926

Telegram, Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, February 1, 1926, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Talked to Mrs. Fall. Will be over Wednesday.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, no date, to Henry A. Wise, New York.

Chicago, train/time, hotel.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, no date, to Henry A. Wise, New York.

Matter satisfactorily arranged just returned from trip

Telegram, Henry A. Wise, New York, February 1, 1926, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Government counsel purpose in notice to sureties was to fix time for pleading.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, February 1, 1926, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Government counsel Roberts explained notice to sureties was to fix time for pleading. Understands demurrers are to be interposed; your personal presence not necessary.

Letter, D. C. Crowell, Vice-Pres., American Surety Co., El Paso, TX, February 2, 1926, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM.

Enclosed notice re Fall s appearance Feb. 6.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, February 3, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Nine pages.

Criticisms by Fall re notice of bonding co. Feels Fall laboring under mistaken assumptions.

Letter, Frank J. Hogan, Washington, February 4, 1926, to Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM.

Thanks for suggestions re answers to Judge Stafford s questions. Government & defense counsels submitting briefs tomorrow.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, February 5, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Mailing copies of briefs filed by all attorneys in answer to Judge Stafford s questions.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, February 5, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Encloses copy demurrer proposed to file in bribery indictment.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, February 8, 1926, to Henry A. Wise, New York. Eight pages.

Denies doubts re Wise s representation. Suggests getting local Wash. attorney for cooperation, Difference in eastern & western attitudes. Explanation mineral laws. Important presentation history & background oil matters. Surety bondsmen.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, February 9, 1926, to Henry A. Wise, New York.

Thanks, Feb. 5 letter with copy demurrer.

Letter, Mark R. Thompson, Las Cruces, February 11, 1926, to Frank J. Hogan, Washington.

Received brief in answer to Judge Stafford s questions. Logical handling. Places color of authority on Secretary of Navy.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, February 12, 1926, to Henry A. Wise, New York.

Requests correct answer whether or not Appellate Court decision upset former arguments.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, February 13, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Encloses entries, minutes Supreme Court, D.C., following Court of Appeals mandate on bribery indictments. Pomerene & Roberts approval not final. Hogan/Wise demurrers served on govt.

Telegram, Henry A. Wise, New York, February 13, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Explains court did not disturb Judge McCormack's decision to effect Act June 4, 1920, vesting authority in Secy. of Navy. Government brief not contradiction. Authority of Secy. of Navy & approval of Congress, competitive bidding.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, February 15, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

Explains previous telegram in more detail. Circuit Court Opinion will explain prior statement.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, February 15, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Stafford decision overrules demurrers interposed to indictment against Fall-Doheny. Hogan and Wise application for special appeal doubtful. No opinion Fall-Sinclair demurrer.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, February 15, 1926, to Henry A. Wise, New York.

Preparing for trial, no confidence in possibility of special appeal.

Telegram, Henry A. Wise, New York, February 15, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Stafford filed opinion overruling demurrers. Will apply for special appeal.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, February 15, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Filing demurrers. Fall's statement re duties of Interior Dept. re points 13/14 of demurrer.

Letter, unknown, February 17, 1926, to Henry A. Wise, New York. Two pages.

Fall suggestion of incorporation with points 13/14 of demurrer re duties of Interior Dept. Explains points of demurrer & argument.

Letter, Jos. J. Cotter, Vice-Pres., Pan American Petroleum & Transport Co., NY, February 18, 1926, to Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM.

Sending photo copies of list of leases.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, February 19, 1926, to Henry A. Wise, New York. Two pages.

Re Stafford decision. Re cooperation with Hogan.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, February 19, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

Application for special appeal. Authority of Int. Dept. in demurrer, Mr. Warner's opinion. Opinion Littleton discussion Haas, Peckham, & Hammerschmidt cases became basis of decision.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, February 22, 1926, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM.

Filing petition. Important letter from Western Party.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, February 23, 1926, to Henry A. Wise, New York. Two copies.

Fall suggestion addition to demurrers. Opinion why Harding issued Exec. Order.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, February 23, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

Opinions on Court of Appeals decision special appeal. Application prepared by Hoover. Calling Denby as witness in event of trial.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, February 23, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Filing joint petition for special appeal by Hogan & Wise. Stafford decision re Fall-Sinclair case.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, February 26, 1926, to J. J. Cotter, New York.

Received photocopies of leases.

Folder 3 Correspondence, March to May, 1926

Letter, Frank J. Hogan, Atty. for Edward L. Doheny, on behalf of Henry A. Wise, Atty. for Albert B. Fall, March 9, 1926, to Chief Justice & Associate Justices, Court of Appeals, D. C. Five pages.

Petition for Allowance of Special Appeals ...

Telegram, C. E. [E. C.] Crawley, Tulsa, OK, March 10, 1926, to Col. J. W. Zevely, Three Rivers, NM.

Telegram from Stanford re Berry King, conference with Zevely.

Telegram, J. W. Zevely, Three Rivers, NM, March 10, 1926, to Mrs. J. W. Zevely, New York.

Proposed time departure.

Telegram, J. W. Zevely, March 10, 1926, to E. C. Crawley, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

When does Mussolini expect to leave?

Telegram, E. C. Crawley, Tulsa, Oklahoma, March 11, 1926, to J. W. Zevely, Three Rivers, NM.

Departure for Chicago, proposed meeting with Mussolini.

Telegram, J. W. Zevely, Three Rivers, NM, March 11, 1926, to E. C. Crawley, Tulsa, Oklahoma.

Reply to previous telegrams.

Telegram, J. W. Zevely, Three Rivers, NM, March 12, 1926, to Mrs. J. W. Zevely, New York.

Time of departure, Three Rivers, arrival New York.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, March 12, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Encloses communication from Justice, Court of Appeals, delay in court action. Attached: communication to Chief Justice & Associate Justices Court of Appeals, March 9, 1926. In connection with special appeals, cases listed, explanation demurrers filed to indictments.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, no date, to Henry A. Wise, New York.

Received telegram from Wise re certioraries, granting appeals.

Telegram, J. W. Zevely, Three Rivers, NM, March 13, 1926, to G. T. Stanford, New York.

Berry King in Chicago, departure for New York.

Telegram, Henry A. Wise, New York, March 22, 1926, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Granting both petitions by Court of Appeals from Stafford decision. Granting certiorari Pan American case. Argument of special appeals.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, March 22, 1926, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

Court of Appeals granted petitions due to certiorari. Argument, Court of Appeals, may be postponed until Supreme Court decision Pan American case.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, March 22, 1926, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM.

U. S. Supreme Court rendering writ of certiorari on application to review Pan American civil case. Court of Appeals granting special appeal.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, April 16, 1926, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Death of Price McKinney. With envelope.

Letter, Frank J. Hogan, May 4, 1926, to Atlee Pomerene & Owen J. Roberts, Washington. Two pages.

Requests Court of Appeals file briefs in 15 days following decision in Supreme Court in Pan American case, hearing first week of month following filing of briefs of parties.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, May 6, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Enclosed: May 4 letter Hogan to Pomerene & Roberts; Mammoth Oil brief Circuit Court of Appeals.

Folder 4 Correspondence, July to December, 1926

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, August 6, 1926, to Frank J. Hogan, Washington. Two pp.

Procedure of Government counsel, disposal of appeals in Court of Appeals. Opinion re possible court action.

Motion to Dismiss Special Appeal, August 18, 1926, April Term, 1926, Court of Appeals, D.C., E. L. Doheny and Albert B. Fall vs. U.S.A. Five pages.

July 3, 1926, Act prohibits appeal to Court of Appeals from interlocutory order criminal action.

Letter, Carl Whitney, Wise, Whitney, and Parker, NY, August 19, 1926, to Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM.

Hogan forwarding briefs filed in opposition to Govt. motion to dismiss special appeals.

Letter, Carl Whitney, New York, August 19, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

Govt. attorneys may file motions under Walsh Act to dismiss special appeals & give defendants 10 days to prepare briefs in opposition. Encloses Govt. motion to dismiss Doheny case.

Letter, G. T. Stanford, New York, August 20, 1926, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Encloses brief filed jointly on behalf Sinclair & Fall, position taken in Government's motion.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, August 21, 1926, to Frank J. Hogan, Washington. Two pages.

Sending documents of Memorandum by Fall on U.S. oil policy 1910-20, appendix by Thompson, history of legislation & 1914 bill, & Thompson memo on Gilbert opinion Pan American case.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, August 21, 1926, to Frank J. Hogan, Washington. Six pages.

Hogan's tactics determining validity Congressional act. Differentiates between Fall & Key cases.

Letter, apparently written by Fall, Three Rivers, NM, August 23, 1926, to Edward L. Doheny, Los Angeles, CA. Pages 1-2, incomplete.

Action of Congress attempting to cut Fall & Doheny out of D.C. appeal. Writ of mandamus from Supreme Court to Court of Appeals.

Letter, J. W. Zevly, New York, August 31, 1926, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Enclosed editorial *Washington Post*, July 29, 1926. Decision of Justice Smith holding injunction against further enforcement of Senate's resolution in Fall case.

Article, Can Such Things Be? *Washington Post*, July 29, 1926.

Justice Smith's decision upholding Albert Fall re California Naval Reserves.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, October 4, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Court of Appeals, D.C., granted Govt. motion dismissing special appeal previously allowed by Justice Stafford overruling demurrers on conspiracy indictments. Considering applying to U. S. Supreme Court for writ of certiorari or of mandamus.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, October 9, 1926, to Levi Cooke, Washington.

Received brief filed. Desires criminal trial.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, October 9, 1926, to Henry A. Wise, New York. Two pages.

Conference with Tuller & O Melviny, Wellborns, two Dohenys & Hogan. Opinion on petition for special appeals. Fall to testify unless others did so.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, October 14, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Asks whether Fall wants Wise to have rejection & dismissal of special appeal reviewed.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, October 21, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

Received wire requesting meeting LA. Fall has followed others. Opinion that measures before higher tribunal on technical grounds useless.

Letter, Rodney Dutcher, Manager, NEA Service, Inc., Washington, November 16, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Washington.. With envelope.

Offer of publicity through NEA Services.

Notes re National Editorial Assn., NEA Service, Inc., et al. Two pages

Telegram, Henry A. Wise, New York, November 18, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Washington.

Present court occupations in New York, arrival in Washington.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Washington, November 19, 1926, to Rodney Dutcher, Manager, NEA Service, Inc., Washington. Two pages.

Received offer of publicity. Explains situation in pending criminal charges.

Telegram, C. M. Newman, El Paso, TX, November 24, 1926, to A. B. Fall, Washington.

Offer of assistance.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, November 26, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Conference with Stanford. Proceedings Canadian case. Whitney handling Blair matter. Wants Fall ascertain NY bank that disposed 50 bonds to Carrizozo Bank (25 bonds from Zevely to Fall).

Letter, F. A. Hanscom, Chicago, December 1, 1926, to A. B. Fall, Washington. Two pages.

Finney letter to California man 1921 giving full charge oil leases. Took action without consulting Fall. Can obtain copy.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Henry A. Wise, December 24, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Washington,.

Arrestment Fall & Sinclair *United States vs. Fall and Sinclair*, not guilty pleas. Trial date. Wise not consulted in any matter. Questions whether Fall wishes he [Wise] continue in service.

Folder 5 Correspondence, January 1927

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Washington, January 3, 1927, to Albert B. Fall, El Paso, TX. Four pages.

Fall s health. William E. Leahy going over case.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Personal, (dictated to & written & signed by H. G. Clunn), El Paso, TX. January 11, 1927, to Edward B. McLean, Washington. Three pages.

Possible earliest date Fall can be in Washington.

Telegram, Edward McClean, Washington, January 14, 1927, to Albert B. Fall, El Paso, TX.

Communication with Leahy. Contact with attorneys.

Telegram, William E. Leahy, New York, January 15, 1927, to Albert B. Fall, Washington.

Denies truth in Fall s quotes, assertions.

Telegram, Albert B. Fall, El Paso, TX, January 15, 1927, to Edward B. McLean, Washington.

Letter sent concerning physical condition.

Telegram, Albert B. Fall, El Paso, TX, January 15, 1927, to William E. Leahy, NY.

Physicians report earliest date (30-90 days) Fall can travel to Washington.

Telegram, Edward McLean, Washington, January 16, 1927, to A. B. Fall, El Paso, TX.

Message re Fall illness.

Telegram, Harry G. Clunn, El Paso, TX, January 18, 1927, to Edward B. McLean, Washington.

Forwarding papers mailed Leahy.

Telegram, Emma M. Fall, El Paso, TX, January 23, 1927, to Edward B. McLean, Washington.

Re Fall health and integrity of physicians.

Telegram, E. B. McLean, Washington, January 24, 1927, to Albert B. Fall, El Paso, TX.

Fall s trial set April 25; Sinclair set March 7.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Washington, January 24, 1927, to Albert B. Fall, El Paso, TX. Two pages.

Re setting date for trial.

Folder 6 Correspondence, February to April, 1927

Telegram, Albert B. Fall, El Paso, TX, February 4, 1927, to William E. Leahy, Washington.

No papers received, request tracer.

Telegram, William E. Leahy, Washington, February 4, 1927, to Albert B. Fall, El Paso, TX.

Date papers shipped, tracer started.

Telegram, William E. Leahy, Washington, February 9, 1927, to Mrs. A. B. Fall, El Paso, TX.

Re McLean s efforts to phone Fall.

Order to Appear, to Emma M. Fall, Director, Brant Elliott, Statutory Agent, A. B. Fall, President, Tres Rios Cattle and Land Company, no date.

Re U. S. vs. Harry F. Sinclair and Albert B. Fall, Supreme Court, D. C., to appear 25 April 1927, produce minutes of meetings, stock ledgers, et al, January 1, 1921, to January 1, 1927, Tres Rios Land & Cattle Co. Attached note: Jim W. Johnson, Dept. U.S. Marshall ... February 18, 1927.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, March 14, 1927, to Henry A. Wise, New York. Two pages.

Letter re Wise position, salary. Wise remaining on case.

Letter, Henry A. Wise, New York, March 18, 1927, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

Received letter of 14th re Lambert as co-counsel. Cannot be of service in remaining cases. Due to past experiences with Fall, excuses himself from further participation Fall s behalf.

Telegram, Mark B. Thompson, March 22, 1927, to William E. Leahy, Washington.

Requests Leahy wire Fall whether Leahy showed Thompson March 16 letter to Government counsel. Conversation with Grattan Stanford re Fall s condition.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, March 24, 1927, to William E. Leahy, Washington. Four pages.

Comments, disapproval Thompson activities. Wise matter, dismissal. Act of June 4, 1920, vesting authority in Secretary of Navy.

Letter, A. B. Fall, El Paso, TX, April 13, 1927, to H. F. Sinclair, New York. Seven pages.

Re arrangements Mayflower Hotel, advisability of whole party in one hotel. Comments on Thomps on. Government notice of application for continuance.

Telegram, William E. Leahy, Washington, April 14, 1927, to Albert B. Fall, El Paso, TX.

Arguments, affidavits submitted, resetting date May 23.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, El Paso, TX, April 15, 1927, to William E. Leahy, Washington.

Departure for Three Rivers, NM.

Folder 7 Correspondence, May to December, 1927

Letter, William E. Leahy, May 6, 1927, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

Enclosing Sen. Bill 5770 introduced by Walsh; House Bill 15648 introduced by Moore, re Act relating to Contempt approved July 3, 1926. Setting date for trials. Attached Public No. 483.

Telegram, William E. Leahy, Washington, May 7, 1927, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Application for continuance to October. Grounds for motion.

Telegram, H. F. Sinclair, New York, May 10, 1927, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Government application for continuance postponement. Important Fall be present in conference.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, no date, to H. F. Sinclair, New York.

Re Fall presence in court; Sinclair attorney, Hoover, re continuance. Suggest conference.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, no date, to William E. Leahy, Washington.

Trip to Washington. Authorize Leahy to speak for Fall.

Telegram, William E. Leahy, Washington, May 10, 1927, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Motion to continue, date of hearing. Fall presence may aid at hearing.

Letter, William E. Leahy, Washington, May 17, 1927, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

Motion before Justice Hitz to postpone trial to October. Roberts statement no continuance. Encloses stipulation re Humphreys and Zevely testimony. Testimony by deposition in U. S. vs Mammoth Oil and Sinclair Companies.

Stipulation of Counsel, U.S. vs. Harry F. Sinclair and Albert B. Fall. Three pages, and blue back.

Testimony by A. E. Humphreys, Sr., & J. W. Zevely re U.S. vs. Mammoth Oil, may be offered in evidence in above cause, may be called as witnesses.

Letter, Frank J. Hogan, Washington, July 9, 1927, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. With envelope.

Encloses Hitz opinion on demurrers to bribery indictments. Preparing two pleas of acquittal, for Fall & Doheny. Doubtful legal points.

Letter, L. L. Aitken, Chicago, November 14, 1927, to Senator C. S. Thomas, Washington.

Belgo & Opineer companies and Maryland Company. Deal between Pioneer and Schaeffer. Acreage in Teapot and Schaeffer interest.

Letter, William E. Leahy, Washington, November 18, 1927, to Albert B. Fall, El Paso, TX.

Transmitting Sen. Thomas letter re conference with Fall & Thomas on Aitken matter. Requests search for Vols 6 & 6A, Hogan record loaned to Leahy. Enclosed Aitken letter to C. S. Thomas.

Letter, C. S. Thomas, Washington, November 18, 1927, to William E. Leahy, Washington.

Reply from son re Fall inquiry of Shaffer interest Pioneer Co., Schaeffer acreage. Aitken conflict with Midwest in Salt Creek..

Telegram, Edward McLean, Palm Beach, FL, December 28, 1927, to Albert B. Fall, El Paso, TX.

Arrival Palm Beach.

Telegram, Evelyn McLean, Washington, no date, to Mrs. Albert Fall, El Paso, TX.

Heartbroken about Fall s condition. Gives NY address if can do anything.

Folder 8 Correspondence, 1928

Telegram, William E. Leahy, Washington, January 9, 1928, to Albert B. Fall, El Paso, TX.

Case reset April 2. Government prosecution to proceed against Sinclair alone if Fall s condition prevents appearance.

Letter, presumably A. B. Fall, El Paso, January 12, 1928, to William E. Leahy, Washington.

Received telegram previously noted. Condition.

Scribbled, half-shorthand note.

Notes re acts leading to Act of June 4, 1920; Naval policy; contracts April 25, December 11, 1922; President Harding's endorsement.

Written notes on telegram blank

Papers missing from box.

2-A Mark B. Thompson 8/5/24 Sufficiency of Indictment.

12 - Mems [*sic*] on Act of June 4 - incomplete.

18 - Letter Fall-Smoot, January 9, 1923, in re Investigation - insisting on Inv.

29 - Exchange Bank - Bond information.

31 - Senate Report no. 116, Committee of Public Lands, 9-8-17 re Leasing Bill.

34 - Before July 1, 1925 (= Box. Nos. 1, 2, 4, 8, 11, 12, 13)

36 - Transcript of Record.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, March 16, 1928, to William E. Leahy, Washington, DC. Two pages.

Severance not desired by Hoover & client Sinclair. Doctor's certificate, Fall's condition for trial.

Fall must not be put in position *mala fides* presenting application for continuance on grounds of his condition. Notation: OK, Fall.

Receipt, signed by R. W. Raglan[?], April 8, 1928, for volumes, correspondence, documents received from Mark B. Thompson.

Folder 9 "Papers Used by Secretary Fall in Making his Report on the Teapot Dome Oil Contract, Arranged in the Order of their Dates." Part two, 1920-1922, Nos. 46-54. **Note: Folder is temporarily in Conservation Dept.**

Correspondence, documents, Press Notice, Congressional Bills, *Congressional Record*, newspaper clippings, charts. *Part One, Nos. 1-45, missing.*

Folder 10 Maps

"Structural contour map Teapot Dome" (2 parts.); "Structure contour map first Wall Creek sandstone Teapot Dome" (hand tinted); "Salt Creek Field, Wyoming"; "Leases and permits under the act of February 25, 1922, in the geologic structure of the Salt Creek oil field ..."

BOX 3 - Memoranda, Court Documents, Correspondence, Other Papers Relating to Teapot Dome (Wyoming) and Elk Hills Reserve (California) Federal Litigations

Folder 1 Memoranda re lease by Sinclair of Naval Petroleum Reserve No. 3 (Teapot Dome)

"Memorandum of facts concerning Naval Petroleum Reserve No. 3, stated according to chronology."
Pencil notation Suspended by later review. Pages 1 2 only; remainder missing.

Covers April 20, 1915, to May 11, 1921.

Unidentified memorandum, pages 2 [items No. 150-1, 153], 3 [items No. 159, 169] and 9 [items No. 27-, 293, 301]. Pencil notations.

Analysis & recommendations re witnesses testimonies re 1922 lease between Sinclair & Dept. of Interior re Teapot Dome.

Unidentified memorandum, In 1914 the Congress passed an Act known as the Act of August 25, 1914.... pages 6-8 (pages 1-5 missing).

Re Act of June 25, 1914; Act of August 25, 1914 (amending Act of March 2, 1911), allowing Secretary of Interior to enter into agreements with applicants for patents re disposition of oil or gas produced from lands within Naval Petroleum Reserves; & Act of June 4, 1920, giving practically unlimited power over the remaining Naval Reserves to the Secretary of the Navy.

Note, to accompany pages of Manuscript No. 2," a supplemental memorandum. Five pages.

Contains notes re Senate debate 1917.

Folder 2 "Full understanding of the Act of Feb. 25, 1920, Re-written March 4, 1926. Forty-one pages.

Folder 3 Memorandum beginning "The oil policy of the Congress of the United States, often miscalled the oil policy of the Harding Administration, naturally had its beginning." Three versions [14, 15 and 16 pages].

Folder 4 Memoranda, Defense Attorney Work Product.

Note in shorthand [re September(?) 4, 1920, and December 25, 1920].

Memorandum Concerning Testimony of A. D. Brownfield, undated, presumably statement by Albert B. Fall.

Testimony by Brownfield, Receiver of Exchange Bank of Carrizozo, re bond transaction. Brownfield, Harris, others Agreement to purchase lands adjoining Harris & Fall ranch, Knew transaction for Tres Ritos Co. Fall deposited \$7000 purchase money, lost when bank failed.

Memorandum with Reference to Testimony of Walter S. Abbott, Improperly Designated as C. S. Abbott, undated, presumably statement by Albert B. Fall.

Abbott s employment as Disbursing Officer for TRCLC & Hatchet Cattle Co., had no personal connection with Fall, never had or saw TRCLC books.

Memorandum. Of course, the defense in the cases against Doheny and Fall, and Sinclair and Fall, for conspiracy to defraud Pages 1-5.

Legal defense strategy.

Memorandum beginning I desire to make a very brief discussion of the Naval Reserves. Page No. 4.

Memorandum beginning Everything must have a beginning. Seven pages, unnumbered.

History of the naval oil reserves.

- , Edited version of above, pages 1-21 [complete?].
- , Alternate version, pages 1-17 [incomplete].
- , Alternate version, pages 1-26 [incomplete].

Memorandum beginning Note to accompany pages of manuscript No. 2, containing notes upon Senate debate in 1917 Six pages.

Memorandum, The Declared Policy of Congress, numbered pages 3-21 (complete), handwritten edits.

Regarding development of national oil lands.

- , Alternate version, pages 3-20½, 21 [complete].

Memorandum, Demand by Navy for Change of Policy, 1 page [unnumbered].

Regarding naval oil reserves, Acts February 25 and June 4.

Memorandum beginning Under date April 25, 1922, Secretary Finney wrote to the Pan American Company ... Pages 4-8 [incomplete].

Memorandum beginning It will be noted that the provisions of Sec. 35 Royalty Oils Sold Without Advertisement and Competition ... Pages 11-30 [incomplete].

Memorandum beginning It was hoped that the production of the twenty-two wells then being drilled on Sec. 1 Pages 18-25 [incomplete].

Odd pages:

Beginning The great majority of the Senators ... La Follette Consistent. One unnumbered page.

Beginning On the 14th day of Dec. 1917, Senate Bill No. 2814 Page 2.

Beginning in the printed form used by the Interior Department Demand of the Congress for Information and Report. Page 26.

Beginning appeared before the committee ... and protested vigorously against its passage. Pages 7-8.

Beginning oils derived from leases, both derived under the Act of Page 10.

Folder 5 Document, "Any opening statement for Defendant Fall ..." Three pages.

Folder 6 Handwritten and Typed Notes, Lists, Papers [work product] of Defense Counsel

"Itinerary Secretary Fall, Dec. 4, 1923 - Feb. 25, 1924."

Note, handwritten, beginning 10,000 acres Osage Ind lands reserved for (?) on oil Fall declined to authorize lease reserved for Navy ...

Note, Power of the President to withdraw or reserve public lands On stationery of First Assistant Secretary, Department of Interior.

Quotes citations Federal law & Federal case law re Power of Secretary of Agriculture & Authority of Secretary of Interior and matters not foreseen ... provided for by express statute.

Note beginning Inquire of Interior Department for correspondence and action under previous administration concerning reservation of portion of Osage Indian Lands.

Also seeks documents re Secretary Fall s refusal to revoke order withholding lands from drilling.

Lists:

Untitled schedule, items listed by columns, chronologically & by number, presumably evidence presented in litigation. Handwritten, pages 2-5 (missing page 1)

List headed Mark B. Thompson, legal cases itemized by date. Handwritten, 3 pages, damaged. Oil Cases. Handwritten original

List, handwritten, beginning Chronology of Leases, *NY Tribune*, 2/10[/]24. Two pages.

Note, handwritten, re early events in Fall s life including initial acquaintanceship with Doheny.

Note, handwritten, beginning Act June 4 192[0], The Secretary of the Navy is directed to take possession of all properties within naval petroleum reserves

"Criminal Division No. 1" [list of jurors].

"Jury List Criminal No. 2."

"List of Jurors, Circuit Ct. #1."

"List of Jurors, November Term, Circuit Court #2." Two pages.

"List of Papers Taken from the Bound Files in Response to the Request of Mr. Hogan for Additional Memoranda about August, 1924." Four pages.

"Questions for Consideration." Two pages.

"LIST OF ADDITIONAL DOCUMENTS to have ready."

List of exhibits beginning 9/2/12 Executive Order. Columns: Exhibit Number, Printed Transcript Page No., and Testimony Page No. Blue-backed, 16 pages.

Folder 7

Chronology to Accompany Statement of Albert B. Fall of April 9, 1924. Five pages.

Itemized list, 500 S, Card Board Loose." Two pages.

Folder 8 Documents re Pan American Cancellation Suit; and Conspiracy Case against Fall & Doheny.

Memorandum as to Order of First Assistant Secretary Finney Issued on November 30, 1921, by Direction of Secretary Fall. Four pages.

Pan American cancellation suit, naval policy re royalty oil contracts. Re Acting Secretary Finney s December 6, 1921, letter of abrogation, without Secretary Fall s knowledge, of Fall s November 30, 1921, order re royalty oil certificates.

Memorandum, Under date April 25, 1922, Secretary Finney wrote to the Pan American Company that the Government would agree to grant within one year ... leases to drill Five pages.

Re right to patent, authority to reserve oil, production of government oil, Reserves No. 1 & 2.

Letter, E. O. Finney, Acting Secretary, April 25, 1922, to J. J. Cotter, Pan American Petroleum & Transport Co., New York.

Pan American s bid to construct storage facilities, Pearl Harbor. Finney agrees Dept. of Interior will grant leases to Pan American for tracts, Naval Reserve No. 1, within one year upon completion of Pearl Harbor project.

Memorandum of Differences as Between the Indictment of A. B. Fall and Edward L. Doheny for Conspiracy, and A. B. Fall and Harry B. Sinclair on the Same Charge. Three pages.

Supplement to memorandum on Doheny indictment alleging conspiracy to defraud US.

Memorandum in Re Questions of Mr. Justice Wendell P. Stafford, in Criminal No. 43,325, District of Columbia. Four pages.

Regarding Stafford s questions 2 and 3, re Fall s color of legal authority.

Memorandum, Relative to the effect of the non-introduction of letter of Secretary Fall to H. Foster Bain, dated October 30th, 1922 Three pages.

Asserts non-introduction of Fall letter to Bain had negative impact on Judge McCormick s opinion to cancel Pan American leases on ground of fraud, conspiracy between Doheny & Fall.

Agreement, between Pioneer Oil & Refining Co. & John C. Shaffer, September 15, 1920. Two pages.

Pioneer Oil transfers to Shaffer, for \$1, a 1/8 interest in Wyoming leases with U.S. after paying royalties to U.S. (two specified tracts).

Memorandum of Points to be Covered, United States vs. Mammoth Oil Company, et al., In Equity No. 1431. Two pages (1 & 10).

Memorandum of Agreement, December 31, 1921, between John Leo Stack, & Pioneer Oil & Refining Co. & Societe Belgo Americaine Des Petroles du Wyoming. Backed, 4 pages.

Concerns Deheny [*sic*] & Stack contract to secure leases on U. S. Naval Reserve No. 3.

List, five legal points [theory]. One page.

Do statements of law in indictment tie government to legal theory that Fall was acting with legal authority in dealing with oil & gas lands under executive order of May 31, 1921? ... et al.

Folder 9 Documents re Conspiracy Case against Fall & Sinclair

Memorandum, unknown author, August 28, 1925. Two pages.

Concerning conversation August 28, 1925, between Mark B. Thompson & Mr. Moffat.

Interview with Senator Walsh of Montana Reported in the *Washington Post*, Tuesday, March 25, 1926 Walsh Regrets Delay.

"Exhibit [no number]. Letter, Edwin Denby, Secretary of Navy, Washington, October 25, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Secretary of Interior, Washington, DC. Two pages.

Rear-Admiral J. K. Robison reported agreement reached re drilling of Naval Petroleum Reserves Nos. 1 & 2. Leases, contracts to be arranged, consummated by Interior Department.

"Exhibit. Letter, E. C. Finney, Acting Secretary, July 30, 1921, to Secretary of Navy.

Re force/effect, May 31, 1921, Exec. Order on Secy. of Int. re protection, conservation, administration of Naval Reserves oil/gas production. Need to gauge No. 2 oil production to determine royalty due U.S. Leases granted United Midway Oil & Pan American Petroleum, royalty rate 55-1/2%. Important that government keep close check on production quantity. Bureau of Mines requests \$5,500 allotment for additional employees & equipment.

Letter, Owen J. Roberts, Special Counsel, Washington, DC, February 21, 1927, to George S. Graham, Chairman Judiciary Committee, House of Representatives, Washington. Two pages.

Requests Graham s aid passing proposed act to compel testimony of witnesses in conspiracy case against Fall & Sinclair. Encloses draft of proposed act to be introduced by Senator Walsh.

H. R. 17275, A BILL, Granting immunity to certain witnesses, Houses of Representatives, February 21, 1927, 69th Congress., 2d Session.

Draft of act to compel testimony of witnesses on behalf of U.S., with immunity.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, May 6, 1927, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

Roberts leaving for Washington to present motion for continuance on grounds of absence of witnesses, will ask for October trial date. Encloses copy of bill granting immunity to witnesses.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, July 17, 1922, to Mr. Director. Two pages.

Re creation of Water Power Commission & Colorado River. Submits supplemental report recommending investigation re damages. Sees no reason why relief bill should not be enacted.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, July 12, 1922, to Attorney General Harry Daugherty, Washington, DC.
Pages 5-6 (missing pages 1-4).

Encloses files for Daugherty's review. Asks whether he should approve order, or Daugherty should take further steps.

Folder 10 Documents re Bribery Indictments

"Memorandum for the Press," Office of Secretary, Department of Interior, April 18, 1922. Six pages.

Re Naval Reserves, CA & WY (Teapot Dome). Oil being drained in large quantities by wells on adjacent lands, probability of depleting reserves in few years. Secretary of Interior, with concurrence of Secretary of Navy, approved lease Mammoth Oil Naval Reserve No. 3, WY. CA Naval Reserves contract awarded lowest bidder, Pan American Petroleum.

"Memorandum Relative to Secs. 16 and 36, T. 30 S., R. 23 E., in Naval Reserve No. 1 (Elk Hills)." Seven pages.

Suspension on land removed April 5, 1904.

"Memorandum of Testimony in Record. Two pages.

Synopsis of witnesses' testimony re Naval Department policies, oil leases, royalties.

"Memorandum on Bribery Indictments." Pages 1-9 (incomplete).

Defense's rebuttal to allegations of bribery in indictment against Fall. Questions sufficiency to satisfy the four required allegations under Sec. 117, Criminal Code.

Excerpts from Correspondence of Colonel Henry A. Wise, April 9, 1924, to September 26, 1925.
Four pages.

Abstracts, correspondence with A. B. Renahan & Fall. Discusses indictments, Wise advised Fall's son-in-law not to leave jurisdiction. President Harding's Executive Order, binding effect.

Excerpts from Genealogical Survey Bulletins. Eight pages & cover.

Quotes witnesses' testimony, 1916 Hearings on H. R. 406, Mineral Leasing Act.

Document beginning reported that the State first sold the Sec. 36 to Alice J. Miller.... Pages 2-10 (missing page 1).

Report on Secs. 16 & 36 by Chief, San Francisco Field Division; report by Commissioner, GLO.
Conclusion: land always regarded as petroleum land by geologists.

Document beginning 25-A Page 119, This is a copy of a letter from Dr. Bain Three unnumbered pages.

Dr. Bain s October 21, 1922, letter reports consulting Admiral Robison re Doheny matter. Identifies substance of Fall s October 30, 1922, letter to Bain. Fall in accord with storage of naval oil where usable in crisis, intent upon conservation of oil & prevention of drainage.

Folder 11 United States vs. Pan American Petroleum, et al, Court Documents

Bill of Complaint. United States vs. Pan American Petroleum Company and Pan American Petroleum and Transport Company, District Court of the Southern District of California. Eight pages.

Complaint claims President s May 31, 1921, Exec. Order was without legal authority. Accuses Albert B. Fall of effecting unlawful, fraudulent transfer of rights to Naval Reserves land [Reserves No. 1 & 2, Kern County, CA]. Accuses Fall & Doheny of conspiracy to defraud U.S. for private gain. Accuses Doheny of paying \$100,000 reward November 30, 1921, to Fall. Accuses Fall of awarding leases to Pan American Petroleum & Transport Co., without legal authority & without obtaining competitive bidding.

"Excerpts from the opinion and conclusions of law of Judge McCormick in case of United States vs. Pan American Petroleum Company, et al." Five pages.

Due to fraud & conspiracy by Fall & Doheny & unlawful delegation of power, Pan American s leases are not binding on U.S. Only Secretary of Navy can control/administer Navy s petroleum reserves. Harding s May 31, 1921, Executive Order transferring discretionary power from Secretary of Navy to Secretary of Interior is ineffectual, exceeds President s executive power.

Folder 12 Court Documents, Conspiracy Cases Against Fall, Doheny, and Sinclair

United States vs. Edward L. Doheny and Albert B. Fall, Criminal No. 43325, Supreme Court of District of Columbia. Indictment, Edward L. Doheny and Albert B. Fall for conspiracy to defraud the United States [May 1925]. Seventeen pages.

Indictment charges conspiracy to defraud U.S. of its properties & rights re 12/11/1922 oil/gas lease Petroleum Reserve No.1; oil from Reserves Nos. 1 & 2 & conserving thereof. Competitive bidding; construction of storage facilities; sale of royalty oil; payment of proceeds to U.S.; purchase/exchange of oil by competitive bidding; freedom of Secretary of Interior from partiality due to personal & pecuniary interest. Fall powerless to award lease, such power vested in Secretary of Navy under Congressional Act of June 4, 1920.

Memorandum, Of course, we understand that it would be a matter of evidence Three pages.

Re Sections 35 & 36, Naval Reserves: deposit of royalty monies due U.S. to be paid in oil or gas; right of Secretary of Interior to sell; retention of royalty oil & obtaining storage facilities. There was no conspiracy, nor any thought in the mind, certainly, of the then Secretaryat this point should be inserted ... the law with reference to the duty of the Secretary of the Interior

United States vs. Edward L. Doheny & Albert B. Fall, Criminal No. 43325, Supreme Court of District of Columbia. Hearing for Plea, November 10, 1926. Two pages, blue-backed.

Fall and Doheny plead not guilty for violation of Section 37, Penal Code.

United States vs. Harry F. Sinclair and Albert B. Fall, Criminal No. 43324, Supreme Court of District of Columbia. Arguments on Motion to Quash Indictments, Tuesday, December 21, 1926. Original transcript (blue-backed), Index & pages 4-54 (no missing pages).

Challenges validity of Senate JR 54 to initiate prosecution. Argues defendants denied due process under 5th Amendment; Congressional Public Resolutions Nos. 4 & 8 single out Fall for prosecution, are un-Constitutional & invalid.

United States vs. Albert B. Fall, Edward L. Doheny, and Edward L. Doheny, Jr., Criminal No. 42302, Supreme Court of District of Columbia. Opinion by Chief Justice McCoy Quashing Indictments. Original transcript, 19 pages, blue-backed.

Indictment quashed by Walter I. McCoy, Chief Justice.

United States vs. Harry F. Sinclair and Albert B. Fall, Criminal No. 43324, Supreme Court of District of Columbia. Decision of Court on Motion to Quash the Indictments, Thursday, December 23, 1926. Original transcript (blue-backed), pages 55-62 (no missing pages).

Defendants Motion to Quash overruled by Justice Jennings Bailey. Defendants plead not guilty. Trial set for Wednesday, February 2, 1927.

Folder 13 Documents, Criminal Case Against Sinclair, Refusal to Answer Senate s Questions.

United States vs. Harry F. Sinclair, Criminal No. 42,060, Supreme Court of the District of Columbia [January Term, 1924].

Demurrer of Defendant. Original, 8 pages.

Sinclair withdraws not guilty plea. Claims Senate Committee on Public Lands and Surveys is without authority to require him to answer questions, indictment bad in substance.

Motion to Quash. Two pages.

Asserts Senate Committee on Public Lands & Surveys had no jurisdiction of subject matter nor had judicial jurisdiction. Committee s questions related to validity of Naval Reserve No. 3 lease (Teapot Dome), with no reference to legislation; and Congress had divested itself of jurisdiction.

Affidavit [by Sinclair] in Support of Motion to Quash, April 11, 1924, attached to Motion to Quash. Eight pages.

Asserts Committee without lawful jurisdiction to question Sinclair re validity of Teapot Dome lease. Asserts Congress made matter a judicial question, now pending in District Court of Wyoming. Reserves giving evidence to courts of proper jurisdiction.

Indictment of Harry Sinclair by Grand Jury. Twenty-two pages.

Ten Counts against Sinclair for failure to answer 10 questions propounded by Senate Committee.

Folder 14 Lease, Reserve No. 3, Wyoming (Teapot Dome), to Mammoth Oil

Indenture of Lease, April 7, 1922, Navy Petroleum Reserve No. 3 (Natrona County, WY), between U.S. Government acting through Secretary of Interior with consent of Secretary of Navy & Mammoth Oil Co. (9,321 acres). Signed by Edwin Denby, Secretary of Navy. Copy, 28 pages.

BOX 4 - Memoranda, Court Documents, Correspondence, Other Papers Relating To Teapot Dome (Wyoming) & Elk Hills Reserve (California) Federal Litigations [Continued]

Folder 1 "Escrow Agreement," Sale of Oil Stock, \$24,627,700

Escrow Agreement (dated 4/21/22, pencil on cover) between Reeds of WY, Wyoming Securities Co., Equitable Trust Co., et al; & Equitable Trust Co. of New York (Escrow Agent). Typed copy, 7 pages. Plus Memorandum, 5 pages, blue-backed.

Authorizes Equitable Trust Company of New York to sell or option specified oil stocks & act as depository agent, per April 8, 1922, Agreement.

Explanation of above memorandum, beginning In order to make intelligible the reasons for some provisions of the memorandum One-page copy, blue-backed.

Handwritten note, 4/21/22, It seems certain ... Midwest Oil Co. Stock went to Salt Creek Producers ... no clue as to where any of it was to land or has landed. One page.

Folder 2 Amendment, S.J. Res. 54, U.S. Senate, January 28, 1924. Three pages.

Amendment to Senate JR No. 54 to procure annulment of April 7, 1922, lease, Naval Reserve No. 3, WY, to Mammoth Oil; April 25, 1922, Pan American Petroleum contract to construct oil tanks, Pearl Harbor; & December 11, 1922, lease, Naval Reserve No. 1, CA, to Pan American.

Folder 3 United States vs. Mammoth Oil Company, Sinclair Crude Oil Purchasing Company, and Sinclair Pipe Line Company, U.S. District Court of Wyoming, March 1924. Bill of Complaint. Original, 10-pages, blue-backed.

Accuses Fall & Sinclair/Mammoth of conspiracy to defraud U.S. by illegally granting April 7, 1922, lease of naval petroleum lands (WYO). Seeks temporary writ of injunction restraining Mammoth from drilling/operating; Court-appointed receiver; & decree declaring lease null/void.

Folder 4 United States vs. Mammoth Oil Company, Sinclair Crude Oil Purchasing Company, and Sinclair Pipe Line Company, U.S. District Court of Wyoming, March 1924.

Bill of Complaint with Exhibits A, B, and C. Printed, with cover, 18 pages.

Bill of Complaint. Typscript Pleading. Original, 10 pages.

Folder 5 Government Suit to Cancel Lease, Naval Reserve No. 1, California (Elk Hills Reserve)

Handwritten list of below-listed three documents.

Argument (Brief) by Oscar Sutro (Attorney for Purchasers from State of California), In the Matter of Township 32 South, 23 E., M. D. B. & M. (California). May 26, 1921. Signed original, blue-backed, 17 pages. With note Sutro Brief

Requests Secretary of Interior [Fall] to determine if title is vested in State of California.

United States vs. Belridge Oil Company, U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals, 9th District, No. 4782, Opinion of Circuit Judge Gilbert, re suit to cancel lease (Naval Petroleum Reserve No. 1, CA), July 12, 1926. Seven pages.

Lease affirmed behalf of Belridge Oil.

Excerpts from Opinion and Conclusions of Law of Judge McCormick in United States vs. Pan American Petroleum Company, et al. Five pages.

Leases would be binding except for fraud/conspiracy of Fall & Doheny & unlawful delegation of power of lease agreements. President Harding s May 31, 1921, executive order exceeded president s executive power. Only Secretary of Navy can control/administer naval oil reserves.

Folder 6 Petroleum Production in California. Negative photostat, 12-page typed report.

Folder 7 Hearing to Determine Vestment of Title, Naval Petroleum Reserve No 1

Hearing re valid legal title, Section 36, Township 30 South, Range 23, Kern County, CA (Naval Petroleum Reserve No. 1). Original transcript, 32-pages, blue cover.

Requested by Oscar Sutro on behalf Standard Oil, California. Submitted to Secretary of Interior, June 8, 1921, for decision. Fall dismissed U.S. legal contest to reclaim title from State.

Folder 8 Senate Bills, Related Documents, Printed Materials re Oil Lease Cases

Congressional Record, 1922 (original GPO s):

April 21 Naval Oil Reserve Leases [Senator La Follette introduces S. Res. 282, requires Secretary of Interior provide information re naval oil leases], pp. 6334-6335

April 28 Naval Oil Reserve Leases, [modification S. Res. 282], pp.6567-6576

April 29 Naval Oil Reserve Leases, [debate, S. Res. 282], pp. 6640-6649

April 29 Entire issue. Naval Oil Reserve Leases, [debate, S. Res. 282], pp. 6640-49

- May 13 Naval Oil Reserves, Naval Oil Reserves, [Sen. La Follette reads letter from National Assn. of Independent Oil Producers protesting exploitation of naval oil reserves, p. 7519
- May 29 Excerpt re Fall s policies re privatization of public resources, p. 8523
- June 8 Naval Oil Reserve Leases, President Harding s June 7 letter to Senate enclosing Fall s June 3 report re handling of naval reserve petroleum matters to date, p. 9158
- June 9 Naval Oil Reserve Leases, Harding s letter, Fall s report printed in full, pp. 9242-51

Naval Reserve Oil Leases, Letter from Acting Secretary of Interior Transmitting in Response to Senate Resolution April 15, 1922, Copy of Contract Between Secretary of Interior & Secretary of Navy and Mammoth Oil Co., Executed April 7, 1922. Senate Document No. 196. GPO, 16 pages.

Acting Secretary E. C. Finney submits copy Naval Reserve No. 3 (Teapot Dome) lease.

"Petroleum & Natural Gas in Wyoming," Carroll H. Wegemann. Advance Chapter, Contributions to Economic Geology, 1910, Part II. Mineral Fuels. U. S. Geological Survey Bulletin 471 A 3. GPO, 1912, 71 pages.

Report, Powder River Oil Field, WYO (approximately 200 square miles).

"Facts and Figures in the California Oil Case," George G. Hill. Printed, 18 pages, blue covers.

Principal facts pending conspiracy/bribery trials (Fall, Doheny, Sr. & Jr.). Releases, Naval Reserve No. 1, CA & Hawaii oil storage contracts. Teapot Dome cases (Fall, Mammoth Oil, Sinclair). Pan American (Doheny) suits. Fall/Doheny loan. Prepared for the convenience of the press valuable to newspapermen (unpublished).

Joint Resolution to amend Senate joint resolution 89, approved March 14, 1912 S. J. Res. 124 [Report No. 557], House Calendar No. 122, GPO, 3 pages.

Amends J.R. approved April 22, 1898, prohibits export of coal/other material used in war from any U.S. seaport. Title amended to ...prohibit exportation of arms or munitions of war from U.S. to certain countries Passed Senate November 14, 1921.

An Act Relating to contempts [*sic*], S. 1035 [Report No. 1313], House Cal. No. 274, GPO, 7 pages.

Any witness, U.S. citizen or living in U.S., failing to appear or refusing to answer questions in U.S. court (criminal & civil) may be subpoenaed by U.S. consul. Penalty: guilty of contempt; U.S. property may be levied/seized; fined up to \$100,000. If not paid, property to be sold. Passed Senate February 15, 1926.

Relating to Contempts, May 26, 1926. H. R. Report No. 1313, to accompany S. 1035. GPO, 4 pages.

House Judiciary Committee recommends passing Bill. Lawful service of subpoena by U.S. Consul on witness out of country. Remedies for failure to appear: contempt of court; attachment of witness property within U.S. jurisdiction. Legislation arises from Senate investigation, naval oil reserves (2 men with knowledge re Mammoth Oil leases took refuge in France.)

An Act Prohibiting an appeal to the Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia from any interlocutory order in a criminal action. S. 4331 [Report No. 1363], House Calendar No. 281, Passed Senate May 21, 1926. GPO, 1 page.

No Congressional Act shall be construed to empower Court of Appeals D.C. to allow appeal from interlocutory order in criminal action.

H. R. Report No. 1363, "Appeals from Interlocutory Orders in Criminal Cases in the District of Columbia," June 3, 1926. Report to accompany S. 4331. GPO, 2 pages.

Bill to correct D.C. Court of Appeals from entertaining appeals from D.C. Supreme Court. D.C. Law Code, too broad permitted judicial construction ... applied to recent oil scandal [cases].

Letter, E. E. Hartung, Secretary [to Henry Wise], New York, June 21, 1926, to A. B. Renehan, Santa Fe, NM. Signed original.

Enclosed copies S. 1035, S. 4331.

Newspaper clipping, *New York World*, July 3 [1926], Coolidge Moves to Rush Oil Cases.

President Signs Bills, Forced Through House, to End Delay of Scandal Trials. ...to speed action in ... suits [vs. Fall, Dohenys, Sr. & Jr., Sinclair] in ... Teapot Dome ... oil leases scandal. Two bills signed: S. 4331 [D.C. Court of Appeals cannot entertain interlocutory appeals]; S. 1035 [witness no-show penalties].

BOX 5 - THREE RIVERS RANCH
Albert B. Fall Personal Correspondence

Folder 1 Fall's Personal Correspondence and Papers, 1899-1923

Letter, E. M. Sanford, Attorney, Prescott, AZ, October 14, 1899, to the Kansas City Livestock Commission, Kansas City, Missouri. Three pages.

Proposed sale Choglan Ranch, Three Rivers, Otero County, \$65,000, lands patented, water controlled.

Letter, A. B. Fall, November 16, 1912, to Thomas B. Catron, Santa Fe, NM.

Tularosa water litigation. Recommends Harry Daugherty as counsel. Criticism of *Albuquerque Journal-Democrat*. Illegality of election to Senate.

Letter, A. B. Fall, November 16, 1912, to Harry H. Daugherty, Socorro, NM.

Water litigation Tularosa. Suggests Daugherty as counsel. Tax notice Socorro County, Fall's Oscura ranch.

Letter, Antonio Lucero, Secretary of State of NM, June 19, 1913, to Senator T. B. Catron, Washington.

Asks support for Senator Fall's bill to create National Park in Mescalero Reservation.

Inventory, Albert B. Fall Papers, Archive 131-1." List of 1917-1924 correspondence. Items Nos. 1-7 are in this folder; No. 8, Box 1, Folder 3; Nos. 9-12, Box 6; No. 13, Box 5, Folder 4.

Telegram, Charles Springer, Chairman, Executive Committee, NM Council of Defense, Santa Fe, NM, October 1, 1917, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Requests Robert M. LaFollette be expelled from Senate.

Letter, J. F. Hinkle, First National Bank of Roswell, Roswell, NM, October 4, 1917, to A. B. Fall, Washington.

La Follette as Kaiserite.

Resolution by The Republican Club of City of New York, adopted October 15, 1917, Benjamin M. Day, Recording Secretary.

Formal request for removal of U. S. Sen. Robert M. LaFollette (Wisconsin) from Senate.

Letter, Robert M. LaFollette, Washington, October 26, 1917, to Atlee Pomerene, Washington. Two pages.

Regarding Sub-Committee hearings.

Letter, Atlee Pomerene, Canton, Ohio, November 5, 1917, to Robert M. LaFollette, Washington, DC.

Reply to LaFollette's letter of 28th re pending Sub-Committee hearings November 26.

Letter, Atlee Pomerene, Chairman, Committee on Privileges and Elections, U. S. Senate, Canton, Ohio, November 7, 1917, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Signed original.

Re LaFollette's speech, St. Paul. Enclosed copies letter from LaFollette, Pomerene's reply.

Letter, Atlee Pomerene, Washington, November 30, 1917, to Albert Fall, Washington. Signed original.

Concerning LaFollette's speech, St. Paul.

Letter, Atlee Pomerene, Washington, DC, December 5, 1917, to Albert B. Fall, Washington. Original.

Re meeting Subcommittee Privileges/Elections to investigate LaFollette's St. Paul speech.

Letter, W. A. Hawkins, El Paso and Southwestern System, El Paso, TX, November 8, 1918, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Support of Republicans in El Paso. Bonito Pipe Line Litigation.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, November 17, 1918, to W. A. Hawkins, El Paso and Southwestern Building, El Paso, TX.

Fall s support, water proposition. Labor meeting Laredo, Mexican Labor & IWW, organization of Mexican labor in US.

Probability of Oil on the Albert Tinnin Ranch, in the Toyah Basin (A Report to Lee and Rutherford), May 11, 1920, by R. A. Jackson. Signed original, bluebacked, 4 pages.

Report, geological structure, presence of oil, drilling history, Toyah Basin, Valley of the Pecos. Probability of oil on Tinnin Ranch.

Letter, G. L. Drury, Attorney, Morganfield, KY, March 7, 1921, to Albert Fall, Washington, DC. Typed note attached.

Re \$100 debt Fall owes since 1881 to Cromwell Adair, Morganfield; with interest, \$340.

Letter, Albert Fall, Washington, March 24, 1921, to G. L. Drury, Morganfield, KY.

Enclosed \$340 check. Extends respect/best wishes to Mr. Adair.

Minutes, Republican Central Committee, Santa Fe, NM, April 15, 1921. Three pages.

Telegram, E. L. Safford, Santa Fe, NM, April 15, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Secretary of Interior, Washington. Original.

Conditions meeting County Central Committee, endorsement Mrs. O Bryan as postmistress.

Letter, M. A. Ortiz, Acting Chairman, & Maude Prichard, Secretary, Santa Fe, NM, April 16, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Secretary of Interior, Washington. Signed original.

Encloses minutes County Central Committee meeting endorsing Mrs. M. J. O Brien for Postmistress, Santa Fe; other appointments.

Letter, Nestor Montoya, NM, House of Representatives, U.S., Washington, April 22, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Administrative Assistant, Department of Interior, Washington. Signed original.

Encloses minutes, County General Committee, Santa Fe, April 15, 1921, & telegram April 15, 1921, Safford to Fall.

Telegram, Albert B. Fall, Washington, August 8, 1922, to Mrs. A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Received Mrs. Fall s telegram. Strikes.

Letter, unsigned, presumably from Albert B. Fall, August 9, 1922, to Anna [Mrs. Anna H. Fall, Los Encinas, Pasadena, CA]. Two pages.

Strikes, location of house near theirs at Three Rivers.

Newspaper clipping. Se declara al secretario Fall el peor enemigo de Méjico, *La Prensa*, Nueva York, Martes 24 de Octubre. Original in Spanish.

Letter, Justo Acevedo, New York City, October 25, 1922, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Signed original, attached newspaper clipping.

Encloses clipping *La Prensa*, New York, re article *El Herald*, Mexico City, re Fall position against present Mexican administration. Asks Fall s permission to refute article & defend Fall.

Letter, Rowe, November 26, 1922, to Albert B. Fall, War dman Park Hotel, Washington. Original.

Congratulations on birthday.

Bill, Alfred Dunhill, Ltd., London, England, January 8, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Esq. Original.

Pipe manufacturer, tobacco blender, etc. Amount £ 9.17.10.

Envelope marked Portion of remarks made by Senator Fall at a dinner ... shortly prior to leaving Washington ... Feby (*sic*) 1923). Plain oversized envelope.

Contains speech (missing) regarding public service, criticisms by outsiders for ulterior motives.

Letter, Private Secretary [Fall s], February 16, 1923, to Hon. Judson Welliver, White House, Washington, D.C.

Re attached memorandum Secretary Fall dictated prior evening, addition to previous manuscript.

Memorandum by Albert B. Fall. Seven pages [enclosure, above letter February 16, 1923].

Philosophical Observation, regarding public judgment of public service & servants.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, Washington, March 1, 1923, to Nicholas J. Sinnett, Chairman, Committee on Public Lands, House of Representatives, Washington. Ten pages.

Fall report HR Bill 14299/S 4525 proposing grant of public lands to NM, to be sold as reimbursement to certain counties & Silver City for interest/principal paid on RR bonds.

Letter, E. H. Crowder, U.S. Embassy, Havana, Cuba, March 9, 1923, to Albert B. Fall, Department of Interior, Washington. Original.

Proposes establishing Willite road-building process in Cuba.

Bill of Lading, Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, Washington, March 9, 1923, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Household & personal goods. Original.

Certificate of Insurance, Federal Insurance Co., Chubb & Son, New York, March 10, 1923. Original.

Policyholder Albert B. Fall. \$1,500, household effects shipped Washington to Three Rivers, NM.

Letter, C. E. Harris, Traffic Manager, Department of the Interior, Washington, March 10, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Original.

Shipment household goods, personal effects. Encloses original bill of lading, B&O RR.

Telegram, Hawkins, Washington, DC, March 14, 1923, to H. G. Clunn, El Paso, TX. Original.

Car No. 175129, Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, route traced.

Letter, W. B. Walton, Silver City, NM, March 22, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Original.

Gratitude for consideration in favorable report on S. 4324 & H. R. 14299 providing land grant reimbursement to Silver City and counties for RR aid indebtedness.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, March 23, to C. E. Harris, Traffic Manager, Interior Department, Washington.

Received bill of lading, insurance. Encloses check for premium.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, March 23, 1923, to Don Tomas Macmanus, New York.

Encloses General Crowder's letter answering Fall's letter. No interest in business proposition.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, March 23, 1923, to Director General Yanes, Pan American Union, Washington.

Received March 15 note re Mr. Flipper. Thanks Yanes for his courtesies to Flipper.

Letter, Roland A. Laird, Executive Secretary, Grant County Chamber of Commerce, Silver City, NM, March 23, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Original.

Status Grant County-Silver City bond refund, Fall's interest in matter.

Telegram, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, May 3, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Original.

Munz going Three Rivers to see Fall. Writing today re refrigeration.

Letter, R. M. Dudley, Mayor, May 14, 1923, to James G. McNary, El Paso, TX. Two pages.

Suggests new treaty between U.S. & Mexico be signed at International Line between El Paso & Juarez. Names McNary Chairman, Executive Committee & A.B. Fall & others as members.

Telegram, James G. McNary, Chairman, undated [1923], to President of U.S., Washington.

McNary proposes meeting of Presidents Harding & Obregon in El Paso to sign new treaty.

Letter, Geo. B. Christian, Jr., Secretary to the President, The White House, Washington, DC, May 24, 1923, to James G. McNary, El Paso, TX.

Received McNary's telegram. Will keep suggestion in mind.

Letter James G. McNary, El Paso, May 29, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Signed original, 2 pp.

Requests Fall's support of El Paso meeting.

Invitation & reply card, F. A. Swaine, New Bond Street, London, to Senator A. B. Fall. Printed forms.

Request to make camera portraits of Fall for Swaine's record of Distinguished Patrons.

Invitation, Robert Lewis, London, undated, to Senator A. B. Fall. Printed business solicitation.

Abstract of Log (June 3-8, 1923), *RMS Majestic*, White Star Line. Printed card, with ship's photo.

Message in Envelope (Coronado Steamship Co.), Your address is: Shtatny Pereulok #13. Prechestenka.

Letter, Mason Day, Hôtel de Crillon, Paris, August 1, 1923, to Hon. Andrew [sic] Fall, Hotel Carlton, London. Signed original.

Departing for Biarritz, requests Fall's plans. No news from Moscow.

Telegram, Masonday [Mason Day], August 4, 1923, to Albert Fall, *S.S. Berengaria*. Original.

Regrets Fall's departure, requests information re future government policy.

Bill, Burkinshaw & Knights, Tailors, London, England, August 1923, to A. B. Fall. Original.

For two suits, total £15.18.9.

Confidential Inquiry Form 2224, Confidential Statement of Person Named as Reference, & Form No. 174, Teacher, Indian Service, U. S. Civil Service Examination, envelope [GPO forms].

Reference request for Applicant Willie H. Strane, mailed to A. B. Fall. Not completed.

Letter, sender unknown, New York, September 19, 1923, to Robert Law, Jr., Chairman of Board of Directors, Barnsdall Corporation, New York City. Original, 7 pages.

Summary, Barnsdall Corporation mining properties, U.S. & Mexico.

Letter, Robert Law, NYC, September 21, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Signed original, 2 pp.

Following up talks in London re Fall & associates' interest, Barnsdall mining properties (production, refining, distribution of oil). Enclosed 1923 summary Barnsdall properties.

Agency agreement, Trust Number 3852, September 25, 1923, between Allen B. Fall & Pacific-Southwest Trust & Savings Bank by F. M. Riley, Asst. Secy., Los Angeles, CA. Certified/Sealed copy, blue-backed; 3 pages.

Allen B. Fall appoints bank as agent to receive funds from Fall for sister Catherine Petty.

Letter, Harry W. Parker October 12, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Original, 1 page.

Re recent exchange of letters.

Letter, J. D. Carson, Trust Officer, Pacific-Southwest Trust & Savings Bank, Los Angeles, CA, October 15, 1923, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Signed original, 2 pages.

Encloses certified copy Agency Agreement, Trust 3852-AMH, Catherine Petty. Requests further directions due to Mrs. Petty's dissatisfaction with arrangement.

Telegram, Emma Fall, Three Rivers, NM, October 15, 1923, to Col. J. W. Zevely, Washington. Original.

Impossible for AB to reach NY by 20th. Partial handwritten duplicate attached.

Bill, Wardman Park Hotel, Washington, DC, to A. B. Fall for October 21-27, 1923. Original.

Total: \$2,438.06 credit.

Tax Notice, Harry G. Norman, Treasurer/Ex-Officio Collector, Lincoln County, NM, Carrizozo, NM, November 10, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Rosendo Chavez land.

Notice \$12.29 taxes due 1st half 1923.

Tax Notice, Harry G. Norman, Treasurer/Ex-Officio Collector, Lincoln County, NM, Carrizozo, NM, November 10, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Taxes due \$166.08 1st half 1923.

Letter, W. S. Stalling, District Super., U. S. Railroad Admin., Director Gen. of Railroads, Pullman Co., El Paso, TX, December 3, 1923, to Mrs. A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Signed original, 1 page.

Re loss of leather letter case by Mr. Fall.

Letter, A. B. Fall, December 13, 1923, to Andrew Mellon, Secretary of Treasury, Washington.

Mr./Mrs. Fall needed son-in-law C. C. Chase's assistance for few days due to Fall's illness. Chase will go Washington to see Mellon in few days, bring this note... explain.

Letter, Dr. Edward J. Porteous, Atlantic City, New Jersey, December 27, 1923, to A. F. [sic] Fall, Wardman Park Hotel, Washington, DC. Signed original, with original prescription..

Prescription enclosed (given when Fall under his care) per Nurse Hager s request.

Folder 2 Fall s Personal Correspondence, 1924-1927

Proof of Claim, State of NM vs. First State Bank, Alamogordo, No. 2301 , no date, 1924. Unsigned.

Filed by Albert B. Fall, claiming \$115.36 debt owed him by First State Bank.

Bill, Hotel Carlton, London, England, January 8, 1924, to Senator A. B. Fall. Original.

Total outstanding balance £ 53.17 for August 3 & 4, 1923.

Telegram, Janett [Jouett, Fall s daughter], Palm Beach, Florida, January 14, 1924, to Brant Elliott [husband], El Paso, TX. Original.

Leaving for New Orleans, may go Cuba.

Telegram, Edward McLean, Washington, January 16, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Grunewald Hotel, New Orleans, LA. Original.

Forwarding knife Fall left at home.

Telegram, Edward McLean, Washington, January 18, 1924, to Albert Fall, Grunewald Hotel, New Orleans, LA. Original.

Telegram received, sorry to hear about Fall health.

Telegram, Jouett [Fall s daughter], New Orleans, LA, January 19, 1924, to Brant Elliott [husband], El Paso, TX . Original.

Will stay in New Orleans until mid/latter part of week.

Letter, A. (Arme) M. Eberle, Precious Metals Tempering Co., Inc., NYC, January 25, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Washington. Signed original.

Friends in New York sorry to have missed Fall when there last.

Letter, Anna [Fall s daughter], El Paso, TX, January 25, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Washington. Photocopy of signed original. (Original with envelope, Personal, in Security File.)

Expresses faith & pride in Fall, people love him. ...just a chain of mishaps, with Fall taking the brunt, protecting the other fellow at your own expense The public knows it too.

Telegram, Emma [Fall], El Paso, TX, January 26, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Original.

Asks if Jane received telegram from Alex. Doheny statement fine, bears out judgment.

Check, \$100, payable A. B. Fall from George Curry, March 1, 1924, First National Bank of El Paso.
Original. [does not appear negotiated]

Telegram, Jouett [Falls daughter], Palm Beach, Florida, no date, to Brant Elliott [husband], Three Rivers,
NM. Original.

Leaving for Cuba Monday, Mama & Dad fairly well. At Breakers until Monday.

Letter, Louis Jeannian à Bung, Boubs, France, March 25, 1924, to Albert B. Fall. Handwritten original in
French, 2 pages.

Letter, George Derby, Managing Editor, *National Cyclopaedia of American Biography*, NYC, June 11,
1924, to Albert B. Fall. Signed original.

Anxious Fall return biography article, sent for his approval before publication, re Harding
presidential administration group.

Letter, Don Neatherlin, Cordes, AZ, c/o Hidden Treasure Mine, July 27, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Alamogordo,
NM. Original handwritten, with envelope.

Seeks Fall s interest in drilling for oil, has very good prospect.

Letter, H. L. Worman, Superintendent, Motive Power, St. Louis San Francisco Railway Co., Springfield,
MO, July 28, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Signed original & attached Release.

Requests Fall confirm Raymond Harner s statement he worked for Fall April 1922 April 1923.

Statement, Lone Star Motor Company, El Paso, TX, August 1, 1924, to Mrs. A. B. Fall, Three Rivers,
NM. Two original bills attached.

Charges \$11.75, handwritten notation by ABF requesting itemization.

Statement, Gifford Motor Company, Alamogordo, NM, August 1, 1924, to A. B. Fall. Original.

Balance \$196.90.

Letter, A. M. Hadley, Assistant Trust Officer, Pacific-Southwest Trust & Savings Bank, Los Angeles, CA,
August 13, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Original, 2 pages.

Re Trust for Catherine Petty, now ward of Psychopathic Probation Officer. Funds low; Probation
Officer inquires if funds will be replenished.

Letter, Lee A. Gifford, Southwestern Motor Co., Alamogordo, NM, August 14, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three
Rivers, NM. Original. statement attached.

Urgently needs check for Fall s account, plus \$14 back license fees 1923, total \$210.94.

Letter, W. M. Miller, Alamogordo, NM, August 14, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Original.

Writer represents Marble Yard, tombstones designs, Alamogordo.

Letter, D. W. Snyder, August 14, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Original handwritten.

Requests talk with Fall next time in El Paso.

Letter, Elmer Bell, Washington, September 12, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Original.

Writer formerly on Senate Mexican Investigating Committee, now handling Americans claims against Mexico. Asks Fall to refer friends with claims.

Letter, James Edward Dorsey, NYC, January 6, 1925, to Albert Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Signed original.

Corrigan buying property Mexico. Everything quiet about Tea Pot in Washington. If there is anything he can do, Call upon me.

Telegram, A. M. Hadley, Pacific-Southwest Trust & Savings Bank, Los Angeles, CA, November 4, 1925, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM. Original with envelope.

Catherine Petty will be sent insane asylum unless taken charge of by Fall.

Confirmation of telegram, November 4, 1925, A. M. Hadley, Pacific-Southwestern Trust & Savings Bank, Los Angeles, CA, November 4, 1925, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM. Original.

Telegram, Mark B. Thompson, no date, to A. M. Hadley, Pacific-Southwestern Trust & Savings Bank, Los Angeles, CA. Handwritten sender s copy.

Thinks it best to have Catherine Petty committed at once. Will advise Senator.

Transcript, partial conversation at supper, Three Rivers, NM, February 3, 1926, with Albert B. Fall, Mark B. Thompson, Mrs. Mary Taylor and EVC.

Fall s comments re Coolidge and Harding & Colorado Dam; and Roosevelt & Panama Canal.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Hotel Sheldon, El Paso, TX, no date, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Handwritten signed original, envelope postmarked February 16, 1926.

Regarding medical treatment of wife Georgia.

Letter, Charles B. Rogers, Tulsa, OK, July 8, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Attorney, American Baptist Home Mission Society, seeks Fall s deposition re trust fund of Creek Indian Jackson Barnett, \$550,000 in custody of Secretary of Interior. Suit to recover trust.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, August 30, 1926, to Charles H. Burke, Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Washington, DC. Two pages.

Received two letters from Charles B. Rogers, Tulsa. Barnett case of concern to Rogers.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, August 30, 1926, to Charles B. Rogers, Iowa Building, Tulsa, OK.

Fall requests Thompson address matter outlined in letters of July 8 and after. Re Fall testimony.

Bills, Mayflower Hotel, October 9-November 12, 1926. Originals.

Bills, Wardman Park Hotel, Washington, DC, November 8 December 23, 1926. Originals.

Letter, C. C. Chase, Manager, Tularosa Algodon Co., Inc., Tularosa, NM, November 9, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Wardman Park Hotel, Washington. Signed original.

Encloses George Curry s letter to Fall. Sheep delivery to Nordstrum is absolute fizzle.

Letter, James L. Riddel, Auditor, Wardman Park Hotel, Washington, January 18, 1927, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Signed original. Receipt, \$48.89, attached.

Prior bill failed to include \$48.99 charges for 12/23-24, encloses duplicate bill.

Letter, C. C. Chase, Manager, Tularosa Algodon Co., Inc., Tularosa, NM, January 25, 1927, to Albert B. Fall, El Paso, TX. Signed original, 2 pages.

Maxwell trade, abstract of Maxwell property, half interest deeded to Fall, held in trust.

Letter, C. C. Chase, Tularosa, NM, January 26, 1927, presumably to Fall, El Paso, TX. Signed original.

Enclosing report by Lawson upon examining abstract Maxwell properties.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Hotel Orndorff, El Paso, TX, January 27, 1927, to C. C. Chase, Tularosa, NM. Three pages.

Accepted Maxwell proposition, losing property due to taxes. Offered to step out for \$1,000 over amount Fall paid out for Maxwells. Property legally lost to Maxwells through tax sale.

Letter, C. C. Chase, Manager, Tularosa Algodon Co., Inc., Tularosa, NM, February 3, 1927, to Albert B. Fall, El Paso, TX. Signed original, 2 pages.

Per Frank Maxwell, without Fall s intervention, property entirely lost to his family. Deal with Fall was 50/50. Fall to get \$3,000 cash.

Letter, C. C. Chase, Manager, Tularosa Algodon Co., Inc., Tularosa, NM, February 8, 1927, to Albert B. Fall, El Paso, TX. Signed original.

Nordstrum leaving country. Various complications re Maxwell property.

Letter, C. C. Chase, Manager, Tularosa Algodon Co., Inc., Tularosa, NM, February 10, 1927, to Albert B. Fall, El Paso, TX. Signed original, 3 pages.

Encloses Gin Co. statement, details re profit cotton oil, & clipping Cottonseed Products, Tularosa Algodon Co. Balance Sheet January 31, 1927 (3 pages).

Telegram, Mrs. A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, March 5, 1927, to Capt. B. C. Mossmann, Roswell, NM.

Mrs. Fall s expectations of Mossmann visit.

Letter, Court House Coffee Shop, Washington, November 5, 1927, to A. B. Fall. Signed original.

Re \$7.15 charges, final luncheon, day before jury dismissed. Handwritten notes on back of flyer.

Folder 3 Papers Relating to Tres Ritos (Three Rivers), 1919-1921

Letter, M. (Mahlon) T. Everhart, President, Hatchet Cattle Co., Pueblo, CO, December 30, 1919, to C. C. Chase, Patagonia, AZ. Signed original.

Enclosed \$2,500 draft, apply to TRCLC account.

Letter, unsigned, presumably C. C. Chase, Patagonia, AZ, January 4, 1920, to M. T. Everhart, Pueblo, CO. Two pages. Copy of receipt attached.

Received \$2,500 draft, payment on \$5,600 note TRCLC owes C. C. Chase. Encloses statement, balance \$1,680. Estimates cattle remaining at Three Rivers.

Letter, J. T. Johnson, Three Rivers, NM, April 5, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Signed original.

Tallied (49) Chase s cattle. Should be more, some 2-3-year olds running high up in Goldenrena.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, April 8, 1921, to J. T. Johnson, Three Rivers, NM.

Received estimate of cattle.

Telegram, M. T. Everhart, Three Rivers, NM, September 20, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Report on Three Rivers.

Letter, A. B. Fall, Washington, November 15, 1921, to Clarence C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Fives pages. Attached 1-page memorandum (original).

Enclosed Memo re Copy of Memorandum Furnished Albert B. Fall by Mr. Brownfield, re selling prices for Brownfield ranch, acreage, cattle.

Telegram, Albert B. Fall, Washington, November 15, 1921, to Tom Johnson, Three Rivers, NM.

Instructions to notify Brownfield that Fall ready to close land deal per memo sent him. Instruct Chase to consult & close deal.

Telegram, J. T. Johnson, Three Rivers, NM, November 18, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington. Original.

Notified Brownfield per Fall s wire.

Telegram, Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC, November 19, 1921, to Clarence C. Chase, El Paso.

Requests answer Brownfield property matter.

Note, calculations written on Department of Interior stationery.

Telegram, Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC, November 19, 1921, to J. T. Johnson, Three Rivers, NM.

Chase should receive letter Sunday. Matter closed at Fall s end.

Telegram, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, November 21, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC. Original.

Departing for Three Rivers, will contact Brownfield and Johnson.

Telegram, C. C. Chase, Three Rivers, NM, November 23, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Washington. Original.

Opinion on Brownfield matter re selling, terms.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, December 7, 1921, to J. T. Johnson, Three Rivers, NM.

Re Fall s deal for Harris Brownfield property.

Letter, J. T. Johnson, Three Rivers, NM, December 11, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Signed original.

Vaccine for Brownfields. Bathed old typewriter in gasoline, percolateing [*sic*] much better.

Folder 4 Papers Relating to Tres Ritos (Three Rivers), 1922

Letter, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, January 3, 1922, to Nemecia Ascarate, U. S. Land Office, Las Cruces, NM. Handwritten original.

Encloses relinquishment re grazing homestead entry held by Chase, for recordation.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, January 22, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Original.

Arriving today on Golden State.

Letter, T. C. Taylor, Marfa, TX, March 13, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Original.

Sending deer skin from Del Rio.

Letter, C. C. Chase, April 15, 1922, to J. T. Johnson, Three Rivers, NM.

Re return of leather case. Bassett sending 2 mares to breed with Sunflash early as possible.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, April 26, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Shipment army blankets, express train. Nothing yet on sale of White truck.

Letter, Mrs. Irene Kent, S. Oregon Street, no town, May 1, 1922, to Mrs. A. B. Fall. Handwritten original, 2 pages.

Kent (tenant) requests Mrs. Fall lower rent on house.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, May 12, 1922, to J. T. Johnson, Three Rivers, NM.

Charlies Bassett shipped ton of oats to Three Rivers for his stock kept there. White truck may be ready for bid by June 1st.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, June 1, 1922, to M. T. Everhart, c/o First National Bank, Pueblo, CO.

Requests letter enabling Reeder to camp Everhart range, Carrizozo, Ruidoso, or Eagle Creek.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, June 6, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Washington. Two pages.

Re possible sale Mrs. Mintz cattle to Fall. White truck seized, \$100 lien.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, June 6, 1922, to M. T. Everhart, Three Rivers, NM. Two pp.

Received Everhart s letter permitting Reeder to camp. Delay re sale of White truck. Sale of Minnie Hall Mintz cattle.

Letter, M. T. Everhart, Pueblo, CO, June 7, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Handwritten original.

Requests Everhart send trunk express El Paso to Three Rivers. Departing tomorrow.

Letter, M. T. Everhart, Three Rivers, NM, June 16, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Original.

Re White truck sale. Investigating cattle sale by Mrs. Mintz.

Letter, L. P. McChesney, El Paso, TX, June 30, 1922, to Mr. Chase, El Paso, TX. Original.

Proposal to furnish/install plumbing water heater in Mrs. Fall s rooming house, Topeka.

Letter, B. Benton, White Mountain, NM, July 10, 1922, to C. C. Chase. Original.

Requests info re book on breeding thoroughbred cattle.

Letter, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, July 25, 1922, to M. T. Everhart, Three Rivers, NM. Original.

Attached sketch represents method of handling cattle along international boundary south of Hachita, NM. Suggests Everhart take action re cattle grazing duty-free on re-entry from Mexico. Requests Everhart submit arguments to justify continuing present arrangement.

Letter, A. B. Fall, August 1, 1922, to Mr. Anelacio Padilla, Carrizozo, NM.

Everhart has charge of all Fall s interests at Three Rivers.

Letter, unsigned, August 5, 1922, to El Paso & Southwestern Railway Co., Tularosa, NM.

Mrs. Fall requests lumber be taken to lumber yard Tularosa, shipped Three Rivers.

Letter, A. B. Fall, August 12, 1922, to Mahlon T. Everhart, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

Money to complete drilling well NW of Tularosa could be secured if work done so far was well done. Geologist confident oil will be found within 3500 feet.

Telegram, M. T. Everhart, Three Rivers, NM, September 4, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Original.

Requests Chase arrange meeting for Everhart with Cananea farmer.

Receipt, *El Paso Morning Times*, El Paso, TX, to C. C. Chase, Want Ad, good cook, \$1.20, paid Sept. 22.

Letter, presumably Mrs. Chase, October 12, 1922, to Mrs. Fall (Mother), Three Rivers, NM. .

Suggests Mrs. Fall inquire re colored man Woody Carthen applying as cook, Three Rivers.

Letter, H. M. Blackmer, Pres., Midwest Refining Co., Denver, CO, November 20, 1922, to C. C. Chase, Collector of Customs, El Paso, TX. Original.

Blackmer referred to Bretschneider, Exploration Dept. Chief Geologist to meet Everhart, Three Rivers. Intend to develop oil prospects Lee s land.

Folder 5 Papers Relating to Tres Ritos (Three Rivers), 1923-1927

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, January 25, 1923, to R. L. Daniel Furniture & Mattress Factory, El Paso, TX.

Regarding memo from company, \$21 due for repairs Fall furniture.

Telegram, Millard T. Hartson, Collector of Customs, Seattle, Washington, March 7, 1923, to Chase, El Paso, TX. Original.

Arriving tomorrow. Wants to see Chase.

Hartson, Amado, AZ, March 8, 1923, to Collector of Customs, El Paso, TX. Original.

Delayed due tomorrow.

Telegram, TRCLC, Three Rivers, NM, March 10, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Original.

Do not have Durham bulls, have Herefords.

Letter, M. T. Everhart, March 12, 1923, to his secretary. Original pencil.

Encloses TRCLC s balance July 31, bills payable, declared 1922 statement.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, March 20, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Mrs. Mintz accepted Fall s offer Mintz ranch, seeking offer for cattle.

Letter, unsigned, presumably C. C. Chase, March 21, 1923, to Mrs. A. G. Mintz, El Paso, TX.

Requests Mintz see him re proposition made Fall re sale of her Three Rivers property.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, April 2, 1923, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Mrs. Mintz objections to giving up deed for Fall s unsecured notes.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, April 11, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Original.

Wants immediate delivery new pump without fittings.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, April 12, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Original.

Getting 45% discount (pump).

Telegram, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, April 12, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Pumps, prices.

Note, lists of prices of pumps mentioned previous telegram. Pencil original.

Letter, C. C. Chase, April 16, 1923, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Gave Fall s \$1,000 check & two \$1750 notes to Mrs. Mintz for sale of ranch.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, April 18, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Original.

Sending bearing express for pump. Request Chase hire good pump man & electricians.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, April 19, 1923, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Sending pump express. Unable to find suitable electrician or pump man yet.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, April 20, 1923, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

Electricians coming Three Rivers re difficulties. Suggests hiring permanent electricians.

Telegram, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, April 20, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Arrival Westinghouse electricians, pump man tomorrow.

Telegram, Mrs. A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, April 25, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Original.

Met train, no colored man. Nothing heard about him.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, May 5, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Original.

Arrangement to purchase 4-inch pump.

Letter, unsigned, presumably from C. C. Chase, May 5, 1923, to Albert Fall, Three Rivers, NM. .

New second-hand refrigerator, style, capacity, \$150.

Telegram, Fall, Sunday [May] 6, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Enclosed \$150 check for refrigerator.

Letter, C. C. Chase, May 7, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Original handwritten, 2 pages.

Info pumps, pulley, directions for present pump.

Telegram, Mrs. A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, May 15, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Original.

Won t take less than \$1850 cash. Arriving tomorrow.

Telegram, F. A. Parker, Three Rivers, NM, May 28, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Original.

Orders flanges, bolt.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, June 5, 1923, to F. A. Parker, Three Rivers, NM.

Pump fittings.

Two handwritten notes listing balances due from McClelland & Armstrong. Originals.

Letter, S. L. Kaffer, Manager, Mine & Smelter Supply, El Paso, TX, June 6, 1923, to TRCLCC, Three Rivers, NM.

Leather double-ply belt for TRCLC.

Telegram, Parker, Three Rivers, NM, June 8, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Original.

Requests price for motors, pump.

Letter, C. C. Chase, June 9, 1923, to County Recorder, Lincoln County, Carrizozo, NM.

Enclosed mortgage deed executed by Bessie L. Case, favor of TRCLC . Requests recordation.

Letter, C. C. Chase, June 22, 1923, to Lt. Jesus Anaya Teran, Commander Fiscal Guards, Juarez, Mexico.

Re Sheehy and Buick, lost license plates, in custody Juarez.

Letter, unsigned, July 12, 1923, to Dear Mother (Mrs. A. B. Fall) , Three Rivers, NM.

Check sent for collection to Marshall Field, Chicago.

Letter, Mrs. B. Wright, Chicago, Illinois, July 18, 1923, to C. C. Chase. Original, 2 handwritten pages.

Re reply *Times* ad for cook.

Telegram, Jim Land, El Paso, TX, July 23, 1923, to C. C. Chase, Cloudcroft, NM.

Will get pulley.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, September 4, 1923, to Mr. Lee Burdick, c/o W. G. Roe Company, El Paso, TX.

Landed cement-curbed well on bedrock, depth, water level, per-minute flow. Pump repairs.

Letter, F. A. Parker, Three Rivers, NM, September 12, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Original, 2 pp.

Requests Chase ship pipe wrench, tools, intends to drill new well.

Letter, W. S. Abbott, TRCLC, Three Rivers, NM, September 28, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Signed original.

Received Chase s letter to Jim Land, Land s September 24 letter revoking prior instructions re money owed Electric Motor Maintenance Co. Endeavoring to collect Land s balance owed.

Letter, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, October 10, 1923, to F. A. Parker, Three Rivers, NM.

Burdick advised he shipped drill steel, belt, pump. Unable secure pulley yet.

Letter, C. C. Chase, October 10, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Received code telegram for Fall from Los Angeles. Elliott Engineering Co. shipped radiators.

Letter, H. G. Clunn, TRCLC, Three Rivers, NM, October 15, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Signed original.

Enclosed October 15 letter from T. H. Arnold, El Paso, replying to Judge s letter to Tom Lea.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Washington, no date, to Mrs. C. C. Chase, Three Rivers, NM. Original.

Arriving Three Rivers Thursday.

Letter, W. S. Abbott, Three Rivers Trading Co., Three Rivers, NM, October 19, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Signed original.

Re Parker illness. Received bill City garage, Tularosa, work authorized by Sheeny.

Letter, W. S. Abbott, TRCLC, Three Rivers, NM, October 25, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Signed original.

Checked over Parker accounts & balance owed, lists details.

Letter, O. I. Norton, Three Rivers, NM, October 27, 1923, to C. C. Chase. Handwritten original.

Reports on new well.

Letter, O. I. Norton, Three Rivers, NM, November 26, 1923, to C. C. Chase. Handwritten original.

Reports on new well.

Letter, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, January 8, 1924, to Ole Norton, Three Rivers, NM.

Requests report on work on well, other work.

Letter, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, January 10, 1924, to TRCLC, attention Mr. W. S. Evans.

Encloses correspondence re pumps, invoice pump repairs.

Telegram, Western Union, El Paso, TX, April 21, 1924, to Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM.
Confirmed delivery Thompson s telegram to Tom Lea.

Letter, Chesley H. Thomason, Clerk of District Court, Otero County, NM, Alamogordo, NM, June 19, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Signed original.

Deed sent for Fall s execution re new road, right of way, over Fall s land. Can send another.

Letter, D. F. White, El Paso, TX, August 6, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Original.

Globe Laboratories, enclosed circular, Black Leg Vaccine.

Telegram, Susie Shultz, Los Angeles, August 12, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Original.

Request, send door key.

Letter, unsigned, apparently Henry A. Wise, New York, November 26, 1924, to M. T. Everhart, First National Bank, Pueblo, CO. Two pages.

Fall s proposed new mortgage/loan, First National Bank, Pueblo. History prior TRCLC loans.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, July 24, 1925, to Miguel Sarracino, Treasurer & Collector, Socorro County, Socorro, NM.

Re statement Fall 1910-14 property taxes. Lawsuit by Tax Commission; court cancelled taxes.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, October 28, 1925, to Colonel J. W. Zevely, NY.

Rancoces [stables] entering horses Tia Juana [race track]. If Hildrath goes, could stop to see Three River colts. Encloses letter for Hildrath.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, October 28, 1925, to Sam C. Hildrath, NYC. .

Suggests if going California, Hildrath should stop Three Rivers, see Sunflash s colts.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, October 28, 1925, to A. G. Whittier, Special Collector, Socorro, NM.

Another delinquent-taxes notice 1910-1914 sent. Repeats info: court decision cancelled taxes, ordered correction tax rolls.

Letter, unsigned, presumably from A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, December 1, 1925, to Mark B. Thompson, Washington.

Encloses copies Hogan s wire; Commissioner s letter; waivers of tax returns 1919-22.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, January 25, 1926, to A. G. Whittier, Socorro, NM. .

Explains cancellation Fall s taxes, refuses Whittier s proposition. Will recommend Hatchet Cattle Co. pay 10%.

Letter, Mahlon T. Everhart, Hatchet Cattle Co., Pueblo, CO, February 1, 1926, to Mark. B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM. Typed copy.

Encloses Hatchet s check payable Whittier to settle delinquent tax matters.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, February 4, 1926, to A. G. Whittier, Delinquent Tax Collector, Socorro, NM.

Encloses Hatchet Cattle Co. check \$46.24. Clears records re County s claim against Hatchet.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, February 4, 1926, to Mahlon T. Everhart, Pueblo, CO.

Received check for Whittier, forwarding to him.

Telegram, Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, February 18, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Nabors claims Tom Johnson brought mules & wagon, will get Nabors answer tomorrow.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, February 19, 1926, to A. B. Fall. Signed original.

Received deeds, incorrectly payable to TRLCC, not TRTLC. New ones must be executed.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, February 19, 1926, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM.

Authorizes purchase mules and wagon \$250 per Nabours letter & bill.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, April 1, 1926, to J. B. French, Tax Auditor, Carrizozo, NM.

Abstract of taxes appearing against Fall, TRCLC.

Statement, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, April 23, 1926.

Examined Alamogordo Tax rolls, discovered overcharge 1925 taxes TRCLC. Additional error in distribution sheets connected with Thatcher-Everhart taxes.

Taxes Paid by Tres Ritos Cattle & Land Company, May 4, 1926. Original.

Otero County taxes paid by TRCLC, Mrs. J. M. Fall; A. B. Fall & Mrs. A. B. Fall. Lincoln County paid by TRCLC.

Folder 6 Fall s Personal Correspondence and Papers, Undated.

Some Los Angeles Addresses. Original.

List, 6 individuals Los Angeles addresses, including Alfred Barstow & E. L. Doheny.

Letter, Jouett (Fall s daughter), New Orleans, LA, Sunday (no date*), to Brant Elliott (husband). Signed original, 4 pages. *Per Anthes index: envelope postmarked January 20, 1924.

Read mighty nice article, Washington paper, re Dad. Traveling with parents who had tiff, in miserable mood. Col. Z [presumably Zevely] still here. Hawkins, Doheny arrive tonight.

Calling Card, Mr./Mrs. Charles Spalding Thomas. Handwritten note, Hoping you will soon be well...
Calling Card, Enrique Playa H., Envoy Extraordinary/Minister Plenipotentiary, Columbia.

Telegram, Alex (Fall's daughter), El Paso, TX, no date, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Original.

Sends love. Requests Mama/Jouett send checks for charity ball.

Telegram, Mrs. A. B. Fall, El Paso, TX, no date, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Departing for Ranch, will go with Fall to Washington.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, undated, to C. V. Safford, c/o Renehan and Gilbert, Santa Fe, NM. Original draft.

Trip to California delayed. Anxious to see Safford on personal matters.

Folder 7 Mark B. Thompson, Personal Papers and Correspondence

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Navidad, Chihuahua, Mexico, no date, to Dear Judge [Fall]. Original.

Reading indictments is puzzling; will send analyses, observations.

Letter, Hubert Work, Secretary of the Interior, August 17, 1923, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM.
Typed copy.

Suggests changes, legal division, Rio Grande & Carlsbad Projects. Claims Thompson's dual work for government & private practice prevents devoting full attention to Federal work. Recommends attorney in charge have office at El Paso & Las Cruces office be abolished.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Department of the Interior, United States Reclamation Service, Las Cruces, NM, August 23, 1923, to Mrs. A. B. Fall. Signed original.

Encloses copy of letter from Secretary Work & copy Thompson's answer.

Letter, Confidential, Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, August 23, 1923, to Hubert Work, Secretary of the Interior, Washington, DC. Six pages.

Relates circumstances of appointment as District Counsel. Names people who desire Thompson continue in position, requests he be allowed to continue until first of January next.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, September 2, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.
Signed original, 2 pages.

Sending memo on validity of bribery indictment, applicable to Doheny indictments.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, September 14, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.
Handwritten original, signed.

Gives report on talk with Renehan re proceedings in Washington.

Telegram, Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, September 16, 1924, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Re arrival Thursday on Golden State.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, July 6, 1925, to Superintendent, Document Room, U. S. Senate, Washington. Signed original.

Requests copy of report Sen. Bill No. 2812, December 14, 1917.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, July 20, 1925, to Col J. W. Zevely, NYC.

Encloses documents requested (unspecified).

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, July 24, 1925, to J. W. Taylor, President, Elephant Butte Irrigation Project, Las Cruces, NM.

Refers to audit of books by an official, not Taylor's employee. In event of shortage, bonding company will authorize us to proceed.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, July 24, 1925, to A. G. Whittier, Tax Auditor, Socorro, NM.

Disputes delinquent taxes owed by Hatchet Cattle Co. Never held property in Socorro County.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, August 8, 1925, to P. P. Campbell, Las Cruces, NM.

Re Barncastle matter.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, August 8, 1925, to Pres. Harry L. Kent, State College, NM.

Re Professor Hagerty's pension. No money appropriated in State Treasury for pensions.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, August 8, 1925, to Judge Tomlinson Fort, Roswell, NM.

Re Mrs. Stoes' loss \$15,000 Certificates of Deposit.

Letter, CRC Law List Company, New York, August 13, 1925, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM. Signed original.

Requests report re claim of *Corr William Tobacco Company vs. Alexander and Buckley*.

Letter, Sipple Adjustment Co., St. Louis, MO, August 17, 1925, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM.

Re *Superior Hat Company vs. Wertheim Brothers*. Expects reply re small overdue account.

NM Extension News, NM College of Agriculture, State College, NM, August 1925, Vol. V, No. 8.

Letter, H. E. Mesters, Collection Dept., Tri-State Assn. of Credit Men, El Paso, TX, August 20, 1925, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM. Signed original.

Asks if Thompson interviewed debtor re settlement, *El Paso Times Co. vs. L. M. Lockett*, \$38.10.

Letter, CRC Law List Co., NY, August 28, 1925, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM. Original.

Requests reply to letter re Corr Williams matter.

Letter, P. Fowmier, Encyclopaedia Britannica, Inc., NYC, September 3, 1925, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM. Signed original.

Asks if Thompson would handle \$27 claim. Thompson: does not handle this kind of business.

Letter, Ellen V. Crutcher, Secretary, Las Cruces, NM, September 8, 1925, to Union Guaranty Co., Oak Park, IL.

Returns Union Guaranty s August 20th letter. Thompson does not handle this kind of business.

Letter, CRC Law List Co., NY, September 10, 1925, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM. Original.

Requests immediate report claim of *Corr Williams Tob Company vs. Alexander and Buckley*.

Letter, Sipple Adjustment Co., St. Louis, MO, September 10, 1925, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM. Original.

Re *Superior Hat vs. Wertheim Brothers*. Requests Thompson return papers if not handling.

Return receipt, Registered mail, September 14, 1925, to Henry Wise, NY, from Albert Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Insured parcel.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, September 18, 1925, to Mabel Thatcher Rosemary Washburn, NYC.

Asks re ancestry James Slater Fall, English emigrant 1817, settled Adair County, Kentucky.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, September 18, 1925, to C R C Law List Co., NYC.

Does not do collection work. Inform clients he does not represent their company.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, September 18, 1925, to A. G. Whittier, Socorro, NM. Typed copy.

Taxes unjustly assessed Hatchet Cattle, never owned property Socorro County, threatens lawsuit.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, September 18, 1925, to Treasurer, Socorro County, Socorro, NM. Typed copy.

Re correct taxes, Hatchet Cattle Co. removal from rolls.

Note, J. B. Bockman, Las Cruces, NM, undated, presumably to Mark B. Thompson.

Re notes, bank holds mortgage and assignment only.

Telegram, Mark B. Thompson, October 1, 1925, to J. B. Bockman, Las Cruces, NM.

Has one at Las Cruces, others left old Union Bank lost, weren't endorsed. Can make affidavit of loss if necessary to foreclose.

Note, B. J.(?) Cowan, Las Cruces, NM, October 3, presumably 1925, to Mark B. Thompson.

Will be Las Cruces middle next week.

Telegram, Cooney Coan, Las Cruces, NM, October 3 [1925] to Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM.

Meeting time, place.

Telegram, C. H. Cowan, Las Cruces, NM, October 3 [1925] to Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM.

Waiting there, or will leave for Three Rivers.

Telegram, Collect, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, October 4, 1925, to C. H. Cowan and Thomas F. Cooney, Las Cruces, NM.

Impossible to obtain facilities as suggested. Meeting place, time, Thursday.

Letter, G. Stanford, NY, October 23, 1925, to Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM. Typed copy.

Undecided if will discuss with party Thompson/Stanford talked to in hotel. Consents to expedite argument in appeal in Mammoth case, to be argued May Court Term, St. Paul.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, October 28, 1925, to Col. Henry Wise, NYC. .

Man calling himself Deputy U. S. Marshal in Three Rivers asking re Johnson & Brownfield.

Letter, Capt. Totten, Ft. Sill, OK, January 4, 1926, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM. Original.

Desires opinion title Lerma property.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, January 26, 1926, to Jose Sena, Secretary-Treasurer, Santa Fe, NM.

Enclosed check Mesilla Valley Ban, \$5.00, dues Bar Association.

Telegram, Mark B. Thompson, February 5, 1926, to Marion Thompson, Las Cruces Basketball Team, Alamogordo, NM.

Thompson unable to come.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, February 13, 1926, to Capt. Gerald H. Totten, Fort Sill, OK.

Break in title, Main Street property, Las Cruces, curable by suit founded on 10-year possession.

Telegram, Mark B. Thompson, El Paso, TX, February 20, 1926, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Georgia had minor operation, unable return Three Rivers. Requests Fall wire new developments.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, February 26, 1926, to Messrs. Wallace, Knollenberg, and Cameron, El Paso, TX.

Suggests preparing form of release & resolutions Thompson desires passed. Writing Board.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, February 26, 1926, to Elephant Butte Irrigation District, Las Cruces, NM.

Re Cameron, Southern Surety Co. willing to discharge liability under bond if does not have to make up difference for Rigney, Benvie, McKami. Want full discharge from liability for \$5,000.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, no date, to My dear Phillips.

Re Elephant Butte, thinks company justified in what they ask, better to avoid possible lawsuit. Suggests stringing along criminal case until Board makes determination.

Letter, Mark Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, February 26, 1926, to State Tax Commission, Santa Fe, NM.

Re Commission's letter re franchise taxes, advises Hacienda Co. never organized, no existence.

Letter, Mark Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, February 26, 1926, to J. B. Ray, Las Cruces, NM.

Encloses Tax Commissioner's notice, franchise taxes 1921. Send amount if bill correct. Charge Thompson's account, Treasurer, Mesilla Valley Cotton Products Co.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, February 26, 1926, to Judge Edwin Mechem, Las Cruces, NM.

Re State vs. Barncastle, asks for continuance for term, due to Fall case.

Letter, Mark Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, February 26, 1926, to Frank J. Hogan, Washington.

Received copies application. Fall readying for trial.

Telegram, presumably Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, March 10, 1926, to Mrs. Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM. Original.

Instruction not to forward mail, Will be over shortly.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, March 10, 1926, to T. A. Thorson, Adams, ND.

Returning four documents. Fall not interested in this class of property.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, March 10, 1926, to Messrs. Wallace, Knollenberg, and Cameron, Caples Building, El Paso, TX.

Will be Las Cruces near future, hope to fix bond matter.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Three Rivers, NM, March 15, 1926, to A. G. Whittier, Delinquent Tax Collector, Socorro, NM.

Enclosure [unknown] self-explanatory, requests no further action taken.

Telegram, Mark Thompson, El Paso, TX, March 15, 1926, to Albert Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Original.

Mrs. Fall made trip well, nurse on duty, doctor finds only cold.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, March 20, 1926, to Mark Thompson, Las Cruces, NM.

Sorry Thompson s feeling badly. Congratulations Barncastle case.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, April 1, 1926, to L. T. Rule, First National Bank, Pueblo, CO.

Lincoln County Tax Auditor forwarded abstracts with taxes assessed Tres Ritos & predecessor. No records available locally, requests they bring records for him to check.

Letter, E. V. Crutcher, Three Rivers, NM, April 7, 1926, to Mark Thompson, Las Cruces, NM.

Re annual report 1925-26 to State Corporation Commission. Can mail papers if you wire request.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, April 24, 1926, to L. T. Rule, First National Bank, Pueblo, CO.

Received info taxes. Fall will write re Rule coming down.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, State College, NM, April 26, 1926, to Judge [Fall]. Signed original.

Delivered Fall s check to J. O. Nabors. Found no entry Fall s name Land Office records.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, May 2, 1926, to L. T. Rule, First National Bank, Pueblo, CO.

Received April 27 letter, correction sheets. Suggests Rule talk with Fall next week re tax return.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, July 30, 1926, to L. T. Rule, First National Bank, Pueblo, CO.

Received June 11 letter with annual report. Requests Thompson's presence, imperative.

Telegram, Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, September 1, 1926, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Thompson operated on, condition of health.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, September 2, 1926, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM.

Fall sympathizes.

Folder 8 Index to remarks made by Senator Fall in the U. S. S. from December 6, 1911 (Volume 48), to October 6, 1917 (Vol 55). Original. Alphabetical list of subjects.

Folder 9 Ledger, March-December 1886 (poor condition). First sheet headed "Record of Cotton Picking." *Ledger is temporarily in Conservation Dept.*

Folder 10 *El Correo de Chihuahua*, Sabado, 24 de Mayo, 1851. Spanish, 4 pages (torn in half).

BOX 6 - Mexican Affairs, 1912-1923

Folder 1 Mexican Affairs, 1912-1919:

Newspaper Articles; Senator Fall's Speeches; Documents Regarding Mexican Reforms

List, Newspaper articles 1912-1913 [domestic and Mexican] concerning Mexico. Handwritten, 14 pp.

Five subjects, indexed by date.

Albert B. Fall's Speeches in the U. S. Senate regarding Mexican Affairs, 1914-1916. GPO booklets.

Army Appropriation Bill - Affairs in Mexico, February 22, 1915, 32 pages.

Conditions in Mexico, March 9, 1914, 55 pages.

Affairs in Mexico, April 21, 1914, 12 pages.

Carranza-Wilson Government in Mexico, June 2, 1916, 52 pages (title page missing).

Compilation of Documents, with Index, re Mexican Reforms (1916 to 1919). List of 23 documents: letters, telegrams, translation of Agrarian Law, et al. [listed below as indexed]. Two pages.

Telegram, Rodgers, Mexico City, August 10, 1916, to Secretary of State, Washington, DC.

Re formation of new corporations, especially for exploitation of oil. Charter will require foreign stockholders to renounce their national rights re company affairs (waive right to protect interests through their national representatives). Tried before, failed, considered not to have legal effect.

Paraphrase Telegram, Lansing, State Dept., Washington, August 16, 1916, to Rodgers, Special Representative, American Government, Mexico City.

Instructions to advise Mexican authorities new decree not regarded as annulling American government relations with its citizen stockholders. Charter of new company must include clause of renunciation of national rights by foreign stockholders.

Letter, Walter C. Thurston, In charge of American Interests, U. S. Embassy, Mexico, January 9, 1917, to the Secretary of State, Washington, DC.

Transmits translated copies of decrees re renunciation clause in new company charters.

Translation of Decree [August 15, 1916] requiring foreigners to renounce their national protection when acquiring rights to real property in the Republic of Mexico, by Eduardo Hay, Sub-secretary (Fomento), December 15, 1916. Two pages.

Translation of Decree [August 15, 1916] requiring foreigners to renounce their national protection when acquiring rights to certain real property in the Republic of Mexico, by Pastor Rouaix, Subsecretary in charge of Office of Ministry of Fomento, Colonization and Industry. Four pps.

Telegram, Lansing, Department of State, Washington, DC, January 19, 1917, to Walter Thurston, Esq., Representing American Interests, Mexico City.

Instructions to advise appropriate authorities U.S. will not accept nullification of rights of U.S. citizens who acquire property in Mexico.

Paraphrase Telegram, Polk Acting, Dept. of State, Washington, January 31, 1919, to AmEmbassy, Mexico City.

Instructions to advise Foreign Office [Mexico] American government maintains position re Mexican Constitution & laws requiring foreigners waive rights to protection of property purchased in Mexico. Such provisions affect Government's right to protect its citizens.

Letter, E. M. Lawton, American Consul, Nogales, December 5, 1918, to Secretary of State, Washington.

Re proposed agrarian/labor laws for Sonora, encloses rough translation of Law.

Agrarian [Agrarian] Law of State of Sonora, Mexico. Translation, 12 pages.

Paraphrase Telegram, Polk Acting, State Dept., Washington, December 24, 1918, to AmEmbassy, Mexico City, 2pp.

Instructs AmerEmbassy to protest Sonora labor & land reform, confiscation without payment.

Paraphrase Telegram, Polk Acting, Dept. of State, December 24, 1918, to American Consul, Nogales, 2 pages.

Instructs Consul to protest proposed enactment into legislation of agrarian/labor reform law.

Telegram, Charles W. Doherty, American Vice-Consul in Charge, Nogales, Mexico, March 13, 1919, to Secretary of State, Washington.

Law failed to be enacted so far by Congress in Sonora.

Telegram, Polk Acting, State Dept., Washington, March 20, 1919, to American Consul, Nogales.

Instructs Consul renew protest against proposed Agrarian reform law in Sonora.

Telegram, Polk Acting, State Dept., Washington, March 21, 1919, to U. S. Embassy, Mexico City.

Instructs Embassy renew protest against reform law in Sonora.

Telegram, Polk Acting, Dept. of State, Washington, July 16, 1919, to U. S. Embassy, Mexico City.

Instructs Embassy to ascertain whether Sonora Congress passed Agrarian Law about June 26.
Instructions to protest anew.

Telegram, Polk Acting, State Dept., Washington, July 17, 1919, to American Consul, Nogales, AZ.

Instructions to report whether Sonora Legislature passed Agrarian Law & to inform Mexican authorities U.S. Embassy is instructed to renew protest.

Letter, Francis J. Dyer, American Consul, Nogales, Mexico, July 29, 1919, to Secretary of State, Washington.

Encloses Agrarian Law passed June 23, 1919, effective July 27. No response to request to Governor for statement comparing differences with law considered by previous Congress.

Agrarian Law of the Free and Sovereign State of Sonora Approved by State Congress June 23, 1919:
Promulgated by Governor July 3; To Be Effective July 27, 1919. Translation, 13 pp.

Land reform, water/irrigation reform, subdivision of great estates (including involuntary).

Paraphrase Telegram, Lansing, State Dept., Washington, August 14, 1919, to American Embassy, Mexico City. Two pages.

Instructions to protest Agrarian Law's ambiguity re landowners' rights without due process.
American government will be forced to address Mexican Government for an adjustment, reparation.

Telegram, Lansing, State Dept., Washington, August 14, 1919, to American Consul, Nogales. 3 pages.

Instructions inform Mexican State authorities American Embassy, Mexico City, is to protest Agrarian Law on definite points outlined, reserves its rights.

Letter, Francis J. Dyer, American Consul, Nogales, Mexico, September 21, 1919, to Secretary of State, Washington.

Encloses rough translation Governor's reply, September 13, to Dyer's August 14 protest letter.

Letter, Adolfo de la Huerta, Governor, Hermosillo, Sonora, September 13, 1919, to Francis J. Dyer, Consul Americano en Nogales, Son. Eleven pages.

Replies to Dyer's letter August 14, 1919. Explains justice, legality of contested points.

Folder 2 Mexican Affairs, 1919: Correspondence, Reports

Letter, unknown sender, Los Angeles, February 12, 1919, to General Leonardo Wood, Camp Funston, Kansas. Five pages.

Memorandum, Mexican problem. Lists causes of 1910 Mexican Revolution. Pro-Diaz.

Statement, unsigned, presumably by Gus T. Jones, no date. Original, pages 2-15 (missing page 1).

1919 situation in Mexico. Fall resolution to withdraw recognition of Carranza.

Private Correspondence of the President of the United Mexican States, Letter, V. Carranza, Mexico, D. F., June 29, 1919, to Hermila Galinda, City [sic]. Typed translation.

Instructs Galinda finish writing Carranza Doctrine [book]. Sending bluebook justifying Mexican Government's hostility toward foreign speculators, especially Americans & English.

Letter, George E. Blalock, San Antonio, TX, July 15, 1919, to Senator Fall, Washington. Original, 2pp.

Gov. of Oklahoma's interest in recent murder, Colonia, Mex., near Tampico; no interest in 3 other murders same colony. Claims nothing done about them; money changed hands.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, July 23, 1919, to George E. Blalock [sic], San Antonio, TX.

Thanks Blalock for letter re murders of American citizens.

Report of Committee, Senators Fall (Chairman), Brandegee, and Smith, to investigate Mexican affairs under the Senate Resolution August 8, 1919. Original, 11 pages.

Conclusions, findings, propaganda.

Telegram, Executive Committee, by Swain, Beaty, Watts, Kellogg, Association of Oil Producers in Mexico, NY, December 3, 1919, to Secretary of State, Washington. Typed copy.

Calls attention to crisis re stoppage of drilling in Mexico & scarcity of fuel oil in U. S.

Congressional Record, December 3, 1919, page 75.

Fall's remarks on Mexican situation. Fall resolution re approval of action of Department of State.

Letter, Charles H. Boynton, Exec. Director, National Assn. for Protection of American Rights in Mexico, NYC, December 3, 1919, to Charles Safford, c/o Sen. Albert Fall, Washington. Signed original.

Encloses correspondence between Arthur Thompson (author, *The Conspiracy against Mexico*, enclosed) & Gus Klumpner. Thompson assisted by Mexican government. Frederick C. Howe, former Commissioner of Immigration, NY, connected with Bolshevik & Anarchist sympathizers.

Letter, Arthur Thompson, Oakland, CA, November 7, 1919, to Gus Klumpner, San Antonio, TX. Typed copy.

Anxious Texas knows truth about Mexican affairs, need to prevent U.S. intervention & war.

Letter, Gus Klumpner, San Antonio, TX, November 11, 1919, to Arthur Thompson, Oakland, CA. Typed copy.

Wants Thompson secure info re El Paso Chamber of Commerce's support of intervention.

Letter, Lansing, Dept. of State, Washington, November 14, 1919, to Albert Fall, Chairman, Senate Subcommittee Investigating Mexican Affairs, Committee on Foreign Relations, U. S. Senate, Washington. Original.

Transmits copies U.S. protests to Mexican government against decrees, proposed legislation. Encloses correspondence between Secretary of State & diplomatic, consular officers in Mexico.

Letter, Arthur Thompson, Oakland, CA, November 15, 1919, to Gus Klumpner, San Antonio, TX. Typed copy.

Confirms Mexican government distributing Thompson books. Accuses Assn. for Protection of American Rights in Mexico as money interest behind interventionism.

Mexican Oil Questions, November 29, 1919. Original, 4 pages.

Cites laws stemming from Mexican Constitution 1917, facts re confiscation American property.

Letter, W. M. Hanson, Laredo, TX, December 4, 1919, to Mr. [C. V.] Safford. Original.

Telegrams re Juan Garcia. Lino Caballo heads movement in Texas, investigating. Needs funds.

Telegram, E. L. Doheny, Houston, TX, December 4, 1919, to H. Walker, Washington, DC. Typed copy.

At Cabinet meeting Morrones was anti-American & Schiaffino disposed toward U. S. Calles advocates arrest of managers, fining companies, work stoppage [American mining companies].

Memorandum for Senator Fall, signed H. Walker, December 5, 1919. Original.

Re letter Judge Payne, Chairman of Shipping Board, to State Dept., stoppage of drilling for oil menaces Emergency Fleet Corp. Eighty vessels tied up for lack of fuel.

Letter, Arthur Thompson, San Francisco, CA, December 6, 1919, to Senator A. B. Fall, Washington. Original, 3 pages.

Denies being anarchist. Charges Fall misrepresenting Mexican situation to effect intervention, associating with interventionists.

Telegram, P. G. Farias, Private Secretary to President, National Palace, Mexico, DF., December 14, 1919, to Agustin Garza Peres, Nuevo Laredo, Tamps. Typed copy.

President advises await arrival of Morrones with President s instructions.

Telegram, Agustin Garza Peres, Nuevo Laredo, Tamps., December 14, 1919, to Pedro Gil Farias, Private Secretary to the President, National Palace, Mexico, DF. Typed copy.

Morrones does not deem trip convenient, proper. Caballo will be at Monterrey.

Letter, W. M. Hanson, San Antonio, TX, December 22, 1919, to Senator Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Typed copy.

Peres, H. Holguin, Caballo met with Morrones, Nuevo Laredo. Believes they are backed by Carranza government & IWW. Encloses copies above telegrams.

Official Statement, American Consulate, Mazatlan, Sinaloa, Mexico, December 24, 1919. Original.

Re allegation charging neglect of State Dept. officials re two American bluejackets detained, jailed Mazatlan, Mexico. Regards as absurd.

Folder 3 Mexican Affairs, 1920.

Letter, Ismael Palafox, January 30, 1920, to Francisco Villa, General Headquarters, Wherever He May Be. Original Typed on Silk. Six pages. Attached: cover Memorandum on U. S. Senate stationery, Ismael Palafox to Francisco Villa, 1/30/20; R. A. Wm. B. Cuperton, Vanderbilt Hotel, NY City. [Signed originals in security file]

Re Howse Affair, Zapatistas, Robies Dominguez, new Brownfield Affair, General Arenas Affair, Unification of Revolution, Fall Affair, Instructions for Convention. Fall s investigation of Mexican policy & U.S. position. Fall s wish to meet with Villa.

Telegram, M. [Melquiades] Garcia [Mexican Counsel], Nuervo Laredo, Tamaulipas, February 4, 1920, to Luis Cabera, Ministry of Treasury, Mexico. Document Number 105. Translation, typed copy.

Money for Hall; unfavorable propaganda circulated by Captain Hanson s agents.

Telegram, M. [Melquiades] Garcia, Nuevo Laredo, Tamps, Mexico, Palacio Nacional, 4 de febrero, 1920, to Luis Cabera, Ministerio de Hacienda, Núm. 105. Photostat, Spanish original (see above).

Telegram, [Luis] Cabrera, National Palace, Mexico, D. F., February 4, 1920, to Melquiades Garcia, Mexican Consul, Nuevo Laredo, Tamps., Document No. 2149. Typed translation.

Orders \$5,000 be delivered to Guillermo Hall, Dept. of Industry/Commerce Agent, for American excursionists expenses. Should provide all facilities for good impression of Mex. Government.

Telegram, [Luis] Cabera, Palacio Nacional, Mexico, D. F., 4 de febrero, 1920, to Melquiades Garcia, Consul de Mexican, Nuevo Laredo, Tamps., Num. 2149. Photostat, Spanish original (see above).

Telegram, General P. Elias Calles, Commercial Palace, Mexico, D. F., February 4, 1920, to Consul of Mexico, M. Garcia, Laredo, TX. Document Number 1379. Typed translation.

Americans excursion must travel National Line; undesirable conditions Tampico Road.

Telegram, General P. Elias Calles, Palacio de Comercio, Mexico, D. F., February 4, 1920, to Consul de Mexico, M. Garcia, Laredo, TX. Document Number 1379. Photostat, Spanish original (see above).

Telegram, M. Garcia, Nuevo Laredo, Tamaulipas, February 4, 1920, to General Plutarco Elias Calles, Residence, Ministry of Industry/Commerce, Mexico. Doc. No. 83. Typed translation.

Acknowledges Telegram No. 1379, Alariste has not arrived.

Telegram, M. Garcia, Nuevo Laredo, Tamaulipas, February 4, 1920, to General Plutarco Elias Calles, Secretaria de Industria Y Comercio, Mexico, Doc. No. 83. Photostat, Spanish original (see above).

Telegram, Guillermo Hall, Mexican Consulate, Nuevo Laredo, Tamaulipas, February 8, 1920, to General Plutarco Elias Calles, Secretary Industry/Commerce, Mexico, Doc. No. 71. Translation.

Re arrival 42 American businessmen, San Antonio. Received \$5,000. Eliminated Tampico from itinerary due to some prejudice caused by propaganda of Falls agents.

Telegram, Guillermo Hall, Mexican Consulate, Laredo, TX, February 8, 1920, to Gen. Plutarco Elias Calles, Secretary Industry/Commerce, Mexico, Doc. No. 71. Two pages. Photostat, original Spanish (see above).

Telegram, Guillermo Hall, Nuevo Laredo, TX, February 8, 1920, to Luis Cabera, Secretary of the Treasury, Mexico, National Palace. Doc. No. 72. Translation.

Excursion American businessmen not turning out as favorably as promised. Received \$5,000. Not desirable that de la Mata be taken into confidence.

Telegram, Guillermo Hall, Nuevo Laredo, TX, 8 de Febrero, 1920, to Luis Cabrera, Ministerio de Hacienda, Mexico, Palacio National. Doc. No. 72. Photostat, Spanish original (see above).

Mexican Consul, (Letter) S , Laredo, TX, February 8, 1920, to the Under-Secretary of Foreign Affairs, Mexico, D. F. Oficio No. 296, Confidential. Translation.

\$5,000 delivered Hall, San Antonio, travel expenses, Mex. Unable secure receipt due to confidential nature Hall s employment.

El Consul de Mexico, Feb. 8 de 1920, to C. Subsecretario de Relaciones Exteriores, Mexico, D. F. Oficio No. 296, Confidencial. Photostat original Spanish (see above).

Letter, George E. Blalock, Talvez Co., San Antonio, TX, February 20, 1920, to Senator Fall, Washington, DC. Original. One-page list attached.

Enclosed list, first Division, Blalock Mexico Colony: 55 families went to Mexico March 1903. 37 families added 10 months later, called 2nd Division (all original purchasers).

Letter, E. Soto, Official Mayor, Secretary of Foreign Relations, Mexico, February 21, 1920, to Citizen Alberto Ruiz Sandoval, Vice Consul of Mexico, El Paso, TX. Typed translation.

Mexican Govt. obtaining arms through Cantu, Gov., No. District, Lower CA (per Reyes, Consul of Mexico, Del Rio, TX, to American Govt. special agent). Attached: Cover Memorandum.

Letter, Secretaria de Relaciones Exteriores, Mexico, Mexico City, 21 de febrero de 1920, to Al C. Alberto Ruiz Sandoval, Vicecónsul de México en El Paso, TX, regarding information given out by Mexican Consul at Del Rio. Photostat of Spanish original (see above entry).

Telegram, [Captain C. M.] Counts, El Paso, TX, March 17, 1920, to Senator Fall, Van Nuys Hotel, Los Angeles, CA. Original.

Wired Fall s telegram to Major Woodruff.

Telegram, Albert B. Fall, Los Angeles, March 17, 1920, to Captain C. M. Counts, El Paso, TX. Original.

Cantu smuggling, supplying arms, ammunition Carranza.

Letter, N. O. Bagge, NYC, March 17, 1920, to Francis G. Kearful, Sub-Committee of Foreign Affairs, U. S. Senate, Washington. Original.

Wants his & Kirby s testimony [transcript] checked for typographical errors. Assumes can see & correct before printed, fears his testimony grotesque, read[s] exaggerated.

Telegram, Woodruff, El Paso, TX, March 18, 1920, to Senator Albert Fall, Los Angeles, CA. Original.

Mailed photocopy letter; may use but not for press release.

Telegram, Major R. B. Woodruff, Intelligence, Ft. Sam Houston, TX, March 20, 1920, to Senator Albert A. Fall, Los Angeles, CA. Original.

Received Fall's wire to Counts re arms, munitions.

Letter, F. G. Kearful (presumably), April 10, 1920, to N. O. Bagge, NYC.

Regrets Bagge had no opportunity to approve testimony. No correction possible. If errors serious, can appear before Committee again to correct.

Letter, N. O. Bagge, NYC, April 15, 1920, to F. G. Kearful, c/o Sub Committee to Investigate, U. S. Senate, Washington. Original.

Encloses corrected copy of testimony. Requests Kearful correct final report.

Testimony of Nils Olaf Bagge, Investigation of Mexican Affairs. GPO, pp. 1426-1438.

Bagge's handwritten corrections of his printed testimony.

Report Personal & Strictly Confidential, Mexican Matters, Madera, Chihuahua, General Conditions, by Gus T. Jones, El Paso, TX, July 6, 1920. Eleven pages.

Confidential info from American informant, employed by Dolores-Esperanza Mining Co. Conditions in town, countryside quiet. No troops present. Everyone armed constantly. Locals indifferent who is president; care only that *bandidos* stay out of Madera. No guarantee of personal safety, conditions as in days of Geronimo, Victorio. Engineer runs twice-monthly train Pearson-Madera with pistol on hip. Huerta Government treating with Villa, not chasing him.

Letter, unsigned [presumably Gus T. Jones], El Paso, TX, July 23, 1920, to Charles V. Safford, Washington, DC. Original, unsigned.

Transmits report [July 6, 1920].

Text of the Document Drawn Up upon the Surrender of Francisco Villa, Sabinas, Coahuila, eleven A.M., July 28, 1920. Original mimeograph.

Agreement between Gen. of Div. Martinez & Gen. of Div. Villa. Villa retires to private life; given legal possession ranch Canutillo, Durango (residence); for personal safety, given authority over 50 escort men (will receive 1 year's pay, free land). Names Villas' forces.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, July 29, 1920, to Gus T. Jones, El Paso, TX.

Received Jones' July 23 letter, July 6 report.

Letter, Gus T. Jones, El Paso, TX, July 31, 1920, to Charles V. Safford, Washington, DC. Original.

Encloses reports, sending copy Villa report to Judge [Fall]. Transferring activities to Yuma & Calexico where next big mess will take place. Ex-Carranza officers assisting Cantu to overthrow present Mexican government. Attached Villa report.

Recent Activities and Surrender of Francisco Villa [Report], no date, from Gus T. Jones, Special Investigator, to Senate Sub-Committee. Three pages.

Villa met Gen. Martinez, Pres. Huerta's representative, Sabinas. Villa accepted terms, retiring to private life. Full text July 28 telegrams Martinez/Huerta.

Recent Surrender of Francisco Villa [Report], Gus T. Jones, no date [presumably August 1, 1920], to Senate Sub-Committee Investigating Mexican Affairs. Original, three pages.

Villa surrender due to pressure by Gen. Amaro, Palomas region; members Carranza government are traitors. Per Villa's folder, killed 43,000. Villa's escape from Amaro, forced march, entrance into Sabinas (army in rags, horses bad condition). Villa's departure by train with columns of men for safe passage (well-dressed, fresh mounts).

Letter, Gus T. Jones, El Paso, TX, August 7, 1920, to Mary Early, Clerk, Senate Sub-Committee, Washington. Original.

Enclosed report, Villa surrender. Regards to Lt. Flipper.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, August 10, 1920, to Gus T. Jones, El Paso, TX.

Received July 31 letter, report filed. Delay getting vouchers approved.

Translation of Article from *La Republica*, published at El Paso, TX; issue of August 17th [sic], 1920, President Adolfo de la Huerta Will Request The Extradition of General John Pershing, Washington, August 16. Original & 2 copies.

Rumor U.S. Govt. will request extradition Villa re Columbus raid; de la Huerta will request extradition Gen. Pershing in exchange.

Newspaper clipping. El Páide., Adolfo de la Huerta, Pedira la Extradición del General John Pershing, newspaper unknown, Washington, Agosto 16 [1920]. Original.

Mexican Revolutionary Activities in Texas and Gen. Lucio Blanco [Report], W. A. Wiseman, San Antonio, TX, August 24, 1920. Five pages.

Met Blanco, military leader Reformist movement. Junta wants to furnish bond for Col. Villanueva, arrested Immigration Brownsville TX. Alleges Barragan, Sr. & Jr., left Mex. July 20, sailed to Europe with approximately \$6 million, common thief ... worst of Carranza regime. Fall's attitude toward Mex. Approved Fall Committee's work disclosing Carranza Govt.'s spurious work. Hopes US supports revolutionary movement.

Letter, Gus T. Jones, Special Investigator, El Paso, TX, August 30, 1920, to Charles V. Safford, Washington, DC. Original (on U.S. Senate, Committee for Foreign Relations stationery).

Sends intelligence reports past month, all there is to know of Mexican matters for period. Requests Flipper start confidential file. (See Folder 4 for catalogue of reports.)

Letter, Gus T. Jones, El Paso, TX, October 6, 1920, to Charles V. Safford, Washington, DC. Original.

Encloses reports [unidentified] on Mexico, to be filed Committee files.

Statement of Mexican Economic policy, General Salvador Alvarado, Secretary of Treasury.
Statement of Mexican Economic policy, Gen. Antonio I. Villareal, Secretary of Agriculture. Two pp.

Revolution in Lower California [Report], Gus T. Jones, [undated] to Senate Sub-Committee. Original, 2 pages.

Gov. Cantu, Baca, CA, maintaining independent govt. Huerta administration appointee Alameda not allowed entrance. Thousands local Japanese/Chinese Cantu forces repel invaders.

Letter, S. F. Loughborough, Tampico, Mexico, 9-2-20, to Captain W. M. Hanson, San Antonio, TX. Unsigned original.

Re Mexican labor and IWW.

Report, Mexican Situation Today, by W. M. Hanson, signed, undated. Original, 2 pages.

Leaders of present regime & Intervention re opposing Radicals. Calles sends diplomats to seek European recognition, pushes for military conscription. Blanco-Dominguez Revolution. U.S.-Mexico relations. Revolutionary forces will break out hundreds of border places & interior in near as possible bloodless revolt against de la Huerta Govt.; friendly to U.S. Source: influential leader New Revolution.

Tri-Monthly Report Upon Mexican Affairs, September 11 to 21, 1920, from Gus T. Jones, Special Agent in Charge, El Paso, TX. Nine pages.

Translation from Spanish, Gonzales August 21, 1920, letter to brother Domingo Laredo, TX. Signed Yours for Industrial Communism. Translations articles *El Obrero Industrial*, July 1920 (Yes: We are Bolshiviki! ; I.W.W. Preamble ; Headlines, brief statements other *EOI* articles).

Attention of Mr. Hoover [Report], M. Sorola, El Paso, TX, September 28, 1920. Report Approved & Forwarded by Gus T. Jones, Special Agent in Charge. Three pages.

La Republica editor & manager (Alvarez & Velasco) indicted, violating Trading-With-Enemy Act, Alvarez fined \$10/costs, Velasquez dismissed.

Folder 4 Confidential Mexican Intelligence Reports: August 2 September 30, 1920.

Confidential U.S. Army Military Intelligence Reports, Summary of Mexican Intelligence, regarding Mexican conditions; troop movements; and economic and political moves, including the whereabouts and activities of Francisco Villa during period of report.

No. 99A, August 2. Per No. 99A, subsequent Daily Summaries will be issued in two parts: Part One, serial number only (used for publication); and Part Two, serial number plus suffix letter A (strictly confidential, not for publication).

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No. 37, October 13	No. 39, October 15
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Confidential U.S. Army Military Intelligence Reports, Summary of Mexican Intelligence, January 3, 1921, to January 31, 1921, regarding Mexican conditions; troop movements; and economic and political moves, including whereabouts and activities of Francisco Villa during period of report.

No. 81, January 3	No. 82, January 5	No. 84, January 10
No. 85, January 12	No. 86, January 14	No. 88, January 19
No. 89, January 21	No. 90, January 24	No. 91, January 26
No. 92, January 28	No. 93, January 31	

Note with distribution list: 6 names, undated. Original.

Han telegrafiado sobre este asunto [They have telegraphed about this matter].

Letter, C. O. Harris, Republican Chairman, 25th Senatorial District, TX; Member, Republican State Executive Committee, San Angelo, TX, January 15, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington. Original.

Urges appointment Blanchard as Chairman, Mexican Boundary Commission.

Letter, J. B. Stuart, Chairman, El Paso County Republican Executive Committee, El Paso, TX, January 20, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Original.

Requests Fall support Blanchard.

Letter, Charles B. Stevens, El Paso, TX, January 22, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Original.

Supports C. J. Blanchard for Boundary Commission.

Letter, Walter H. Case, Secretary, Republican County Executive Committee for El Paso County, TX, El Paso, TX, February 7, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Original.

Encloses letters supporting C. J. Blanchard for Chief of Mexican Boundary Commission.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, February 14, 1921, to W. H. Case, El Paso, TX.

Received Case s letter of 7th endorsing C. J. Blanchard, will call to Fall s attention.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, February 14, 1921, to F. B. Stewart, El Paso, TX.

Received Stewart s letter of 20th endorsing C. J. Blanchard, will call to Fall s attention.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, February 14, 1921, to Charles B. Stevens, El Paso, TX.

Received Stevens letter of 22nd endorsing C. J. Blanchard, will call to Fall s attention.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, February 14, 1921, to C. O. Harris, Republican Chairman, 25th District, El Paso, TX.

Received Harris letter of 15th endorsing C. J. Blanchard, will call to Fall s attention.

Letter, L. D. Ricketts, Los Angeles, CA, April 4, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington. Original.

Recommends Gen. Hugh L. Scott for Ambassador to Mexico.

Letter, C. L. Hill, Hill, NM, April 26, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Original.

Requests Fall s advice re proposed candidacy as member, Mexican Boundary Commission.

Letter, C. V. Safford, May 3, 1921, to Charles Lee Hill, Hill, NM.

Received Hill s letter re his candidacy for appointment Mexican Boundary Commission.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, May 5, 1921, to L. D. Ricketts, Los Angeles, CA.

Fall received Rickett s April 4 note re Gen. Hugh L. Scott as Ambassador to Mexico.

American Rights and Mexico s Land Laws, Bulletin No. 4, August 25, 1921, American Assn. of Mexico, NYC. Discusses 1917 Constitution re acquisition, foreigners ownership of real estate .

Welcome Be the Investigation into the Death of Senator Dominguez, Says Licentiate Garza Aldape, October 16, 1921, *La Prensa*, San Antonio, TX. Typed copy, 10 pages.

Sworn statements Manuel Garza Aldape, et al, attesting Aldape not culpable Sen. Dominguez disappearance. Charges investigation of his death politically motivated.

Ferrocarriles Nacionales, de México (National Railways of Mexico), Thirteenth Annual Report, for Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1921, English Edition. 91 pages, bound.

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The International Commonwealth, Vol. XI, No. 256, Laredo, TX, February 1922.

Mexican conditions, Obregon, confiscation private property.

Statement, Nils O. Bagge, Consulting Engineer, Member, American Institute of Mining & Metallurgical Engineers, NYCity, no date. Original, 5 pages.

History & travels in Mexico, impression of Mexican conditions in mines and possibilities.

The Executive s Opinion of Agrarianism, *Excelsior*, Mexico City, February 2, 1922, by A. Obregon, February 2, 1922. Translation, 4 pages.

Obregon s reply to agrarian distribution complaints.

Some International Phases of Rio Grande Project, *Organized Farming*, Las Cruces, NM, July 1922, Vol. III, No. 8, published by Dona Ana County Farm Bureau.

Building International Dam per agreement with Mexico, construction Elephant Butte Dam.

Newspaper clipping, Bielaski Sees Hughes; Says Reds Rule Mexico, *New York Times*, August 23, 1922.

Former chief Bureau of Investigation Bielaski kidnapped by bandits, escaped. Charges Bolsheviks rule Mexico; Calles, strongest man in Obregon s cabinet, is Bolshevik.

Newspaper clipping, Mexican Railways Report for Year 1921, August 23, 1922 (*New York Times?*).

Newspaper clipping, Mexico Paves Way to U. S. Recognition, *New York American*, August 23, 1922.

Letter, Francisco Murguia, Headquarters of Revolutionary Army, Xaragoza, Coahuila, August 25, 1922, to General Alvaro Obregon, Mexico, Federal District. Original, 9 pages. Unsigned.

Objections to Obregon politics/government. Cites political murders by Obregon government.

Letter, Francisco Murguia, Xaragoza, Coahuila, August 25, 1922, to General Alvaro Obregon, Mexico, Federal District. Nine pages. Signed. Modified version of above letter.

Manifesto to the Nation, August 25, 1922, Francisco Murguia, Xaragoza, Coahuila. Original unsigned, 9 pages.

Despite Obregon faction s immorality/perfidy, true revolution still struggling to end dictatorship.

Letter, Gus T. Jones, San Antonio, September 1, 1922, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC. Original..

Murguia s activities Coahuilla, revolt Sinaloa. Encloses Murguia s manifesto & letter to Obregon, obtained confidentially.

An Appeal for Aid in the Elimination of Bolshevism in Mexico, Wilbur Bates, Executive Secretary, International Assn. for Advancement of Religious & Political Liberty, Inc., NYC, September 11, 1922. Addressed to Sen. King, Washington. Printed, 11 pages.

Opposed to Carranza, Obregon. Declares no legal government exists now in Mexico, based on 1857 Mexican Constitution & Fall Senate Committee s Report 1919.

Claims Arising out of the Occupation of Vera Cruz: Communication from President of the U. S...., September 14, 1922. Senate Document No. 252, 67th Congress, 2d Session. GPO, 8 pages.

Transmits Report, Acting Secy. of State, & Letter, Acting Dir., Bureau of Budget, re Claims of Nationals (Spain, France, Great Britai, Germany, Austria, Italy, Cuba, U. S.) Arising out of Occupation by American Forces of Vera Cruz, Mexico, in 1914.

President Warren Harding s September 14, 1922, transmittal letter to Senate, & report by William Phillips, Acting Secretary of State, respecting amounts of claims.

Harding recommends U.S. authorize \$45,518.59 (U.S. currency) appropriation.

Letter, An Answer to Samuel Gompers, unknown American, circa September 20, 1922. With postscript To Editor, by Wilbur Bates. Printed, 2 pages.

Re strike/suspension Universal (*Daily Universal, Universal Grafico, Universal Taurino*).

Memorandum, A Point in Mexican Law, no date, from Wilbur Bates, NYC, to Managing Editors & Correspondents. Original.

Pro-Diaz. Mexican Constitution 1857 only valid constitution. Diaz not revolutionary, will restore lawful government under 1857 Constitution to normalcy.

Report, no date, no author. Three pages.

Encloses clippings strike Universal publications. Paper taken over by armed men, forced employees to leave building, raised Bolsheviki flag, prevented public access & egress.

Bulletin, National Assn. for Protection of American Rights in Mexico, NY, September 28, 1922, from *Excelsior*, September 22, 1922. Printed, two-sided page.

Labor unrest/strikes, from *El Democrata* September 22, re National rolling stock, tariffs, etc.

Bulletin, National Assn. for Protection of American Rights in Mexico, NY, September 29, 1922, from *Excelsior*, September 23, 1922. Printed, two-sided page.

American (3) employees International Petroleum Co. kidnapped by rebels, demand \$10,000 ransom. Re Juridical [*sic*] Conference, oil taxes, export tax on RR ties, Veracruz oil tax decrees.

Memo for the Secretary, C. V. S. [Safford], September 29, 1922.

Per Mr. Field, NY, Mexican government signed contract, London, 200,000 rifles & 800 million rounds ammunition, presumably connected with Mexican government s Bolshevistic tendencies.

Newspaper clipping. Bars \$2,500,000 Suit Against Mexico, *New York Times*, September 29, 1922.

Re Federal Court dismissal of suit against Mexico by Otto Kafka, head of Union Steel Products.

Newspaper clipping. Murguia Rebellion Put Down in Juarez, *New York Times*, October 1, 1922.

Newspaper clipping. Revolutionists in Flight at Juarez, *Washington Times*, October 1, 1922.

Newspaper clipping. Embassy Considers Revolt at Juarez Quite Unimportant, *Universal Service*, presumably October 1, 1922.

Newspaper clipping. Mexico Halts State Taxes on Americans Oil, *Washington Times*, October 2, 1922.

Concerns Mexican check of taxes of Americans, begun in Vera Cruz.
Newspaper clipping, Oil Men Won't Pay New Vera Cruz Tax, *New York Times*, October 3, 1922.
Newspaper clipping, Gompers Denounces Our Mexican Policy, *New York Times*, October 3, 1922.
Newspaper clipping, Sells Stock in Revolution, *New York Times*, October 3, 1922.
Mexican organization offering \$10 shares, headquarters NY, to get into power a new
Administration in Mexico. All cash for revolution will be sent Mexico, not used in U.S.

International News Service, Mexico City, October 3, no year.

Mexican newspapers headline: U.S. Government trying to encourage revolution in Mexico, reports secret bulletin Hanna, U.S. State Dept. Mexican division chief. Believes Francisco Murguia communicated secretly with Secretary Fall to overthrow Obregon.

Does the Government of the United States Propose to Foment Rebellion in our Country? *Excelsior*, Mexico, October 3, 1922. Four pages.

Refers to secret bulletin issued by Hanna.

Newspaper, Mexican Troops Revolt, *New York Times*, October 4, 1922.

Memorandum for the Secretary, October 4, 1922. Original.

Per Hanna, Chief, Mexican Affairs, State Dept. Mexico City press charges leader of revolutionary movement is in touch with high Washington official. Hanna prepping telegram to American representative, Mexico City, denying Fall or State Dept.'s connection.

The Manoeuvre of Mr. Hanna., Editorial, *Excelsior*, Mexico, October 4, 1922. 2 pages. Typed copy.

Re Hanna's Secret Bulletin for Dept. of Justice agents re supporting rebel movements in U. S. against present Mexican govt.; Albert Fall sympathizes/assists anti-Obregon rebellion.

Yankee Arbitrary Judicial Procedure against Mexico, *El Democrata*, Mexico, October 24, 1922.
Original, 5 pages.

Charges Mr. Fall & Pablo Gonzales intervened in Oliver Trading Co. lawsuit against National Lines of Mexico, illustrates alliance of enemies of Mexican labor in U.S.

Letter, F. Murguia, no date, to Gen. Alvaro Obregon, Mexico, D. F. Signed, 8 pages.

States his purpose in leading revolution. Cites cases of terror under Obregon government.

Broadside, Republica Mexicana, Sistema de Gobierno, by Reforma en Las Libertades, Mexico, Noviembre 3 de 1922. Original Spanish. Two pages.

With handwritten note in Spanish on broadside to Sr. Fall from Francisco Tortado.

Republic of Mexico: System of Government, Francisco Alvarez Tostado, San Antonio, TX, November 8, 1922, to Mr. Fall. With envelope. Typed copy, 4 pages.

Synopsis, new government system ... dictatorship shall conform to 1857 Constitution. Foreigners who mix in Internal Politics [*sic*] liable to Death. Asks Fall's help for his side.

Letter, H. S. Schiffey, El Paso Dept. Magdalena, Colombia Products Co., Cartagena, Colombia, November 21, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Washington. Handwritten, 2 pages.

Germans smuggling pamphlets into Colombia, feeling pro-German. Business conditions.

La Justicia, Phoenix, AZ, November 27, 1922. Typed copy.

Quotes *Tusconese*, November 12, listing periodicals prohibited from transport into Mexico.

The Attitude of the Authorities at Roackland in Attaching the Funds in Mexican Offices in New York Is Unjustified, no date, unknown source. Original, 2 pages.

Attachment of National Railways of Mexico funds on deposit in NY in connection with Oliver Trading Co. suit against National Railways.

Engineer Leon Salinas Makes Interesting Clarifying Statements on the Suit of the Oliver Trading Company against the National Railways of Mexico, no date, Leon Salinas. Original, 2 pages.

Former president/board of directors, National Railways, considers Oliver's suit untenable, foolish, exaggerated & unjust; considers American courts do not have rightful jurisprudence.

Plutarco Elias Calles, Bolsheviki Dictator of Mexico, by Brigido Caro (Sonorian), *El Cruzado*, San Antonio, TX, December 2, 1922. Typed copy, 6 pages.

Warns following Calles will lead to tyranny that followed revolution in Russia.

Letter, W. H. Field, Hotel Chatham, NY, December 7, 1922, to Secretary Fall. Handwritten original.

Encloses extracts from letter from Mexico by British subject, November 29, 1922.

The Following Extracts Are Taken from a Letter Dated Mexico City, November 29, 1922, Written by a British Subject [author unknown]. Five pages.

Property taken by government for distribution among peasants, important to British.

Candido, a Manifestant, Article, *El Cruzado*, San Antonio, TX, December 9, 1922. Typed copy, 2pp.

Contains copy of Candido Aguilar's Manifesto, accepting heritage of Murguia.

Letter, Fernando Gonzáles de Arteaga, NY, December 16, 1922, to Licenciado Don Manuel Garza Aldape. Six pages.

Movement against Bolsheviks.

Letter, Fernando Gonzáles de Arteaga, NY, December 17, 1922, to Licenciado, Don Manuel Garza Aldape.

Encloses letter regarding Mexican affairs.

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Letter, Dave Gershon, San Diego, CA, January 3, 1923, to George W. Armijo, Inspector, Interior Department, Washington, DC. Signed original, 4 pages.

Confidential info for Fall only. Re Fall's 1921 conference with Justice Dept. agents re Cantu's involvement with revolutionists against Obregon. Agent Gershon seized 3-truckloads guns & ammo 1 mile from border, arrested Jack Flahive/2 sons. Agent Sturgiss received telegram from Agent Burns in Washington ordering Flahives' release, guns/ammo to be returned to Flahive. Gershon charged as Cantu ringleader. Gershon demands charges dismissed, seeks vindication.

Article, La Nueva Ley Sobre Hidrocarburos: Ley 14 de 1923 [Enero 31]. Original newspaper clippings (2 pages, 4 columns), unknown Spanish-language newspaper (presumably in Bogotá).

Text new Mexican Congressional law reforming Law No. 120 of 1919, published in Colombian newspaper. Re *concesión & explotación*. Signed, Bogotá January 24, 1923, effective January 31.

Letter, A. B. Fall, February 1, 1923, to George W. Armijo, Washington, DC. Nine pages.

Re request for Dave Gershon's resignation from Secret Service Bureau, 1921. Explains Gershon's position. Re exportation of arms intended for Governor Cantu.

Letter, Edwin S. Booth, Solicitor, Dept. of Interior, Washington, February 2, 1923, to Secretary Fall. Signed original.

Enclosed Sen. Res. 124, Foreign Relations Committee report, House Committee report on Interstate & Foreign Commerce [listed below].

Report No. 299 [To accompany S.J. Res. 124], Export of Coal and Other War Materials, October 14, 1921, Senate Calendar No. 307, 67th Congress, 1st Session. GPO, 2 pages.

Sen. Henry Cabot Lodge Report amending S.J. Res. 89, prohibiting exports coal/other war material from any U.S. seaport. Proposes amendment ... or in any country in which U.S. exercises extraterritorial jurisdiction. Objective: to restrict arms shipment to China.

Report No. 557 [To accompany S. J. Res. 124] Exportation of Arms or Munitions of War, January 11, 1922, House of Representatives. 67th Congress, 2d Session. GPO, 3 pages.

Report, Interstate/Foreign Commerce Committee S.J. Res. 124. ...to prohibit exportation of arms/munitions of war from U.S. to certain countries.... Provides fine.

Note, An Answer to Charges Made Against Gen. Pablo Gonzales that he stole jewelry & other valuable things deposited in the National Treasury Original, attached to A La Sociedad Capitalina.

Broadside, *A la Nacion*, A La Sociedad Capitalina, by Gral. Pablo Gonzalez, Laredo, TX, E.U. de A., Febrero 13 de 1923. Spanish.

Charges Obregon Party made up charges to ruin him; appeals to public opinion to accept his plea of innocence. Received by Interior Department, Office of the Secretary, February 21, 1923.

Letter, Enrique Olaya, Legación de Colombia, Washington, March 29, 1923, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Original.

Encloses Colombian newspaper article re modifications to law on hydrocarbons.

Letter, Henry O. Flipper, Caracas, Venezuela, April 23, 1923, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. 4 pages. Photocopy [signed original is in Security File.]

Royal Dutch Petroleum Refinery & Standard Oil Refinery, Curacao, shipping crude oil, refined oil from Venezuela. There seems to be no race prejudice. Large population of Negroes, mulattoes, mixed Spanish-Negro, Dutch-Negro in San Juan, Curacao, Caracas.

Article, Envoys Named for Parley with Mexico, Former Ambassador to Japan and Ex-Interior Secretary Appointed. *Light*, April 24, 1923. Appoints Charles B. Warren & John Barton Payne.

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The Madero Vote, undated, by Henry O. Flipper. Photocopy, 2 pages [signed original in Security File].

Widely-circulated rumor Madero received only 20,000 votes. Discusses electoral laws, cites 1910 census data, votes, electoral & popular.

Pamphlet, no date, *Criminales de Guerra Franceses, una Contralista Alemana*. Spanish, 31 pages.

Esta lista es un extracto del material aleman autentico y oficial, basado en las deposiciones juradas de alemanes que, despues de haber sido prisioneros de guerra en Francia, han regresado a su patria. List is extracted from authentic, official German material, based on court depositions from Germans who, after having been prisoners of war in France, have returned to their fatherland. Published by Hermann s Erben, Hamburg, Germany.

Notes on index card, no date, signed de Alamo. Part English, part Spanish, handwritten original.

Re de Golyer, geologist, experienced in studying oil conditions, education of uninformed masses.

Statement, no date, re expropriation of lands, indemnity, & violation of Art. 27 of Constitution. Original, page 4 only [pp. 1-3 missing].

Emigration to South America, no date, John Barrett, Director General, Pan American Union, Washington, DC. Original, 2 pages.

Re emigration to So. America, prospects for American business. Stock raising: Venezuela, Colombia. Agriculture: Brazil, Uruguay, Argentina, Chile. Transportation routes, costs.

Resolution, no date. Two pages.

U. S. demands remedy Mexican conditions, reparation.

BOX 7 - Activities of Department of Interior Regarding Domestic Affairs and Foreign Affairs, 1914-1923. Albert B. Fall was Secretary of the Interior in President Warren G. Harding's cabinet from March 5, 1921, to March 4, 1923, when he resigned.

Folder 1 - Documents, Correspondence, Papers, Maps Relating to Alaska

Booklet, *The Wandering Gentle: A Story of Alaska*, by Joseph H. Hutchinson. 12 pages, 1914.

An Act to authorize the President of the United States to locate, construct and operate railroads in the Territory of Alaska, [S-48], Public Res. No. 69. Approved March 12, 1914. Printed, 3 pages.

Joint Resolution Authorizing the President to detail Lieutenant Frederick Means to service in connection with proposed Alaskan railroad. Public Res. No. 29, [S.J. R. 145], approved May 13, 1914.

Map of the Territory of Alaska, Dept. of Interior, Franklin K. Lane, Secretary, Compiled from Official Records of the GLO, Coast & Geodetic Survey, ... 1917. Large colored map. **Note: Document is temporarily in Conservation Dept.**

Map, Alaska Railroad, Seward to Fairbanks, Matanuska Branch, Chatanika Branch, Progress Construction to January 1, 1920. Original.

Report, Report of Alaska Advisory Committee, submitted June 11, 1920. Mimeograph, 15 pages.

Findings and recommendations.

Memorandum re Lt. Col. Frederick Mears, from Brock, Appoint. Div., Dept. of Interior, Washington, July 21, 1921.

Re Mears salary as Chairman/Chief Engineer, Alaskan Engineering Commission.

Construction of the Alaskan Railroad: Hearings Before the Committee on the Territories, House of Representatives ... October 7, 1921. G.P.O., Washington, DC, 28 pages.

Speech, The Needs of Alaska: An Address Delivered at Annual Meeting of American Mining Congress, Chicago, October 17, 1921, by Falcon Joslin of Katalla, Alaska. Original, 16 pages.

Letter, F. B. Camp, Alaska Nuggets, Anchorage, Alaska, January 1, 1922, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC. Signed original.

_____Encloses *Alaska Nuggets*. Anticipates Fall's visit to Alaska.

Letter, J. M. Elmer, Bigham, Englar & Jones, NY, March 29, 1922, to Albert B. Fall, Washington. Signed original, 3 pages.

Developments in Alaska, Alaska Road Commission assistance, development mining districts.

Telegram, C. V. Safford, Washington, April 15, 1922, to Albert Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Original, 2 pps.

Re Mears report on cut in wages, wage scales, locations.

The Pathfinder of Alaska, Official Organ of Pioneers of Alaska, April 1922, Vol. 3, No. 6.

Article re resolution adopted by Grand Igloo Convention, Ketchikan, April 1922, re Alaska & form of territorial government.

Letter, Dan Sutherland, Delegate from Alaska, House of Representatives, July 24, 1922, to Albert B. Fall, Washington. Signed original.

Transmits *Pathfinder of Alaska*.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, July 25, 1922, to Charles F. Curry, Chairman, House Committee on Territories, House of Representatives.

Encloses copy Fall's letter to Delegate [Sutherland] from Alaska House re H.R. Bill 12143.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, July 25, 1922, to Dan A. Sutherland, Delegate from Alaska, House of Representatives. Three pages.

Re H.R. 12143, A Bill to Establish an Alaska Game Commission, to protect game, land fur-bearing animals, and birds in Alaska, and for other purposes. Fall's objections to bill.

Press Release, Government Official Sees Business Revival in Alaska, U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, Office of the Secretary, Press Service, October 19, 1922. Original, 3 pages.

Newspaper Clipping, Alaska opposes Bureau Transfer, *Philadelphia* __?, November 19, 1922, objecting to Department of Interior control over Forestry Services.

Notes, no date, Department of Interior stationery. Original, 2 pages.

List of names/locations of Special Disbursing Agents, Alaskan Engineering Commission, Seattle.

Report No. 1240, Grant of Certain Lands to Skagway, Alaska, for Public Park. Senate Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, Reed Smoot, Chairman, February 28, 1923. Printed, 2 pages.

Report, An Act to grant certain lands to the city of Skagway, Alaska, for a public park, HR 12171. Report No. 1243, U. S. Senate, February 28, 1923. GPO, 2 pages.

Booklet, Statement by the Alaska Steamship Co. Concerning the Through Rates and Divisions with the Government Railroad in Alaska, Seattle, Washington, March 1, 1923. 39 pages.

Letter, John H. Bunch, Traffic Manager, Alaska Steamship Company, Seattle, Washington, April 20, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Signed original.

Rates of government railroad, complaints. Encloses Statement by the Alaska Steamship Co...

"An Alaska Guidebook, Prepared for the use of Hon. Albert B. Fall ... July, 1922." Original typescript with covers, 73 pages.

Folder 2 Policy Changes in Department of Interior: Correspondence, Memos, Orders, Reports, 1921

Order, Albert B. Fall, Secretary, Department of Interior, March 5, 1921. Typed copy.

Assigns authority to Asst. Secy. to execute contracts/documents Alaskan RR, maximum \$5,000.

Letter, Jno. Harvey, Chief Clerk, Dept. of Interior, March 10, 1921, to A. P. Davis, Director of Reclamation Service. Typed copy.

Per March 5 Order, matters within province of Asst. Secy. should be prepared for Secretary's signature. Similar letter sent: Mines, A. E. Commission, Assistant Attorney.

Order in re Reports on Bills, Albert B. Fall, Secretary, Dept. of Interior, March 16, 1921. Typed copy.

Reports to Congressional committees shall be complete in themselves with all necessary facts.

Order, E. C. Finney, First Assistant Secretary of the Interior, June 15, 1921. Typed copy.

Prospecting permits, routine correspondence from General Land Office, miscellaneous matters from Geological Survey & National Park Service shall be prepared for Secretary's signature.

Assignment of Business in Interior Dept. Under Organization Chart approved August 3, 1921.

Lists business/offices assignments.

Order, E. C. Finney, Acting Secretary, Dept. of Interior, August 4, 1921. Typed copy.

Business of Secretary assigned according to Organization Chart, August 3, 1921.

Memorandum, [E. C.] Finney, Dept. of Interior, August 5, 1921, to Asst. Secy. Goodwin. Typed copy.

Assignment of matters re other bureaus; orders for supplies, printing, payrolls, etc.

Order, E. C. Finney, First Assistant Secretary, Dept. of Interior, November 10, 1921. Typed copy.

Prospecting permits, routine correspondence from General Land Office, Reclamation Service, & National Park Service to be prepared for Assistant Secretary's signature.

Memorandum for Secretary Fall and Assistant Secretary Finney, In Re: Publication of Opinions, November 18, 1921, from Edwin S. Booth (Solicitor). Signed original, 2 pages plus cover.

Re publication Solicitor's Opinions for Department use, distributing among department chiefs.

Memorandum for Secretary Fall & Assistant Secretary Finney, In Re: Chief Counsel, and Field Legal Force of Reclamation Service, November 18, 1921, from Edwin S. Booth, Solicitor. Three pages plus cover, & 2-page Adjustment Sheet.

Suggests cutting Field Legal Force, Reclamation Service, & reducing expenditures

Memorandum for Secretary Fall Assistant Secretary Finney, November 18, 1921, from Edwin S. Booth, Solicitor. Signed original, 3 pages plus cover, & map.

Report, consolidation of Dept.'s Law Library. Attached map, proposed Law Library.

Memorandum for Mr. Safford, November 19, 1921, from Edwin S. Booth, Solicitor. Signed original.

Desires Fall's attention to subjects previously discussed with him.

Memorandum for Secretary Fall & First Assistant Secretary Finney, November 19, 1921, from Edwin S. Booth, Solicitor, Dept. of Interior. Signed original, 2 pages.

Stenographic section's increase in work. Suggests adding one stenographer, salary \$1,200.

Folder 3 Annual Report of the Secretary of the Interior, for the Fiscal Year Ended June 30, 1922
Bound volume, GPO, Washington, 158 pages.

Folder 4 Correspondence, Memos, Reports, Maps, Telegrams, 1922

Letter, Fred Muller, Asst. Commissioner, State Land Office, Santa Fe, NM, January 28, 1922, to C. V. Safford, Washington. Personal. Signed original, 2 pages.

Asks help *speedily* issuing patents RR selections, in name of Santa Fe Pacific RR. Prompt action will be worthwhile for all of us.

Memo for G. L. O. [General Land Office], February 1, 1922, from C. V. Safford, Administrative Asst., Dept. of Interior. Signed original (attached to February 2 letter, Safford to Muller, below).

Please advise as to status of attached.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Administrative Asst., Dept. of Interior, Washington, February 2, 1922, to Capt. Fred Muller, Asst. Commissioner, State Land Office, Santa Fe, NM. Signed copy.

Re patents RR selections, status of entries. Publication notices satisfactory; awaiting reports from Geological Survey using info already in files, without field examination.

Memorandum, G. B. Driesbock, Department of Interior, Chief Div. G, General Land Office, Washington, February 2, 1922. Typed copy, 2 pages.

Re NM land classified as coal land 1918. State's claim (school land grant, Act of June 20, 1910) denied January 1922. Santa Fe Pacific RR filed 8 applications for selection of said land.

Letter, Fred Muller, Asst. Commissioner, State Land Office, Santa Fe, NM, February 7, 1922, to C. V. Safford, Washington. Signed original.

Reply to C. V. Safford's letter re Santa Fe Pacific RR's patent application for selected coal lands.

Note, C. V. Safford, Dept. of Interior, Washington, February 11, 1922, to Mr. Driesbock, GLO. Original.

Presumably enclosed Muller's February 7 letter.

Letter, Fred Muller, Asst. Commissioner, State Land Office, Santa Fe, NM, February 28, 1922, to C. V. Safford, Washington. Personal. Signed original.

Muller/Barker's scrip location. If Safford can influence approval in short time, we will all make a few honest dollars ... will not forget you, don't take as bribe ... last thing I would do... all between yourself and me, no one will have to know anything about it

Letter, H. N. Brand, Washington, DC, March 22, 1922, to Albert B. Fall, Washington. Signed original.

Enclosed clipping Fall interview, *El Universal*, March 15 (requests clipping be returned).

Newspaper clipping, Land-Hunger of Nation's Sons Be Appeased: Reclamation Offers Only Means Available, *Idaho Statesman*, Boise, ID, April 16, 1922. Original full-page (page 3).

Fall argues broad policy reclamation of arid, swamp & cut-over lands to supply ever-increasing needs of United States to grow food for millions.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, Secretary, Dept. of Interior, Washington, May 26, 1922, to Washington Gardner, Commissioner of Pensions. Typed copy.

Brock, Asst. to Secy., will be certifying officer in department, sign certificates re service & pay deductions re applications for refund under Retirement Act.

Press Notice, Albert B. Fall, Secretary of Interior, Washington, DC, June 7, 1922. Original.

Concerning death of Hon. Richard A. Ballinger, former Secretary of Interior.

Order, E. C. Finney, First Assistant Secretary, Department of the Interior, June 8, 1922. Typed copy.

During Finney absence, requisitions, permits, misc. routine matters to be sent to Asst. Secretary.

Order, E. C. Finney, Acting Secretary, Dept. of Interior, Washington, June 22, 1922. Typed copy.

On/after July 1 Chief Clerk will supervise Department garage, operation of vehicle service.

Press Notice, Department of Interior, July 1, 1922.

Welcoming address to representatives of one of the great industries of the United States.

Memorandum, from B, Department of Interior, Washington, DC, July 5, 1922. Typed copy.

Finney not to sign personnel changes as Acting Secretary unless Secretary absent.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, July 5, 1922, to Judge John Valls, Laredo, TX. Two pages.

Congress attempting legislate against Indians use of peyote. Requests Valls secure buttons & liquid made from buttons and ship to Fall, Wardman Park Hotel.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, Washington, July 5, 1922, to Capt. W. M. Hanson, San Antonio, TX. Page 3 only.

Re Hanson s continuance as personal inspector under Fall s successor.

Memorandum for Mr. Safford, Goodwin, Assistant Secretary, Dept. of Interior, July 5, 1922. Signed original, 2 pages.

Enclosed extracts re two pension cases, for use in newspaper articles.

Memorandum for the Press, Department of the Interior, July 7, 1922. Original.

Re Civil War soldiers pensions, Fall s decision (reversing decision of Bureau of Pensions) allowing pension to Civil War veterans not members of regular army.

Memorandum for the Press, Department of the Interior, July 7, 1922. Original, 2 pages.

Fall reverses decision re Civil War soldiers widows denied pension if husband obtained divorce.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Administrative Asst., July 7, 1922, to D. L. Rice, Treasurer, *National Tribune*, Washington.

Enclosed memorandum re recent decisions by Fall in pension appeal cases.

Letter, Secretary of Interior, July 11, 1922, to Charles H. Burke, Commissioner of Indian Affairs, Washington. Two pages.

Petition Wisconsin Winnebago Indians, copies of memorandum to be sent to petitioners.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, July 12, 1922, to Attorney General. Six pages (5-6 missing).

Re innocent trespassing on coal lands of U. S. in AZ and NM.

Telegram, Albert B. Fall, Washington, July 17, 1922, to Capt. William M. Hanson, Dennison, TX.

Orders Hanson remain in area. Contacted Smith & Murray re RR strikers; hopeful RR operating before government troops need be used. Sending code book.

Telegram, Albert B. Fall, Washington, July 17, 1922, to Dr. E. A. Holbrook, Bureau of Mines, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Requests Holbrook travel to Chicago, perform same work there as in Pittsburgh.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, July 17, 1922, to A. P. Davis, Director Reclamation Service, Washington. Page 2 (page 1 missing).

Re permits, unlisted river. Fall has no objection to exclusion phrase Johnson Swing bill.

Letter, In re Consolidation and readjustment of holdings in the Salt Creek Field, Albert B. Fall, July 17, 1922, to William Spry, Commissioner, GLO, Washington.

Re redrafting Spry's letter to Lamison. Bureau should be consulted re leases, permits.

Telegram, W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX, July 18, 1922, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC. Typed copy.

Re Tucumcari, NM, RR strikers picketing shops, threatening remaining employees. Local sheriff sympathizes with strikers, appointed two strikers as Sheriff's Deputies.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, July 20, 1922, to Charles Evans Hughes, Secretary of State, Washington.

Received Certificates of Designation for delegates to International Geological Congress.

Letter, In re Mr. G. J. Hartshorn, Albert B. Fall, July 21, 1922, to John W. Weeks, Secretary of War, Washington. Two pages.

Re Hartshorn's separation from service under retirement act.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, July 22, 1922, to H. B. Holt, Las Cruces, NM.

Sending \$100 for campaign, Holt's candidacy for public office.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, July 22, 1922, to Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM.

Re water litigation & Holt candidacy.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, July 22, 1922, to Gov. William Spry, Commissioner, GLO, Washington.

Requests Spry prepare memo re total remaining land in various districts.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, July 24, 1922, to Thomas W. Lamont, J. P. Morgan & Co., NYC.

Fall s opinion on advantages of proper conservative American investment in Colombia.

Letter, In re Santa Fe e43511 to 043518 inclusive, Albert B. Fall, July 24, 1922, to William Spry, Commissioner, GLO, Washington. Three pages.

Re application for scrip, withdrawal & reclassification of lands re pending case.

Telegrams to Governors (Draft) by Herbert Hoover, July 26, 1922.

Re President s appointment of committee on coal distribution under Fall s chairmanship.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, July 26, 1922, to the President, White House.

Fall appoints Dr. H. Foster Bain to represent Secretary of Interior on Presidential Committee dealing with problems of coal distribution, in accord with directive of President s July 26 letter.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, July 26, 1922, to Herbert Hoover, Secretary of Commerce, Washington.

Fall designates Dr. Bain to position [presumably, committee investigating coal problems].

Order, Albert B. Fall, Secretary of the Interior, Beginning July 27, 1922... Typed copy.

During Goodwin s absence, Brock authorized to sign mail answering inquiries re specified internal depts., & sign assignments, oil permits & leases from Office of Indian Affairs.

Letter, In re Return of Railroad Men to Work, Albert B. Fall, July 31, 1922, to W. C. Reid, Albuquerque, NM.

Govt. position re RR workers strike, seniority rights. Possibility govt. assuming operation RR s.

Letter, In re War Minerals Relief Claim of Mr. Fred Swanton, Albert B. Fall, July 31, 1922, to E. O. McCormick, San Francisco, CA. Two pages.

Re Fall s understanding of Swanton s claim before War Minerals Relief Commission.

Letter, Acting Director, Washington, August 1, 1922, to Chief Engineer & Project Managers.

Recommendations for promotion to be approved by Water Users Association.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, August 7, 1922, to J. R. McCarl, Comptroller Gen., Washington. Two pages.

Re Fall s approval of accounts of H. G. Clunn, Special Disbursing Agent.

Telegram, Albert B. Fall, August 8, 1922, to H. H. Brook, Las Cruces, NM. Typed copy.

Do not think bulletin this outfit mentioned will have any influence.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, August 8, 1922, to Captain W. M. Hanson, Dennison, TX. Two pages.

Hanson to continue investigation in Dennison & wherever needed. Will probably need to take over settlement of oil claims, Red River & Oklahoma matters.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, August 9, 1922, to J. A. Farrell, Safford, AZ.

Fall disagrees with Farrell s opinion & decision re Gila River drainage.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, August 9, 1922, to Senator Thomas J. Walsh, Washington, DC.

Fall s intent to appoint Board to inquire into Milk River project.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, August 10, 1922, to Director, Reclamation Service, Washington.

Fall approves order re construction payments Elephant Butte Project.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, August 10, 1922, to H. H. Brook, President, Elephant Butte Irrigation District, Las Cruces, NM. Two pages.

Applications of water users of project to defer notice of payment of construction charges. Fall not in accord with Reclamation Service re drainage & history of Mexican Treaty.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, August 11, 1922, to Major Richard F. Burgess, El Paso, TX. Original, 2 pages.

Controversy re administration of national parks under Dept. of Interior.

Memoranda. Two pages.

Controversy concerning administration National Park & National Forest Reserves.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, August 11, 1922, to John W. Weeks, Secretary of War, Washington. Two pages.

Enclosed letter from Col. R. E. Twitchell, Santa Fe, re ordering aeroplanes ... to be in attendance at exhibition of Indian Arts & Crafts, Santa Fe, September 4 to 6, 1922.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, August 11, 1922, to Colonel R. E. Twitchell, Santa Fe, NM.

Enclosed copy his letter to Secretary of War & \$100 as contribution for prize(s) at exhibition.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, August 15, 1922, to Sen. Charles L. McNary, Chairman, Committee on Irrigation & Reclamation, U. S. Senate. Two pages.

Re Senate 2625, flood victims relief. Fall's opinion re blame of Elephant Butte project in flood. Damage appears due largely to artificial conditions for which Government responsible.

Memorandum to Secretary of Interior, Bureau of Mines, Dept. of Interior, Prepared by R. B. Moore, August 23, 1922. Personal. Original, 12 pages.

Conditions in European countries. Summary of situation, conditions resulting from world war more critical. Anti-U. S. feeling some areas. France's growing isolation. Strong racial prejudices some countries. Importance of fixing reparations & U.S.'s role rejuvenating Europe.

Telegram, Percy Wilson, Silver City, NM, October 2, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Original.

Requests personal interview with Fall in Washington.

Telegram, Percy Wilson, Silver City, NM, October 5, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Original.

Requests meeting with Fall concerning coal situation.

Telegram, Albert B. Fall, Washington, October 5, 1922, to Percy Wilson, Silver City, NM. Original.

Request for meeting [re coal matters], can meet Wilson El Paso or here after November 1st.

Report, Dept. of Interior [from Director, Bureau of the Budget], Oct 30/22. Seventeen pages.

Lists 1923 Appropriation, 1924 Tentative Allocation & Final Allowance.

Letter, Finney, Dept. of Interior, Washington, November 2, 1922, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Signed original, 3 pages.

Enclosed rough draft final recommendation Director of Bureau of the Budget to President. Calls attention to numerous reductions. Got \$485,000 for oil-leasing operations.

Letter, unsigned [presumably Fall], December 9, 1922, to Edwin C. Booth, Solicitor.

Booth designated to preside at hearing of Santa Fe RR Co. case, McKinley County, NM.

Note, Bain, Bureau of Mines, Dept. of Interior, presumably December 12, 1922, to Mr. Secretary [Fall]. Signed original.

Enclosed Report on Sample of Lead Ore Submitted by Secretary Fall.

Letter, Thomas Varley, December 12, 1922, to Dr. H. Foster Bain, Director, Bureau of Mines, Washington. Signed original, with back cover, 2 pages.

Re Report on Sample of Lead Ore Submitted by the Secretary [Fall].

Letter, D. A. Lyon, November 29, 1922, to Thomas Varley. (attached to Varley letter).

Appears to be fairly good lead ore; chief mineral is galena (lead sulphide).

Telegram, Leo R. Leaden, Gallup, NM, December 14, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Original.

Writer protests, previously filed on one of sections claimed by Santa Fe Pacific Railroad.

Telegram, Thomas Leaden, Gallup, NM, December 15, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Washington. Original, 3 pp.

Writer's protest against selections of Santa Fe Pacific RR, Gallup field. Charges Interior Dept. neglecting interests of American people.

Press Release for Morning Papers, Office of the Secretary of the Interior, December 15, 1922. Original, 2 pages.

Accepted Lewistown Oil & Refining Co.'s bid, Cat Creek Montana oil fields. Negotiations completed; government receives \$1 more p/barrel of oil. Increased production expected.

Folder 5 Correspondence, Reports, 1923

Letter, John Price Jackson, Joint Fuel Committee, National Utilities Assns, Washington, January 29, 1923, to Albert B. Fall, Washington. Signed original.

Expresses appreciation of fine service rendered by Coal Division during coal emergency.

Letter, Patrick H. Loughran, Atty., Washington, January 31, 1923, to Albert Fall, Washington. Signed original, 6 pages.

Re Thomas Leaden vs. Santa Fe Railroad Co., protests government policy favoring Santa Fe RR, requests Fall order inquiry.

Envelope with notation Decisions of Secretary Fall in re Yosemite Park Hotel Co. + Camp Curry, February 8, 1923. [empty]

Letter, Albert B. Fall, Secretary, February 8, 1923, to Director, National Park Service. Typed copy, 2 pp.

Re establishment of Camp X at Yosemite.

Letter, Albert Fall, Secretary, February 8, 1923, to Director of National Park Service. Typed copy, 3 pp.

Curry Camping Co.'s contractual rights to conduct storage garage, sell gas, provide mechanical auto services in Yosemite.

Booklet, Reorganization of the Executive Departments: Letter from President of United States to Walter F. Brown, Chairman of Joint Committee on Reorganization of Government Departments, February 13, 1923. G.P.O. Chart, Original

Chart Exhibiting Detail Organization of Government Departments, Changes Suggested by President & Cabinet.

Statement of Matters Received & Disposed Of, Solicitor's Office, Dept. of Interior, 1919-1923; March 1, 1923. Original, 2 pages.

Comparison of matters received & handled between 1919-1921 & 1921-1923 (March-February).

Letter, Edwin Booth, Solicitor, Dept. of Interior, March 2, 1923, to Secretary of Interior. Signed original., 2 pages. With cover memo: Secty Fall thro Secty. Finney.

Enclosed Report, Solicitor's Office, business transacted 1919-1920, increased amount of work.

Report In re Application of Roxana Petroleum Corporation ... (re Oil/Gas Leases), Albert B. Fall, Secretary of Interior, Washington, March 3, 1923. Original, 25 pages.

Fall's report Feb. 23 hearing re Creek Indian Allotments. Decision to disapprove Roxana's assignments, not approve leases of Indian Lands.

Report of Investigation Mount Rainier National Park, Geo. W. Armijo, Inspector, March 8, 1923, San Diego, CA. Original, 23 pages with back cover.

Recommendations re Superintendency Rainier N.P.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, March 23, 1923, to Edwin Booth, Solicitor, Washington, DC.

Thanks for copies Pueblo hearings & decisions Roxana case.

Translation from Russian, Promotion Agreement [of USSR, undated]. Original, 15 pages.

Parties represented by M. M. Litvinov, Acting Chairman, Chief Concession Committee & Sinclair Corp. July 2, 1923, letter by Mason Day. Re use/exploitation USSR oil wells.

Letter, Ira Bennett, Editor, *Washington Post*, November 2, 1923, to Albert B. Fall, Washington.

Enclosed article for Fall's perusal, wants to publish if he is correct.

Folder 6 Honolulu Consolidated Oil Case, 1921

Letter, Secretary of Interior, no date, to President of United States. Original. With Inclosure receipt.

Re Secretary's review, oil-leasing Act February 25, 1920. Sect. 18 provides Secy. of Interior may lease producing wells, Naval Reserves lands claimed under mining laws & reconveyed to U.S.

Secretary holds Honolulu Consolidated entitled to patents Naval Petroleum Reserve No. 2, CA. Recommends he be authorized to issue lease.

Memorandum beginning Note to accompany pages of manuscript No. 2 containing notes upon Senate debate in 1917.... [undated]. Pages 2-6.

Supplemental Memorandum, re Sen. Bill No. 2814 [undated], before Senate December 14, 1917. Notes re 1917 Senate debate. Bill promoting mining (coal, phosphate, oil, gas), essentially became Act February 25, 1920 (precursor, June 4, 1920 Act). Use Naval Reserves to maintain immediately-available oil resources for Navy. Reliance on Doheny's testimony [Sec. 16, Act of June 4, 1920: Secretary of Interior can settle litigation re Reserve No. 2.]

Petition for Exercise of Supervisory Power & Authority, Honolulu Consolidated Oil Co., D-37509-10, by Interior Secretary Albert B. Fall. Copy. Cover page Honolulu Opinion & 14 pages.

Re Lease, Naval Petroleum Reserve No. 2, California. Secretary Fall finds Honolulu Consolidated entitled to patents for 13 placer-mining locations & relief for 4 others.

Letter, Herbert W. Clark, to Mr. Secretary. Handwritten signed original. 2 pages.

Feels Fall's proposed decision too brief, drew up proposed decision. Wants Fall to allow 1/8 royalty, Sect. 6 plus 13 locations granted.

Decision on Exercise of Supervisory Power and Authority, Honolulu Consolidated Oil, by Herbert W. Clark. Original, 26 pages.

Re Naval leases. Clark's rewrite, extra length, submitted to Fall.

Telegram, A. C. Diericx, President, Honolulu Consolidated Oil Co., San Francisco, November 17, 1921, to Herbert W. Clark, Washington, DC. Typed copy.

Re cases pending Department of Interior & U. S. District Court, Honolulu Consolidated authorizes law firm Morrison, Dunne & Brobeck to represent them, accept proposed settlement.

Telegram, A. C. Diericx, President [Honolulu Consolidated Oil Company], San Francisco, November 17, 1921, to Herbert W. Clark, Washington, DC. Typed copy, 2 pages.

Company will order necessary material for active defensive drilling campaign against water encroachment, Section 6 needs most of it.

Telegram, [Albert B.] Fall, Washington, November 17, 1921, to Honolulu Consolidated Oil Co., San Francisco. Typed copy.

Fall informs Honolulu Consolidated of his decision to recognize their entitlement permits/leases Naval Reserve No. 2. Asks if Honolulu is prepared to proceed drilling immediately.

Telegram, A. C. Diericx, President, Honolulu Consolidated Oil Company, San Francisco, November 17, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Secretary, Washington, DC. Typed copy.

Company financially able, prepared to proceed upon terms indicated.

Telegram, H. Foster Bain, Director, A. W. Ambrose, Chief Petroleum Technologist, Washington, DC, November 18, 1921, to A. C. Diericx, Honolulu Consolidated Oil, San Francisco. Typed copy.

Requests fastest drilling campaign to completely drill productive sections claimed, Naval Reserve No. 2. Requests info locations, cost, estimated drilling time.

Telegram, A. C. Diericx, San Francisco, November 18, 1921, to Herbert Clark, Washington. Typed copy.

Bureau of Mines representative considered by Department.

Telegram, Albert B. Fall, Secretary, Washington, November 18, 1921, to A. C. Diericx, President, Honolulu Oil Co., San Francisco. Typed copy.

Decision made. Authorizes Diericx to ask court's permission to proceed with drilling program.

Decision on Petition for Exercise of Supervisory Power and Authority, by Albert B. Fall, Secretary. Honolulu Consolidated Oil Co. Hearing, November 18, 1921. Twenty pages.

Involving Mineral Applications. Leases authorized for all producing wells upon the claims & for remaining lands subject to approval by President

Statement, Office of Secretary, Dept. of Interior, November 18, 1921. Original.

Fall's opinion denying application mining patent Honolulu Consolidated Oil in Reserve No. 2. Retaining government title, lease on royalty basis.

Memorandum for Honolulu Consolidated Oil Co., on Question of Jurisdiction, Dept. of Interior, U. S. vs. Honolulu Consolidated, Before Secretary of Interior in Matter of Petition of Honolulu Consolidated Oil Co., Exercise of Supervisory Power & Authority. Original, 29 pages.

Navy, Interior Dept., Honolulu Consolidated arguments for various positions, submitted by Attorneys for Honolulu Consolidated.

Folder 7 Miscellaneous Papers, no date

Revised Statutes, U.S., Sec. 177, p. 28. Typed copy.

In case of death, resignation, absence, or sickness of any Dept. head, first assistant shall perform duties of head.

Memorandum by the Secretary.

Instructions to re-address letter sent C. C. Merrill, instead send John Weeks. Secretary's reply, views on Fed. Power Commission's Exec. Secy's May 10 letter.

Letter, Rheinischer Beobachter Redaktion, Berlin, Germany, to Sir. Original.

Enclosed weekly journals, sent to member of parliament with possible influence to inform public of dangers threatening German people. Handwritten note, back side, re oil program, naval oil vessels, Indian Lease, etc.

Letter, Secretary of Interior, Washington, no date, to Homer P. Snyder, Chairman, Committee on Indian Affairs, House of Representatives. Two pages.

Recommends favorable consideration Bill H.R. 14000 re State of MN acquiring land on White Earth [Chippewa] Reservation to use for school, agency & hospital, chiefly for local Chippewas.

Document beginning well as elsewhere (page 8). Original, handwritten edits, pages 8-10 [incomplete].

Lists Questions and Answers re league of nations's [sic] commissions for Saar Basin, Belgium/German border.

Folder 8 Miscellaneous Documents (1914-1916)

Map, Alamo National Forest & vicinity, NM, with Mescalero Apache Reservation; drainage basins, roads, & watering places. 1914. Original, colored topographical. U.S. Geological Survey.

Map, south central New Mexico, with Mescalero Apache Reservation; railroads, and ranches. Original, colored topographical. Partial, upper & lower sections missing.

Memorandum, H. A. Meyer, Private Secretary [to Secretary of Interior], December 17, 1915, for Mr. Shelse. Typed copy.

Reports, communications to Congress require initials of Bureau Chief & Assistant Secretary, & submission to Secretary for signature.

Letter, E. J. Ayers, Chief Clerk, December 21, 1915, to Clay Tallman, Commissioner, GLO. Original.

All reports, communications to Congress must bear initials of bureau chief & Asst. Secretary.

Letter, W. B. Acker, Acting Chief Clerk, January 20, 1916, to Clay Tallman, Commissioner, General Land Office. Typed copy.

Reports, communications to Congress from dept. should use title Secretary for Fall's signature.

BOX 8 - Papers Relating to Fall's Activities as Secretary of the Interior.

Correspondence bound in file binders by topics:

Item 1 Agriculture and Forests, March 4, 1921 July 31, 1922

Letter, Administrative Assistant, March 25, 1921, to Manuel Martinez, Secretary of State, Santa Fe, NM.

Receipt, joint memorial No. 12, NM to Congress, requesting continued cooperation with work of destroying predatory animals & noxious rodents under direction of Bureau of Biological Survey.

Letter, John L. Cobbs, Jr., Chief of Division, U.S.D.A., Washington, DC, March 29, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Administrative Assistant, Department of Interior, Washington, DC.

Compliance with request to send copies of requested publications to Langford Keith, Roswell.

Letter, Thomas M. Baca, Socorro, NM, April 13, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Appointment of a Federal Game Warden in Socorro.

Letter, C. V. Safford, April 19, 1921, to Thomas M. Baca, Socorro, NM.

Reply to previous letter, stating position not of political nature.

Letter, C. V. Safford, May 27, 1921, to Nestor Montoya, House of Representatives.

Captain H. B. Kauffman s request to pasture sheep in Apache National Forest Reserve, AZ.

Letter, C. V. Safford, June 25, 1921, to E. W. Nelson, Bureau of Biological Survey.

Regarding request of F. J. Dalling, El Paso, Texas, for employment.

Letter, C. V. Safford, July 7, 1921, to F. J. Dalling, El Paso, TX.

Reply to Dalling s request for employment.

Letter, Thomas H. MacDonald, Chief of Bureau, U.S.D.A., Bureau of Public Roads, June 27, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Sending tabulation showing status of Federal Aid Projects in NM. Attached tables (2), statement of post road projects submitted by NM to Secretary of Agriculture, to June 21, 1921.

Letter, R. C. Reid, Dexter, NM, July 5, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Request for employment in Dept. of Agriculture, Fall given as reference.

Letter, R. C. Reid, Dexter, NM, July 5, 1921, to Henry Wallace, Secretary of Agriculture, Washington.

Request for position in department. States occupation, qualifications.

Letter, C. V. Safford, July 11, 1921, to R. C. Reid, Dexter, NM.

Acknowledgment of Reid s request for endorsement.

Letter, William H. McCullough, Roswell, NM, July 27, 1921, to Dan Jackson, El Paso, TX.

Lawyer, in behalf of W. J. Hiles, requests Fall's support re Hiles' appeal pending with Secy. of Agriculture concerning reclassification of certain sections of land, Lincoln Forest.

Letter, Dan M. Jackson, Lawyer, El Paso, TX, July 29, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Encloses McCullough's July 27 letter requesting Safford attempt equitable settlement of controversy.

Letter, C. V. Safford, August 2, 1921, to Dan M. Jackson, El Paso, TX.

No support for Hiles from Fall, entirely a matter for Dept. of Agriculture. Fall cannot interfere.

Letter, Brant Elliott, Belle Grove, Port Conway, VA, September 23, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington.

Elliott requests U.S.D.A. farm & livestock bulletins be placed on mailing list.

Letter, C. V. Safford, September 24, 1921, to John L. Cobbs, Chief, Division of Publications, Department of Agriculture.

Request bulletins be forwarded to Brant Elliott and his name placed on mailing list.

Letter, Safford, September 24, 1921, to Brant Elliott, Belle Grove Farm, Port Conway, Virginia.

Fall will be in Denver September 27, should be in Washington after first of October.

Letter, C. C. Young, Los Angeles, CA, September 30, 1921, to John Kendrick, U. S. Senate, Washington.

Sending Fall info re Young's loss of imported Karakul sheep which perished in fire while in custody of government officials. Young is president, Kerman Karakul Sheep Co.

Letter, C. C. Young, Los Angeles, CA, September 30, 1921, to John Kendrick, U. S. Senate, Washington.

Sending copy Travel re Young's adventures Central Asia obtaining Karakul desert sheep. Requests \$25,000 to cover loss when sheep burned to death in custody of officials. Requests Kendrick take up matter with Wallace personally.

Memorandum, re Karakul Sheep imported into U. S. from Karakum Desert, Central Asia by Young.

First importation, 1908, efforts of Theodore Roosevelt. Losses sustained experimentation U. S. Lost everything when animals lost in fire during quarantine.

Letter, Hiram W. Johnson, U. S. Senate Committee on Patents, May 16, 1921, to Dr. C. C. Young, Los Angeles, CA.

Quote from Secy. of Agriculture re appropriation Karakul Sheep. Report previous success with Zebrus cattle, consideration of Young s claim.

Letter, C. V. Safford, October 4, 1921, to Dr. C. C. Young, Los Angeles, CA.

Fall out of town. Will call his attention to Young s request re reimbursement for sheep.

Letter, C. V. Safford, October 22, 1921, to John L. Cobbs, Jr., Chief, Div. of Publications, Dept. of Agriculture.

Encloses marked list of publications , requests those checked be sent to Brant Elliott.

Telegram, Dr. C. C. Young, Los Angeles, CA, October 24, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Notification by Acting Secy. Agriculture, no lost sheep appropriation will be requested. Request Fall intercede.

Letter, C. V. Safford, October 26, 1921, to C. C. Young, Los Angeles, CA.

Doubtful Fall could aid, that item in appropriation bill would be thrown out by Congress.

Letter, A. B. Fall, November 12, 1921, to Dr. Herbert Welsh, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Two pages.

Re Welsh letter, November 8, re White Pine Blister Rust. National government has no authority to assist or aid states nor private individuals.

Letter, C. V. Safford, November 28, 1921, to Prager Miller, Roswell, NM.

Forwarded matter re postponing payment of dues on forest reserves, requested by Cattle & Horse Growers Assn. to Secy. of Agriculture.

Letter, Ashmun Brown, *Seattle Times*, December 24, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Sending press clipping sent by American Forestry Assn., Brown referred to in telephone conversation earlier. Actual source of propaganda noted.

Circular, American Forestry Association, Shall Alaska Become the Promised Land of Bilk and Money for the Interests?

Proposes removing Forest Service from Dept. of Interior where it has become useless in conservation. Requests continued control of forest reserves in Alaska by Forest Service.

Telegram, Finney, Safford, December 27, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two pages.

Informs Fall of American Forestry Assn. s criticism of Fall s administration of forest reserves.

Memorandum for the Press, Department of the Interior, Office of the Secretary, December 31, 1921.

Reply to criticism by American Forestry Association.

Letter, P. S. Ridsdale, Executive Secretary, *American Forestry Magazine*, Washington, DC, December 31, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Encloses two copies news sheet distributed among newspapers.

Letter, P. S. Ridsdale, Executive Secretary, *American Forestry Magazine*, Washington, DC, January 3, 1922, to H. G. Clunn, Department of Interior, Washington, DC.

Enclosing news sheets requested. Similar copies sent C. V. Safford.

Letter, C. V. Safford, January 4, 1922, to Charles M. Crossman, San Marcial, NM.

Replies to Crossman's request to prevent reduction of range used by Crossman & Evans in Datil National Forest. A matter for Dept. of Agriculture, Fall cannot interfere.

Letter, C. V. Safford, February 7, 1922, to George L. Nelson, Senate Office Building, Washington, DC.

Request copy of Forest Service report in response to Senate Resolution Number 311.

Letter, C. V. Safford, February 14, 1922, to Francis E. Warren, Senator, Washington, DC.

Appointment of Federal Game Warden under Biological Survey, Dept. of Agriculture. Application of Carl Downing, reference letter from Warren.

Letter, C. V. Safford, February 14, 1922, to Bertran W. Bennett, Secretary to Governor, Cheyenne, Wyo.

Received letter re Carl Downing, desires position Federal Game Warden.

Memorandum, A. B. Fall, February 16, 1922, Washington, DC, for C. V. Safford.

Request for maps Lincoln, Alamo & Guadalupe reservations southern NM, as reserves were in 1912 & showing eliminations with dates from forest reserves to present.

Letter, A. B. Fall, March 3, 1922, to N. J. Sinnett, Chairman, Committee on Public Lands, House of Representatives. Seventeen pages.

Babbitt article on Snell Bill, Forest Conservation by Scientific Utilization of Forest Products supposedly gave information gained in interview with Fall. Fall denies it expresses his complete sentiments, comments not prepared for publication. Explains his position.

Report of the Remarks of Mr. Harry Slattery at the Ebbitt House on March 10, 1922, at a luncheon of the National Popular Government League. Twenty-nine pages.

Remarks directed at transfer of Forestry Service from Dept. of Agriculture to Interior, praises Wallace, condemns Fall.

Letter, Ernest Hill, New York, March 11, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Exploitation of public domain.

Letter, A. B. Fall, March 15, 1922, to Ernest Hill, New York. Six pages.

Fall s explanation of position, denial he is against conservation.

Letter, H. B. Fay, Flagstaff, AZ, March 17, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Secretary of the Interior, Washington.

Re paragraph in *Prescott Courier*. Sympathy with Fall s position against bureaucrats.

Letter, A. B. Fall, March 22, 1922, to H. B. Fay, Flagstaff, AZ. Two pages.

Denies bureaucrats out to get Fall. Efforts have been to promote efficiency & economy.

Letter, J. A. Ferguson, Secretary, Department of Forestry, Pennsylvania State College, March 17, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Two pages.

Submits resolution, March 10, 1922, Society of American Foresters, Harrisburg: Forestry interests inseparable from agriculture. Protests transfer of Forest Service to Interior Dept.

Letter, J. A. Ferguson, Secretary, Centre County Conservation Association, Centre County, Pennsylvania, March 17, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Two pages.

Duplicates letter listed above.

Letter, A. B. Fall, March 23, 1922, to Dr. J. A. Ferguson, Secretary, State College, Pennsylvania.

Receipt of letters. Receipt of resolutions, similar, in some cases identical, in words and figures.

Letter, T. E. Purdy, Gallup, NM, March 16, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Two pages.

Proposes government make pasture of NM & AZ, furnish seed to turn land to pasture.

Letter, A. B. Fall, March 22, 1922, to T. E. Purdy, Gallup, NM. Two pages.

Purdy s proposal discussed previously, and studies still in operation.

Letter, A. B. Fall, March 25, 1922, to T. W. Tomlinson, Secretary, American Live Stock Assn., Denver, CO. Two pages.

Opposition of Association to transfer of Forestry Service, Fall fails to understand position.

Letter, Harry, at Three Rivers, NM, May 1, 1922, to C. V. Safford.

Mrs. Fall requests nut trees from Dept. of Agriculture, roses from Mr. Burns, Botanical Gardens.

Letter, C. V. Safford, May 8, 1922, to W. A. Jump, Administrative Assistant to the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, DC.

Re Mrs. Fall s request for nut trees, request Jump make shipment & bill office of Secretary.

Letter, W. A. Jump, Administrative Assistant, Department of Agriculture, May 16, 1922, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Department makes no distribution of nut trees. Cannot secure now, May too late to plant. Will prepare memo re best varieties, firms supplying them.

Letter, C. V. Safford, May 20, 1922, to W. A. Jump, Department of Agriculture.

Re letter of 16th, memo will be appreciated.

Letter, Brant Elliott, Belle Grove Farm, Port Conway, VA, June 6, 1922, to C. V. Safford, Washington.

Encloses application for Weather, Crops & Market Reports. Reports distributed only to those helping Dept. of Agriculture in work. Request attempt to get Elliott on list.

Letter, C. V. Safford, June 10, 1922, to John L. Cobbs, Chief, Division of Publications, U.S.D.A., Washington, DC.

Encloses Elliott s application requesting continued distribution of reports.

Letter, C. V. Safford, June 10, 1922, to Brant Elliott, Port Conway, Virginia.

Forwarded application.

Letter, John L. Cobbs, Jr., Chief, Division of Publications, U.S.D.A., July 31, 1922, to C. V. Safford.

Congressional restriction stopped free distribution government periodicals if not actively helping dept. Cannot list Elliott. Can secure reports through Superintendent of Documents, GPO.

Item 2 Articles for the Press, March 4, 1921 December 30, 1922, & Relative Correspondence.

Letter, Samuel McCune, Lindsay Academy of Political Science, College of the City of New York, March 21, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Review of Reviews sending Fall advance copy April issue, article The New Cabinet and Its Problems. Requests frank criticism.

Letter, Walter I. Clarke, Director, Department of Publicity, Presbyterian Church in United States of America, New York, March 26, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

General Assembly of PCIUSA to have annual session at Winona Lake, IND, beginning May 19. Asks Fall for message re what can be done to help government.

Letter, C. V. Safford, April 2, 1921, to Walter I. Clarke, New York.

Press of business prevents Fall from complying with request for a message.

Letter, Joseph Frelinghuysen, Chairman, U. S. Senate Committee on Coast Defenses, April 29, 1921, to A. B. Fall.

Requests brief line for Harvey Thomas monograph on life insurance for NY magazine.

Letter, Joe Mitchell Chapple, *National Magazine*, Boston, May 14, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Encloses rough proof unfinished article for June issue. Asks to speak with Fall.

Rough proofs of Harding's Cabinet, mentioned above. Five pages.

Letter, W. L. Gates, U. S. Senate, Committee on Interstate Commerce, May 14, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Reminder, request for Fall's statement on life insurance for use by Prudential Life Insurance.

Statement, unsigned, no date, on life insurance, presumably from Fall.

Letter, C. V. Safford, May 14, 1921, to W. L. Gates, c/o Frelinghuysen, U. S. Senate.

Encloses statement by Fall re life insurance.

Letter, Harvey Thomas, Supervisor of Publications, Prudential Life Insurance Company, Newark, New Jersey, May 17, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Thanks for statement on life insurance.

Letter, A. R. Pinci, New York, May 21, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Manuscript editorial sent 2 weeks ago, made from recorded data by Sen. Fall, for series on Cabinet members. Attached memo: Quotes from Letter to Sen. Lodge; Statements, June 28, August 22 & 25, 1919.

Letter, A. R. Pinci, New York, May 7, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Writer prepared articles while Mr. Lane was Secy. of Interior re important departmental subjects. Similar articles now in preparation, asks Fall's cooperation. Enclosed manuscript for approval.

Letter, C. V. Safford, May 31, 1921, to A. R. Pinci, New York.

Encloses revised manuscript of *Our Natural Resources of Reconstruction*.

Article, *Our Natural Resources for Reconstruction*, eleven pages, by A. B. Fall.

Letter, Morris H. Glazee, *Washington Post*, June 1, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Re article June 5 *Post* quoting all Cabinet members in interview of 200-500 words, Advice to Young Men Graduating College. Asks Fall give interview on subject.

Article, undated, no title, re trade and economic salvation through trade. Six pages.

Original, to Alfred T. Marks, Representative, *Music Trades*, May 31, 1921, signed by Fall.

Letter, W. de Wagstaffe, *Wildman Magazine & News Service*, NY, June 14, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Left copy article submitted to President & memo for Fall s attention. Asks if article approved, would Fall speak favorably to President. Will appear *Heart s Magazine*.

Memorandum, C. V. Safford, June 8, 1921, to A. B. Fall.

Re approval of Wagstaffe s article.

Article, *The American Crusader*, attached to previous memorandum. Three pages.

Letter, J. M. Hassler, Pres., Elmira Baraca-Philathea Union, Elmira, NY, June 11, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

July 16 meeting, bible study classes, needs message form Fall on reconstruction, national religion, society, economy, community fabric.

John Thomas Taylor, Vice-Chairman, National Legislative Committee, American Legion, Washington, July 25, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Received Fall s article *American Legion Magazine*, re land for settlement by ex-servicemen.

Letter, C. V. Safford, July 22, 1921, to John Thomas Taylor, Washington.

Enclosure revised article for publication.

Article mentioned in above two items for *American Legion Weekly*, seven pages, no title.

Concerning land for ex-servicemen, historic precedent.

Letter, T. R. Hazard, St. Louis, MO, November 23, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Two pages.

Requests article NM political events/issues; social, industrial, economic reforms; & commercial resources as part of series by leading thinkers & doers of both political parties.

Letter, C. V. Safford, November 29, 1921, to T. R. Hazard, St. Louis, Missouri.

Demands on Secretary s time prevent his compliance with request for an article.

Letter, John B. Kennedy, Editor, *Columbia*, Knights of Columbus, NY, November 29, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Requests article by Fall giving views American trade & possibilities 1921 (1922?) [sic].

Letter, C. V. Safford, December 3, 1921, to John Kennedy, New York.

Fall in California, will be absent a month.

Letter, A. R. Pinci, New York, December 6, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Two copies.

Requests permission to take parts of Fall s first annual report for article in *Dearborn Independent* through Mr. Ford s Weekly.

Letter, A. R. Pinci, New York, December 6, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Duplicate of above item.

Article from A. R. Pinci, NY, Our National Estate, by A. B. Fall, Secretary of the Interior. Six pages.

Re public domain & report on value, income, conservation of public domain.

Article, Our National Estate, by Albert B. Fall, Secretary of Interior. Copy of above article. Six pages.

Letter, C. V. Safford, December 7, 1921, to A. R. Pinci, New York.

Fall absent from Washington, believes would have no objection to article compiled from first annual report for *Munsey s Magazine*. Submit article before publication.

Letter, Roy T. Byrne, Chairman, Omaha Chamber of Commerce, December 10, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Dec. 29 meeting, traveling salesmen from Omaha institutions. Requests message of inspiration for release at dinner as cinema slides.

Letter, C. V. Safford, December 13, 1921, to Roy T. Byrne, Chairman, Merchants Market Week Committee, Omaha Chamber of Commerce, Omaha, Nebraska.

Fall out of town, cannot possibly comply with request.

Letter, A. R. Pinci, New York, December 11, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington DC.

Manuscript prepared for approval.

Letter, C. V. Safford, December 13, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM. Two copies.

Interest aroused in Fall's annual report. Encloses copy Pinci correspondence re *Munsey's* and article written by him. Feels article good review, puts Fall's ideas in understandable form.

Letter, A. R. Pinci, New York, January 7, 1922, to C. V. Safford.

Asks if article sent reached Fall, & his opinion.

Letter, C. V. Safford, February 3, 1922, to A. R. Pinci, New York.

Enclosing article from Fall's annual report. Approved.

Memorandum, November 23, 1921, unsigned. Two pages.

Re development of waste & unused public, state & private lands as means of coping with unemployment, & for providing homes & food for population.

Memorandum, November 23, 1921. Two pages.

Re importance of citizens with interest in stability of homes, institutions, independence of nation from other food producers. Proposal cost.

Section, presumably from Report 11LX, Bureau of Mines.

On national land area & estate, and other assets under guidance of Interior Dept.

Letter, Wilson R. Wade, Los Angeles, CA, April 19, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Washington.

Interest in Imperial Valley, CA. Role of Japanese there. Asks for open letter of interest from Fall. Wade's business card attached.

Letter, C. V. Safford, April 26, 1922, to Wilson R. Wade, Los Angeles, CA.

Fall absent from city, will look into request on return.

Letter, Thomas E. Green, Director of Speaking Service, American Red Cross, Washington, DC, September 1, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Preparing speakers bulletin. Requests Fall again send brief commendation. Fall's statement attached, no date, praising American Red Cross. Red Cross brochure attached.

Letter, C. V. Safford, October 11, 1922, to Dr. Thomas Green, Director, Speaking Service, American Red Cross, Washington.

Encloses statement by Fall requested.

Memo. for Secretary, November 28, 1922, HGC.

Knappen, representing *The Magazine of Wall Street*, requests approval of attached article.

Memorandum for Mr. Clum, November 22, 1922.

Manuscript left by Knappen for Fall s approval or amendment.

Suggestion for Mr. Fall s Contribution to the Cabinet Symposium in the Christmas Number of the *Magazine of Wall Street*, Knappen. Two copies.

History, purpose, duties of Interior Dept.

Letter, Walter Littlefield, *New York Times*, New York, December 18, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Washington.

Requests article from Fall on events of past year in Dept., for inclusion in paper.

Letter, M. R. Brock, Assistant to the Secretary, December 30, 1922, to Walter Littlefield, New York.

Sending brief article along lines suggested by Littlefield in letter of 18th.

Memorandum, December 22, 1922, HGC.

Lee Ellmaker, *Chicago Journal of Commerce*, requests short statement from Fall re progress during past year, outlook for 1923

Letter, M. R. Brock, Assistant to the Secretary, December 30, 1922, to Lee Ellmaker, Washington, DC.

Sending brief article along line suggested.

Letter, M. R. Brock, December 30, 1922, to R. S. Thornburgh, Cosmopolitan News Service, Washington.

Encloses brief article along line suggested.

Item 3 Bureau of Mines, March 4, 1921 September 6, 1922

Letter, A. B. Fall, March 23, 1921, to Dr. H. Foster Bain, Director, Bureau of Mines.

Authorization for permanent employment of first aid miners in Bureau, one in Utah, one in Indiana. Request Bain look over permanent roll, remove all unnecessary individuals.

Memorandum, by Acting Director, Bureau of Mines, March 25, 1921, to Fall s Note dated March 23.

Necessity for filling two first aid miners in permanent positions as approved by Secretary.

Letter, H. Foster Bain, Acting Director, Bureau of Mines, March 25, 1921, to A. B. Fall.

Explains functions of rescue cars, need for permanency [*sic*] in such positions.

Letter, Charles E. Hughes, March 30, 1921, to A. B. Fall.

Letter of introduction to Ludwig Nissen, NY merchant re matter in public interest.

Letter, H. Foster Bain, Acting Director, Bureau of Mines, March 31, 1921, to A. B. Fall.

Individual's process claims to increase gold/silver recovery from ores, gaining larger amounts than analysis indicates. Similar claims in past, no success. Arranged demonstration.

Letter, C. V. Safford, May 12, 1921, to Marion E. Rhodes, House of Representatives, Washington, DC.

Received May 11 letter re S. S. Clark, desires position Bureau of Mines, referred to director.

Letter, M. E. Rhodes, 13th Missouri District, H. R., May 17, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Constituent S. S. Clark requests position Bureau of Mines.

Note, Nestler, Department of Interior, to Mr. Brock.

Requests someone in division consider attached letter, prepare memo for Safford to answer.

Memorandum, May 18, 1921, for Brock.

Asst. Director, Bureau of Mines, \$5,000 annually, vacant. H. Foster Bain appointed Dir. of Bureau, \$6,000 annually, May 10, 1921. Position authorized by Secy. of Interior, Jan. 1, 1914, usually filled within dept., subject Civil Service. Filled from outside if none in Bureau qualified.

Diagram of constructions of authority of the Bureau of Mines.

Letter, C. V. Safford, May 20, 1921, to M. E. Rhodes, House of Representatives, Washington, DC.

Re letter inquiring for position for S. S. Clark, vacancy exists under Civil Service.

Letter, C. V. Safford, May 23, 1921, to M. E. Rhodes, House of Representatives, Washington, DC.

Re details of position, Asst. Director, Bureau of Mines.

Letter, P. Dick, November 29, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Two pages.

Re promotion for two employees, Bureau of Mines: sister, Amelia L. Dick & Nettie Graham.

Letter, A. B. Fall, February 25, 1922, to Dr. R. B. Moore, Bureau of Mines. Three pages.

Proposed helium legislation. Secretary of War not favorably impressed.

A Bill Authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to Purchase Helium Bearing Gas Fields in Order to Provide a Supply of Helium Gas for the Army and Navy for Aeronautical Purposes, and to be able to Store a Sufficient Supply of Such Gas in the Ground Until Needed.

Letter, H. Foster Bain, Director of Bureau of Mines, July 30, 1921, to A. B. Fall. Two pages.

Re dye industry. Important for industry & national defense that industry be aided for survival.

Memorandum to the Director, Bureau of Mines, July 30, 1921, from R. B. Moore. Three pages.

Advocates bill in question for dye industry. Proposed tariff, H. R. 7456. Advocates legislation.

Letter, C. V. Safford, February 28, 1922, to W. A. Hawkins, El Paso, TX.

Received letter re J. C. White Engineering Corp. s desire to secure contract to build oil storage tanks on Pacific coast.

Letter, George S. Rice, Chief Mining Engineer, Bureau of Mines, March 15, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Secretary of Interior.

Sending paper suggesting methods to stabilize coal industry, prepared at request of H. C. Morris in charge of Mr. Hoover s fuel division, American Mining Congress Convention, Chicago.

Letter, A. B. Fall, March 23, 1922, to George S. Rice, Bureau of Mines.

Thanks for letter of 15th, copy of paper.

Confirmation of telegram sent June 3, 1922, by H. Foster Bain, to Secretary of the Interior, Washington.

Requests Navy detail Capt. Hill, Navy Commission, for service with Bureau in Alaska on completion of present work on Bering River.

Letter, H. Foster Bain, Bureau of Mines, Healy, Alaska, June 4, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Encloses confirmation of telegram sent, need for Capt. Hill.

Telegram, H. Foster Bain, June 5, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Report on investigation of coal problems with Col. Mears, examination of mines on Healy River & Matanuska field. Healy River best chance for abundant cheap coal, railroad spur warranted.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, June 12, 1922, to H. F. Bain, care of Col. Mears, Nenana, Alaska.

Authorization, construction Healy spur. Some dissatisfaction with Bain s report. Request full report on complete examination.

Telegram, H. F. Bain, Anchorage, Alaska, June 13, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Two pages.

Explanation of examination & report.

Memorandum for immediate action, unsigned, no date.

Request for bids: drilling 10 wells, Section 2, Naval Reserve No. 1 immediately & Sections 6 & 25 drilling off-set wells. Submit propositions for bids by letter to Union, Pacific, Standard, Associated, General Petroleum, Pan American. Royalties to be paid in oil equivalent to fuel oil.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Department of Interior, June 14, 1922, to Bain, care of Mears, Anchorage, Alaska.

Expresses satisfaction with telegraphed report, confidence in Bain's work.

Letter, E. A. Holbrook, Acting Director for H. Foster Bain, June 14, 1922, to A. B. Fall. Two pages.

Re fuel sample from Colville River, Alaska; complete report on analysis.

Letter, in form of memorandum from E. A. Holbrook, for H. Foster Bain, June 17, 1922, to A. B. Fall.

Advises Bain remaining in Alaska until 23rd. Preliminary report being mailed to Fall.

Telegram, H. Foster Bain, Anchorage, Alaska, June 23, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Receipt of Fall's telegram of 14th. Leaving for Bering River.

Memorandum for Mr. Harvey, Chief Clerk, Dept. of the Interior, September 6, 1922, from C. V. Safford.

Re releases, Bureau of Mines articles. Bain report, approximately 30-40 pages, not intended for public. Feels matter Bain proposes to release is of general interest.

Item 4 Geological Survey, March 4, 1921 September 2, 1922

Letter, Florence T. Griswold, San Antonio, TX, April 11, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Requests data from Prof. Trowbridge's investigation on mineral resources, Webb County, TX.

Memorandum, George Otis Smith, April 22, 1921, to C. V. Safford

Re inquiry from Mrs. Florence T. Griswold, San Antonio, TX, March 11, 1921.

Letter, C. V. Safford, April 23, 1921, to Mrs. Florence T. Griswold, San Antonio, TX.

Memo enclosed indicates additional info requested not available.

Letter, E. Cahoon, Pres., First National Bank, Roswell, NM, April 28, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington.

Proposes geological survey of NM or at least SE portion.

Letter, J. M. Harvey, Lawyer, Roswell, NM, April 29, 1921, to A. B. Fall.

Suggests geological survey of the state.

Letter, C. V. Safford, May 5, 1921, to George Otis Smith, Director of Geological Survey.

Request if any action re a survey of NM has been taken & funds available.

Memo, K. C. Heald, Geologist in Charge, Section of Geology of Oil & Gas Fields, no date, to C. V. Safford.

Report Geological Survey of NM not recommended: all available men, funds needed other areas.

Letter, George Otis Smith, Director, Geological Survey, May 14, 1921, to C. V. Safford. Two pages.

NM survey desirable but other areas need work more, previous reports NM mineral wealth unfavorable.

Letter, C. V. Safford, May 17, 1921, to E. A. Cahoon, Roswell, NM. Two pages.

Reply of Geological Survey about proposed survey of NM.

Letter, C. V. Safford, May 17, 1921, to J. M. Hervey, Roswell, NM.

Same as letter to Cahoon.

Letter, Will E. Friend, Roswell, NM, May 12, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Two pages.

Relates proposal for geological survey of NM.

Letter, C. V. Safford, May 17, 1921, to Will E. Friend, Roswell, NM.

Reply to Friend's proposal, explaining position taken by Geological Survey.

Memorandum for A. B. Fall, June 2, 1921, to George Otis Smith. Two pages.

Geological Survey has extended offices to Cuba, Nicaragua, Santo Domingo, and Haiti. Suggest similar operations in Colombia, private companies keep findings secret.

Letter, C. V. Safford, June 4, 1921, to W. P. Hamilton, Editor, *Wall Street Journal*, New York.

Report expected near completion, Geological Survey still working on findings. Copy will be forwarded.

Letter, Theodore Bosshard, *Brooklyn Standard Union*, Brooklyn, New York, July 27, 1921, to A. B. Fall.

Protests against Geological Survey which allegedly sold services to Hart Corporation in report boosting property.

Letter, A. B. Fall, July 30, 1921, to Theodore Bosshard, Edit., *Brooklyn Standard Union*, Brooklyn, NY.

Letter of inquiry sent Smith, Director of Geological Survey.

Letter, A. B. Fall, July 30, 1921, to Dr. George Otis Smith, Director, Geological Survey, Washington. Two pages.

Smith wrote letter re prospectus of Hart Oil Corp., circulated by company as endorsement of present stock selling.

Letter, George L. Bruington, Lawyer, Aztec, NM, September 27, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington.

Requests official report if Mid-West Oil, drilling McElmo Canyon near Cortez, Montezuma County, CO, struck oil. Men in charge deny reports.

Letter, George Otis Smith, Geological Survey, October 5, 1921, to George F. Bruington, Aztec, NM.

Report not available for Bureau of Mines, but has requested report.

Press Release, Saturday, November 5, 1921, from Geological Survey, Dept. of the Interior. Three pages.

Secretary Fall sends superpower report to the President. Scheme for consolidation of generation, distribution of electric power in region between Boston and Washington.

Letter, Philip T. Smith, Acting Director, Geological Survey, November 22, 1921, to J. L. Lawson, Attorney, Alamogordo, NM.

Re Lawson's letter to Safford, Nov. 14. Impossible to detail geologist to examine private property. Bureau would examine/report on specimen sent. *Mining and Scientific Press & Engineering and Mining Journal* lists engineers/geologists who undertake this work.

Letter, C. V. Safford, November 23, 1921, to J. L. Lawson, Alamogordo, NM.

Re refusal to send geologist for private survey. If samples sent to Safford, work will be done.

Letter, A. B. Fall, February 9, 1922, to John D. Ryan, New York.

Re article *Engineering and Mining Journal*, Jan. 21, 1922, re copper industry by H. A. C. Jenison, Bureau of Geological Survey & G. O. Smith's letter to Ryan expressing sympathy with campaign for larger copper market. Fall of opinion neither wished to express favor for one industry over another. Endorses statement but believes protest groundless.

Confidential Report, April 14, 1922, U. S. Geological Survey, Production of Coal During the Strike.

Production declining, prices up, demand slack. Insufficient demand for full production non-union mines.

Letter, A. B. Fall, May 17, 1922, to G. O. Smith, Director, Geological Survey. Three pages.

Re statistics, info gathered by different bureaus of Dept. of Interior & other dept. s, use for government purposes. Reports confidential, not for publication without consent.

Letter, G. O. Smith, July 21, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Proposed power site, Warner Valley Reservoir. Public lands, formerly believed private; greater part old Spanish grant owned by William G. Henshaw, San Francisco. At head of San Luis Rey River. Action initiated based on survey, Escondido Mutual Water Co. project now before FPC.

Letter, C. V. Safford, September 2, 1922, to Frank T. French, Las Cruces, NM.

Encloses memo (missing) by Geological Survey, analysis water sample sent by French August 1.

Item 5 Oil Survey, Alfalfa County, Oklahoma, June 24, 1922 August 1, 1922

Item 6 Oil, Indian Lands, July 8, 1922 November 29, 1922

Item 7 Press Notices, March 4, 1921 April 6, 1922

BOX 9 Patronage and Favors, Requests for Government Positions.

Folder 1 Miscellaneous Public and Private Jobs, 1920 1921, and undated

Applications for Jobs, undated. Three pages.

Lists various applicants, various positions desired.

Letter, Arthur MacDonald, Washington, DC., December 13, 1920, to Albert B. Fall, Washington.

Asks endorsement as Director of Census. Attached list, his Statistical Works.

Statistical Works by Arthur Mac Donald. Lists some Mac Donald s publications.

Letter, J. G. Gutierrez, Santa Rosa, NM, December 18, 1920, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Requests Fall s support for appointment either with NM or federal government.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, December 23, 1920, to J. G. Gutierrez, Santa Rosa, NM.

Suggests Gutierrez secure references from State Republican Exec. Committee re position; if endorsed, Fall able to help.

Letter, Arthur Mac Donald, Washington, DC., January 4, 1921, to Warren G. Harding, President-Elect, Marion, Ohio.

Asks consideration for position Director of Census. States capabilities. Encloses 70 cards (Library of Congress), list of statistical works.

Letter, Bonifacio Montoya, and J. M. Luna, Commissioners, NM Corporation Commissioners, Santa Fe, NM, February 8, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Recommends Hugh H. Williams for representative, Interstate Commerce Commission. Attached copy: Charles F. Fishback letter, March 9, 1921, to Pres. recommending Hugh H. Williams.

Letter, Alfred Blaisdell, Calexico, CA, February 9, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC. Two pp.

Re law-related position under Gov. General, Philippines. Attached: Blaisdell's business card.

Letter, Wiley M. Weaver, Assessor, County of Imperial, El Centro, CA, February 9, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Endorses Attorney Alfred Blaisdell for appointment as judge in Philippines.

Letter, William E. Lewis, Editor, *The Morning Telegraph*, no city, February 11, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Col. Rhineland Waldo called, highly pleased with Fall's reception & interest in him. Waldo ambitious to become Governor-General of Philippines.

Letter, presumably E. L. Medler, El Paso, TX, February 11, 1921, to A. B. Fall, c/o Sheldon Hotel, City.

Recommends John T. Beard for position in Intelligence Department.

Letter, John T. Beard, San Antonio, TX, February 14, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Two pp.

Enclosed copy E. L. Medler's February 11, 1920, letter in Beard's behalf.

Letter, Arthur MacDonald, Washington, DC., February 14, 1921, to Albert B. Fall.

Sending cards of his works, articles catalogued by Library of Congress. Asks Fall's aid for candidacy Dir. of Census. Attached: MacDonald's student life (vitae).

Student Life of Arthur Mac Donald. Academic vitae.

Letter, C. V. Safford, February 17, 1921, to Wiley M. Weaver, El Centro, CA.

Receipt of endorsement of Blaisdell.

Letter, C. V. Safford, February 18, 1921, to Alfred Blaisdell, Calexico, CA.

Received Feb. 9 letter to Fall & letter in Blaisdell s behalf by Wiley M. Weaver, El Centro, CA. Fall will probably confer with Sen. McCumber in his interest.

Letter, C. V. Safford, February 24, 1921, to Arthur MacDonald, Congressional Hotel, Washington, DC.

Received letter of 14th to Fall. Will call his application Director of Census to Fall s attention.

Letter, Charles A. Reynolds, Roswell, NM, February 25, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Writer interested public land. Believes could introduce changes in GLO, best interest of people.

Letter, J. R. Hutchins, Steins, NM, March 2, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington. One page plus resume.

Asks if Jake L. Hammon s letter received recommending writer for position, Hammon now dead.

Letter, Jose D. Sena, Santa Fe, NM, March 5, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Two pp.

Ask s Fall s assistance getting position as governor Puerto Rico, in name of daughter Jouett.

Letter, E. L. Safford, Office of the Auditor, Santa Fe, NM, March 7, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington.

Recommendation Hugh H. Williams, Interstate Commerce Commission.

Letter, C. V. Safford, March 11, 1921, to Jose Sena, Santa Fe, NM.

Received Sena s March 5 letter to Fall, will refer matter to proper quarter.

Letter, Norman L. King, Chief Clerk, Santa Fe, NM, March 11, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington. Two pages.

Congratulations on appointment Asst. Secy. Asks assistance position, classified service, Chief Clerk, Interior Dept., Washington now filled by Democrat.

Letters of Recommendation for Norman King, applying for position, Chief Clerk, Washington, DC.

Letter, E. M. Otero, Santa Fe, NM, March 10, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Letter, E. L. Safford, Santa Fe, NM, March 10, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Letter, E. R. Wright, Santa Fe, NM, March 10, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Letter, E. M. Otero, Manuel B. Otero, E. L. Safford, Santa Fe, NM, March 10, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Letter, Jose D. Sena, Secretary, Republican Central Committee, Santa Fe, NM, March 11, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Letter, W. H. Duckworth, Lt. Governor, Santa Fe, NM, March 11, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Letter, Ramon Baca, Representative of Santa Fe County, Santa Fe, NM, March 10, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Letter, Charles C. Lee, Member, House of Representatives from Dona Ana County, Santa Fe, NM, March 10, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Letter, George Armijo, Chief Clerk, House of Representatives. Santa Fe, NM, March 10, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Letter, M. A. Otero, Jr., Member of House of Representatives from Santa Fe County, Santa Fe, NM, March 10, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Letter, Marcelino A. Ortiz, Santa Fe, NM, March 10, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Letter, George R. Craig, State Chairman, Republican State Committee, Albuquerque, NM, March 15, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Letter, G. A. Kaseman, Albuquerque, NM, March 18, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Letter, J. W. Chapman, Gallup, NM, March 15, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Letter, Mark B. Thompson, Las Cruces, NM, March 15, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Letter, unsigned, Santa Fe, NM, March 21, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Letter, Malaquias Martinez, State Senator, Taos County, Santa Fe, NM, March 11, 1921, to A. B. Fall.

Letter, Hugh H. Williams, NM State Corporation Commission, Santa Fe, NM, March 11, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Letter, J. H. Vaughn, Santa Fe, NM, March 14, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Telegram, Howard, Kansas City, MO, March 14, 1921, to C. V. Safford.

Letter, Manuel Martinez, Secretary of State, NM, March 12, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington.

Encloses copy House Joint Res. No. 31, Fifth NM State Legislature, endorsing Williams for ICC.

Letter, Davis Elkins, U. S. Senate Committee on Expenditures of Department of Commerce, March 16, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

In interest of Hays Haymaker, Hyattsville, MD, applicant for position as Chief Clerk.

Letter, C. V. Safford, March 17, 1921, to Hugh H. Williams, Santa Fe, NM.

Received certified copy of resolution adopted by Fifth State Legislature endorsing him for ICC.

Letter, C. V. Safford, March 17, 1921, to J. R. Hutchins, Steins, NM.

No letter received behalf of Hutchins from Jake L. Hammon, re position U. S. Marshal, NM.

Letter, Alice C. Hunt, El Paso, TX, April 4, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Letter of introduction to former Hunt cook, consider her for position as janitress.

Attached: map of streets, hand-drawn, no city name.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, April 5, 1921, to Hugh H. Williams, Santa Fe, NM.

Received Williams recommending King.

Letter, Mark Smith, Cynthiana, Kentucky, May 27, 91 [correct date 1921], to Albert [Fall], Secretary of Interior, Washington, DC.

Encloses May 7, 1921, letter John C. Greenway to Sen. Smith. Hopes Fall will appoint Eisele to Hot Springs, AK, position. Encloses J. R. Fordyce, May 18, 1921, letter to Sen. Smith.

Letter, John C. Greenway, Warren AZ, May 7, 1921, to Senator Marcus [Mark] Smith, Washington.

Endorses Martin Eisele, Hot Springs, AK, for Superintendent of U. S. Reservation Hot Springs.

Letter, John R. Fordyce. Hot Springs National Park, AK, May 18, 1921, to Sen. Mark Smith, Washington.

Recommends Martin Eisele for position at reservation.

Letter, J. C. Elliott, El Paso, TX, June 7, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Re request for Richard Pritz s transfer to El Paso for recruiting assignment. Reply from Fall, none being assigned to recruiting duty then. Asks again for Pritz transfer.

Letter, Martin Davis, Jr., Los Angeles, CA, June 7, 1921, to C. C. Chase.

Asks if Mrs. Chase had opportunity to ask Fall for government position.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, June 10, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Encloses J. C. Elliott s letter requesting transfer of Richard Pritz for Navy Recruiting Duty.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, June 21, 1921, to Frank Willis, U.S. Senator, Washington.

Position, Director Park Service not open, not making changes presently. Possibility later.

Letter, Lutz May, Circleville, Ohio, July 6, 1921, to Frank B. Willis, Senator, Washington.

Applied for Director, NPS. Fall making no position changes. Asks Willis make application for him for Park Superintendent position.

Letter, Frank B. Willis, U. S. Senate, Washington, DC, July 9, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Encloses letter from Mr. May; consider as May s application for Park Superintendent.

Letter, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, September 6, 1921, to Charles W. Gregory, Administrative Officer, Veterans Bureau, Denver, CO. Two pp.

Has letter addressed to John W. Smith, El Paso, re securing position Denver District. Satisfactory endorsement would aid. Encloses confirmation recent telegram of A. B. Sage, local manager, Veterans Bureau, El Paso, re matter sent Mr. Ney in Smith s behalf.

Letter, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, September 7, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Administrative Assistant, Department of the Interior, Washington, DC.

Encloses letter of Homer Schofield applying for position, inspector of land office, Los Angeles, & several letters of recommendation. Mrs. Fall interested in application.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington DC, September 13, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Received September 7 letter, Schofield s application inspector of Land Office.

Letter, Kenneth D. Oliver, Brawley, CA, October 13, 1921, to C. C. Chase. Two pages.

Unemployed, requests help securing position Cananea in Mex., Fall at Three Rivers or Hachita.

Letter, F. Maurac, El Paso, TX, December 20, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Wants position as gardener if available, or any kind of job.

Folder 2 Miscellaneous Public and Private Jobs, 1922 1923

Letter, C. C. Chase, El Paso, May 12, 1922, to Roy Campbell, Collector of Customs, San Antonio, TX.

Letter of introduction, J. C. Elliott, Super., Construction of Public Buildings under Treasury Dept., H.Q. at El Paso.

Letter, A. A. Martinez, National City, no state, May 29, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Receipt of Chase letter, hopes for Fall endorsement.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, Washington, July 20, 1922, to Charles E. Hughes, Secretary of State, Washington.

Suggests David White, Chief Geologist of Survey, as delegate to International Geological Congress in Brussels instead of Director Smith, needed in Washington.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, July 22, 1922, to Capt. B. C. Mossman, Roswell, NM. Three pages.

Fight for Roswell Land Office control between Mrs. Clark & Charles Lutz. Recommends Lutz, endorsed by Republicans.

Letter, A. B. Fall, August 1, 1922, to John Weeks, Secretary of War, Washington.

In re Detail of Col. Charles C. Winnia to National Guard Duty, NM. Has copy Weeks June 5 letter to Gov. Mechem, NM, re appointment of Col. Winnia for duty with NM National Guard. Asks exception in Weeks case.

Letter, Secretary of the Interior [Albert B. Fall], August 7, 1922, to Senator Walsh, U.S. Senate. Two pp.

Re S. 3553 for relief of family of Lt. Henry N. Fallon, retired. Mailed August 7, 1922, supplemental report to Sen. Arthur Capper on Fallon case, enclosed copy (5 pp.)

Letter, Personal & Confidential, A. B. Fall, August 11, 1922, to John W. Weeks, Secretary of War, Washington, DC.

Regrets assignment Col. Charles C. Winnia to duty with NM National Guard cannot be made.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, Washington, August 11, 1922, to W. E. Baker, El Paso, TX.

Positions Dept. of Interior poorly paid, almost all Civil Service. Exception, inspector positions; gives salaries, no vacancies presently.

Letter, brother and sister W & A Dowe(?), Los Angeles, CA, unknown date, to Mary Taylor, El Paso, TX. Eight pages (pages 1-2 missing).

Personal/family news. Seeking government position.

Letter, M. C. Marshall, Treasury Department, U. S. Public Health Service, Office of Medical Officer in Charge, Washington, October 16, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Las Cruces, NM. Two pp.

Assistance securing position through Civil Service as Asst. Cotton Classifier, Dept. of Agriculture.

Letter, Adelina Otero-Warren, Albuquerque, NM, November 12, 1922, to Sen. Fall, Washington. 2 pp.

Grateful for check. Asks Fall to look into land case Rondstadt vs. Kibbey, Pima, AZ; she feels is unjust. Enclosed data: October 26, 1922, Tucson, AZ (2 pp)

Letter, Private Secretary to Fall, November 18, 1922, to Mrs. Adelina Otero-Warren, Albuquerque, NM.

Received Nov. 12 letter & Oct. 26, 1922, Tucson, memo re Rondstadt vs. Kibbey. Will call Fall's attention to matter on return.

Letter, Nina Otero-Warren, Superintendent of Public Schools, Santa Fe, NM, December 4, 1922, to Senator Fall. Three pages.

Turned office of Super. of Schools over to successor. Interested openings diplomatic posts.

Letter, J. W. Tappan, Public Health Service, El Paso, TX, December 15, 1922, to C. C. Chase.

Encloses Dr. Tappan's Dec. 5, 1922, letter (2 pages) to Col. Nathan Lapowski re Lawrence D. Oppenheimer's dishonorable discharge, requests Lapowski reconsider honorable discharge to enable veterans' benefits to pay for medical care. Tappan proposes reinstatement & honorable discharge for Oppenheimer.

Letter, Nina Otero-Warren, Superintendent of Public Schools, Santa Fe, NM, December 21, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Washington. Two pages, with envelope.

Wants position working with Latin-American countries.

Letter, Eduardo M. Otero, Los Lunas, NM, December 22, 1922, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Recommends Nestor Montoya for any open position, Montoya financial circumstances not good.

Letter, Shannon Douglass, Kansas City, MO, January 8, 1923, to Albert E. [sic] Fall, Washington.

Requests Fall assist in elevating Col. Burr to Brig. General, will retire this year.

Letter, W. C. Reid, Albuquerque, NM, January 10, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Regrets Fall intends to resign as Secy. Friends of Mrs. Nina Otero-Warren would like present administration to recognize her ability & give her position with minister in Latin country.

Letter, Dr. F. F. Wilcox, Plainfield, NJ, January 16, 1923, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Asks Fall's support for Ex-Gov. William N. Runyon appointed by President as Federal Court Judge, NJ; waiting for approval by Judiciary Committee.

Letter, unsigned, presumably C. C. Chase, January 16, 1923, to Dr. J. W. Tappan, Medical Officer in Charge, U. S. Public Health Service, El Paso, TX.

Refers to letter of 15th re Lawrence D. Oppenheimer. Proposes discussion with Col. Lapowski.

Letter, Blas Sanchez, Wagon Mound, NM, January 19, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Regrets Fall resigning position Interior Dept. Unemployed, asks Fall secure job for him before leaving Washington.

Memorandum for the Secretary [Fall], January 30, 1923, from B.

Caution: Contents may contain mold residue.

Adelfino Otero-Warren requests being advised of positions outside Civil Service in Interior Dept. Relates positions, salaries for Inspectors, Indian Service. Enclosed: list of qualifications for Inspector, and Civil Service Commission Form.

Inspector Indian Service. Lists qualifications for position.

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Form 375, U.S. Civil Service Commission Form for Temporary Appointment or Noncompetitive Examination. Blank. *Caution: Contents may contain mold residue.*

Letter, Albert B. Fall, February 15, 1923, to Hon. Miles Poindexter, U. S. Senate. Three pages.

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Received Feb. 13 letter re appointment offered Mark Davis as Super., Rainier National Park.
Received info Davis unfit for position. Park Service considering Owen Tomlinson.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, Washington, February 15, 1923, to Senator Wesley L. Jones, U. S. Senate.

Encloses letter from Sen. Poindexter re appointment Mark Davis, Super., Rainier National Park.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, February 15, 1923, to Senator Ralph H. Cameron, U.S. Senate. Two pages.

Jensen and Vaughn furnished saddle horses to tourists, No. Rim, Grand Canyon. Has objections to their method of running business.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, February 15, 1923, to Hon. Carl Hayden, House of Representatives.

Enclosed copy Feb. 15 letter addressed to Sen. Cameron, re Jensen and Vaughn.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, February 15, 1923, to Senator Henry F. Ashurst, U.S. Senate.

Enclosed copy letter written to Ashurst's colleague [Sen. Cameron].

Letter, Eduardo M. Otero, Los Lunas, NM, February 19, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Recommends Benjamin Read, Santa Fe, for membership on Commission to care for Indian Affairs, Pueblo Indians, NM.

Telegram, L. D. Ricketts, Baltimore, Maryland, February 22, 1923, to A. B. Fall.

Request Knapp call on Fall, make request, asks for Fall's help.

Letter, Jose D. Sena, Clerk, Supreme Court of NM, Santa Fe, NM, February 24, 1923, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Desires position, governor Puerto Rico.

Letter, Hampton and Sons, London, England, June 11, 1923, to Frank Moore, West Kensington, England.

Letter advises owner might accept offer of £17,000 on Chateau des Roches, Jersey.

Notice, Sale by Auction, By Direction of His Grace the Duke of Argyll, undated.

Offers Sporting and Agricultural properties in Island Estates, offered in lots or whole.

Letter, Frank Moore, London, June 13, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Carlton Hotel, London. Three pp.

Speaks against monarchical system, royalty. Asks Fall's help bringing attention of influential citizens to his claim for Admiralty payment of £60,000 on invention.

Letter, George L. Kislop, Co. H, First Volunteer Infantry, Moosejaw, Saskatchewan, Canada, October 12, 1923, to A. B. Fall.

Writer refused pension due to lack of evidence, is reapplying, asks Fall furnish some evidence.

Letter, J. R. Ford, Asst. Collector, Treasury Department, U. S. Customs Service, Chicago, IL, November 1, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Letter of introduction to Joseph A. Regan, Internal Revenue Agent, Chicago.

Letter, R. E. Vance, Kingman, AZ, November 3, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Three pp.

Asks Chase to form company to put him on his feet. Requests assay of rock sent Chase earlier.

Folder 3 Department of the Interior, Patronage re Alaska

Statement (Certified), E. L. Hunter and John W. Dudley, Juneau, Alaska, January 12, 1920.

Dissension among Republicans in Alaska, asks withdrawal from such an organization.

TABULATION SHEET showing VOTES cast for all TERRITORIAL CANDIDATES at large, at the PRIMARY ELECTION, held April 27, 1920. Signed R. J. Donners [?], Secretary of Alaska, January 7, 1921.

Telegram, J. W. McCord, New York, April 8, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Wardman Park Hotel, Washington.

Appointment of Wichersham & supporters best benefit Alaska. Outside appointment Parks good solution.

Letter, C. C. Chase, May 14, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Recommends Turner Loughborough, McLean, Virginia, for the Alaskan Boundary Commission.

Letter, D. E. Stubbs, Aniak, Alaska, May 25, 1921, to Harry Daugherty, Washington. Four pages.

Appeals for honesty efficiency re appointments Alaska judicial offices. Charges John C. McBride with accepting soliciting bribes. Presentation of evidence to charges.

Letter, D. E. Stubbs, Aniak, Alaska, May 25, 1921, to Harry Daugherty, Washington. Six pages.

Gives facts re election of John C. McBride.

Letter, Jess W. Smith, May 26, 1921, Office of Attorney General, to Albert B. Fall, Washington.

Encloses papers giving information concerning the Alaskan situation left by Charles E. Herron

Press Clipping, McBride Files Endorsement of Voters Sought, indications that opposition in election will come from Charles E. Herron. With business card, Chas. E. Herron.

Letter, Harry G. Ames, A. B. Co., Anchorage, Alaska, May 31, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, 2 pages.

Applying for U. S. Marshal, Third District. States past positions, qualifications.

Letter, D. E. Stubbs, Aniak, Alaska, June 1, 1921, to Secretary of Interior, Washington. Attachment.

Re appointment of judges, marshals, & prosecuting attorneys Alaska. 4-page attachment lists his views on advisability of candidates.

Letter, C. V. Safford, June 20, 1921, to Harry G. Ames, care of A. B. Company, Anchorage, Alaska.

Received May 31 letter to Fall re application for appointment U. S. Marshal, Third District.

Letter, Scott C. Bone, Governor, Alaska, Washington, June 25, 1921, to Albert B. Fall. Enclosure.

Attaches tentative list judicial appointments Alaska, agreed to at White House conference.

Letter, Scott Bone, New York, June 26, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Two pages.

Encloses telegram (2 pp) from Vice-Chairman Ralph E. Williams, Republican National Committee. Impossible for Oregon to get two places in Alaska.

Telegram, Ralph E. Williams, Portland, Oregon, June 26, 1921, to Scott Bone, New York. Two pages.

Oregon wanted both District Attorney & Judge but if allowed only one, prefers District Attorney.

Letter, Harry Daugherty, Attorney General, Washington, July 2, 1921, to Albert B. Fall. Confidential.

Conference John Adams & Dave Mulvane re Alaska. Enclosures: tentative list made at White House; memorandum (2 pages) re Alaskan appointments.

Letter, presumably Albert B. Fall, July 5, 1921, to Harry M. Daugherty. Three pp.

Believes immediate telegraphic removal Judge Jennings necessary or scandal will follow.

Letter, presumably Albert B. Fall, July 5, 1921, to Washington, Harry M. Daugherty. Three pages.

Received July 2 letter re troublesome Alaska situation & list of tentative appointments made at White House, gives impression of some appointments. Clegg best man for Judge.

Telegram, Scott C. Bone, Seattle, July 7, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Secretary of Interior, Washington.

Request appointments made soon. Original sent Gen. Daugherty 7/9/21 by messenger.

Letter, H. M. Daugherty, Attorney General, July 7, 1921, to Albert B. Fall.

Has Fall's July 5 letter re 2 favors re Alaska. Told new Governor he wanted to consult with Fall re all Alaskan matters.

Telegram, Bone, Juneau, Alaska, July 14, 1921, to Daugherty, Atty General, Washington. Two pp.

Wise to adhere to tentative White House list. Recommends by name 4 men for judge for 4 judicial divisions, 4 for district attorney, 4 for marshal.

Telegram, Bone, Governor, Juneau, Alaska, July 20, 1921, to Attorney General, Washington. Copy.

Withdraws judicial recommendation for First District. Suggests Reed of Nome, Miller of Seattle, or Davis of Oregon for appointment. Alaskan decidedly preferable.

Telegram, Bone, Governor, Juneau, Alaska, July 20, 1921, to Secretary Interior, Washington, DC.

Bone withdrawing in deference to Sutherland. Recommends Reed of Nome.

Letter, W. F. Gibbs, Private Secretary & Assistant to Attorney General, Washington, July 21, 1921, to Secretary of the Interior [Albert B. Fall].

In absence of Attorney General, transmits copy of Bone's telegram [July 20, 1921, above].

Letter, Scott C. Bone, Governor, August 26, 1921, to H. M. Daugherty, Attorney General, Washington.

If nomination withdrawn of Fred Harrison for U. S. District Attorney Second Division, or recess appointment, Bone recommends Walter Schaffner.

Photostat of two telegrams, Signal Corps, U. S. Army.

Expresses strong sentiment John Rustgard not be elected Atty. Gen., record not entitling him to Republican support.

Troy, Juneau, Alaska, October 27, 1920, to S. L. Faulkner, Ketchikan, Alaska.

Suspects Rustgard urged using spies during strike to trap labor. Requests getting affidavit to that effect from Hector.

Folder 4 Department of State, Patronage, 1920-1924 [Note: *International Boundary Commissioner is appointed by President; under jurisdiction of State Department.*] Also see Folder 3, Patronage, Alaska.

Note, George Curry, no date, International Boundary Commission, El Paso, TX, to [C. C.] Chase.

Asks enclosed letter from G. S. Goodwin be forwarded to Fall in Washington (pp. 3-7 only).

Letter, Vernon L. Sullivan, El Paso, TX, November 24, 1920, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Requests info for application consulting engineer International Boundary Commission.

Letter, Vernon L. Sullivan, El Paso, TX, November 24, 1920, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Re appointment International Boundary Commission. Encloses booklet El Paso campaign.

Republican County Central Committee of Guadalupe County, NM, Santa Rosa, NM, November 25, 1920, to Merritt C. Mechem, Governor, and Holm O. Bursum, National Committeeman.

Presents W. C. Burnett, Santa Rosa County, for appointment, consular service, Mexico. Signed by Chairman, Vice-Chairman, 8 others.

Letter, Confidential, C. V. Safford, Washington, November 30, 1920, to Vernon Sullivan, El Paso, TX.

Consulting Engineer, International Boundary Commission, under authority of State Dept., appointed by Pres. Request for appointment should come from Texans and from Fall.

Letter, W. C. Burnett, Santa Rosa, NM, January 22, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Interested, consular position, Mexico, particularly Culican, Sinaloa. Encloses recommendations.

Letter, C. V. Safford, January 27, 1921, to W. C. Burnett, Santa Rosa, NM.

Received letter with enclosures re position consular service.

Letter, Vernon L. Sullivan, El Paso, TX, February 12, 1921, to Warren G. Harding, Pres., Washington.

Letter of application re appointment, consulting engineer, International Boundary Commission.

Letter, James McNary, First National Bank, El Paso, TX, February 14, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington. Two pages.

Recommends Mr. J. Harris Cloonan for Commissioner, International Boundary Commission.

Letter, Vernon L. Sullivan, El Paso, TX, February 24, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Re appointment consulting engineer U. S. Mexican Boundary Commission. Encloses Memorandum of Endorsements for Vernon L. Sullivan.

Letter, Vernon L. Sullivan, El Paso, TX, February 24, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Re application: consulting engineer, International Boundary Commission. Endorsed by all local Republicans & Philip Baer, State Republican Exec. Committee. Encloses letters of endorsement.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, March 1, 1921, to Vernon L. Sullivan, El Paso, TX.

Received copies application consulting engineer. Fall will aid.

Letter, W. H. Allen, Union Oil Company, New York, March 15, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Secretary of Interior, Washington, DC. Two pages.

Commends Henry Lockhart, Jr., candidate, Ambassador to Mexico.

Letter, V. L. Sullivan, El Paso, TX, March 21, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Has full line of Republican endorsements. Appreciates Fall's assistance.

Letter, JML, April 4, 1921, to Henry Lockhart, Sr.

Gives text April 4, 1921, cable from Lockhart's son in London.

Letter, Henry Lockhart, Sr., New York, April 4, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC. Two pages.

Recommends his son for appointment Ambassador to Mexico. States qualifications, submits names of associates will endorse son.

Extracts from letter of Henry Lockhart, Jr., dated March 25, 1921, by Henry Lockhart, April 5, 1921.

Re Lockhart, Jr.'s desire to be Ambassador to Mexico.

Letter, Theo. M. Plummer, San Antonio, TX, April 27, 1921, to Judge Harry M. Wurtzbach, Washington. Three pages.

Feels he is qualified re Mexican Boundary Commissioner.

Letter, W. M. Hanson, President, Republican Club 14th District, San Antonio, TX, April 28, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Recommends Theo M. Plummer, San Antonio, for Mexican Boundary Commission.

Letter, Vernon L. Sullivan, El Paso, TX, May 13, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Forest Baker trying to secure same appointment. Not endorsed by most Republicans.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, May 20, 1921, to V. L. Sullivan, El Paso, TX.

Advises Forest Baker applying same appointment, requests Fall's support.

Letter, Personal, W. W. Hawkins, Legal Dept., El Paso & Southwestern System, El Paso, TX, May 20, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Endorses Sullivan.

Letter, Vernon L. Sullivan, El Paso, TX, May 28, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Believes can secure Republican endorsement home state Michigan.

Letter, V. L. Sullivan, Consulting Engineer El Paso, TX, July 7, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Enclosing list of endorsers for appointment Consulting Engineer, International Boundary Commission. Memorandum of Endorsements attached.

Letter, F. B. Stuart, Chairman of Republican County Executive Committee, El Paso, TX, July 7, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Endorses Sullivan. Opponent Baker formerly Democrat.

Letter, C. V. Safford, July 11, 1921, to F. B. Stuart, El Paso, TX.

Received letter in behalf Sullivan.

Telegram, V. L. Sullivan, El Paso, TX, September 6, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

U. S. Mexican relations improving. President may appoint consulting engineer Boundary Commission. Asks his name be urged.

Letter, Vernon L. Sullivan, El Paso, TX, September 7, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

U. S./Mexican relations improving, President may appoint new consulting engineer Boundary Commission. Asks Fall urge his appointment.

Letter, C. V. Safford, September 7, 1921, to V. L. Sullivan, El Paso, TX.

Received wire re appointment. Mexican government may not comply with U.S. demands. Possible recognition, extension of financial aid by American bankers to Mexican government not discussed. Will recommend him to President opportune time.

Telegram, Vernon Sullivan, El Paso, February 20, 1922, to Charles Safford, Washington.

Mr. Cordin, Consulting Engineer International Boundary Commission, died left immediate vacancy. Will appreciate anything Safford or Secretary Fall can do in Sullivan's behalf.

Letter, Apolonis A. Sena, La Gaceta Publishing Company, Inc., Albuquerque, NM, November 4, 1923, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Two pages.

Writer applying post Mexican Consul, Juarez or Chihuahua. Asks Fall's recommendation.

Letter, James Elles, Douglas, AZ, Enero 25, 1924, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC. Written in Spanish. Two pages.

Native Mexican, trouble over immigration re work in U. S. and Mexico.

Folder 5 Office of the Attorney General, Department of Justice, Patronage

Letter, Charles A. Reynolds, Roswell, NM, January 20, 1920, to A. B. Fall, Washington. 2 pp. & memo.

Requests position Asst. Atty. Gen. Formerly Dept. of Justice Special Investigator.

Letter, W. L. Smith, Tucson, AZ, November 8, 1920, to A. B. Fall, Washington, D.C. Two pages.

Wants position Mogollon Post Office, or narcotic or prohibition agent.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, November 17, 1920, to W. L. Smith, Tucson, AZ.

Positions doubtful until new administration in office. Fall out of town at present.

Letter, Edwin Mechem, Alamogordo, NM, November 26, 1920, to Senator [A. B. Fall].

His father interested position D. A. in AK recently vacated by death of incumbent. Asks help.

Letter, W. L. Smith, Naco, AZ, November 28, 1920, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Wants appointment Dept. of Justice, narcotic or prohibition agent, NM. Qualification.

Letter, Merritt C. Mechem, Clerk s Office, Seventh Judicial District, Socorro, NM, December 1, 1920, to Charley [presumably C. V. Safford].

Re father s candidacy for Arkansas position. Age 74, never held public office.

Letter, Joe A. Leahy, Lordsburg, NM, December 4, 1920, to A. B. Fall, Washington.

Asks consideration application U. S. Marshal.

Letter, D. W. Snyder, Anchor, Snyder & Snyder + ■ T Ranch, Clayton, NM, December 14, 1920, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Requests position U. S. Marshal, NM.

Endorsements of Dudley Snyder for U. S. Marshal.

Letter, C. C. Caldwell, Clayton, NM, November 17, 1920

Letter, D. W. Priestly, Clayton, NM, November 17, 1920

Letter, M. C. Johnson, Clayton, NM, November 18, 1920

Letter, Hugh B. Woodward, Clayton, NM, November 18, 1920

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, November 22, 1920

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, November 24, 1920

Letter, R. R. McDonald, Sedan, NM, December 4, 1920 (to Fall)

Letter, A. C. Miera, Rep. Central Cmte, Union County, Clayton, NM, December 14, 1920

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, December 16, 1920

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, December 18, 1920

Letter, Ray Sutton, Sheriff, Union County, Clayton, NM, December 18, 1920
Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, December 20, 1920
Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, December 23, 1920
Letter, W. R. Ferguson, Wichita Falls, TX, December 23, 1920
Telegram, A. J. Van Cleave, Clayton, NM
Letter, James H. Wilson, Clinton, MO
Letter, A. MacKenzie, Clayton, NM, January 24, 1921
Letter, A. MacKenzie, Clayton, NM, January 24, 1921
Letter, C. V. Safford, January 29, 1921
Letter, William Felter, Editor and Manager of Swastika Publishing Company, Des Moines, NM,
February 11, 1921
Letter, C. V. Safford, February 15, 1921
Letter, James A. Reed, Chairman, U. S. Senate Committee, Standards, Weights, & Measure,
March 24, 1921

Letter, presumably C. V. Safford, Washington, December 16, 1920, to Merritt C. Mechem, Socorro, NM.

Congratulations on election Gov. NM. Suggests talk with Sen. Fall. re father s appointment.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, December 16, 1920, to J. A. Leahy, Lordsburg, NM.

Received letter application appointment U. S. Marshal NM.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, December 16, 1920, to Edwin Mechem, Alamogordo, NM.

Received letter re appointment of father.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, December 18, 1920, to D. W. Snyder, Clayton, NM.

Received letter of 14th. Fall must confer on appointments with state & county organizations before endorsement.

Letter, W. L. Smith, Naco, AZ, December 19, 1920, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Two pages.

Second letter requesting Fall s aid securing government position.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, December 29, 1920, to W. L. Smith, Naco, AZ.

Re position new administration, Fall busy, no aid until after March 4 re new appointments.

Letter, Edwin Mechem, no date, to C. V. Safford.

Encloses Edwin Mechem s January 20 letter to Fall, of importance to [Mechem] personally.

Letter, Edwin Mechem, Alamogordo, NM, January 20, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington.

Requests favor for father, wants appointment District Attorney, Western District, AK.

Endorsements, Judge George Craig for District Attorney NM.

Letter, George A. Byus, Editor, *Gallup Herald*, Gallup, NM, November 7, 1920

Letter, Eduardo M. Otero, Los Lunas, NM, November 13, 1920

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, November 18, 1920

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, November 30, 1920

Letter, Laurence F. Lee, Albuquerque, NM, December 22, 1920

Letter, Edward Everett Young, Secretary-Treasurer, Soldier Settlement Commissioner of NM,
Santa Fe, NM, January 12, 1921

Letter, C. V. Safford, January 21, 1921

Letter, Chas. A. Reynolds, Roswell, NM, January 21, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Endorsed by County Committee. Once associated politically with Daugherty and friends.

Letter, Chas. A. Reynolds, Roswell, NM, January 23, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Desires to be Assistant U.S. Attorney General.

C. L. Parsons, Secretary, and E. A. Cahoon, Chairman, Chaves County Republican Central Committee,
Roswell, NM, January 23, 1921, Republican State Central Committee, Albuquerque, NM.

Endorsement Charles A. Reynolds for Assistant Attorney General.

Letter, C. V. Safford, January 24, 1921, to Captain Charles A. Reynolds, Roswell, NM.

Received January 20 letter. Fall in FLA, will call letter to his attention upon return.

Letter, C. V. Safford, January 25, 1921, to Edwin Mechem, Alamogordo, NM.

Received letter re father's candidacy. Fall in FLA with Harding, will see to matter on return.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, January 27, 1921, to Charles A. Reynolds, Roswell, NM.

Received info endorsement Republican Committee. Endorsement Holm Bursum, National
Committee, would add weight.

Letter, Edwin Mechem, Third Judicial District Court, Alamogordo, NM, January 30, 1921, to A. B. Fall,
Washington, DC.

Re father's appointment, see Phil Campbell, KS Congressman, for references, endorsement.

Letter, A. B. Fall, February 6, 1921, to Edwin L. Mechem, Alamogordo, NM.

Will assist as far as possible in getting father appointed.

Letter, H. T. Tripp, Seattle, WA, February 9, 1921, to J. T. Banon, Portland, Oregon. Mounted photostat.

Opposes selection of Rustgard, White. Favors appointment George C. Hazelet as Gov. Alaska.

Letter, Edwin Mechem, Alamogordo, NM, February 15, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Will inform Fall when Atty. Gen. has father s application. Conditions in Santa Fe, mine tax law.

Letter, Hugh H. Williams, Chairman, State Corporation Commission, Santa Fe, NM, February 17, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Colleagues endorsed Williams for appointment Interstate Commerce Commission. Not making personal application. Would accept if appointed.

Letter, Nestor Montoya, Albuquerque, NM, February 21, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Endorses Charles A. Reynolds U.S. Assistant Attorney General.

Letter, Frank Murphy, Washington, DC, February 22, 1921, to Charles A. Reynolds, Roswell, NM.

Would be glad to add a word for Reynolds.

Letter, Charles A. Reynolds, Attorney, Roswell, NM, February 25, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Washington.

Encloses letter from Frank Murphy, member of House, who will speak for position for Reynolds.

Letter, James B. McNary, Pres., El Paso Republican Club, Washington, March 4, 1921, to the President.

Endorses Walter H. Case El Paso for U. S. Marshal West District of Texas.

Telegram, Edwin Mechem, Las Cruces, NM, March 11, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Father forwarded application & recommendations for position.

Letter, Edwin Mechem, March 11, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Two pages.

Congratulates Fall on appointment. Hopes Fall can aid father securing position.

Letter, C. V. Safford, March 15, 1921, to H. C. Mechem, Ft. Smith, Arkansas.

Fall received application District Attorney, Western District of Arkansas.

Letter, Edwin Mechem, Alamogordo, NM, March 16, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Two pages.

Information on father s background, present incumbent a Democrat.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, March 16, 1921, to Attorney General, Washington, DC.

Recommends H. C. Mechem, Ft. Smith, AK, for District Attorney, Western District, AK.

Letter, unsigned [from Fall], March 18, 1921, to Ed Mechem, Alamogordo, NM.

Filed letter endorsing father for appointment U. S. Attorney, Western District, Arkansas.

Letter, Edwin Mechem, Judge Third Judicial District Court, Alamogordo, NM, March 21, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Thanks Fall for recommendation.

Letter, J. M. Hervey, Roswell, NM, March 28, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Impossible to be candidate for District Attorney in NM at this time.

Letter, C. C. Chase, July 19, 1921, to D. A. Walker, U. S. Marshal, San Antonio, TX.

Recommends Mr. N. F. Work for Deputy Marshal.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, August 10, 1921, to D. A. Walker, U. S. Marshal, San Antonio, TX.

Endorses A. H. Woelber, continued service as Deputy Marshal under Walker.

Letter, A. B. Fall, August 11, 1922, to H. B. Holt, Las Cruces, NM.

Refrains from making pledges for appointments of another judge. Would like to see Stephen Davis for position. Has no personal candidate.

Letter, D. A. Walker, U.S. Marshal, Western District of TX, San Antonio, TX. August 13, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Received endorsement Woelber. Walker notified he received permanent appointment.

Folder 6 Treasury Department, Patronage

Letter, Clement Hightower, Hondo, NM, November 24, 1920, to A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Seeks appointment State Prohibition Director under new Republican administration.

Letter, Clement Hightower, Hondo, NM, November 24, 1920, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Inquires re salary Prohibition Director NM & other info. Requests copy Blue Book with list of consular & federal offices.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, November 30, 1920, to Clement Hightower, Hondo, NM.

Relates salary position inquired about, reports on requested Blue Book positions & salaries.

Letter, Lt. Col. F. W. Thompson, QMRC, Executive Officer, N.M. Military Institute, Roswell, NM, December 3, 1920, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Desires position Internal Revenue Collector NM. Has close Republican affiliation. Relates educational background. Brother-in-law of Cahoun.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, December 16, 1920, to Col. F. W. Thompson, N. M. Military Institute, Roswell, NM.

No support can be pledged until after meeting State Central Committee.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, December 18, 1920, to Clement Hightower, Hondo, NM.

Fall believes not proper to endorse candidates without conferring with State Rep. Organization.

Letter, Stephen B. Davis, Jr., Attorney, East Las Vegas, NM, January 13, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Endorses Frank D. Reid for Revenue Agent, Denver.

Letter, Lt. Col. F. W. Thompson, N.M. Military Institute, Roswell, NM, January 13, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington.

Asks help securing appointment NM Internal Revenue Collector.

Card, T. W. Tomlinson, Willard Hotel, Denver, CO, Secretary, American National Live Stock Association. Written on card: Also A. S. Stinett, Amarillo, S. H. Ervan [?], Ft. Worth

Note, Department of Interior stationery, Nestler, undated, to Mr. Safford. Enclosed business card.

Tomlinson requested Nestler to give attached card to Safford.

Letter, C. V. Safford, January 19, 1921, to Col. F. W. Thompson, N. M. Military Institute, Roswell, NM.

Re appointment Collector Internal Rev., Fall cannot recommend until after State Central Committee meets.

Letter, W. W. Edwards, Narcotic Inspector, Treasury Department, New Orleans, LA, January 27, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Requests Fall support Truxtun for Asst. Fed. Prohibition Commissioner, Int. Rev. Bureau.

Letter, Personal, Sherman C. Kile, San Antonio, TX, January 30, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Two pages. Attached petition for appointment Collector of Customs.

Rejected for army appointment because he supplied info embarrassing administration to Fall Committee. Applying as Collector of Customs, supported by businessmen. Asks Fall's support.

Letter, Louis C. Ilfeld, Las Vegas, NM, February 3, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC. Two pages.

Endorses Frank D. Reid, Denver, wants position Revenue Agent, Denver Division.

Letter, C. L. Ballard, El Paso, TX, February 5, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Recommends Andrew McCampbell for Supervising Prohibition Agent, asks Fall s support.

Letter, C. V. Safford, February 8, 1921, to W. W. Edwards, New Orleans, LA.

Re W. T. Truxton application for Asst. Fed. Prohibition Commissioner, Int. Revenue Bureau.

Letter, Andrew McCampbell, Ft. Worth, TX, February 10, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Candidate, Supervising Federal Prohibition Agent, El Paso. Asks Fall s support.

Letter, Personal, Hugh H. Williams, Member of Republican State Central Committee from Luna County, Santa Fe, NM, March 9, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Endorses Col. F. W. Thompson for Internal Revenue Collector, NM.

Letter, B. [Benigno] C. Hernandez, Albuquerque, NM, March 14, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Requests help securing appointment as Internal Revenue Collector.

Telegram, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, March 15, 1921, to Clarence C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Treasury Dept. forwarding blanks. Will advise re Narpenner.

Telegram, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, March 17, 1921, to Clarence C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Per George B. Slater, Acting Collector Customs Division, no position for Carpenter at present.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, March 18, 1921, to B. C. Hernandez, Albuquerque, NM.

Secretary of Treasury recommended Hernandez recess appointment.

Letter, B. C. Hernandez, NM Republican State Committee, Albuquerque, NM, March 19, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Appreciates Fall s recommendation securing appointment as NM Internal Revenue Collector.

Letter, Dan Roberts, Tucson, AZ, March 22, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Two pages.

Asks support for appointment on Probation force.

Letter, Albert B. Fall, to the Secretary of the Treasury, March 23, 1921.

Per request for memo on Benigno C. Hernandez, encloses copy original application.

Letter, A. B. Fall, March 23, 1921, to J. E. Harper, Chief, Division of Appointments, Treasury Dept.

Has no copies endorsements recommending B. C. Hernandez, is endorsed by entire Republican state organization, prominent businessmen, Fall, & Sen. Bursum

Telegram, Albert B. Fall, March 25, 1921, to Benigno C. Hernandez, Albuquerque, NM.

President signed Hernandez commission as Collector of NM District.

Letter, unsigned, presumably from Chase, April 8, 1921, to Dan Roberts, Tucson, AZ.

Will support Roberts if possible.

Letter, Charles F. Curry, Glencoe, NM, April 10, 1921, to C. C. Chase.

Asks consideration any future opening.

Letter, Charles Smith, Nacozari, Sonora, Mex., April 17, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Two pages.

Asks position Customs Service or other government dept.

Telegram, Caton Maclavish, Tucson, AZ, April 25, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Asks Fall s influence securing permanent appointment John A. Toomey for Prohibition Supervisor, Mexican Border Division.

Letter, Dan Roberts, Tucson, AZ, April 26, 1921, to Clarence C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Asks Chase to speak to John A. Toomey for position as Prohibition Agent.

Letter, Charles Smith, Nacozari, Sonora, Mex., April 27, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Four pages.

Requests position Customs Service. Gives background Customs Service, Deputy Marshal.

Letter, unsigned, April 28, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Recommends J. Harrie Cloonan for Supervising Prohibition Agent for District.

Telegram, Johnnie Moffitt, El Paso, TX, April 30, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Recommends John Toomey for Fed. Prohibition Supervisor for AZ, TX & NM.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, May 3, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Received endorsement J. Harrie Cloonan for Supervising Prohibition Agent, El Paso.

Letter, June A. Hunt, El Paso, TX, May 6, 1921, to Clarence Chase, El Paso, TX.

Presents herself for position Deputy Collector, Customs, Columbus, NM.

Telegram, Al C. Bernard, El Paso, TX, May 8, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Endorses Toomey.

Letter, John W. Wilson, Albuquerque, NM, May 19, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Endorses Louis W. Galles for State Prohibition Officer.

Letter, W., H. Duckworth, May 21, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington.

Endorses L. W. Galles for State Prohibition Enforcement Officer.

Letter, C. V. Safford, May 23, 1921, to George C. Kelley, Tampa, Florida.

Re application as Florida State Prohibition Agent.

Letter, C. V. Safford, May 23, 1921, to John W. Wilson, Cromwell Block, Albuquerque, NM.

Fall considering Wilson s letter recommending L. W. Galles.

Other endorsements of Louis W. Galles for State Prohibition Officer of NM.

Letter, Hugh H. Williams, Chairman, NM State Corporation Commission, Santa Fe, NM,
April 28, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC, recommending Galles.

C. V. Safford, May 3, 1921, to Hugh H. Williams, Santa Fe, NM., acknowledging letter of
recommendation.

Telegram, Anna Wilds Strunquist, Albuquerque, NM, May 17, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington,
DC, endorsing L. W. Galles.

C. V. Safford, May 20, 1921, to Miss Anna Wilds Strunquist, State President, WCTU,
Albuquerque, NM, replying to telegram of recommendation.

Letter, Johnnie Moffitt, Scranton, Pennsylvania, May 25, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Recommends Toomey for Prohibition Supervisor, El Paso. Asks Fall s support of Toomey.

Letter, C. V. Safford, May 27, 1921, to Gov. E. H. Duckworth, Clovis, New Mexico.

Received endorsement of L. W. Galles for State Prohibition Agent.

Letter, L. E. Gould, Brece, NM, May 30, 1921, to Clarence Chase, El Paso, TX.

Expresses thanks for placing application for position mounted force on file.

Letter, C. V. Safford, June 13, 1921, to Johnnie Moffitt, El Paso, TX.

Received May 25 letter re application John A. Toomey for appointment Prohibition Supervisor.

Letter, P. B. Hunt, Internal Revenue Service, Fourth District, Dallas, TX, June 14, 1911 [correct date 1921], to R. E. Cabell, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, Washington, DC.

Recommends Andrew McCampbell for Internal Revenue Agent.

Letter, Eugene Montague, Lordsburg, NM, July 2, 1921, to Clarence Chase.

Recommends J. D. Yarbrough & O. J. McKinney for line riders, Cloverdale District, NM.

Letter, unsigned, presumably from Chase, July 7, 1921, to Eugene Montague, Lordsburg, NM.

Received recommendation Yarbrough & McKinney. No openings for line riders at this time.

Letter, C. B. Hudspeth, House of Representatives, December 9, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Recommends Frank Russell, river guard at El Paso.

Letter, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, December 19, 1921, to C. B. Hudspeth, Washington, DC.

Re prospects Frank Russell for river guard.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, June 27, 1922, to W. D. D. Smith, Divisional Chief, General Prohibition Agent, El Paso, TX.

Introduces recommends D. Smoot for prohibition forces.

Letter, John Joerns, State Educ. Auditor, Santa Fe, NM, November 27, 1922, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Requests position Budget Dept. or other government work, or assistance getting position with commercial or railroad firm or corporation as tax agent.

Folder 7 Postmaster General, Patronage

Telegram, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, January 6, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Clerkships open El Paso Post Office. Favors Theresa Morrison for one.

Letter, unsigned, May 28, 1921, to Albert B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Letter of intro. to M. L. Willis, livestock agent, San Carlos Indian Agency. Wishes to speak with Fall re position he is interested in.

Letter, Howard A. Chase, Frankfort, South Dakota, August 11, 1921, to Clarence Chase, El Paso, TX.

Applied, Postmaster position, Frankfort. Asks Fall recommendation.

Letter, unsigned, September 14, 1921, to Howard A. Chase, Frankfort, South Dakota.

Receive letter of application Postmaster of Frankfort.

Letter, unsigned, presumably from Chase, January 6, 1922, to Chas. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Enlarges on telegram favoring Miss Morrison. Postmaster in El Paso holdover from Democratic administration.

Letter, A. B. Fall, July 21, 1922, to John H. Bartlett, First Assistant Post Master General, Washington.

Endorsement of Clarence Nohe, Div. of Finance, for Asst. Post Master General.

Letter, John H. Bartlett, First Assistant Post Master General, Washington, DC, March 23, 1923, to Mrs. A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Received letter in favor James L. Reed, Jr., for Postmaster, Clarkesville, TX.

BOX 10 Clarence C. Chase Papers. Chase was Fall's son-in-law, and was Collector of Customs in El Paso, TX, in the early 1920's.

Folder 1 Chase's Personal and Business Papers and Correspondence, 1915-1921

Letter, C. C. Chase, Cananea Cattle Co., Naco, AZ, August 10, 1915, to Livestock Sanitary Board, Santa Fe, NM.

Asks info on procedure recording cattle brand Otero County, NM, near Three Rivers.

Letter, W. J. Linwood, Secretary, Cattle Sanitary Board of NM, Albuquerque, NM, August 14, 1912, to C. C. Chase, c/o Cananea Cattle Company, Naco, AZ.

Encloses applications for recording brands. Brand books change daily, cannot commit on brand.

Letter, C. C. Chase, Naco, AZ, c/o Cananea Cattle Company, August 17, 1915, to W. L. Linwood, Secretary, Cattle Sanitary Board, Albuquerque, NM.

Encloses \$1 with application for cattle on Three Rivers range.

Letter, W. J. Linwood, Secretary, Cattle Sanitary Board, Albuquerque, NM, August 21, 1915, to C. C. Chase, Naco, AZ.

Encloses applications for use. No suggestions for brands since so many represented.

Letter, C. C. Chase, Naco, AZ, January 21, 1916, to W. J. Linwood, Secretary, Cattle Sanitary Board of NM, Albuquerque, NM.

Encloses \$1.00 fee with application for cattle Three Rivers, NM, range.

Letter, W. J. Linwood, Secretary, Cattle Sanitary Board of NM, Albuquerque, NM, March 3, 1916, to C. C. Chase, Naco, AZ.

Cannot record RO & O as kept-up brand. Encloses another application for another choice.

Letter, C. C. Chase, Naco, AZ, March 7, 1916, to Cattle Sanitary Board of NM, Albuquerque, NM.

Received letter that O & RO cannot be used for permanent brands. Enclosed application.

Letter, J. E. Benton, Assistant Cashier, First National Bank, El Paso, TX, April 7, 1917, to C. C. Chase, Three Rivers, NM.

Received \$10 check for savings account, Emma Adair Chase. Encloses passbook, et al.

Letter, C. C. Chase, Three Rivers, NM, April 10, 1917, to First National Bank, El Paso, TX.

Re Savings Acct. 17856, Miss Chase, signature card signed C. C. Chase behalf of Emma Adair.

Letter, J. E. Benton, First National Bank, El Paso, TX, April 11, 1917, to C. C. Chase, Three Rivers, NM.

Received letter & signature card.

Letter, C. C. Chase, Patagonia, AZ, December 31, 1919, to First National Bank, El Paso, TX.

Enclosed Mrs. C. E. Wiswall's \$20 check. Credit \$10 Emma Adair Chase Account, \$10 account A. B. F. Chase.

Letter, M. T. Everhart [President] Hatchet Cattle Co., Pueblo, CO, to C. C. Chase, January 16, 1920.

May be in position to pay due Chase, not make new note. Can change old note to \$1,680.

Receipt, Insured Mail, C. C. Chase, March 30, 1920.

Letter, Otto H. Herold, V. P., First National Bank, Nogales, AZ, April 9, 1920, to C. C. Chase, Patagonia, AZ.

Received certificate 40 shares, capital stock, United Verde Extension Mining Co. in name of C. C. Chase.

Telegram, Alex, Three Rivers, NM, January 3, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Notice arrival home.

Letter, C. C. Chase, Patagonia, AZ, February 5, 1921, to C. E. Wiswall, Cananea, Sonora, Mex. Two pp.

Reports on cattle, San Rafael Ranch near Patagonia.

Telegram, C. C. Wiswall, Los Angeles, CA, March 8, 1921, to C. C. Chase, Nogales, AZ.

No replacement for Chase determined. Wants someone left in charge, instruct person to record calves as dropped, regret Chase leaving.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Washington, DC, March 12, 1921, to C. C. Chase, San Rafael Ranch, Nogales, AZ.

Chase confirmed as Collector of Customs, El Paso. Suggests proceeding there immediately.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Washington, DC, March 14, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Suggests Chase see Monary immediately about bond.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, March 29, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Wiswall arranged Chase interview with members House subcommittee. Fall arranged audience with Senator Penrose.

Letter, E. E. Heady, March 30, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Enclosed bills, household goods; receipt, Insured Mail, For Mrs. J. Fall, 3/30/21.

Imprest Statement for March, San Rafael, March 31, 1921. Report, Sales.

Invoice, West Texas Fuel Co., El Paso, TX, March 31, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. For wood.

Bulletin [to livestock owners], Cattle Sanitary Board of NM, April 1, 1921. With return envelope.

NM Fifth Legislature recent law requires livestock owners register brands by July 1, 1921.

Letter, George White, Cananea, Mexico, April 2, 1921, to C. C. Chase. Three pages.

Asks why replaced, reason for low salary. Wants job Three Rivers, or El Paso.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, April 5, 1921, to A. B. Fall. Two pages.

Received commission, took charge of office. Encloses copy oath of office, appointments made.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, April 8, 1921, to W. E. Pomeroy, New York.

Received letter of congratulations.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, April 8, 1921, to W. J. Farragut, El Tigre, Sonora, Mexico.

Received letter of congratulations.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, April 8, 1921, to First National Bank, Nogales, AZ.

Wants certificate 40 shares, United Verde Extension & Mining Co., forwarded registered mail.

Letter, Will R. Shutes, El Paso Piano Co., El Paso, TX, April 11, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Letter of welcome to city.

Letter, R. D. Reid (cousin of Chase), Nogales, AZ, April 13, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Two pp.

Nogales Lodge will El Paso Lodge to confer degree, states fees, directions.

Letter, John H. Page, Phoenix, AZ, April 16, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Received letter with application, renewal lease Section 16 T. 24-A, R. 21-E; will act.

Application for Re-Recording Brand, C. C. Chase, April 20, 1921, Three Rivers, Otero County, NM.

Letter, A. J. Milliken, Secretary-Treasurer, Arizona Cotton Growers Association, Tempe, AZ, April 23, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Two pages.

Re Milliken s application for government position. Local news.

Postcard, J. E. Edgington, County Assessor, Alamogordo, NM, April 25, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Notice of 1921 School District 10 tax assessment, Three Rivers, \$670.

Letter, R. D. Reid, Nogales, AZ, April 27, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Two pages.

Chase s lodge application; Cameron inquiry Wiswall s success. Wants government position.

Letter, Geo. White, Herford, AZ, April 28, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Four pages.

Writer camping out until Jaime Soto moves, remaining with company.

Letter, unsigned, presumably C. C. Chase, April 28, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Re salaries Chief Examiner, Special Deputy; salary recommendations.

Stockholders Letter, United Verde Extension Mining Co., New York, May 2, 1921. As of 4/5/21.

Letter, Geo. White, Herford, AZ, May 2, 1921, to C. C. Chase. Two pages.

Laid off, asks for job.

Letter, M. T. Everhart, Hatchet Cattle Co., Pueblo, CO, May 8, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Received Chase letter quoting telegram.

Letter, Ray (cousin), Nogales, AZ, May 13, 1921, to C. C. Chase.

Re possibility of position through Judge Fall.

Letter, A. L. Hauck, Treasurer, Cananea Cattle Co., Sonora, Mexico, May 14, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Encloses 2 checks, Imprest Statement March (sales, San Rafael Ranch, March 31, 1921).

Postcard, C. P. Sands, Secretary, United Verde Extension and Mining Co., New York, May 17, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Thanks for favor, noted address change.

Letter, Ray [cousin R. L. Reid], Nogales, AZ, May 20, 1921, to C. C. Chase. Two pages, with envelope .

Asks for news from Washington. Happy Chase will be Mason.

Telegram, Alex, Washington, DC, May 21, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Expected return to El Paso.

Telegram (draft), C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, May 23, 1921, to C. E. Wiswall, Naco, AZ.

Re Faddis & proposed trip. Possible buyer for steers.

Letter, C. E. Wiswall, Naco, AZ, May 25, 1921, to C. C. Chase. Two pages.

Asks info re returning steers to Mexico & then back to U. S. without paying duty.

Telegram, C. E. Wiswall, Hereford, AZ, May 26, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Shipping 500 yearlings, wants Faddis to see them.

Letter, C. C. Chase, May 28, 1921, to C. E. Wiswall, Cananea, Sonora, Mexico.

Shipment yearlings to El Paso, believe steers from Mexico cannot be returned duty free.

Letter, C. E. Wiswall, Cananea Cattle Co., Cananea, Sonora, Mexico, May 28, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Re Faddis opinion new tariff bill in effect.

Letter, A. J. Milliken, Arizona Cotton Growers Association, Tempe, AZ, May 28, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Four pages.

Expresses thanks for reply re position. Political situation.

Letter, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, May 28, 1921, to R. L. Reid, Nogales, AZ. Two pages.

Relates situation job propositions. Chase election to lodge.

Letter, F. D. Abbott, Chicago, Illinois, May 28, 1921, to C. C. Chase. Three pages.

Writer cannot return El Paso because Chase & Fall did not receive salary promised.

Letter, Oscar E. Roos, Howard Hatter & Haberdasher, El Paso, TX, May 30, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Announces new position.

Letter, C. E. Wiswall, Cananea, Sonora, Mexico, June 2, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Sold yearlings, \$24, Sterling, CO. Denver price; pasture U. S., Mexico. Cattle available for sale.

Letter, C. C. Chase, June 10, 1921, to C. E. Wiswall, Cananea, Sonora, Mexico.

Opinion cattle prices; pessimistic view market, pasture, rain.

Telegram, M. T. Everhart, Pueblo, CO, June 11, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Family at ranch during flood, all well.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, June 17, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Received letter, enclosure Elliott letter. Navy Dept. not opening recruitment office El Paso.

Letter, Ray (cousin), Nogales, AZ, June 21, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Government Job situation. Reports anti-Fall remarks by collector, Nogales.

Postcard, Ray [cousin R. L. Reid], Nogales, AZ, June 30, 1921, to C. C. Chase.

Mother visiting Chase. Mexico address.

Letter, R. S. Gray, Manager, West Coast Hide Co., Inc., Nogales, AZ, June 30, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Gratitude for Chase's aid looking after writer's wife on way to Mexico.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, July 25, 1921, to E. Ybarra, Governor, Lower CA, Mexicali, L. C.

Letter of introduction to Kenneth D. Oliver

Letter, E. Ybarra, Gobernador del Distrito, Norte de la Baja CA [Mexico], July 30, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Willingness to aid any friends of Chase.

Letter, C. N. Bassett, President, State National Bank, El Paso, TX, August 4, 1921, to C. C. Chase, Three Rivers, NM.

Received Chase letter, declines invitation to visit Chase, plans to go to California.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Yosemite Lodge, CA, August 10, 1921, to Mrs. A. B. Fall, c/o Chase, El Paso, TX.

Activities in Yosemite, immediate plans.

Letter, Charles Smith, Nacozari, AZ, August 15, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Two pages.

Cattle, pasture in Arizona. Wants conference with Fall re government position.

Concerning San Rafael Registered Herd Records, by Hoffman, April 29, 1921. Two pages.

Cattle Register Books, Pasture Ledger, other record sheets.

Telegram, Alex, Three Rivers, NM, September 4, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Proposes Chase visit Three Rivers, Hatchet round-up.

Letter, A. F. Haven, Cananea Cattle Co., Cananea, Sonora, Mexico, September 7, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Encloses Chase's August sales.

Letter, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, September 7, 1921, to Jessie (Chase's sister).

Letter, Jessie, September 9, 1921, to Clarence [C. C. Chase], El Paso, TX, (written on bottom, reverse side of Chase September 7 letter). Two pages.

Chase's letter: Asks re Howard A. Chase, unable to help, Postmaster Gen. not dictating appointments, leaving them to Senators. Jessie's letter: Identifies Chase. Opinion re request government position. Sale of their ranch, \$14,000 netted.

Telegram, Alex, Three Rivers, NM, September 12, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Arrival El Paso.

Telegram, Mother, La Junta, CO, September 20, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Arrival El Paso.

Telegram (draft), C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, September 20, 1921, to J. T. Johnson, Three Rivers, NM.

Imrie going to hospital, asks Johnson see to matters at ranch, conditions poor.

Letter, S. J. Freudenthal, President, El Paso County Republican Club, El Paso, TX, September 20, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Recent constitutional amendment provided only U. S. Citizens permitted to vote. Politically would effectively eliminate illiterate voters. Republican Club movement for honest election, asks funds to record, obtain evidence for qualified voters.

Telegram (draft), C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, September 20, 1921, to M. T. Everhart, Three Rivers, NM.

Mrs. Fall s arrival from Billings.

Letter, F. M. Patterson, *El Paso Herald*, September 21, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Received check for subscription.

Telegram, C. E. Wiswall, Los Angeles, CA, September 22, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Will give new note for 3 or 6 months, as Chase prefers.

Postcard, John C. McCall, NY Life Insurance Co., NY, September 26, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Received Chase s favor re change of address, policy No. 989580.

Letter, C. C. Chase, September 27, 1921, to C. E. Wiswall, Cananea, Sonora, Mexico. Two enclosures.

Bank Inquiry answered; can raise cash immediately, prefers 3-month basis. Encloses note October 1, 1921, to Wiswall, \$4,000, payable 90 days, 8% int. Encloses old note December 15, 1919, \$4,000, marked paid with new note.

Letter, R. C. Drisdale, September 29, 1921, to C. C. Chase.

Declines job offer, \$75 p/month would not justify change. Sending T. Thompson in place.

Telegram, Mother, Three Rivers, NM, October 1, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Asks Chase & nd Alex to come with A. B. [Fall] at noon.

Letter, C. C. Coff, Cananea Cattle Co., Cananea, Sonora, Mexico, October 3, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Encloses draft \$130 payment for season s tally & draft No. 114 for registration.

Letter, A. F. Haven, Cananea Cattle Co., Cananea, Sonora, , Mexico, October 5, 1921, to C. C. Chase.

Draft for \$14.33 with interest to October 1; \$13.33 and stamps \$.80.

Letter, F. C. Hunnam, Land and Investment, El Paso, TX, October 13, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Re Falls residence, asks interest in trading for valley farm.

Telegram, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, October 19, 1921, to W. M. Hanson, Los Angeles, CA.

Secretary Fall in Washington, DC.

Telegram, W. M. Hanson, Los Angeles, CA, October 19, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Asks confidentially where to reach Fall.

Letter, Eva (Chase s cousin), The Palace, San Francisco, CA, Tuesday, A. M., no date, to C. C. Chase.
Two pages.

Departure for Sacramento, upon return will endeavor to support Mr. Weeks.

Letter, Aunt Mary, October 9, presumably 1921, to C. C. Chase.

Received apples Los Angeles. Enjoyed seeing Falls.

Telegram, John W. Smith, El Paso, TX, October 9, 1921, to C. C. Chase, Three Rivers, NM.

Asks Chase to speak to Fall re Indian Services matter, writer will come see Fall if requested.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, October 12, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Fall not well, going Chicago. Asks Chase contact Thompson, others to come Three Rivers.

Telegram, C. E. Wiswall, Naco, AZ, October 13, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Asks if Fall in Three Rivers, wishes to see him on personal matter.

Letter, Charles J. Mapel, Newman Investment Co., El Paso, TX, October 13, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso.

Re insurance on house Chase recently purchased.

Letter, J. M. Bowman, First National Bank, Las Cruces, NM, October 24, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Attended ceremonies El Paso.

Letter, C. C. Chase, October 27, 1921, to John M. Bowman, Las Cruces, NM.

Regret didn't see Bowman, relieved being through ceremonies.

Letter, L. P. McChesney, El Paso, November 1, 1921, to Mrs. A. B. Fall, El Paso, TX.

Proposed estimate to install secondhand bathtub, new lavatory, Topeka rooming house.

Bulletin to Stockholders, United Verde Extension and Mining Company, New York, November 1, 1921.

Telegram, Clarence [C. C. Chase], Glen Springs, TX, November 10, 1921, to Mrs. C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Leaving Glen Springs, arriving Presidio, asks re things in El Paso.

Telegram, C. C. Chase, Marfa, TX, November 14, 1921, to Mrs. C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Arrival El Paso.

Letter, unsigned, probably C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, Wednesday, November 17, no year, to C. C. Chase. Two pages, incomplete.

Conference with Hoover re Bula's invention; Burk re Scofield; investigation of record.

Letter, R. D. Daniel, Furniture & Mattress Factory, El Paso, TX, November 18, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Enclosure.

Re enclosed correspondence about work ordered by Chase, repairs.

Telegram, Victoria Montague, San Antonio, TX, November 23, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

States arrival mother El Paso.

Letter, Victoria Montague, San Antonio, TX, November 28, 1921, to C. C. Chase. Three pages.

Received message re mother's arrival, expresses appreciation of Chase kindness.

Letter, John B. Bowman, Las Cruces, NM, November 30, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Asks if Fall will come through El Paso, wants to see him.

Letter, James G. McNary, President, First National Bank, El Paso, TX, December 2, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Wants to see Fall but must leave for Mexico City.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, December 8, 1921, to E. K. Cumming, Nogales, AZ.

Encloses fire ins. policy ranch house, San Rafael. Should be cancelled, asks for refund if due.

Letter, F. C. Hunnam Co., El Paso, TX. December 12, 1921, to Mrs. Chase.

Offers lots for sale, lists.

Telegram, Albert B. Fall, Yuma, AZ, December 13, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

States arrival El Paso.

Letter, W. W. Keyte, Nogales Insurance Agency, Nogales, AZ, December 14, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Agent, Nogales Insurance Co., received Chase directions to cancel policy, sends refund.

F. C. Hunnam, El Paso, TX. December 14, 1921, to C. C. Chase.

Re Piedmont Heights lots.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, December 15, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Request for shotgun shells.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, December 15, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC

Encloses express receipt for papers sent Fall per Clunn s instructions.

Letter, A. P. Coles, Pres., Toltec Club, El Paso, TX, December 15, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Received application club membership. Board will act, tells Chase use club, privileges.

Letter, J. L. Lawson, Alamogordo, NM, December 16, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Went to Carrizozo to meet Harris re defects in titles, no abstracts available.

Letter, W. W. Stadtman, Pres., Lincoln Abstract & Investment Trust, Carrizozo, NM, December 20, 1921, to J. L. Lawson, Alamogordo, NM. Enclosed Abstract No. 280.

Re abstract, E. O. Finley title to Brownfield & Harris. Other Harris estate abstracts complete except tax & suit search.

Letter, J. C. Elliott, El Paso, TX, December 22, 1921, to C. C. Chase, Three Rivers, New Mexico.

Sent Chase Christmas package.

Report to Stockholders, United Verde Extension Mining Co., NY.

Report, Operations Year Ending December 31, 1921, & Treasurer's Report/Balance Sheet.

Booklet, You and the Federal Budget, A Two-minute Talk on Government Economy. Seven pages.

Folder 2 Chase's Personal and Business Papers and Correspondence, 1922-1924

Envelope, postmarked 1922, to C. C. Chase, from Collector of Customs, San Francisco, CA.

Letter, L. Montes de Oca, Consul General de Mexico, El Paso, TX, January 7, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Two pages.

Apologizes for discourtesy, unintentional, re Mrs. Fall's visit Mexico. Difficulty with language.

Letter, Frank Van Leer, Jr., National Council of American Importers & Traders, Inc., NY, January 12, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Blank Questionnaire attached.

Asks opinion practicability American Valuation Plan, Fordney Tariff Bill, before Senate Finance Committee. Proposing publishing remarks.

Letter, A. F. Ramirez, Cashier, Mercantile Banking Co. of Cananea, Sonora, Mexico, January 18, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Encloses NY Exchange No. 101670 \$100 dividend, 10 shares stock, 10%. Wants receipt for payment Dividend No. 5. [Note: Chase, director, 1922 board.]

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, January 18, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Wants Alex to keep Fall posted Bebe's condition. Business matters, impossible to get away.

Letter, F. C. Hunnam, El Paso, TX, January 30, 1922, to C. C. Chase.

Dr. Rigney will make deal Chase residence for farm.

Notice of Annual Stockholders Meeting, United Verde Extension Mining Co., NY, January 31, 1922.

Notice of Dividend payment through January 9, 1922, by United Verde Extension Mining Co. of NY, February 1, 1922.

Letter, presumably C. C. Chase, February 4, 1922, to Mrs. Fall, Washington, DC. Two pages.

Turbeville roof repairs, possibility prosecution obtaining money under false pretenses. Turbeville bankrupt, not worth suit.

Letter, George G. Barber, Carrizozo, NM, February 15, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Claim Oscuro Mts., Clark Nust s request. Asks if willing relinquish homestead, encloses form.

Letter, Hays Walker, Publisher, *American Hereford Journal*, Kansas City, Missouri, February 23, 1922, to C. C. Chase, Superintendent of San Rafael Ranch, Patagonia, AZ. Two pages.

Re May 1 issue *American Hereford Journal*, asks Chase write history of herefords on range, to be included in description Southwest matters.

Letter, J. T. Adams, Chairman, Republican National Committee, Washington, DC, February 27, 1922, to C. C. Chase, Three Rivers, NM. Blank forms attached: 1 for men, 1 for women.

Requests forms be filled out; get precinct names, addresses 10 men, 10 women active Rep. Party.

Statement to Masons & Members of Families In El Paso ..., March 11, 1922, C. L. Ezell, Chairman, Committee/Sale of Baby Bonds, & C. L. Wolfe, Secy., Desk-Security Bank & Trust, El Paso.

Re purchase Rolston Hospital as General Hospital & 12 adjoining lots, \$130,00, financed by sale of bonds, including \$60,000 in \$50 baby bonds, 6% int., redeemable 10 years. Attached: Itemized payments receipt, Masonic Hospital Assn to C. C. Chase for 1 bond.

Letter, Aunt Mary (Mrs. M. C. Reid), Chicago, IL, March 19, 1922, to C. C. Chase. Envelope, 4 pp.

Taxi accidently hit Chase s father Dec. 23, unable to work, Bertha injured, unable to get around.

Letter, F. F. Maurac, Three Rivers, NM, April 3, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Two pages.

Rabbit damage to Chase s fruit trees, requests Tanglefoot paste, 5 pounds.

Letter, F. C. Hunnam, El Paso, TX, April 10, 1922, to C. C. Chase.

Re Fall s proposed visit, trade for Rigney property.

Letter, F. C. Hunnam, El Paso, TX, April 14, 1922, to C. C. Chase.

Re proposed trade Fall property for Rigney farm.

Letter, F. C. Hunnam, El Paso, TX, April 14, 1922, to C. C. Chase.

Trade of lots; current price Fall house; Golden Hill.

Bulletin, United Verde Extension Mining Company, NY, May 1, 1922.

Letter, C. E. Wiswall, Cananea, Sonora, Mexico, May 2, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Appreciates assistance securing info.

Letter, Dr. F. P. Miller, General Chairman [State Medical Assn.], El Paso, TX, May 8, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Invitation, General Session, State Medical Assn., Liberty Hall, El Paso, TX,.

Letter, unsigned (presumably Chase), May 10, 1922, to Joseph F. Fike, El Paso, TX.

Returns enclosed papers re pension matters, requests Fike submit case to Fall in Washington.

Letter, J. R. McCarl, Comptroller Gen., by C. T. McCutcheon, Federal Accounting Office, Post Office Division, Washington, DC, May 16, 1922, to C. C. Chase, former Postmaster, Three Rivers, NM.

Encloses draft \$2.06, final settlement due Postal/Money Order accounts at termination of office.

Letter, unsigned, San Francisco Commercial Club, May 17, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Invitation to joint luncheon to honor Elmer Dover, May 23.

Letter, S. J. Briant, General Secretary, YMCA, El Paso, TX, May 18, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso.

Encloses Treasurer s receipt, money turned in by Chase.

Letter, Thos. P. Keating, Assistant Manager, Hotel St. Francis, San Francisco, CA, May 26, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Found comb/brush in Chase s room after departure, asks disposition.

Telegram, Alex, El Paso, TX, May 27, 1922, to C. C. Chase, c/o C. E. Wiswall, Hollywood, CA.

Advises matters in El Paso all right.

Letter, Thos. B. Keating, Assistant Manager, Hotel St. Francis, San Francisco, CA, May 31, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Comb, brush, whisk broom forwarded.

Telegram, Mother, Washington, DC, June 29, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Directions to accept McChesney offer; mailing letters, packages to Three Rivers.

Telegram, Alex, Three Rivers, NM, July 3, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Advertisement Sunday *Times*, woman to care for children. Requests Chase investigate.

Letter, Chas. B. Stevens, El Paso, TX, July 5, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Notice, meeting Republican Executive Committee.

Letter, Chas. Davis, Mayor, El Paso, TX, July 11, 1922, to C. C. Chase.

Requests permission to fish on Mescalero Reservation.

Letter, B. L. Meyer, Assistant Cashier, First National Bank, El Paso, TX, July 18, 1922, to C. C. Chase, Three Rivers, NM.

Received letter, \$1,680,000 check. Encloses deposit slip.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, July 26, 1922, to C. E. Wiswall, Cananea, Sonora, Mexico.

Felipe Seijas knows nothing re Trinidad papers, tax payment. Amador in charge foreign affairs. Advises where to get data.

Telegram, Alex, Three Rivers, NM, July 29, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Valuable package sent by train.

Letter, W. H. Case, Secretary, Republican County Committee, El Paso, TX, July 31, 1922, to C. C. Chase

Notice, election to Republican State Convention, Fort Worth, Texas, August 8, 1922.

Letter to Stockholders, United Verde Extension Mining Co., NY, August 1, 1922.

Telegram, C. M. Newman, El Paso, TX, August 7, 1922, to C. C. Chase, Fort Worth, TX.

McNary departure, not candidate for position. Unable to join Chase.

Telegram, Mother, Three Rivers, NM, August 8, 1922, to C. C. Chase, Hotel Texas, Fort Worth, TX.

Notify Creager, Shaw wants Federal Reserve Bank appointment.

Letter, F. C. Hunnam, El Paso, TX, August 9, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Possible to trade Mrs. Fall s El Paso property for Fall home, prices.

Telegram, Mrs. A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, August 12, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Glad to talk with party if will go Three Rivers or Alamogordo.

Letter, Gladys Reid, Glenview, Illinois, August 17, 1922, to C. C. Chase (cousin). Two pages.

Expected arrival El Paso.

Letter, Mother, no date, to C. C. Chase. Two pages.

Requests Chase deposit enclosed amount, will send check McChesney. Asks re vacant store rent.

Letter, Mother, El Paso, TX, Sunday (no date), to C. C. Chase. Six pages.

Two hours wait. Renting room adjoining Mexican company, Prizon St.

Telegram, C. E. Wiswall, Naco, AZ, September 9, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Asks whereabouts John C. Hayes.

Telegram, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, no date, to C. E. Wiswall, Naco, AZ.

Hayes at El Paso, remaining 2 days.

Telegram, Jouett, Port Royal, Virginia, September 21, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Asks about Alex.

Letter, C. A. Wise, First National Bank, El Paso, TX, September 21, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Congratulates family birth Mary Alexina Chase, encloses \$1 coupon to start savings account.

Letter, C. E. Wiswall, Cananea, Sonora, Mexico, September 22, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Mailed registration certificates to Chase.

Letter, John M. Bowman, Las Cruces, NM, September 26, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Congratulates family on new daughter.

Letter, S. J. Brient, General Secretary, YMCA, El Paso, September 29, 1922, to C. C. Chase.

Encloses membership card, receipt for money.

Letter, T. M. Wingo, VP, City National Bank, El Paso, TX, October 4, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso.

Received note re Kimbrough s needs.

Letter, unsigned, presumably Chase, October 4, 1922, to C. E. Wiswall, Cananea, Sonora, Mexico.

Forwarding stock cert., Santa Cruz Reservoir Co., to Gen. Manning, Tucson, to sign as Pres.
Chase signed as company Secy.

Letter, H. G. Clunn, Private Secretary, November 1922, to Theodore M. Knappen, Washington.

Encloses article (missing) recently left for Fall s approval, amended by Fall.

Letter to Stockholders, United Verde Extension Mining Co., NY, November 1, 1922.

Telegram, Alex, Three Rivers, NM, November 9, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Guests arrive Three Rivers, 10th, asks Chase to come up.

Telegram (draft), W. L. Barber, Langtry, TX, November 24, 1922, to Porter. Five pages.

Appointed Receiver, bunch of sheep. District full of booze runners.

Letter, F. C. Hunnam, El Paso, TX, November 28, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso.

Offering Western Hotel property in trade.

Letter, J. A. Imrie, Three Rivers Trading Co., Three Rivers, NM, December 1, 1922, to Mrs. C. C. Chase.

Cartons, cans to send butter in.

Letter, H. G. Clunn, Secretary, Washington, DC, December 6, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Unable locate Fall s NY Life Ins. Policy. Requests check safety deposit box, black tin box with name Davis Brothers Real Estate. Policy for \$5,000 maturing 1923.

Letter, F. C. Hunnam, El Paso, TX, December 18, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Offers Oasis Hotel in exchange for good home.

Letter, J. R. Bennett, President a & Cashier, Bennett Bank & Trust Co., Ellerbe, NC, December 27, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Two pages.

Asks info re money owed Fall by Mrs. Minnie E. Mintz, Fall option for \$10,000 on ranch.

Statement, R. L. Daniel Furniture & Mattress Factory, El Paso, TX, December 31, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

For account, \$21.00. Fall will not recognize work wife ordered, asks Chase pay.

Telegram, L. L. Roberts, Las Cruces, NM, January 7, 1923, to Mrs. Chase, Washington, DC.

Regarding bay horse.

Telegram, Alex, Washington, DC, January 9, 1923, to C. C. Chase, Golden State Limited, Westbound, Kansas City, Missouri.

Doctor s opinion, prospects for complete recovery.

Telegram, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, January 11, 1923, to Mrs. Chase, Washington, DC.

Re trip home.

Telegram, Alex, Washington, DC, January 12, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Very much improved, hope to be out soon ...

Telegram, Aunt Mary, Los Angeles, CA, January 19, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Mrs. Petty requested Mary ask her brother for \$50. No longer in sanitarium, asks advice.

Telegram, Alex, Washington, January 20, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Fall sending money to Gates, Alex's health.

Letter, presumably from C. C. Chase, January 25, 1923, to Mercantile Banking Company, Cananea, Sonora, Mexico.

Received draft, \$60 for \$6 dividend per share, 10 shares.

Letter, S. J. Brient, General Secretary, YMCA, El Paso, TX, February 1, 1923, to C. C. Chase.

Received gift to annual budget, encloses receipt.

Letter, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, February 9, 1923, to Federal Reserve Bank, Dallas, TX.

Enclosed war savings certificate cards to cash, deposit children's savings accounts.

Report, United Verde Extension Mining Company, submitted Annual Stockholders Meeting February 20, 1923, Statement of Earnings/Balance Sheet as at December 31, 1922. Four pages.

Telegram, Alex, Washington, DC, March 9, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Fall's departure, William's sickness.

Telegram, Alex, Washington, DC, March 11, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Status of William's health.

Telegram, Alex, Washington, DC, March 14, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Arrival El Paso Golden State Limited.

Telegram, N. A. Shaw, Texarkana, AK, March 23, 1923, to T. A. Case *[sic]* El Paso, TX.

Asks whereabouts Sen. & Mrs. Fall.

Letter, G. Van Doren, Office of Director, Special Agency Service, U. S. Customs, Washington, DC, April 12, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Minor incident in Juarez, Mrs. Van Doren suffered no mishap.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, April 30, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Request to reserve room Paso del Norte.

Bulletin, United Verde Extension Mining Company, May 1, 1923.

Letter, Frank N. Thayer, Treasury Department, U. S. Customs Service, Office of Collector, Los Angeles, CA, May 4, no year, to C. C. Chase.

Asks whether proposed meeting can take place next week.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, May 23, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Requests Chase leave immediately for Three Rivers.

Letter, presumably C. C. Chase, May 29, 1923, to T. M. Wingo, Vice President, City National Bank, El Paso, TX.

Bessie Case wishes to borrow \$500 from bank, 30- or 60-day terms. Property owner Case expects to trade land to Fall.

Telegram, C. E. Wiswall, Naco, AZ, no date, to C. C. Chase, Three Rivers, NM.

Power of attorney returned to Wiswall, glad to have Chase visit.

Letter, H. W. Peacock, Faywood Hot Springs Co., Faywood, NM, July 18, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Proposes Mexican government oil concession Tabasco for sale to Fall or friends.

Telegram, Sheehy, Three Rivers, NM, July 26, 1923, to C. C. Chase, Three Rivers, NM.

Asks amount Grant's salary.

Bulletin, United Verde Extension Mining Company, August 1, 1923.

Letter, William Pickrell, Power House, August 14, 1923, to C. C. Chase.

Re leather belt, take up for generator.

Letter, C. Ott, El Paso Bitulithic Co., El Paso, TX, August 22, 1923, to C. C. Chase, Three Rivers, NM.

Encloses contract paving property front Park Rd., to be signed notarized. City authorized work.

Telegram, Mother, Washington, DC, no date, to Mrs. C. C. Chase, Three Rivers, NM.

Fall leaving Washington to see children, then leaving for Colorado.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Hachita, NM, September 12, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Asks \$100 subscription Japanese Relief Fund, behalf Fall, charge Fall's First National account.

Telegram, A. B. Fall, Los Angeles, CA, September 25, 1923, to Mrs. C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Arrival Mrs. Fall Golden State.

Letter, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, September 25, 1923, to C. E. Wiswall, Cananea, Sonora, Mexico.

Attaches copy letter of interest. Reliability of Col. Clifford, competent in business.

Letter, F. A. Parker, Three Rivers, NM, September 26, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Four pages.

Re concrete belting for pump, steel drill or 8" pump pulley. Re new well being drilled.

Telegram, J. A. Imrie, Three Rivers, NM, October 11, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Mailing papers Fall addressed care of Chase, registered mail special delivery.

Telegram, Mother, Three Rivers, NM, October 27, 1923, to Mrs. C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Proposed visit Mr. & Mrs. Boucher.

Telegram, Mrs. Fall, Three Rivers, NM, October 28, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Asks Chase locate person named Hoops.

Bulletin, United Verde Extension Mining Company, November 1, 1923.

Letter, F. M. Murchison, First National Bank, El Paso, TX, December 3, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

J. D. Reeder delivered Chase's \$64.57 check covering hunting trip.

Telegram, Mrs. Taylor, Santa Ana, CA, January 2, 1924, to Mrs. C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Probable arrival Golden State Limited.

Telegram, Mother, Palm Beach, Florida, January 7, 1924, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Requests money from bank for girls.

Note, beginning see Arnold about screen, re measurements and pulley for motor and pump, and self-oiling spreader bar, bearing, date on pump. Four pages.

Telegram, typed draft, undated, on stationery of Mrs. Brant Elliott, Three Rivers, NM.

Names witnesses called, received info, imperative receiver return Washington soon as possible.

Folder 3 Correspondence Relating to Duties as Collector of Customs in El Paso, Texas, 1918-1921

Letter, H. G. Sherwood, Acting Executive Officer, Treasury Dept., Custodian Service, Washington, DC, June 20, 1918, to Special Disbursing Agent, Treasury Department.

Form letter re disbursing funds for operating force in field.

Application for Annual or Without Pay Leave, Treasury Dept. Form 2217, signed by Sam H. Weaver, otherwise blank. Two signed forms.

Letter, L. T. Riggs, Treasury Dept., U. S. Customs Service, Deputy Collector in Charge, Columbus, NM, March 13, 1921, to C. C. Chase, Three Rivers, NM.

Congratulations on new position.

Telegram, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, March 14, 1921, to A. B. Fall, Washington, DC.

Received bond forms, asks if forwarded. Asks if Carpenter appointed Deputy by Treas. Dept.

Letter, J. H. Hoyle, Treasury Dept., Washington, DC, March 15, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Notice of appointment, request for bond.

Letter, W. E. Pomeroy, Coal and Oil, NY, March 19, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Congratulations new position. Writer handling oil lands Texas; others midwest; Tampico fields, Mexico; trading coal mines in WV, PA.

Letter, W. J. Farragut, Tigre Mining Company, El Tigre, Esqueda, Sonora, Mexico, March 24, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Congratulations new position.

Letter, J. H. Hoyle, Assistant Secretary, Treasury Dept., Washington, DC, March 26, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Notice, appointment as Special Disbursing Agent.

Letter, J. H. Hoyle, Assistant Secretary, Treasury Dept., Washington, DC, March 28, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Enclosed cards.

Requests Chase complete cards in handwriting, to enable endorsement Treasury warrants.

Letter, H. E. Christie, Vice President, Border National Bank, El Paso, TX, March 31, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Notice new employment, hopes Chase will call.

Telegram, C. V. Stafford [Safford], Washington, DC, April 2, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Notice of appointment mailed Chase yesterday (April 1).

Receipt, C. C. Chase, Collector of Customs, Treasury Dept., El Paso, TX, April 5, 1921.

Received \$20,792.00 from George B. Slater, Acting Collector of Customs, El Paso. Deposited U.S. Treasurer, account special head tax.

Freight Bill, U. S. Railroad Administration, April 7, 1921, to C. C. Chase.

For boxed piano, Patagonia, AZ, to El Paso, TX.

Invoice, International Warehouse Co., El Paso, TX, April 8, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

For cartage, \$10.00, paid.

Freight Bill, Galveston, Harrisburg, and San Antonio RR, April 8, 1921, to C. C. Chase.

For furniture moved from Patagonia, AZ, to El Paso, TX.

Letter, H. G. Bursum, U. S. Senate, Washington, DC, April 8, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Directed Public Printer send *Congressional Record* for Session beginning next week.

Bill, Fred J. Feldman Co., Sporting Goods, Photographic Supplies, Picture Framing, El Paso, TX, April 11, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

One Frame.

Letter, W. H. Hoffman, Cananea Cattle Company, Cananea, Sonora, Mexico, April 17, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Re San Rafael trips to write Registered Herd Records. Have checks store sales March.

Letter, J. E. Harper, Chief, Division of Appointments, Treasury Department, Washington, DC, April 19, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Notice, appointment as Collector of Customs.

Letter, G. S. Allen, Acting Treasurer, Treasury Dept., Washington, DC, April 20, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Advise numerical symbol to be used as identification by Chase.

Letter, John Burke, Treasurer, Treasury Dept., Washington, DC, April 20, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Directions for writing out checks.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, April 20, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.
Three pages.

Appointment Carpenter as Deputy Collector; promotion Slater to Chief Examiner not successful.

Letter, J. S. Jennings, Manager, Mt. States Telephone and Telegraph, Co., Nogales, AZ, April 27, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Check received toll calls.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Washington, DC, May 3, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Adjustment El Paso employees.

Letter, T. M. Wingo, City National Bank, El Paso, TX, June 4 [no year], to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Letter of introduction to Paul E. Jette.

Letter, presumably C. C. Chase, June 7, 1921, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC.

Asks status of bill by Wurzbach for redistricting Texas.

Letter, S. F. Loughborough, Secretary, El Paso County Republican Club, El Paso, TX, June 11, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Requests member financing \$5 per month.

Telegram, Charles R. Gray, Tucson, AZ, June 23, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Arrival time, requests reservations Mexico City.

Telegram, Charles R. Grey, Tucson, AZ, June 25, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Will arrive late El Paso. Request change reservations.

Telegram, Mrs. Charles Gray, Nogales, AZ, June 27, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Announcing husband's arrival upon army discharge.

Letter, A. L. H., Treasurer, Cananea Cattle Company, Cananea, Sonora, Mexico, June 27, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Enclosing draft \$80, interest on Cananea note \$4,000, Chase s favor.

Auto Bulletin, El Paso Automobile Club, July 1, 1921. Four pages.

Letter, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, July 2, 1921, to F. B. Moore, Deputy Collector, Presidio, TX.

Permit M. C. Palma, paymaster Mexican Army, & escort to cross from Presidio to Ojinanga, Mex., July 3, 1921, with payroll 15,000 pesos.

Letter, presumably C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, July 5, 1921, to W. R. Martin, Superintendent, El Paso Union Passenger Depot Co., El Paso, TX.

Re RR pass.

Letter, W. R. Martin, El Paso Union Passenger Depot Co., El Paso, TX, August 23, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Enclosed Ferrocarriles Nacionales de México 1921 Annual Pass for Chase.

Invitation, *La Juntra Patriótica* (Patriotic Committee), El Casino Juárez and Empleados Federales de esta ciudad (Federal Employees of the city) ... to Velada to celebrate fiesta of hundredth anniversary of independence, at Juarez, September 1921 (no day).

Letter, L. T. Riggs, Deputy Collector in Charge, Columbus, NM, September 9, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Re classification animals exported by John C. Williams. Lists number, description, brand.

Letter, S. F. Loughborough, Secretary, El Paso County Republican Club, September 21, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Received Chase s \$10 donation to combat illegal registration.

Telegram, C. E. Wiswall, Los Angeles, CA, September 23, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Asks number cattle exported to Mex. from U. S., imported to U. S. from Mex. since 1/1/1921. Written notation: Exported 31,438; Imported, none.

Letter, J. C. Elliott, El Paso, TX, September 29, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Request Richard Pritz be assigned as recruiting officer El Paso. Asks Chase intervene with Fall.

Telegram, Charles L. Fowler, Nogales, AZ, October 27, 1921, to E. P. Chase (*sic*), Collector of Customs, El Paso, TX.

Asks if Federal Prohibition Agent has openings.

Telegram, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, October 28, 1921, to Charles L. Fowler, Collector of Customs, Nogales, AZ.

Prohibition Dir. must confine appointments to Texas applicants, no openings at present.

Letter, P. E. Johnson, Hay, Grain and Fuel, El Paso, TX, October 31, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Glad to have Chase's patronage.

Letter, W. G. Muter, Rio Grande Taxidermist, Furrier, and Tanner, Del Rio, TX, November 15, 1921, to T. C. Taylor, Marfa, TX.

Received letter re deer head, thinks can save it; prices.

Letter, T. C. Taylor, Treasury Dept., Deputy Collector, Marfa, TX, November 16, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Letter enclosed from Muter, Del Rio, re deer head. Instructions to have hide tanned.

Letter, presumably C. C. Chase, November 19, 1921, to T. C. Taylor, Marfa, TX.

Received letter re deer head & hide, instructions.

Letter, S. J. Freudenthal, President, El Paso, County Republican Club, El Paso, TX, November 23, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Re \$10 check to fight illegal voting registration, incumbents issuing poll tax receipts to all.

Letter, W. J. Doering, Mesilla Park, NM, December 5, 1921, to C. C. Chase. Three pages; 2 enclosures.

Proposed new state West Texas; Alamogordo, NM, to be capital. Encloses list proposed counties NM & West Texas, plus proposition To Divide Texas.

Letter, Charles L. Fowler, Customs Collector, per H. E. Berner, Nogales, AZ, December 17, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Requests name address Texas Chairman State Republican Executive Committee.

Letter, presumably Chase, December 19, 1921, to Charles L. Fowler, Collector of Customs, Nogales, AZ.

R. B. Creager, Brownsville, is Chairman State Executive Republican Committee.

Letter, W. R. Martin, El Paso Union Passenger Depot Co., El Paso, TX, no date, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Enclosed gate pass Union Pacific.

Shelton Statement, lists Department Name, No. of Employees, Building, No. of Rooms, Rent Per Yr.

Folder 4 Correspondence Relating to Duties as Collector of Customs in El Paso, Texas, 1922

Letter, presumably C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, January 4, 1922, to Charles F. Davis, Mayor, El Paso, TX.

Requests tourist id cards be sent to use crossing to Juarez by Mrs. Sinclair, Zeveryly, & Fall.

Letter, Horace Whitberk, El Paso, TX, January 4, 1921 (correct date, 1922), to Harry F. Sinclair. Four pages, with envelope (postmarked 1922).

Ill health, needs money to go Mexia for old job, tool dresser.

Telegram, M. T. Everhart, Three Rivers, NM, January 5, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Arrival El Paso Golden State Limited, requests reserve 2 lowers on Santa Fe for Pueblo.

Letter, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, January 9, 1922, to Horace Whitberk, El Paso, TX.

Re train ticket to Mexia, ready at office.

Letter, Hubert Work, First Asst Post Master General, Post Office Dept., Washington, DC, January 10, 1922, to C. V. Safford, Washington, DC. Attached card: Inclosure 18359, Dept. of Int.

Theresa Morrison not on list, leaving to department heads with knowledge of qualifications.

Receipt, Horace Whitberk, Treasury Department, El Paso, TX, January 11, 1921 [correct date 1922].

Received railroad ticket, T & P Line, El Paso to Mexia, Tex.

Letter, C. V. Safford, Wasington, DC, January 11, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Request re C. Theresa Norrison promotion, Post Master Dept., referred to 1st Asst. Post Master.

Telegram, J. T. Johnson, Three Rivers, NM, January 25, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Still trying to settle grazing matter.

Telegram, Mrs. Fall, Washington, DC, January 27, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Opinion on Turbeville offer, see work done properly.

Two notes re roof gravel, tar, paper, felt, asphalt, work on Fall property.

Note re House Furniture Co. and Burk Printing Co. re leases, taxes, encumbrances, J. D. Campbell, 412 Tivo Republic. Mrs. Fall written on back. Two pages.

Note: fifteen rolls of felt, 4 or 5 pounds asphalt, 4 yards gravel, 2 sacks of cement for flashing, \$136.00.

Letter, Paulino Guerrero, Administrador de la Aduana de Ciudad Juarez, enero [January] 31, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Gratitude for Chase s attention.

Letter, Oscar Roos, Tailor, El Paso, TX, January 31, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

New location; gift of \$50 suit to one of first 300 persons entering new establishment.

Telegram, J. T. Johnson, Three Rivers, NM, February 1, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Suspended action on grazing matter.

Letter, Lee Gifford, Lee Gifford Motor Co., Alamogordo, NM, February 3, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Believes Hudson car transported into Mexico, approximately \$600 still owed.

Telegram, J. Terrazas, El Paso, TX, February 10, 1922, to Gral. Ignacio C. Enriquez, Governor of Chihuahua, Chihuahua, Mexico. Spanish.

Dr. McConnell & companions from Oklahoma requesting arms, hunting equipment.

Letter, C. C. Chase, February 11, 1922, to Lee Gifford, Alamogordo, NM.

Knows nothing of stolen Hudson, suggests sending someone after car.

Letter, W. T. Reath, Elgin, AZ, February 17, 1922, to C. C., Chase, El Paso, TX. Two pages.

Requests copy Fall s article, *El Paso Herald*, re transfer of Bureau of Forestry to Interior Dept.

Letter, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, February 21, 1922, to Fritz Bernard, Tucson, AZ. Two pages.

Congratulations, appointment U. S. Attorney, Phoenix. Re friend in trouble in Bernard s district.

Letter, D. W. Snyder, Treasury Department, Internal Revenue Service, Albuquerque, NM, February 22, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Requests Chase issue Customs Commissions to Sheriff Howard Beacham, Otero County.

Letter, presumably C. C. Chase, February 27, 1922, to Colonel Edward Clifford, Assistant Secretary of Treasury, Washington, DC.

Clifford s visit benefitted morale, kind feeling for administration by citizens.

Letter, H. G. Chernin, Secretary-Treasurer, Chamber of Commerce, Columbus, NM, March 1, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Encloses petition, urgent needs of people in Columbus for customs facilities there.

Letter, presumably C. C. Chase, March 9, 1922, to F. H. Bernard, Tucson, AZ. Two pages.

Asks status Heid Case, inquired about previously.

Letter, F. H. Bernard, Tucson, AZ, March 10, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Request re Heid case will be complied with.

Letter, J. C. Lindland, Inspector in Charge, Post Office Department., Denver, CO, March 16, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Received papers, turned over to Inspector R. Nelson for information.

Bulletin for Policy Holders, April 1922, Banker s Life Company, Des Moines, Iowa. Four pages.

Letter, J. T. Johnson, Three Rivers, NM, April 4, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Re forest permit, application for new 1922 permits.

Card, Mary W. Cannon, April 11, 1922, to C. C. Chase,

Gratitude for granting extra leave.

Bulletin, Saturday and Easter Sunday Celebration at Palomas across from Columbus, Saturday, April 15 and Sunday, April 16, La Puerta, Palomas, Chih. Spanish.

Letter, C. E. L. [Charles E. Lewis], Acting Customs Agent, El Paso, TX, April 20, 1922, to Acting Customs Agent in Charge, San Antonio, TX.

Seizure 138 quarts, 7 pints whiskey, Cadillac auto license, arrest J. L. Carlyle, Richard Dicharry.

Invitation to Baile [Ball] on June 3, 1922, at Club Boton Rojo, Juarez, Chih., dated May 1922, from Paulino N. Guerrero, H. Valdés, & Gral. J.J. Méndez.

Letter, G. B. Mason, Acting Customs Agent in Charge, San Antonio, TX, May 4, 1922, to Charles E. Lewis, Acting Customs Agent, El Paso, TX. Four pages.

Report, salaries mounted Customs Inspectors & recommendations.

Letter, Charles E. Lewis, Acting Customs Agent, El Paso, TX, May 6, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Re readjustment of salaries. Encloses report by Agent in Charge.

Letter, W. B. Hamilton, Collector of Customs, San Francisco, CA, May 9, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Advises special rate for officials at conference.

Letter, W. B. Hamilton, Collector of Customs, San Francisco, CA, May 13, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Received letter re hotel accommodations for Chase & Carpenter.

Announcement, Franklin Motor Car Company, Inc., El Paso, TX, May 15, 1922, to Franklin owners.

Lists cars, supplies, repairs.

Letter, C. C. Chase, June 1, 1922, to Mr. Morgan, Supervisor, Mescalero Indian Agency, Mescalero, NM.

Requests permit for J. D. Reeder & party to camp Mescalero Reservation 10 days 2 weeks June.

Letter, Paulino N. Guerrero, Administrador de la Aduana de Ciudad Juarez, June 2, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Letter of introduction to Señor Jesus Provencio.

Postcard, J. C. Elliott, Laredo, TX, June 16, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Re Chase trip, writing later about Prohibition.

Chain letter, June 17, 1922, from J. M. Gibbs to C. C. Chase.

Letter, Fred C. Morgan, Dept. Of Interior, U.S. Indian Service, Superintendent Mescalero Agency, Mescalero, NM, July 27, 1922, to C. C. Chase, Three Rivers, NM

Received letter re Charles Davis, Mayor El Paso. Wrote Davis re fishing on Reservation.

Telegram, Gladys Reid, Fort Worth, TX, August 21, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

States arrival time, G. and S. A. Railroad.

Note, Mexico Exhibit, August 21, 1922, El Paso, TX

Re two cars, man in charge of manufacturing samples on display El Paso, then west.

Invitation, *Junta Patriótica*, Kermess, Agosto 26, 1922, Juarez, Mexico. Three pages.

Note, September 7, 1922, on No., Quarts, Pints, Half-Pints; Total, 619.

Letter, Frank T. Trevor, Southern Pacific Lines, September 11, 1922, to C. C. Chase. Three pages.

Regret did not see Chase, political situation re nomination governor.

Letter, C. E. Wiswall, Cananea Cattle Co., Sonora, Mexico, September 22, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Enclosing stock certificate in Mr. Randolph s name; requests Chase sign as Secy., Santa Cruz Reservoir Co., forward to Gen. L. H. Manning, Tucson.

Letter, presumably C. C. Chase, October 10, 1922, to Miss Olive A. Haugen, Tucson, AZ.

Received letter, \$10 for revenue stamp for stock certificate in Mr. Randolph s name (cancelled) & certificate in Mrs. Randolph s name issued.

Telegram, A. L. Houck, Naco, AZ, October 25, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Requests rent costumes, ship Naco.

Telegram, blank, notation, Western Costumes Co., Los Angeles.

Telegram, A. L. Houck, Naco, AZ, October 25, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Costumes shipped.

Bill, American Railway Express Co., #85176, to C. C. Chase, \$25 to Naco, AZ, A. L. Houck, October.

Note, Germany, \$9.00 rental, \$1.15 telegram, shipped October 26, 1922.

Letter, Dan M. Roberts, Tucson, AZ, November 1, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Received Chase letter, expresses gratitude for interest.

Letter, Paulino N. Guerrero, Administrador de la Aduana de Ciudad Juarez, November 7, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Spanish.

Reply re request Forrest E. Baker permitted to carry arms.

Telegram, Leon Van S. Sheehy, Three Rivers, NM, November 8, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Request to cash \$400 check for Juan Urban, payment for of truck purchased from Urban.

Letter, C. A. Wise, First National Bank, El Paso, TX, December 2, 1922, to C. C. Chase.

Advertises making wills.

Letter, Edward Clifford, Office of Assistant Secretary, Treasury Department, Washington, DC, December 15, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

New tariff, asks information on difficulties encountered.

Letter, W. W. Carpenter, Special Deputy, El Paso, TX, December 21, 1922, to C. C. Chase, Wardman Park Hotel, Washington, DC.

Request Chase refer J. C. Elliott to Supervising Architect.

Letter, W. W. Carpenter, Special Duty Collector, Treasury Dept., U.S. Customs Service, El Paso, TX, December 21, 1922, to C. C. Chase, Wardman Park Hotel, Washington, DC. Two pages.

Encloses copy Edward Clifford s 12/15/1922 letter to Chase, reports on activities.

Letter, C. R. Gray, Hotel Paso del Norte, El Paso, TX, no date, to C. C. Chase.

Asks Chase forward letter to wife.

Letter, Ezequiel Rios Landeros, Collector of Customs, Juarez, Mexico, no date, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Family death; cannot attend Golden Jubilee Industrial Parade, El Paso. Sends replacement.

Letter, Charles Smith, Hotel Nacozari, Nacozari, AZ, December 22, 1922, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Two pages.

Re embargo writer s property.

Advertisement [unknown date], Humboldt Savings Bank, street map of San Francisco, Century Theatre, others. In *Greeter s Guide*. Pages 27-28, 39-42.

Folder 5 Correspondence Relating to Duties as Collector of Customs in El Paso, Texas, 1923-1924

Telegram, Carpenter, El Paso, TX, January 4, 1923, to C. C. Chase, Washington, DC.

Ayres appointed Customs Agent, have 2 other applicants, asks preference.

RC: resume proofing

Letter, Zach Lamar Cobb, El Paso, TX, January 12, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Wants to dispose of legal cases on hand, leaving for CA; requests Chase write Asst. Atty.Gen. to get appeal dismissed.

Letter, George J. Harris, Supervisor, U. S. Department of Labor, Immigration Service, January 22, 1923, El Paso, TX. To Department of Labor, Collector of Customs. Two pages.

Santa Fe St. bridge now closed certain hours to Mexicans & Americans; removes restrictions on Americans.

Letter, George Young, Cananea, Sonora, Mexico, January 23, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Feels baggage tampered with by baggage men on way, not Chase inspectors.

Letter, Alves Dixon, January 27, 1923, to C. C. Chase.

Encloses \$10 check.

Receipt, Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, February 13, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

\$50 War Savings Stamps matured; \$50 cashier check mailed to Chase.

Letter, W. H. Bond, President, National Assn. U. S. Customs Inspectors, Boston, Massachusetts, February 16, 1923, to members. Two pages.

Soo case report (re overtime paid customs inspectors) before Sen. Finance Committee, provides reorganization Customs Service.

Letter, C. C. Chase, February 21, 1923, to W. M. Parker Mitchell, American Consul, Chihuahua, Mexico.

Encloses power of attorney for Cananea, Sonora, Mex., to be certified by Chihuahua Gov.

Letter, J. L. Phelps, Photo Studio, Spokane, Washington, February 23, 1923, to C. c. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Can furnish prints Theodore Roosevelt, The Master Mason, from original negative.
Attached: same photo, *New Age Magazine*.

Letter, M. T. Everhart, Three Rivers, NM, February 26, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Letter of introduction to Major Hopkins, Fall's friend.

Letter, W. M. Parker Mitchell, American Consul in Charge, Chihuahua, Mexico, February 28, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Two pages.

Received power of attorney from Chase re use in Mexico.

Quotation, El Paso Printing Co., El Paso, TX, March 2, 1923, to Cananea Cattle Co. (ruled sheets).

Letter, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, March 5, 1923, to W. M. Parker Mitchell, American Consul in Charge, Chihuahua, Mexico.

Letter received with document.

Telegram, Mrs. A. B. Fall, no date, to Mr. C. R. Creager.

Requests help for Shaw re vacancy P. O. Dept.

Letter, W. M. Parker Mitchell, American Consul in Charge, Chihuahua, Mexico, March 13, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Received \$1, charges in Chase s service, authentication of power of atty.

Letter, Norman Walker, Executive Secretary, Golden Jubilee, El Paso, TX, March 28, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Named Chase to Committee for Mexican Relations.

Letter, C. C. Chase, March 31, 1923, to Albert B. Fall, Three Rivers, NM.

Louis De Nette, in charge Dept of Justice, El Paso, will see Fall about Don Miguel Turner, deported from Nicaragua, now wishes admission to U. S.

Letter, presumably C. C. Chase, April 2 ,1923, to Norman M. Walker, Executive Secretary, El Paso Golden Jubilee Celebration, Chamber of Commerce Building, El Paso, TX.

Chase named on committee for Mexican relations in re celebration.

Letter, Charles Davis, Mayor, El Paso, TX, April 19, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Chase appointed Federal Relations Committee, Golden Jubilee.

Letter, Eric A. Noble, Pageant Master, El Paso s Golden Jubilee & Southwestern Pageant, El Paso, TX, April 26, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Commissioned to purchase sombreros for celebration, asks if can be without duty.

Letter, E. C. Keller, New York, May 9, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Would like advice on integrity, capability of W. E. Pomeroy as mining man.

Letter, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, May 17, 1923, to E. C. Keller, New York. With envelope,

Received letter re integrity/capability W. E. Pomeroy as mining man, recommends highly.

Letter, W. W. Carpenter, Assistant Collector, El Paso, TX, June 1, 1923, to C. C. Chase, Three Rivers, NM.

Car spotted in Sierra Blanca, bound for Juarez. May be connected with smuggling.

Letter, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, June 9, 1923, to Fred C. Morgan, Superintendent, Mescalero Indian Agency, Mescalero, NM.

Letter of introduction to Dr. W. S. Sharp of El Paso who intends spending time on Mescalero.

Letter, Fred C. Morgan, Superintendent, Mescalero Indian Agency, Mescalero, NM, June 12, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Per Chase s request, Dr. W. S. Sharp given permit & presumed enjoying self at Ruidoso.

Letter, C. C. Chase, June 14, 1923, to M. T. Everhart, First National Bank, Pueblo, CO.

Mintz note, additional money needed. Trouble with power plant at Three Rivers.

Letter, C. B. Sampson, Longwell s Transfer, Inc., El Paso, TX, June 14, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Identification Card enclosed entitling to charge account with them.

Letter, W. E. Talbot, Director, Republican State H. Q., Dallas, TX, June 15, 1923, to Republicans.

Form, advertising, paper *Industrial Dixie*, subscription rates.

Letter, M. T. Everhart, First National Bank, Pueblo, CO, June 16, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Re Mintz note, authority to draw balance due if Nebours deeds come through. Requests Chase draw on Fall account to pay note.

Letter, C. C. Chase, June 20, 1923, to M. T. Everhart, Pueblo, CO, c/o First National Bank. Two pages.

Chase has taken up Mintz note, check against Fall account.

Letter, C. C. Chase, July 13, 1923, to Lewis H. Schwaebe, Collector of Customs, Los Angeles, CA.

Received Idelita cigars, enjoying.

Letter, C. C. Chase, July 28, 1923, to H. W. Peacock, Faywood, NM.

Offer of oil concession in Mexico. Will inform Fall on return from Europe.

Letter, W. W. Carpenter, El Paso, TX, August 2, 1923, to C. C. Chase, Three Rivers, NM.

Proposed draft , petition Act of February 1911, amendments; Act of February 1920.

Telegram, W. W. Carpenter, El Paso, TX. August 9, 1923, to C. C. Chase, Three Rivers, NM.

Prospective employee, colored, formerly cook, asks wages, whether permanent.

Letter, John Nobel Maxwell, President, Fairfax Hall, Basic, VA, August 27, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

George B. Slater, El Paso , wants daughter admitted, asks financial reference.

Letter, presumably C. C. Chase, September 4, 1923, to W. W. Carpenter, El Paso, TX.

Chase at Three Rivers, Fall there shortly.

Letter, J. E. Farnsworth, Treasury Department, U.S. Customs Service, El Paso, TX, September 5, 1923, to C. C. Chase, Three Rivers, NM.

Requests Chase write Superintendent Mescalero Reservation in his behalf, planning visit.

Letter, Edward Clifford, Washington, DC, September 6, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX. Business card attached.

Writer in private practice, interested representing claimants Mexican settlement.

Letter, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, September 14, 1923, to John Noble Maxwell, President of Fairfax Hall, Basic, Virginia.

Reply, full recommendation to Slater.

Letter, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, September 15, 1923, to Joseph L. Dwyer, Deputy Collector and Inspector, El Paso, TX.

2-page letter of complaint, Henrietta R. Mowen re treatment by inspectors August 18, El Paso.

Letter, Mrs. Henrietta R. Mowen, San Francisco, CA, no date, to U. S. Consul, El Paso, TX.

Complains of treatment, El Paso.

Letter, Edward Clifford, Washington, D.C., September 19, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Re claims Mexican Claims Commission.

Letter, C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX, September 25, 1923, to Col. B. A. Packard, Douglas, AZ.

Attaches letter of interest. Considers Col. Clifford reliable, competent.

Half of telegram, signature missing, September 27, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

...tomorrow on Rock Island Number Four.

Letter, B. A. Packard, First National Bank, Douglas, AZ, October 2, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Received letter, enclosures re Mexican unpleasantness in hands of atty s .

Letter, C. C. Chase, November 17, 1923, to David S. Russek and Co., Chihuahua, Mexico.

Received letter enclosing requested two boletas.

Telegram, Wahlon Everhart, Pueblo, CO, January 2, 1924, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Winder held in Las Cruces, asks Chase help prove innocence, certain is framed.

Letter, M. T. Everhart, Hatchet Cattle Co., Pueblo, CO, January 7, 1924, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

McLean was called. Attached: newspaper clipping, Washington, Jan. 7, re oil reserves lease to Sinclair & Doheny, proposed invalidated by two Senate resolutions.

Newspaper article, Bill to Revoke Teapot Lease Offered by Senator Caraway, January 7 [1924], Washington, D.C.

Letter, John D. Mason, General Passage Agent, El Paso and Southwestern System, El Paso, TX, January 9, 1924, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Encloses draft, unused portion ticket to use only to Chicago.

Folder 6 Membership, Social & Fraternal Organizations, 1921-1924: Correspondence, Papers.

Kiwanis Club:

Letter, F. Galer, Assistant Secretary, Kiwanis Club, El Paso, April 20, 1921, to C. C. Chase.

Informed of election to membership.

Subpoena, Court of Kiwanis Club, *Tom Lea vs. One Wildish, Brownish, Black Bear*, July 27 [1921].

Pamphlet, The Business Man Finding His Soul, record of Club Communion between El Paso Rotary and Kiwanis, August 18, 1921.

Letter, Bob Mullin, Secretary, El Paso Kiwanis Club, December 3, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso.

Notice, Chamber of Commerce invitation to hear John T. Pratt, National Budget Committee.
Attached: List of names.

List of Kiwanis Club members.

El Paso Kiwanis Club Newsletters/Notice of meeting, program, 1921-1922:

1921: May 4 (new members include Chase), May 25. June 1, June 8, June 15, June 29. July 13, July 20/27. August 3, August 10, August 24, August 31. September 28. October 12, October 19, October 26. November 2, proposed amending section of by-laws. November 16, November 23. Notice of special meeting, December 7. December 14, December 21. Dr. Cathcart's farewell program, December 28. Letter, J. W. Cathcart, President, no date, urging attendance at joint Rotary/Kiwanis meeting

1922: Meeting with Rotary guests, January 4. Meeting Kiwanis and Rotary, January 11. Annual Banquet January 11. February 28.

Undated: Newsletters/Notices of Meetings, 1921-1922.

Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry (A&ASRF) [Freemasons]:

Letter, I. Burrgoon, Secretary, Nogales Lodge, No. 11, F. & A. M., August 1, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Congratulations on membership. Will send membership card. Dues.

Letter, W. W. Scott, Worshipful Master, El Paso Lodge No. 130, AF & AN, February 6, 1922, summons for special meeting on February 11, 1922.

Letter, H. P. Vaughn, Membership Cmte., A&ASRF, Valley of El Paso, Orient of Texas, February 23, 1922, to members.

Notice of reunion, membership petitions.

Bulletin, A&ASRF, Sam P. Cochran, El Paso, TX, April 8, 1922.

Public education, support system by endorsing Towner and Sterling Bill pending before Congress: create Dept. of Education with cabinet rank.

Letter, A. E. Sigal, Vice-Chairman, Membership Cmte., A&ASRF, Valley of El Paso, Orient of Texas, August 1, 1922 [to members].

Membership drive.

Letter, H. P. Vaughan, & A. E. Siegal, Chairman & Vice-Chairman, Membership Cmte., A&ASRF, Valley of El Paso, Orient of Texas, October 10, 1922, to Members of Scottish Rite Bodies.

Re candidates for degrees.

Letter, Sam P. Cochran, A&ASRF, re drive against illiteracy, explaining brochure The Bulwark of Texas and American Freedom.

Letter, undated, Sam P. Cochran, A&ASRF, re Towner-Sterling Bill.

Letter, Executive Committee, A&ASRF, El Paso, TX, no date, notice: semi-annual reunion, April 24-28 [1923].

Asks write Congress in favor of Towner-Sterling Bill.

Summons, J. D. Reeder, El Paso, TX, April 30, 1923, to Masonic meeting on May 8, 1923, for financing orphans home.

Lists of names by profession, probably relating to list mentioned in A. and A.S. membership drive.

Rotary Club:

Letter, J. Krakauer, Krakauer-Zork, Hardware, El Paso, October 12, 1922, to C. C. Chase.

Rotary luncheon inviting civil, military officials; asks Chase.
Attached letter, special meeting October 12.

Letter, C. W. Croom, President, Rotary Club, El Paso, TX, August 7, 1923, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Notice, annual luncheon August 9, memorial for Ex-President Harding, Hotel Sheldon.

El Paso County Republican Club:

Letter, S. J. Freudenthal, President, El Paso County Republican Club, February 7, 1922, to C. C. Chase.

Invitation, dinner Sheldon Hotel, February 11.

Letter, Charles E. Gordon, El Paso, March 27, 1922, to C. C. Chase.

Re move to new quarters with Union Drug Co.

Elks

Postcard, J. H. Alberts, Exalted Ruler, Elks, November 20, 1921, to C. C. Chase, El Paso, TX.

Elk Special Entertainment November 22.

Postcard, Julius H. Alberts, Exalted Ruler, Elks, El Paso, TX, December 9, 1921, to C. C. Chase.

Elk Memorial Service at First Christian Church.

Medical Examiner s Blank, application for membership in Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, El Paso, TX, Lodge No. 187.

Letter, Tom Lea, Exalted Ruler, BPOE, No. 187, El Paso, TX, May 20, 1922.

Asking new members become active lodge members.

United Spanish War Veterans

Letter, A. A. King, Chairman Arrangements Comte., Hamilton Fish Camp No. 2, United Spanish War Veterans, El Paso, TX, May 21, 1921, to C. C. Chase.

Requests Chase s presence Memorial Day Parade Review.

BOX 11 Newspaper Clippings, Pamphlets & Congressional Records.

Folder 1 Scrapbook, "Newspaper Clippings on Oil in the Teapot Dome,"
March 12, 1922 October 9, 1922. Unbound, soft covers, paste-mounted originals.

Denver Post, New York Evening Journal, Rocky Mountain News, Washington Herald, Washington Times, Albuquerque Evening Herald, Albuquerque Morning Journal, Casper Daily Tribune (WYO), The Sheridan Post (WYO), California Oil World, Wyoming Oil News, Casper Herald (WYO), Douglas Enterprise (WYO), Casper Tribune, Inland Oil Index (WYO), National Petroleum News, Gallup Herald (NM), Boston Evening Transcript. [In chronological order]

Folder 2 Congressional Record and Newspaper Clippings Relating to Teapot Dome, Naval Oil Reserve Leases, January 31, 1924 June 12, 1924

Congressional Record, Naval Oil Reserve Leases: Speech of Charles E. Winter (Wyoming), April 17, 1924, 7 pages.

Newspaper clippings in chronological order, January May, 1924:

North Adams Evening Star, Washington Post, New York Tribune, Lumber Trade Journal, National Republican, Santa Fe New Mexican, New York Times, Wall Street Journal, Los Angeles Daily Times, Kansas City Times, Collier's National Weekly, El Paso Times, New York Herald.

Folder 3 Newspaper Clippings Relating to Albert B. Fall & Edward Doheny Trial, Teapot Dome, Naval Leases, November 1926. Washington, DC, newspaper [not identified], *El Paso Times*.

Folder 4 Newspaper Clippings Relating to Affairs in Mexico, 1920-1924.

Unbound paste-mounted originals.

Boston Evening Transcript, New York Times, Washington Times, Washington Post, New York American, Chicago Daily Tribune, Washington Star, Public Ledger (Philadelphia), Evening Star (Washington, DC), Des Moines Register, New York Times Book Review and Magazine, Congressional Record, La Prensa (San Antonio), El Paso Herald, Los Angeles Examiner, Washington Herald, The Evening Telegram, Fort Wayne Journal-Gazette, New York Sun, New York Herald, El Paso Morning Times, Ukiah Republican Press (California).

Folder 5 Spanish Newspaper Articles with English Translation Relating to Affairs in Mexico

A Tropical Politician in Washington, *El Heraldo [The Herald]*, Mexico, March 14, 1922 [sic]. English translation, 2 pages.

Newspaper Clipping, El Fondo del Problema, *La Prensa* (San Antonio), February 17, 1922. Attached: The Gist of the Problem, English translation, 2 pages.

Folder 6 Printed Pamphlets & Documents Regarding Mexico, League of Nations & Oil Leases

Sketch Map, Panama/Colombia/Venezuela Caribbean Coast. Hand-drawn original 8x10.

Outlines Government Oil Reserve, Colombia, and Tropical Oil Co.; production.

An Open Letter: Why de la Huerta Comes to New York; Revelation of a Secret Chapter in Current Mexican Bolshevik History, Wilbur Bates, New York, June 3, 1922. Printed pamphlet, 16 pages & cover.

An Open Letter to Joseph P. Tumulty in Reply to Comments on Mexico In His Story in the *New York Times* (Edition of November 8, 1921): Woodrow Wilson as I Know Him, by Wilbur Bates. Release Dec. 18, 1921. Printed, 2 pages & cover.

Mexico: Commercial Interests of the United States Being Sacrificed by Diplomatic Deadlock. President Alone Can Break this Deadlock. Pamphlet, 10 pages & cover.

The Mexican Situation, *W. J. Wollman & Co. Review*, New York, February 25, 1922. Article, two pp.

League of Nations Plank from Democratic Platform. [unidentified newsprint article]

League of Nations from Republican Platform. [unidentified newsprint article]

Harding for a Society of Nations. [unidentified newsprint article]

Text of Resolution of Ratification with Reservations to League Covenant. [unidentified newsprint article]

What Every American Should Know about the League of Nations, by William George Brown. Booklet, 25 cents. Sixteen pages.

Re the menace of the League of Nations.

The League of Nations: Its Court and Its Law, *The Saturday Evening Post*, August 11, 1923. Article, pages 8-9, 112, 114 (complete).

Relationship of Permanent Court of International Justice to the League.

Data on German Peace Treaty. GPO], 42 pages [title page & page 43 missing].

Economic Clauses, Provisional Draft of Treaty of Peace with Germany, Presented to Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, by Hon. Bernard Baruch, 1919. GPO, 68 pages.

Congressional Record, 1919:

June 3, re Peace Treaty with Germany, pp. 577-78 [includes remarks by Sen. Fall]

June 6, re League of Nations, pp. 749-52 [includes remarks by Sen. Fall]

June 26, re League of Nations, pp. 1961-64 [includes remarks by Sen. Fall]

July 14, re League of Nations, pp. 2681-82 [includes remarks by Sen. Fall]

July 15, re Peace Treaty with Germany, pp. 2747-48 [includes remarks by Sen. Fall]

August 20, re League of Nations, pp. 4303-04 [includes remarks by Sen. Fall]

August 20, Leasing of Oil Lands, pp. 4305-08 [reading of Senate Bill S. 2775]

August 22, Leasing of Oil Lands, pp. 4416-18 [resumed consideration, S. 2775]; [includes remarks by Sen. Fall]

August 26, re Peace Treaty with Germany pp. 4625-28 [includes remarks by Sen. Fall]

August 27, re Peace Treaty with Germany pp. 4674-81 [includes remarks by Sen. Fall]

August 27, Leasing of Oil Lands, pp. 4681-82 [includes remarks by Sen. Fall]

September 23, re Peace Treaty with Germany, pp. 6151-54 [includes remarks by Sen. Fall]

September 26, re League of Nations, pp. 6363-64, 6367-68 [includes remarks by Sen. Fall]

September 27, Treaty of Peace with Germany, pp. 6409-14 [includes remarks by Sen. Fall]
September 30, re Peace Treaty with Germany, pp. 6503-08 [includes remarks by Sen. Fall]
October 1, re League of Nations, pp. 6587-89
October 1, re [Senator] Fall Amendments to Treaty of Peace with Germany, pp. 6603-04
October 2, re Peace Treaty with Germany, pp. 6667-78 [includes remarks by Sen. Fall]
October 16, re League of Nations, Peace Treaty with Germany, p. 7433 [includes remarks by Sen. Fall]
October 17, re Peace Treaty with Germany, pp. 7499-7504 [includes remarks by Sen. Fall]
October 25, re Peace Treaty with Germany, pp. 7953-58 [includes remarks by Sen. Fall]
November 10, re League of Nations, Peace Treaty with Germany, pp. 8693-94, 8397-98 [includes remarks by Sen. Fall]
November 13, re League of Nations, Peace Treaty with Germany, pp. 8911-12, 8915-16 [includes remarks by Sen. Fall]
November 15, re Peace Treaty with Germany, pp. 9053-56 [includes remarks by Sen. Fall]

Folder 7 Book, *The Oil Industry s Answer: Facts About Oil Business Its Critics and the Public Do Not Know*. Reprinted from *Oil and Gas Journal*, Tulsa, Oklahoma, March 20, 1924.

Folder 8 Regarding Assertion that President Warren G. Harding was a Negro

Letter, J. E. Rose, January 6, 1921, to Mr. J. S. Bonner, Editor *Harpoon*. San Antonio. Signed original.

Encloses Chancellor letter. If facts alleged ... are true ... are forerunner of bloodiest revolution ... yet seen ... in United States. ... have sincerest confidence in cause ...

Letter, Robert P. Coon, San Antonio, TX, February 5, 1921, to William Estabrook Chancellor, Wooster, Ohio.

Encloses circular, asks if Estabrook signed. Requests Estabrook s full history, racial ancestry.

Letter, Robert P. Coon, San Antonio, TX, February 5, 1921, to Will H. Hays, Chairman, National Republican Executive Committee, Washington, DC.

Asks if Hays knows of Esterbook circular. ID s himself as chairman, Advisory Board for Republican Club, 14th Congressional District, Texas.

Letter, William Estabrook Chancellor, Wooster, Ohio, February 8, 1921, to Robert P. Coon, San Antonio, TX. Signed original, 2 pages.

Denies managing campaign against Harding. Suspects guilty party is William Chancellor who declined signing statement for \$10,000 that he regards Harding as all-white.

Enclosures: Make Answer to Chancellor, *Wooster Daily Record*, January 6, 1921; *The Health of the Teacher*, flier; Rivers of Life; 4-page pamphlet re Harding s genealogy.

Flyer, *The Health of the Teacher*, Dr. William Estabrook Chancellor, 2 pages.

Flyer, *The Health of the Teacher*, Dr. William Estabrook Chancellor, 2 pages.

Pamphlet, Brochure, *Rivers of Life*, lecture by William E. Chancellor, Professor of Social Studies, College of Wooster (Ohio), Member of Wooster City Council. Four pages.

Flyer, Books by William Estabrook Chancellor. Two pages.

Letter, Robert B. Coon, February 21, 1921, to William Estabrook Chancellor, Wooster, Ohio.

Received Estabrook's February 8th letter. Atty. for *Harpoon Publishing Co.* Requests info, circular re question discussed, be sent him.

Letter, Robert B. Coon, San Antonio, TX, February 21, 1921, to Captain W. M. Hanson, Washington, DC. Signed original.

Received telegram re Harpoon matter. Encloses Jan. 6 Rose letter & material re Chancellor.

Letter, Robert B. Coon, San Antonio, TX, February 21, 1921, to Captain W. M. Hanson, Washington, DC. Original.

Encloses copies Hanson's letter, published *Evening News* Feb. 18.

Letter, William Estabrook Chancellor, February 25, 1921, to Robert P. Coon, San Antonio, TX. Original typescript, signed, 2 pages.

Calls Harding our First Negro President. Racist harangue.

Letter, Robert B. Coon, San Antonio, TX, February 28, 1921, to Captain W. M. Hanson, Washington, DC. Signed original.

Encloses Feb. 25 letter from Estabrook, Estabrook circular, books.

Letter, Robert B. Coon, San Antonio, TX, February 28, 1921, to William Estabrook Chancellor, Wooster, Ohio.

Received Estabrook's letter. Sending *Harpoon* 1920-21 issues, advertising rates. Wants further info re matter in question.

Flyer, *Illustrated Life of President Warren G. Harding*, William Estabrook Chancellor. Four pages.

Hand-stamped: Race Equality, Always Impossible. \$5, Limited Edition, Autographed.

When one citizen knows beyond the peradventure of doubt, Two pages.

Re Harding's alleged colored ancestry.

To the Men and Women of America: An Open Letter, by William Estabrook Chancellor. Negative photocopy, two pages. Typed copy.

BOX 12 Bound Scrapbooks of Newspaper Clippings Regarding Mexico, Oil Scandals & Sugar

Caution: Contents may contain mold residue.

- Item 1 Index to Clippings, 1918 1919, Relating to Affairs in Mexico
Item 2 Volume I, June 15, 1918 August 7, 1919, Relating to Affairs in Mexico
Item 3 Volume IV, August 1, 1919 August 25, 1919, Relating to Affairs in Mexico
Item 4 Volume IX, November 11, 1919 December 5, 1919, Relating to Affairs in Mexico
Item 5 Scrapbook of Newspaper Clippings Relating to the Oil Scandals, 1923 1924.
Item 6 Scrapbook of Newspaper Clippings Relating to the Sugar Market, 1923 1925.
Regarding: price of sugar futures, size of crops, other information about sugar market.
Item 7 Booklets:
Sugar: Its Production and Marketing, Power, Pond & Vivian, Inc. Enclosed: Letter, G. A. Matile, Power, Pond & Vivian, Inc., NY, August 28, 1924, to Brant Elliott, Three Rivers, NM. Attached: Circular: Ferrer Sugar Company Gold Bonds.
Sugar, Yearbook of the Department of Agriculture, 1923, U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, No. 893, GOP, 1924.
Manual of Sugar Companies, 1924, Farr & Co., NY.

BOX 13 Subpoenas & Transcripts of Federal Court Proceedings.

Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, Holding a Criminal Term, United States vs. Harry F. Sinclair and Albert B. Fall, No. 43324.

Folder 1 Subpoenas

Subpoena, January 31, 1927, Supreme Court of District of Columbia, Criminal #43,324, United States vs. Harry F. Sinclair and Albert B. Fall. Court-conformed original.

Summons ordering TRCLC to appear April 25, 1927, produce TRCLC minutes of Board of Directors meetings, financial books, records, between January 1, 1921, & January 1, 1927.

Subpoena, February 7, 1927, Supreme Court of District of Columbia, Criminal #43,324, United States vs. Harry F. Sinclair and Albert B. Fall. Court-conformed original.

Summons ordering Albert B. Fall, President, TRCLC to appear April 25, 1927, produce minutes Board of Directors meetings, financial books, records, January 1, 1921 January 1, 1927.

Note: Items 1 14 are bound copies marked Copy for Mr. Thompson (Mark Thompson, Fall s attorney).

- Item 1 *Caution: Contents may contain mold residue.*
Volume No. 1, Monday, October 17, 1924 [1927] (1st day)
Voir dire.
Item 2 Volume No. 2, Tuesday, October 18, 1927 (2d day)
Voir dire continued, and Opening Statements.
Item 3 Volume No. 3, Wednesday, October 19, 1927 (3d day)
Conclusion of Opening Statements, Examination of Witnesses and Index to Exhibits.
Item 4 *Caution: Contents may contain mold residue.*
Volume No. 3-A, October 19, 1927 (3d day)
Index to Government Exhibits.

- Item 5 Volume No. 4, October 20, 1927 (4th Day)
Direct and Cross Examination of Witness Judge E. J. Finney, and Index to Exhibits.
- Item 6 Volume No. 5, October 21, 1927 (5th Day)
Examination of Witnesses:
Dr. George Oris Smith, Direct, Cross
K. C. Heald, Direct, Cross
Index to Exhibits.
Argument on Behalf of Government, Argument on Behalf of Defendants, Reply Argument
on Behalf of Government.
- Item 7 Volume No. 6, Monday, October 24, 1927 (6th Day)
Examination of Witnesses:
Lewis F. Eddy Direct, Cross
Roy W. Tallman Direct, Cross
Arthur W. Ambrose Direct, Cross
Index to Exhibits
- Item 8 Volume No. 7, October 25, 1927 (7th Day)
Examination of Witnesses:
Arthur W. Ambrose Cross, Redirect, Recross
J. W. Zevely Direct, Cross, Redirect
G. T. Stanford Direct
George K. Thomas Direct, Cross
L. L. Aitken Direct, Cross
Harry M. Daugherty Direct, Cross, by stipulation
Edwin S. Booth Direct, Cross
Index to Exhibits.
- Item 9 Volume No. 8, October 26, 1927 (8th Day)
Examination of Witnesses:
Theodore Roosevelt Direct, Cross
Frank E. Kistler Direct, Cross
Amos L. Beaty Direct, Cross
Birch Helms Direct, Cross
John C. Shaffer Direct, Cross
Leslie A. Miller Direct, Cross, Redirect
John B. Kenrick Direct, Cross
W. A. Anderson Direct, Cross
Frank W. Mondell Direct, Cross, by stipulation
Index to Exhibits
- Item 10 *Caution: Contents may contain mold residue.*
Volume No. 11, Monday, October 31, 1927.
Index to Exhibits.
Examination of Witnesses:
Charles Spalding Thomas Direct, Cross
H. L. Phillips Direct, Cross, Redirect
Arlington C. Harvey Direct
- Item 11 Volume No. 12, November 1, 1927, In Judge Siddons Chambers.
Affidavits of:
Neil Burkinshaw

Walter M. Shea
Donald K. King
J. Ray Akers

- Item 12 Volume No. 13, November 2, 1927.
Mistrial declared.
- Item 13 November 4, 1927 (no volume number).
Regarding a Motion to Assign a New Trial Date.
- Item 14 Grand Jury transcript in re juror Henry Mason Day, November 4, 1927.

Note: Items 15 23 are printed court documents.

- Item 15 Brief for the United States, Sur Pleas in Abatement, Traverses & Demurrers, In the Supreme Court of District of Columbia, April Term, 1924.
Four indictments covered by one Brief.
United States vs. Albert B. Fall, Edward L. Doheny, and Edward L. Doheny Jr. No. 42,302, Indictment by Grand Jury, June 30, 1924, against Fall, Doheny, and Doheny, Jr., for Conspiracy [to Defraud].
United States vs. Albert B. Fall and Harry F. Sinclair, No. 42,303, Indictment by Grand Jury, June 30, 1924, against Fall and Sinclair for Conspiracy [to Defraud].
United States vs. Albert B. Fall, No. 42,304, Indictment by Grand Jury, June 30, 1924, against Fall for Accepting a Bribe; and
United States vs. Edward L. Doheny and Edward L. Doheny Jr., No. 42,305, Indictment by Grand Jury, June 30, 1924, against Doheny and Doheny, Jr., for Offering a Bribe.
- Item 16 Court of Appeals, Supreme Court of District of Columbia, October Term, 1926.
Harry F. Sinclair and Albert B. Fall vs. United States. Appeal filed May 27, 1925.
On Petition for Writ of Certiorari to Court of Appeals of District of Columbia.
- Item 17 Supreme Court of District of Columbia, Holding a Criminal Court.
United States vs. Harry F. Sinclair. Memorandum in Support of Demurrer to Indictment.

BOX 14 TRANSCRIPTS OF FEDERAL COURT PROCEEDINGS Continued.

- Item 1 Supreme Court of District of Columbia. Brief in support of pleas, January 28, 1925, by defendants Edward L. Doheny and Edward L. Doheny, Jr.
United States vs. Edward L. Doheny, Edward L. Doheny Jr., and Albert B. Fall; and
United States vs. Edward L. Doheny and Edward L. Doheny, Jr.
- Item 2 Supreme Court of District of Columbia. Reply brief, May 28, 1927, on behalf of Defendants to Government's 2d Brief in Opposition to Demurrers.
United States vs. Edward L. Doheny and Edward L. Doheny, Jr.
- Item 3 Supreme Court of District of Columbia. Supplemental brief in Support of Demurrer to Indictment, January 29, 1926.
United States vs. Albert B. Fall and Edward L. Doheny
- Item 4 Supreme Court of District of Columbia. In the matter of the rule requiring Edward L. Doheny to Show Cause Why He Should Not Answer a Question Certified as Having Been Propounded to Him Before the Grand Jury of the District of Columbia. May 15, 1924.
- Item 5 Court of Appeals, District of Columbia, January Term, 1926. Petition for Allowance of Special Appeal, with Exhibits Appended, February 23, 1926.
Edward L. Doheny and Albert B. Fall vs. United States.
- Item 6 Court of Appeals of District of Columbia, April Term, 1925. Brief of Appellee.

United States vs. Albert B. Fall.

BOX 15 TRANSCRIPTS OF FEDERAL COURT PROCEEDINGS Continued.

Supreme Court of District of Columbia, Holding a Criminal Term.
United States vs. Edward L. Doheny and Albert B. Fall, No. 43325.

- Item 1 *Caution: Contents may contain mold residue.*
Prayers, Thursday, December 16, 1926. Pages 4038-4116.
Jury Instructions: Granted, Refused, and Withdrawn.
[Note: Item 1 is out of chronological order.]
- Item 2 Volume No. 1, November 22, 1926 [1st day]. Pages 1-214.
Voir Dire. Swearing In of Jury.
- Item 3 Volume No. 2, November 23, 1926 [2nd day]. Pages 215-406
Opening Statements. Index of Exhibits.
Examination of witnesses:
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| Dr. George Otis | Direct and Cross |
| Stephen H. Quigley | Direct and Cross |
| George W. Holland | Direct |
| Harry E. Stuart | Direct |
| Edwin M. Mahoney | Direct |
| Oscar D. Bennett | Direct |
| John B. May | Direct |
- Item 4 Volume No. 2-1/2, November 23, 1926 [2nd day]. Pages 407-424.
Government Exhibit No. 5: Contract between Pan American Petroleum & Transport Company and United States of America, April 25, 1922. Pan American to deliver 1.5 million barrels of fuel oil (crude oil exchanged for fuel oil) & furnish storage facilities at Pearl Harbor for same.
- Item 5 Volume No. 3-A, November 24, 1926 [3rd day]. Pages 639-908.
Government Exhibits Nos. 7-11.
- NOTE: Volumes No. 3-A through No. 6-A are not included in this collection.*
- Item 6 Volume No. 6-A, November 30, 1926, 6th Day, Evening Session. Pages 1495-1579.
Testimony of witness E. C. Finney, resumed, Direct and Cross.
Court's Ruling on Exhibits No. 62 through 66.
Government's Exhibits No. 62-66 and 72; and Defendants Exhibits No. J2 & K2.
- Item 7 *Caution: Contents may contain mold residue.*
Volume No. 6-B, November 30, 1926, 6th Day. Water damaged. Pages 1580-1683.
Index of Exhibits.
Government's Exhibits No. 38A-42D.
- Item 8 *Caution: Contents may contain mold residue.*
Volume No. 7, December 1, 1926, 7th Day. Pages 1684-1870. Water damaged.
Index of Exhibits.
Government's Exhibits No. 70-105 and Defendants Exhibits No. L2-P2.
Examination of witnesses:
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| E. C. Finney | Direct and Cross |
| Mrs. Olive C. Ham | Direct and Cross |
| S. Gray Hanson | Direct and Cross |
| Paul Shoup | Direct and Cross |

- Sen. John W. Harreld Direct and Cross
H. L. Westbrook Direct and Cross
- Stipulation re Pan American Petroleum & Transport Co. Stock.
- Examination of witnesses:
- Paul Shoup Direct (recalled)
Theodore Roosevelt Direct
Rear Adm. John Halligan, Jr. Direct and Cross
Edwin Booth Direct and Cross
J. W. Clark Direct
B. J. Bradner Direct
S. P. Wible Direct
Paul Shoup Direct and Cross (recalled)
- Item 9 Volume No. 7-A, December 1, 1926, 7th day. Pages 1871-1928.
Government Exhibits No. 73, 75-105 .
- Item 10 Volume No. 8, December 2, 1926, 8th day. Pages 1871-2114 (pp numbering conflict).
For Government, Direct Examination of witness Thomas F. Walsh.
Stipulation re American Petroleum & Transport Company.
Stipulation re Pan American Petroleum Company.
Letter written by Senator Walsh to Senator Albert B. Fall, January 11, 1924.
Reply by Albert B. Fall, January 11, 1924.
Opening Statement by Defendants.
For Defendants, Examination of witnesses:
- Karl Leonardt Direct
Frank H. Powell Direct
George W. Holland Direct
H. Foster Bain Direct and Cross
- Item 11 Volume No. 9, December 3, 1926, 9th Day. Pages 2150-2376.
Examination of witnesses:
- H. Foster Bain Direct and Cross
Harry A. Harvey Direct
Rear Adm. Luther E. Gregory Direct and Cross
Gano Dunn Direct, Cross, and Redirect
Captain John K. Robison Direct
- Government Exhibits: 107-1110, 43 and Z-2
Defendants Exhibits: O-Q, U3-Z3, A4-F4.

BOX 16 TRANSCRIPTS OF FEDERAL COURT PROCEEDINGS Continued.

Supreme Court of District of Columbia, Holding a Criminal Term.
United States vs. Edward L. Doheny and Albert B. Fall, No. 43325.

- Item 1 Volume No. 10, December 4, 1926, 10th Day. Pages 2377-2456.
Court s ruling on admissibility of November 30, 1926, letter, Secretary of Navy to
Captain John K. Robison.
Cross Examination of witness John K. Robison.
Index of Exhibits: Defendants X, Z, and J-3 K-3.
- Item 2 Volume No. 11, December 6, 1926, 11th Day. Pages 2457-2675.
Government Exhibits Nos. 111-113.

Defendants Exhibits H-4 M-4.

Item 3 Volume No. 12, December 7, 1926, 12th Day; and Volume No. 13, December 8, 1926, 13th Day (one binder). Pages 2676-2911.

Testimony of witnesses:

Benjamin F. Bledsoe	Direct
Dr. George Davidson	Direct
W. W. Orcutt	Direct
Bernal H. Dyas	Direct
Arthur Ambrose	Direct, Cross, and Redirect
Clifford P. Bowie	Direct and Cross
Edwin Denby	Direct, Cross, and Redirect
Joseph A. Carey	Direct and Cross
Frank F. Barham	Direct
Harold L. Davis	Direct
Forrest F. Murray	Direct
Edwin H. Hill	Direct

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Item 4 Volume No. 16, Saturday, December 11, 1926, 16th Day. Pages 3353-3458-9.

Direct Testimony of witness John McCormack.

Government Rebuttal.

Testimony of witnesses:

John B. May	Direct and Cross
Charles Morris	Direct, Cross, and Redirect
John G. Holland	Direct and Cross
Herman Stabler	Direct
Irwin F. Landis	Direct and Cross.

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Defendants Exhibit I-5.

Item 5 Volume No. 17, Monday, December 13, 1926, 17th Day. Pages 3460-3702.

Argument on Prayers.

Government's Opening Argument to Jury.

**BOX 17 UNITED STATES OF AMERICA VS. PAN AMERICAN PETROLEUM COMPANY,
AND PAN AMERICAN PETROLEUM AND TRANSPORT COMPANY. #B-100-M EQUITY.**

Court Reporter's Transcript of Testimony and Proceedings on Trial. October November 1924.

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- Item 12 Thirteenth day session (forenoon), November 7, 1924
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BOX 18 PAN AMERICAN PETROLEUM CO. PRINTED BRIEFS

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- Item 1 U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals. Brief in Behalf of Pan American Petroleum Company *and* Pan American Petroleum and Transport Company. Pan American Petroleum Company *and* Pan American Petroleum and Transport Company vs. United States of America. September 5, 1925.
- Item 2 Supreme Court of the United States. Brief for Petitioners. Pan American Petroleum & Transport Company *and* Pan American Petroleum Company vs. United States of America. September 13, 1926.

BOX 19 MAMMOTH OIL COMPANY COURT DOCUMENTS (Bound Volumes)

- Item 1 Supreme Court of the United States, October Term, 1926. No. 719. Motion for Extension of Time within which Respondent May File Brief. Mammoth Oil Company, Sinclair Crude Oil Purchasing Company and Sinclair Pipe Line Company vs. United States.
- Item 2 District Court of the United States for the District of Wyoming. In Equity No. 1431. Brief on Behalf of Defendant Mammoth Oil Co. on the Facts. United States vs. Mammoth Oil Company, Sinclair Crude Oil Purchasing Company, and Sinclair Pipe Line Company.
- Item 3 District Court of the United States for the District of Wyoming. In Equity No. 1431. Brief on behalf of Defendant Mammoth Oil Company on the Law. United States vs. Mammoth Oil Company, et al.
- Item 4 District Court of the United States for the District of Wyoming. In Equity No. 1431. Plaintiffs Brief Sur Bill, Answers and Proofs. United States vs. Mammoth Oil Company, et al.
- Item 5 United States Circuit Court of Appeals, Eighth Circuit. No. 7188. Brief for Appellee. United States vs. Mammoth Oil Company, et al.
- Item 6 Memorandum on the Validity of the Contracts between the United States and Mammoth Oil Co., dated April 7, 1922, and February 9, 1923.
- Item 7 District Court of the United States for the District of Wyoming. In Equity No. 1431. Deposition of Harry Foster Bain, Saturday, August 2, 1924. United States vs. Mammoth Oil Company, et al.
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District Court of the United States for the District of Wyoming. In Equity No. 1431. Depositions: Frank Raycraft, Amos L. Beaty, & G. T. Stanford on Behalf of Plaintiff, May 28, 1924 (pages missing; damaged). Deposition: Gustaf D. Wahlberg on Behalf of

Plaintiff, June 6, 1924 (pages missing; damaged). Deposition, Frank E. Kistler on Behalf of Plaintiff, June 13, 1924. United States vs. Mammoth Oil Company, et al.