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Collection Summary

Title: Joseph Holt Papers

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Summary: United States Postmaster general, secretary of war, judge advocate general of the United States Army, and lawyer. Correspondence, diaries, financial papers, legal papers, newspaper clippings, speeches, photographs, and printed matter relating to Holt's duties as judge advocate general, especially his work on the military commission that tried the Lincoln assassination conspirators, the trial of Mary Surratt, and various controversies surrounding the work of the commission. Other topics include Kentucky and Mississippi politics, Democratic Party politics, the elections of 1852 and 1856, the Civil War, and Holt's duties as secretary of war.

Online Content: The papers of Joseph Holt are available on the Library of Congress Web site at <http://hdl.loc.gov/loc.mss/collmss.ms000068>.

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

Black, Jeremiah S. (Jeremiah Sullivan), 1810-1883--Correspondence.

Buchanan, James, 1791-1868--Correspondence.

Cameron, Simon, 1799-1889--Correspondence.

Garfield, James A. (James Abram), 1831-1881--Correspondence.

Grant, Ulysses S. (Ulysses Simpson), 1822-1885--Correspondence.

Harlan, John Marshall, 1833-1911--Correspondence.

Hawes, Albert Gallatin, 1804-1849--Correspondence.

Hay, John, 1838-1905--Correspondence.

Hitchcock, Ethan Allen, 1798-1870--Correspondence.

Holt family--Correspondence.

Holt, Joseph, 1807-1894.

Holt, Margaret Wickliffe, 1821-1860--Correspondence.

Holt, Mary Harrison, 1811-1846--Correspondence.

Holt, Samuel P.--Correspondence.

Holt, Thomas H.--Correspondence.

Johnson, Reverdy, 1796-1876--Correspondence.

Johnston, Harriet Lane, 1830-1903--Correspondence.

King, Horatio, 1811-1897--Correspondence.

Lieber, Francis, 1800-1872--Correspondence.

Lincoln, Abraham, 1809-1865--Assassination.

Lincoln, Abraham, 1809-1865--Correspondence.

Lincoln, Abraham, 1809-1865--Inaugurations.

Lincoln, Abraham, 1809-1865.

Nicolay, John G. (John George), 1832-1901--Correspondence.

Noirey, Amelie L. de--Correspondence.

Rush, Benjamin, 1811-1877--Correspondence.

Scott, Winfield, 1786-1866--Correspondence.
Sims, J. Marion (James Marion), 1813-1883--Correspondence.
Speed, James, 1812-1887--Correspondence.
Stanton, Edwin M. (Edwin McMasters), 1814-1869--Correspondence.
Surratt, Mary E. (Mary Eugenia), 1820-1865--Trials, litigation, etc.
Wallace, Lew, 1827-1905--Correspondence.
Weichmann, Louis J.--Correspondence.

Organizations

Democratic Party (U.S.)
Knights of the Golden Circle.
United States. Army. Office of the Judge Advocate General.
United States. War Department.

Subjects

Elections--United States--1852.
Elections--United States--1856.
Law--Kentucky.
Law--Mississippi.
Trials (Assassination)--Washington (D.C.)

Places

Kentucky--Politics and government--1792-1865.
Mississippi--Politics and government--To 1865.
United States--History--Civil War, 1861-1865.
United States--Politics and government--19th century.

Titles

Joseph Holt Papers at the Library of Congress

Occupations

Cabinet officers.
Judges.
Lawyers.

Provenance

The papers of Joseph Holt, United States postmaster general, secretary of war, judge advocate general of the United States Army, and lawyer, were given to the Library of Congress by Mrs. Walter M. Rose in 1907. Additions were given by Joseph H. Rose in 1954-1957.

Processing History

The papers of Joseph Holt were arranged and described in 1978. The finding aid was revised in 2011 and in 2015.

Copyright Status

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

Access and Restrictions

The papers of Joseph Holt 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.

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Preferred Citation

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Biographical Note

Date	Event
1807, Jan. 6	Born, Breckinridge County, Ky.
1828	Opened law office, Elizabethtown, Ky.
1832	Moved to Louisville, Ky. Assistant editor, <i>Louisville Advertiser</i>
1833-1835	Commonwealth's attorney, Louisville District, Ky.
1835-1842	Practiced law, Port Gibson and Vicksburg, Miss.
1842	Returned to Louisville, Ky.
1848-1851	Toured Europe and Egypt
1852	Supported Franklin Pierce for president
1856	Supported James Buchanan for president
1857	Moved to Washington, D.C.; appointed commissioner of patents
1859-1861	Postmaster general
1861	Secretary of war
1862-1875	Judge advocate general of the army
1865	Presided over military commission to try the Abraham Lincoln assassination conspirators
1866	Published "Vindication of Judge Advocate General Holt," <i>Washington Chronicle</i>
1875	Retired from the army
1888	Published article on trial of Mary Surratt, <i>North American Review</i>
1894, Aug. 1	Died, Washington, D.C.

Scope and Content Note

The papers of Joseph Holt (1807-1894) span the years 1797-1917, with the bulk of the material concentrated in the period 1859-1889. The collection consists principally of correspondence supplemented by diaries, ledgers, account books, bills and receipts, briefs and other legal papers, newspaper clippings, speeches, photographs, and printed matter. The collection is organized into seven series: [General Correspondence and Related Material](#); [Personal Correspondence](#); [Winfield Scott Correspondence](#); [Diaries, Notebooks, and Epistolary Records](#); [Financial Papers](#); [Miscellany](#); and [Oversize](#).

Holt's career as newspaper editor, lawyer, local politician, cabinet member, and first judge advocate general of the United States Army is illumined by this collection. Holt's correspondence from the 1830s and 1840s relates largely to legal matters and politics in Kentucky and Mississippi. In particular, the letters from Albert Gallatin Hawes, a United States Representative from Kentucky, afford generous glimpses into politics of that state.

The emerging sectional conflicts that ultimately led to the Civil War drew Holt into national politics. On the eve of the war he occupied a prominent place in the ranks of the Democratic Party. In 1859, he was appointed postmaster general by President James Buchanan. In January 1861, he was appointed secretary of war, an appointment he later described in an article entitled "How I Became Secretary of War." Among Holt's tasks as secretary of war was keeping the peace in the capital during Lincoln's inauguration. Correspondence between Holt and Winfield Scott reflects concern over numerous rumors of planned assassination attempts by the Knights of the Golden Circle and other pro-Southern organizations.

On Sept. 3, 1862, Holt was appointed judge advocate general of the army. Though a Southerner and a Democrat, he supported the Union. The newly-created post to which he was named carried the responsibility for the establishment of military commissions with jurisdiction over civilian offenders.

On May 4, 1865, a military commission was convened to try the Abraham Lincoln assassination conspirators. The event was to color the rest of Holt's life. The Holt Papers contain voluminous correspondence regarding the commission as well as affidavits, depositions, transcribed testimony, and various versions of the charges against the conspirators. Particularly noteworthy is the correspondence between Holt and Louis J. Weichmann, a principal government witness in the conspiracy trial. Their correspondence began in May 1865 and continued for almost thirty years. Also in the collection are items relating to allegations that Holt suppressed a clemency petition addressed to President Andrew Johnson on behalf of Mary Surratt; a seven-page letter from Mrs. Samuel Mudd to Holt, pleading her husband's innocence; Holt's correspondence with other members of the commission after the trial; and a draft of the charges against the conspirators in the handwriting of Secretary of War Edwin M. Stanton.

Correspondents include Jeremiah S. Black, James Buchanan, Simon Cameron, James A. Garfield, Ulysses S. Grant, John Marshall Harlan, John Hay, Ethan Allen Hitchcock, Mary Harrison Holt, Margaret Wickliffe Holt, Richard S. Holt, Samuel P. Holt, Thomas H. Holt, Reverdy Johnson, Horatio King, Harriet Lane, Francis Lieber, Abraham Lincoln, Benjamin Rush, John G. Nicolay, Amelie L. de Noircy, Winfield Scott, J. Marion Sims, James Speed, and Lew Wallace.

Arrangement of the Papers

This collection is arranged in seven series:

- [General Correspondence and Related Material, 1817-1894](#)
- [Personal Correspondence, 1832-1895](#)
- [Winfield Scott Correspondence, 1861](#)
- [Diaries, Notebooks, and Epistolary Record, 1836-1892](#)
- [Financial Papers, 1822-1894](#)
- [Miscellany, 1797-1917](#)
- [Oversize, 1830-1850](#)

Description of Series

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BOX 1-97	<p><u>General Correspondence and Related Material, 1817-1894</u></p> <p>Bound volumes of letters received and sent. Includes transcripts of the trial of the Abraham Lincoln assassination conspirators, drafts of the charges, transcripts of correspondence, legal miscellany, speeches to the juries, and other miscellaneous items. Arranged and bound chronologically, with some items filed out of order.</p>
BOX 98-101	<p><u>Personal Correspondence, 1832-1895</u></p> <p>Mainly correspondence with family members and friends. Arranged chronologically.</p>
BOX 101	<p><u>Winfield Scott Correspondence, 1860-1861 , 1907</u></p> <p>Letters between Holt and Scott. Arranged chronologically.</p>
BOX 102	<p><u>Diaries, Notebooks, and Epistolary Record, 1836-1892</u></p> <p>Diaries, notebooks, and epistolary record. Organized into three groupings and arranged chronologically.</p>
BOX 103-113	<p><u>Financial Papers, 1822-1894</u></p> <p>Canceled checkbook, ledgers, account books, bills and receipts, and indenture. Arranged by type of material.</p>
BOX 114-118	<p><u>Miscellany, 1797-1917</u></p> <p>Invitations, acceptances, calling cards, legal notes, a French copybook, roll book, passport, clippings, photographs, printed matter, an article by Holt, editorial remarks, an autobiography of Holt, and scrapbooks. Arranged by type of material.</p>
BOX OV 1-OV 3	<p><u>Oversize, 1830-1850</u></p> <p>Maps, financial papers, newspapers, and printed matter. Arranged and described according to the series, container, and folder from which the items were removed.</p>

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BOX 2	1830, Aug. 6 -1832, Nov. 13 Digital content available
BOX 3	1832, Nov. 14 -1834, Apr. 2 Digital content available
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