

# **William Frederick Halsey Papers**

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## Collection Summary

**Title:** William Frederick Halsey Papers

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**ID No.:** MSS49643

**Creator:** Halsey, William Frederick, 1882-1959

**Extent:** 20,000 items

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**Location:** Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

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**Summary:** Naval officer. Correspondence, war diaries, logs, journals, narratives of military campaigns, military orders, books, periodicals, poems, songs, newspaper clippings, and memorabilia relating mostly to Halsey's social and business career after World War II, his personal life and club activities, and the history of American naval involvement in the Pacific Theater during World War II.

## 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

Bristol, Mark L. (Mark Lambert), 1868-1939--Correspondence.

Bryan, J. (Joseph), 1904- --Correspondence.

Carney, Robert Bostwick, 1895-1990--Correspondence.

Clark, Tom C. (Tom Campbell), 1899-1977--Correspondence.

Cook, Arthur B. (Arthur Byron), 1881-1952--Correspondence.

Donovan, William J. (William Joseph), 1883-1959--Correspondence.

Eisenhower, Dwight D. (Dwight David), 1890-1969--Correspondence.

Forrestal, James, 1892-1949--Correspondence.

Fraser, Peter, 1884-1950--Correspondence.

Halsey, William F. (William Frederick), 1882-1959.

Javits, Jacob K. (Jacob Koppel), 1904-1986--Correspondence.

Jones, Jesse H. (Jesse Holman), 1874-1956--Correspondence.

Kefauver, Estes, 1903-1963--Correspondence.

King, Ernest Joseph, 1878-1956--Correspondence.

Kirk, Grayson L. (Grayson Louis), 1903-1997--Correspondence.

Klein, Julius, 1901-1984--Correspondence.

Knox, Frank, 1874-1944--Correspondence.

Lemnitzer, Lyman L. (Lyman Louis), 1899-1988--Correspondence.

Lodge, Henry Cabot, Jr., 1902-1985--Correspondence.

MacArthur, Douglas, 1880-1964--Correspondence.

Marshall, George C. (George Catlett), 1880-1959--Correspondence.

Mitchell, Philip Euen, 1890-1964--Correspondence.

Morison, Samuel Eliot, 1887-1976--Correspondence.

Nimitz, Chester W. (Chester William), 1885-1966--Correspondence.

Nixon, Richard M. (Richard Milhous), 1913-1994--Correspondence.

Price, Charles Frederick Berthold, 1881-1954--Correspondence.

Rawlings, Bernard, Sir, 1889-1962--Correspondence.

Roosevelt, Eleanor, 1884-1962--Correspondence.

Roosevelt, Franklin D. (Franklin Delano), 1882-1945--Correspondence.

Smathers, George A. (George Armistead), 1913-2007--Correspondence.

Stark, Harold R. (Harold Raynsford), 1880-1972--Correspondence.  
Stettinius, Edward R., Jr. (Edward Reilly), 1900-1949--Correspondence.  
Swope, Herbert Bayard, 1882-1958--Correspondence.  
Towers, John H. (John Henry), 1885-1955--Correspondence.  
Vandegrift, A. A. (Alexander Archer), 1887-1973--Correspondence.  
Wainwright, Jonathan Mayhew, 1883-1953--Correspondence.  
Warren, Earl, 1891-1974--Correspondence.  
Yarnell, Harry E. (Harry Ervin), 1875-1959--Correspondence.

### **Organizations**

United States. Navy--History--World War, 1939-1945.  
United States. Navy--Sea life.

### **Subjects**

World War, 1939-1945--Campaigns--Pacific Ocean.  
World War, 1939-1945--Naval operations, American.

### **Occupations**

Naval officers.

## **Provenance**

The papers of William Frederick Halsey, naval officer, were given to the Library of Congress by the Naval Historical Foundation in 1972 and converted to a gift in 1998.

## **Processing History**

The papers of William Frederick Halsey were arranged and described in 1981. The finding aid was revised in 2011.

## **Additional Guides**

In 1983 the Library published *Frederick Halsey, Jr., Ernest Joseph King, and Herbert Bain Knowles: Registers of Their Papers in the Library of Congress*.

## **Copyright Status**

The status of copyright in the unpublished writings of William Frederick Halsey is governed by the Copyright Law of the United States (Title 17, U.S.C.).

## **Access and Restrictions**

The papers of William Frederick Halsey are open to research. Researchers are advised to contact the Manuscript Reading Room prior to visiting. Many collections are stored off-site and advance notice is needed to retrieve these items for research use.

## **Preferred Citation**

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## Biographical Note

Date	Event
1882, Oct. 30	Born, Elizabeth, N.J.
1899-1900	Attended University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Va.
1904	Graduated, United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md.
1907	Duty in the USS <i>Kansas</i> , a warship which participated in the around-the-world cruise ordered by President Theodore Roosevelt
1909	Married Fanny Cooke Grandy Commanded torpedo boat USS <i>Dupont</i>
1910-1913	Shore duty and duty aboard destroyer USS <i>Lamson</i>
1913-1921	Commanded a number of destroyers including USS <i>Flusser</i> , USS <i>Jarvis</i> , and USS <i>Benham</i>
1927	Ordered to the United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md., to command the academy's receiving ship, the USS <i>Reina Mercedes</i> , which later, under Halsey, became the base of the academy's first permanent aviation detail
1932	Commanded Destroyer Squadron 14 in the Atlantic Fleet
1934-1935	Attended Naval War College, Newport, R.I., and the Army War College, Washington, D.C.
1935	Received wings as a pilot from the Pensacola Naval Air Station, Fla. Commanded aircraft carrier USS <i>Saratoga</i>
1937-1938	Served as commandant of Pensacola Naval Air Station
1938	Promoted to rear admiral Commanded Aircraft, Battle Forces and Carrier Division Two
1940	Promoted to vice admiral
1942, Apr.	Commanded the warships that escorted the aircraft carrier USS <i>Hornet</i> , from which were launched the bombers taking part in the raid on Tokyo, Japan, commanded by James H. Doolittle
1942	Promoted to admiral
1942-1944	As commander in the South Pacific was responsible for all tactical military operations designed to clear the Japanese from the Solomon Islands area, including Guadalcanal and Bougainville
1944	Took command of Third Fleet Commanded naval forces at Battle of Leyte Gulf
1945	Promoted to fleet admiral
1946	Official good will tour of South America
1947	Published with J. Bryan <i>Admiral Halsey's Story</i> . New York: Whittlesey House Retired from United States Navy
1948-mid 1950s	On board of directors of many business companies, including Carlisle (Pa.) Tire and Rubber Co., and subsidiaries of International Telephone and Telegraph Corp.
1952	Published "The Battle For Leyte Gulf" in <i>Proceedings of the United States Naval Institute</i> , 78 (May 1952)
1957	Headed an unsuccessful movement to raise one million dollars to preserve the carrier USS <i>Enterprise</i> as a navy shrine and museum
1959, Aug. 17	Died, Fishers Island, N.Y.

## Scope and Content Note

The papers of William F. Halsey (1882-1959) date from 1907 to 1959, but are most numerous for the years 1943-1959. Included are letters received and carbons of letters sent, memoranda, drafts of speeches and articles, naval orders, newspaper clippings, books, pamphlets, reports, war diaries, campaign narratives, logs, journals, and souvenirs. Although the papers cover important aspects of Halsey's naval record in the Pacific, they chiefly relate to his social and business interests after World War II. The collection is organized into ten series: [Orders and Official Papers](#), [General Correspondence](#), [Special Correspondence](#), [Business and Social Correspondence](#), [Routine Requests and Personal Appearance File](#), [Military File](#), [Subject File](#), [Speeches and Writings](#), [Miscellany](#), and [Oversize](#).

Halsey's naval career, from his graduation at the United States Naval Academy in 1904 until he became associated with carrier command during the 1930s, can be traced through examination of his naval orders and official papers. The [General Correspondence](#) and [Special Correspondence](#) files, which contain more personal than official letters, focus on his career after graduation from the Pensacola Naval Air Station in 1935. The papers for the World War II period reflect Halsey's intense feeling against the Japanese, his tireless efforts to fulfill his mission, and his theories of command structure.

The only letter in the [General Correspondence](#) predating Halsey's rise as a tactical carrier commander in the 1930s is a letter he wrote in 1910 expressing a desire to leave the navy. In the [General Correspondence](#) series for the period 1934-1939 are letters reflecting Halsey's private life as well as his naval career, including letters recommending transfers of officers, change of command, and carrier organization. Modern warfare, according to memoranda and reports from naval officers approved and passed on by Halsey to Admiral F. J. Horne in 1936, supported a decentralization of command structure regarding carrier division forces. Other topics of interest include the problems involved in the commissioning of an aircraft carrier and the tactical merits of combining marine corps carrier planes into a wing unit rather than separate groups, as then presently constituted.

Researchers interested in Halsey's wartime South Pacific area service are directed to the [General Correspondence](#) and [Special Correspondence](#) series, the [Military File](#), which focuses predominantly upon events related to the Third Fleet, Halsey's command from 1944 to 1945, and the [Miscellany](#).

The routine side of a naval officer's career during the war is portrayed in the [General Correspondence](#), although more serious military matters, such as the Japanese occupation of the Caroline and Solomon Islands, are mentioned. As commander in the South Pacific, Halsey's military responsibilities are especially reflected in the [Special Correspondence](#) files of Chester W. Nimitz, Charles Frederick Berthod Price, A. A. Vandegrift, and William J. Donovan, which review the tactical aspects of island fighting, reasons for replacement by Halsey of key military personnel, matters of political consideration in military decisions, discussions of tactical carrier maneuvers under battle conditions, and psychological warfare. Correspondence with Peter Fraser, prime minister of New Zealand, and Sir Philip Mitchell, governor general of the Fiji Islands, testifies to Halsey's handling of administrative as well as military problems.

Other material in the [Special Correspondence](#) includes letters of Mark L. Bristol, commander of Carrier Division One, and John H. Towers, chief of the Bureau of Aeronautics, Department of the Navy, in the summer of 1940, discussing the status of the United States aircraft industry, the amortization of plants producing war materials, contract prices, and congressional appropriation factors. Other significant correspondence includes letters of Halsey to Admiral Harry E. Yarnell in 1943, in which he expresses his distaste for a separate air force and a single defense department to control all military branches; and a fervent letter from Henry Cabot Lodge (1902-1985) in 1944 revealing his personal aspirations for continued war service.

Perhaps the most significant letters in the [Special Correspondence](#) are the frank communications with Chester Nimitz, who as commander in chief in the Pacific was Halsey's immediate superior. The more than eighty letters, beginning in 1941, include occasional rebukes by Nimitz when Halsey exceeded his authority and discuss such diverse matters as strained press relations, the limiting of official visitors in the war zone, the methods devised to rebuild morale after disastrous setbacks, island administration, and the issue of neutralizing the Japanese stronghold in Rabaul, Papua New Guinea.

[General](#) and [Special Correspondence](#) after the end of hostilities documents Halsey's role as a retired naval officer and private citizen. Military commanders wrote seeking confirmation for details to include in battle histories or requesting Halsey to write a foreword for such works. Halsey's advice on postwar military matters, such as command structure, the organization of a defense department, United States relations with Japan, and the role of the military in peacetime, was also frequently sought. These letters also reflect growing concern with the nation's policy toward the newly established Communist government on the Chinese mainland.

Early in the postwar years Halsey wrote his autobiography, choosing as his assistant editor a naval officer and writer, J. Bryan. Correspondence concerning this work is located in the [Special Correspondence](#) files as are other postwar letters reflecting Halsey's continued concern with his military campaigns, his personal friendships, and the opportunity offered to him to lobby for South Korean interests, an opportunity not seriously considered.

After the war, Halsey served on the board of directors of many companies, some of which are represented in the [Business and Social Correspondence](#). In this series are letters stipulating the time, place, and agenda of board meetings, social accommodations associated with company directorships, and requests for memberships in societies and clubs. The [Subject File](#) is a useful corollary for this series since it contains reports and other business statements.

Testifying to Halsey's popularity are the numerous requests he received for autographs, assistance in personal undertakings, photographs, and speeches, together with laudatory remarks concerning his published autobiography.

Aspects of Halsey's leadership in the South Pacific, his command of the Third Fleet, and his operational tactics during the Battle for Leyte Gulf are present in the [Military File](#). Relating to his role as commander in the South Pacific is a campaign narrative, written nearly three months after leaving this command. The narrative, based on action reports, contains comments on command relationships and strategic implications of various ground, air, amphibious, and sea operations. Complementing this report are printed campaign service narratives in the [Miscellany](#) file.

The predominant feature of the [Military File](#), however, concerns the widely publicized Battle for Leyte Gulf, a controversial naval engagement fought in the Surigaro Strait, and off the Island of Samar in the Philippines, October 24-26, 1944. The salient point voiced by Halsey's critics concentrates upon his critical decision to converge on a decoy Japanese carrier force to the north of Mindanao with his carrier fleet, thereby leaving General Douglas MacArthur's troops and support ships vulnerable to attack from two Japanese attack groups. Critical turning points in the battle are discussed in the [Special Correspondence](#) series, especially in the files of Robert Bostwick Carney, Halsey's chief of staff and articulate spokesman, and Samuel Eliot Morison, naval historian and critic of Halsey's tactical executions. Supplementing this exchange of letters are logs, communication and operation reports, war diaries of the Third Fleet, and Halsey's commentaries on the chapter regarding Leyte Gulf in E. B. Potter's naval history *The United States and World Sea Power* (Englewood Cliffs [N.J.] Prentice-Hall, 1955.) Also significant are Halsey's 1952 article in the [Speech and Writings](#) file entitled "The Battle for Leyte Gulf," clippings in the [Oversize](#) that reflect this naval engagement, and letters in the [General Correspondence](#) series for the period 1947-1949 regarding a series of articles he wrote on his Pacific command.

Among those subjects documented in the [Speech and Writings](#) are Halsey's view on unity of command, the relationship between naval strategy, tactics, and command (his thesis for the Naval War College), and universal military training as a necessary instrument of national defense. There are no drafts in the collection of his autobiography.

Like many public figures, Halsey received his share of crank mail, concentrated heavily in the mid-1940s. Many of these letters contain references to new weapons which would speedily end the war. These, together with letters expressing sympathy on the death of his mother, posthumous letters to Halsey's family, printed matter, and souvenirs, are included in the [Miscellany](#). Those sending sympathy messages upon Halsey's death include Dwight D. Eisenhower, Lyman Lemnitzer, Henry Cabot Lodge, Jacob K. Javits, Grayson Kirk, Richard M. Nixon, and Thomas White.

Prominent figures in the [Special Correspondence](#) other than those previously mentioned include Tom Clark, Arthur B. Cook, James Forrestal, Jesse Jones, Estes Kefauver, Ernest Joseph King, Julius Klein, Frank Knox, Douglas MacArthur, George C. Marshall, Sir Bernard Rawlings, Eleanor Roosevelt, Franklin D. Roosevelt, George A. Smathers, Harold R. Stark, Edward R. Stettinius, Herbert Bayard Swope, Jonathan Mayhew Wainwright, and Earl Warren.

## Arrangement of the Papers

This collection is arranged in ten series:

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