Collection Summary
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Summary: Naval officer and United States representative from Alabama. Correspondence, memoranda, speeches, lectures, articles, reports, notes, analyses, naval orders, press clippings, photographs, and other papers relating chiefly to Hobson's naval career and to his efforts on behalf of prohibition, restrictions on international drug trafficking, and opposition to the Franklin D. Roosevelt administration.

Selected Search Terms
The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the LC Catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically.

People
Cervera y Topete, Pascual, 1839-1909--Correspondence.
Chadwick, French Ensor, 1844-1919--Correspondence.
Hobson family--Correspondence.
Hobson, Grizelda Hull--Correspondence.
Hobson, Richmond Pearson, 1870-1937.
Roosevelt, Franklin D. (Franklin Delano), 1882-1945.
Roosevelt, Theodore, 1858-1919--Correspondence.
Tesla, Nikola, 1856-1943--Correspondence.

Organizations
Alcohol Education Society of America.
Anti-saloon League of America.
Constitutional Democracy Association.
International Narcotic Education Association.
Lusitania (Steamship)
Public Welfare Association.
United States Naval Academy.
United States. Supreme Court.
Woman's Christian Temperance Union.
World Narcotic Defense Association.

Subjects
Battleships--United States.
Depressions--1929--United States.
Drug traffic.
Narcotics.
Naval architecture.
Navy-yards and naval stations--China.
Navy-yards and naval stations--Great Britain.
Navy-yards and naval stations--Japan.
Prohibition--United States.
Shipbuilding.
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Spanish-American War, 1898--Naval operations--Philippines.
Temperance--United States--Societies, etc.
Women--Suffrage--United States.
World War, 1914-1918--Prophecies.
World War, 1939-1945--Prophecies.

Places
United States--Economic conditions--1918-1945.
United States--History, Naval.
United States--Politics and government--1933-1945.

Occupations
Naval officers.
Representatives, U.S. Congress--Alabama.

Acquisition Information
The papers of Richmond P. Hobson, naval officer and U.S. representative from Alabama, were given to the Library of Congress by his wife, Grizelda Hull Hobson, and the World Narcotic Defense Association and Constitutional Democracy Association, through Mrs. Hobson, in 1939-1940 and 1944. A smaller addition was received from Hobson's daughter, Mrs. W. E. D. Stokes, Jr., in 1986.

Processing History
The Hobson Papers were processed in 1996 by Bradley E. Gernand with the assistance of Patrick Kerwin. The finding aid was revised in 2010.

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Biographical Note

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<tr>
<td>1870, Aug. 17</td>
<td>Born, Greensboro, Ala.</td>
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<tr>
<td>1889</td>
<td>Graduate, United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.</td>
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<td>1889-1890</td>
<td>Midshipman cruise aboard <em>Chicago</em> with White Squadron, Mediterranean Sea and South Atlantic ocean</td>
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<tr>
<td>1890-1891</td>
<td>Student, École d'Application du Génie Maritime, Paris, France</td>
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<td>1891</td>
<td>Resigned as naval cadet.</td>
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<td>1893</td>
<td>Appointed assistant naval constructor, United States Navy</td>
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<td>1894</td>
<td>Published &quot;A Summary of the Situation and Outlook in Europe: An Introduction to the Study of Coming War,&quot; <em>Proceedings of the United States Naval Institute</em> (Annapolis: United States Naval Institute. 62 pp.)</td>
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<td>1894-1895</td>
<td>Assistant naval constructor, Navy Department, Washington, D.C.</td>
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<td>1895</td>
<td>Commissioned as officer, United States Navy</td>
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<td>1895-1896</td>
<td>Assigned to New York Navy Yard, Brooklyn, N.Y.</td>
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<td>1896</td>
<td>Member of international commission supervising sea trials of Mexican naval despatch vessel <em>Donato Guerra</em></td>
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<td>1897-1898</td>
<td>Organized and taught postgraduate fleet construction course, United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.</td>
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<td>1898</td>
<td>Assigned to North Atlantic Squadron to research stability and firing systems of ships in action, Key West, Fla.; later reported aboard flagship <em>New York</em></td>
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<td>1898</td>
<td>Sunk the collier <em>Merrimac</em> in Santiago harbor; captured and imprisoned in Spanish fortress, Santiago, Cuba</td>
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<td>1898-1900</td>
<td>Promoted to position of naval constructor as acknowledgment for heroism in sinking <em>Merrimac</em></td>
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<td>1899</td>
<td>Assigned to Asiatic Station at Hong Kong to refloat and refit Spanish warships <em>Isla de Cuba, Isla de Luzon</em> and <em>Don Juan de Austria</em></td>
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<td>1899</td>
<td>Published <em>The Sinking of the Merrimac</em> (New York: The Century Co. 306 pp.)</td>
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<td>1900</td>
<td>Directed ship reconstruction, Cavite Navy Yard, Philippine Islands</td>
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<td>1900</td>
<td>Led preliminary reconnaissance and survey of Olongapo (later Subic Bay) naval base, Philippine Islands</td>
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<td>1900</td>
<td>Received medical treatment, Yokohama, Japan, and returned to United States on medical leave</td>
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<td>1901</td>
<td>Promoted to captain, United States Navy</td>
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<td>1901-1902</td>
<td>Directed United States government exhibit, South Carolina, Interstate and West Indian Exposition, Charleston, S.C.</td>
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<td>1902-1903</td>
<td>Superintended naval construction, Crescent Shipyard, Elizabeth, N.J.</td>
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<td>1903</td>
<td>Assigned to Puget Sound Navy Yard, Bremerton, Wash.; resigned from United States Navy</td>
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<td>1904</td>
<td>Appointed presidential elector-at-large, Alabama</td>
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<td>1904-1905</td>
<td>Lectured on national chatauqua circuit</td>
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<td>1905</td>
<td>Married Grizelda Houston Hull</td>
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<td>1906</td>
<td>LL.D, Southern University, Greensboro, Ala.</td>
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1907  
Published *Buck Jones at Annapolis* (New York: D. Appleton & Co. 370 pp.)

1907-1915  
Member of Congress from sixth district of Alabama

1908  
Published *An Appeal to the President of the United States for the Retention of the Fleet and for an Adequate Defense in the Pacific Ocean* (Washington: [publisher unknown]. 16 pp.)

1910  
Published *In Line of Duty* (New York: D. Appleton & Co. 365 pp.)

1910  
Introduced congressional resolution which developed into Eighteenth Amendment to United States Constitution

1911  
Delivered prohibition speech before Congress, "Alcohol, the Great Destroyer"

1913  
Campaigned unsuccessfully for election to Senate from Alabama

1915  
Published *An Adequate Navy and the Open-Door Policy* (Washington: [publisher unknown.] 30 pp.)

1919  
Published *Alcohol and the Human Race* (New York: Fleming H. Revell Co. 205 pp.)

1921-1937  
Organized and led American Alcohol Education Association

1923-1937  
Organized and led International Narcotic Education Association

1926  

1927-1937  
Organized and led World Narcotic Defense Association

1933  
Awarded Congressional Medal of Honor

1934  
Appointed rear admiral, United States Navy, retired, by act of Congress

1935-1937  
Organized and led Constitutional Democracy Association

1936  
Proposed the founding of Institution of Social Advancement

1937, Mar. 16  
Died, New York, N.Y.

**Scope and Content Note**

The papers of Richmond Pearson Hobson (1870-1937) span the years 1889-1966, with the bulk of the material concentrated in the years 1890-1937. Hobson's career is noted for his naval operation against the Spanish during the Spanish-American War; proficiency in naval design and construction; his activism in the campaign to enact a prohibition amendment to the United States Constitution, both as member of Congress and afterward; and his efforts to restrict the availability and use of recreational narcotics. All of these facets of Hobson's life are chronicled in these papers. Hobson is also noted for predicting a global war among European powers, ten years before it began in 1914, and between Japan and the United States, thirty years before Pearl Harbor. Hobson's papers contain his analyses and correspondence regarding both conflicts. The collection consists of six series: Family Papers, Navy File, Congressional File, Organizations File, Miscellany, and Oversize.

Hobson and his wife, Grizelda, wrote frequently to one another during times of separation. Hobson also corresponded with other members of his family, including his brother, sisters, and mother. The Family Papers contain information regarding both professional and personal endeavors related to subjects also documented in other series in the collection.

The United States Navy series includes files regarding a congressional bill to retire him as admiral and his service in the Spanish-American War. His papers record his inspections of the battle fleet under wartime conditions, his attempts to sink the *Merrimac* in a Cuban harbor and bottleneck an opposing fleet, and his efforts to refloat and refit ruined Spanish warships near Cuba and the Philippine Islands. Hobson believed the United States needed to secure naval facilities in the Far East, and his visits to Chinese, Japanese, and British colonial yards produced detailed descriptions of each area. He also was the first to report on the small Spanish Philippine station at Olongapo on Subic Bay, later developed as an American base. Included are accounts of the Mexican warship *Donato Guerra* and correspondence with French E. Chadwick, Nikola Tesla, the crew of the *Merrimac*, Naval Academy classmates and shipmates, and Pascual Cervera y Topete, the Spanish admiral who captured Hobson at Cuba. Lecture notes and correspondence regarding the first ship construction course at the United States Naval Academy, organized and taught by Hobson but canceled because of faculty opposition, are also included.

The Congressional File documents Hobson's career as a member of Congress from Alabama and his efforts to enact a prohibition amendment to the Constitution. Correspondents include leaders of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, Anti-Saloon League of America (which he later joined as traveling orator), and other anti-alcohol movements. It also
features his work to enlarge the American fleet, fund an aggressive battleship construction program, and establish a permanent fleet in the Pacific Ocean. His distrust of Japanese intentions, which he believed were rooted in aggressive imperialism, spurred his interest in a permanent Pacific fleet, and many of his speeches and correspondence are devoted to the subject. Of particular note is a series of exchanges between Hobson and Theodore Roosevelt in which the two debated issues related to Japan. Hobson also headed a congressional panel investigating alleged police brutality during a 1913 national suffragette march in Washington, and the Congressional File contains correspondence and reports from participants.

The Organizations File contains the records of several associations as well as of the 1936 New York Olympic Committee. These organizations, with exception of the Olympic committee, operated more or less concurrently from the same offices with shared officers, and the administrative files of the three overlap. Hobson remained interested in prohibition after leaving Congress. He traveled on behalf of the Anti-Saloon League of America until passage of the Eighteenth Amendment to the Constitution, after which he worked to restrict narcotic use. He established and directed the Alcohol Education Society of America, the International Narcotic Education Association, and the World Narcotic Defense Association to educate Americans regarding drugs and to lobby state, national, and international legislatures to eliminate the drug trade. He organized an international convention during which he was received privately by the pope and secured worldwide agreement limiting the drug trade. Afterward Hobson, believing patriotism to be waning, founded the Public Welfare Association to campaign for greater love of country. He also organized the Constitutional Democracy Association, which worked to defeat Franklin D. Roosevelt's attempt to enlarge the United States Supreme Court, and he campaigned with Hubert W. Eldred to establish a national Veterans Reserve Corps, ideological forebear of the contemporary military reserve system. After Hobson's death in 1937, these organizations disbanded.

Papers that are personal in nature are grouped in the Miscellany File. Included are correspondence, memoranda, newspaper clippings, photographs, and reports regarding Hobson's life and death, a plan of George Huntington Hull, Jr., to spark industrial recovery during the Great Depression, the sinking of the British passenger liner Lusitania, prohibition, Theodore Roosevelt, and World War I.

**Arrangement of the Papers**

The collection is arranged in six series:

- Family Papers, 1898-1966
- Navy File, 1886-1942
- Congressional File, 1900-1938
- Organizations File, 1909-1929
- Miscellany, 1889-1944
- Oversize, circa 1898-circa 1934
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BOX OV 1 **Oversize, circa 1898-circa 1934**
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Organized and described according to the series, folders, and boxes from which the items were removed.
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