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Collection Overview

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| Repository: | Smithsonian Institution Archives, Washington, D.C., osiaref@si.edu |
| Title: | Records |
| Identifier: | Record Unit 365 |
| Date: | 1899-1988 and undated, with material from 1805 |
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| Creator:: | National Zoological Park. Office of Public Affairs |
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Administrative Information

Oversize

This collection contains oversize material.

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Historical Note

The Office of Public Affairs did not exist as an administrative entity at the National Zoological Park (NZN) until 1978. Prior to the early 1960s, dissemination of information about NZN programs, activities, and animals to the public and the media was carried out by the staff of the Office of the Director. In 1962, zoologist Marion McCrane was hired to head the Information and Education Division at NZN. In addition to handling public affairs, the division also created signs and labels for NZN exhibits. When McCrane resigned in December 1968, Sybil E. Hamlet was named acting head and later head of the office.

In 1972, Information and Education was reorganized and became the Division of Interpretation, with Saul W. Schiffman as chief of the division. The new division's duties were expanded to include exhibit production. In 1974, information and education work was again separated from exhibits production by the creation of the Office of Education and Information and the Office of Graphics and Exhibits. Judith White was named chief of the Office of Education and Information in 1975. This office was renamed the Office of Education in 1978, when information duties were transferred to the newly established Office of Public Affairs.

The Office of Public Affairs was headed by Patricia Hurley in 1978, and Robert J. Hoage became chief of the office in 1979. With the assistance of Sybil Hamlet and Michael Morgan, the Office of Public Affairs continued to provide general information about NZN programs and activities to the public and the media, as well as organizing and coordinating special events at NZN.

Descriptive Entry

The records of the National Zoological Park, Office of Public Affairs were for the most part created and maintained by Sybil E. Hamlet, Public Information Officer at NZP for over twenty years. Also included are some general correspondence and memoranda created by Hamlet's predecessor, Marion McCrane.

As Public Information Officer, Hamlet was responsible for gathering and disseminating information about NZP's events, collections, and programs to the media and the general public. She garnered a great deal of information about animal births, deaths, breeding, and acquisitions from the daily and weekly animal reports written by the keepers, which are included in these records as series 1. Other data that Hamlet collected about animals at NZP and other zoos, including clippings, photographs, and manuscripts, can be found in the animal information files. This series (4) is an especially rich source of information on the arrival of and the public reaction to the two giant pandas, "Ling-Ling" and "Hsing Hsing."

A large portion of Hamlet's job was answering requests for information about animals and zoos from both the public at large and from other members of the zoo profession. Samples of incoming correspondence and the replies of Hamlet, her predecessor Marion McCrane, and other staff in the Public Affairs Office, can be found in series 5 and 6. Series 5 contains requests for information solely about animals, while series 6 is concerned with requests for photographs, guidebooks, maps, and more general information about NZP and zoo careers.

The general subject files (series 3) document the research and activities of the Office of Public Affairs not directly related to the animal collections at NZP. Other aspects of Hamlet's work as Public Information Officer can be seen in the memoranda and correspondence in this series concerning the planning and execution of special events at the zoo. Writing signs and labels for the zoo was another duty of the Office of Public Affairs until the Office of Graphics and Exhibits was created in 1974; series 2 contains drafts of text for those signs, including maps showing the geographic range of the animals described.

The more administrative side of the Office of Public Affairs is documented in series 7, which contains internal memoranda concerning such things as chain of command during leaves of absence, personnel issues, and commendations for exceptional performance by Public Affairs staff and other NZP staff assisting with Public Affairs activities.

In 1978, Sybil Hamlet was delegated a two-year assignment of researching and writing the history of the National Zoological Park. Series 8 contains all the notes, articles, correspondence, manuscripts, and clippings she used in order to create her manuscript, "The National Zoological Park from Its Beginnings to 1973." Three drafts of the manuscript are included, along with an index to one of the drafts. The manuscript was never published.

Another fine source for information about past events and animals at NZP is the large number of scrapbooks that make up series 12. Clippings about NZP people, animals, collection expeditions, and events were saved from 1924 to 1978, along with original photographs (black and white and color) in some albums. Twelve of these scrapbooks are devoted to the giant pandas, and four solely to obituaries for "Smokey Bear." A small collection of glass lantern slides and photographs can be found in series 9. The lantern slides were probably taken in the London Zoological Gardens at the turn of the century, and the photographs (both black and white and color) are images of NZP and its animals. Original artwork, primarily of "Smokey Bear" and of the giant pandas, make up series 10; series 11 contains architectural drawings and maps of NZP grounds and buildings.

Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

- Giant panda
- Smokey Bear
- Zoos

Types of Materials:

- Architectural drawings
- Black-and-white photographs
- Brochures
- Clippings
- Color photographs
- Color transparencies
- Drawings
- Illustrations
- Lantern slides
- Manuscripts
- Maps
- Newsletters
- Picture postcards
- Posters
- Scrapbooks
- Serials (publications)

Names:

- Hamlet, Sybil E.
- Hoage, R. J.
- Hurley, Patricia
- McCrane, Marion P.
- Morgan, Michael
- National Zoological Park (U.S.). Division of Information and Education
- National Zoological Park (U.S.). Division of Interpretation
- National Zoological Park (U.S.). Office of Education
- National Zoological Park (U.S.). Office of Education and Information
- National Zoological Park (U.S.). Office of Graphics and Exhibits
- Schiffman, Saul W.
- White, Judith

Container Listing

Series 1: ANIMAL REPORTS, 1964-1986. ARRANGED CHRONOLOGICALLY BY DIVISION.

This series consists of regular reports on the status of animals at the zoo. Included is information about births, deaths, illnesses, breeding, animals received and animals moved or shipped out. In many instances, coverage is incomplete and does not reflect the entire year's activities. Also included in this series are daily call-in reports from the head keepers of the different animal divisions. The call-in reports have some information that was not included in the daily written reports.

Box 1

Daily Reports

Box 1 of 69 Folders 1-22 General reports, July 1964-June 1968. These records report on all of the animals at NZP, and are not divided by type of animal.

Box 2

Box 2 of 69 Folders 1-16 General reports, July 1968-April 1971

Box 2 of 69 Folders 17-34 General reports, April 1974-September 1979

Box 3

Box 3 of 69 Folders 1-24 General reports, September 1979-August 1983

Box 4

Box 4 of 69 Folders 1-19 General reports, September 1983-September 1986

Box 4 of 69 Folders 20-31 Bird Division reports, May 1971-June 1973

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Box 5 of 69 Folders 1-25 Bird Division reports, July 1973-April 1978

Box 5 of 69 Folders 26-32 Large Carnivore Division reports, January 1969-February 1971

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Box 6 of 69 Folders 6-11 Large Mammal Division reports, January 1971- December 1971

Box 6 of 69 Folders 12-47 Mammal Division (later Mammals Unit) reports, May 1971-April 1978

Box 6 of 69 Folders 48-51 Reptile Division reports, January 1971, October 1971-
February 1972

Box 7

Box 7 of 69 Folders 1-31 Reptile Division (later Amphibians and Reptiles Unit) reports,
March 1972-April 1978

Box 7 of 69 Folders 32-37 Small Mammals and Primates Division reports, January-
December 1971

Weekly Reports

Box 7 of 69 Folder 38 Keys to abbreviations used in weekly reports, 1980, 1983, 1985

Box 7 of 69 Folder 39 Invertebrates weekly reports, 1984

Box 7 of 69 Folders 40-44 Herpetology weekly reports, 1982-1985

Box 7 of 69 Folder 45 Mammalogy weekly reports, 1982

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Box 8 of 69 Folders 1-4 Mammalogy weekly reports, 1983-1985

Box 8 of 69 Folders 5-10 Ornithology weekly reports, 1982-1985

Daily Call-In Reports

Box 8 of 69 Folders 11-16 December 8, 1972-February 5, 1974

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Series 2: EXHIBIT LABEL CARDS, UNDATED. UNARRANGED.

This series consists of text for animal exhibit signs typed on 5" x 8" index cards. Also included are small maps showing the geographic range of the animals described.

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Exhibit label cards with attached maps, undated

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Series 3: GENERAL SUBJECT FILES, CIRCA 1868-1988 AND UNDATED. ARRANGED ALPHABETICALLY.

This series consists of correspondence, clippings, manuscripts, memoranda, notes, and press releases that document the research and activities of the Office of Public Affairs. Included is information on dedications and other events at the zoo; articles, biographical information and correspondence by and about NZP staff; and manuscripts of research on animals and on zoos in general. Older material (1860s through 1930s) consists of photocopies of original documents.

Box 11

- Box 11 of 69 Folder 1 Achievement Rewards for College Scientists Foundation, Inc., 1971-1972. Concerns ARCS auctions of the privilege of naming baby zoo animals.
- Box 11 of 69 Folder 2 American Association of Zoological Parks and Aquariums, 1965-1976 and undated. Includes information about NZP for the AAZPA newsletter.
- Box 11 of 69 Folder 3 American Cancer Society summer scholarship winner at NZP, 1971
- Box 11 of 69 Folder 4 "Animals of the Bible," undated
- Box 11 of 69 Folders 5-9 Animal Programs meetings, 1979-1983. Includes minutes, agenda, and memoranda.
- Box 11 of 69 Folder 10 Automotive equipment, 1980
- Box 11 of 69 Folder 11 Award, Indoor Bird Watchers society, 1964, 1965
- Box 11 of 69 Folder 12 Award, NZP-SI Foster Mother Certificate of Appreciation, 1959, 1965, 1967, 1970 and undated
- Box 11 of 69 Folder 13 Baker, Arthur Benoni (1858-1930). Includes obituary, 1910, 1930 and undated.
- Box 11 of 69 Folder 14 Baker, Frank (1841-1918). Includes obituaries, biographical sketches, publications, and correspondence, 1868, 1871, 1875, 1889-1890, 1915, 1918, 1955, 1975, 1978-1979.
- Box 11 of 69 Folder 15 Barker, Bert (?-?). Contains article about his participation in obtaining "Mohini," the white tiger, for NZP, 1983.
- Box 11 of 69 Folder 16 Barnum, Phineas T. (1810-1891). Consists of A. H. Saxon correspondence concerning letters between Barnum and William Temple Hornaday, 1980.
- Box 11 of 69 Folder 17 Beaver Valley, 1979 and undated
- Box 11 of 69 Folder 18 Bernstein, Edward (1900-1979), and Gypsy the monkey. Includes clippings and notes about Bernstein and the boarding of Gypsy at NZP, 1962, 1979 and undated.

- Box 11 of 69 Folder 19 Bicentennial Essay contest, 1975. Includes brochures and correspondence concerning the enlistment of essay readers from SI.
- Box 11 of 69 Folder 20 Biomedical telemetry exhibits, 1966
- Box 11 of 69 Folder 21 Blackburne, William H. (1856-1950). Includes obituary, and correspondence from Betty Wright, niece of Blackburne, 1979-1980.
- Box 11 of 69 Folder 22 Brochures of NZP, 1968 and undated
- Box 11 of 69 Folder 23 Buechner, Helmut K. (1918-1975). Includes biographical sketch with list of publications, 1972, 1975.
- Box 11 of 69 Folder 24 Building a zoo, references, 1965, 1968 and undated. Includes bibliographies, reports, and articles.
- Box 12
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 1 Cap-chur gun, 1961-1962 and undated
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 2 Closed-circuit television for pandas, 1972-1973
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 3 Commemorative benches, 1976, 1979
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 4 Congressional funding, 1977-1978. Includes press releases, articles, and budget information.
- Box 12 of 69 Folders 5-6 Curators' meeting minutes, 1973-1974
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 7 Cage plan for nocturnal animals, 1968
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 8 DePrato, Mario (?-?). Consists of notes about snakes, 1963-1967 and undated.
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 9 Diet A, 1956, 1964 and undated
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 10 Diploma from Louisiana Purchase Exposition, 1904. Consists of 1965 memorandum acknowledging receipt of the diploma.
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 11 Directors of NZP, undated. Contains lists of directors and other important NZP people over the years.
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 12 Division titles, 1981 and undated
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 13 DZR publications bibliography, undated
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 14 Eisenberg, John F. (1935-). Contains manuscripts, 1965-1968, 1971-1972 and undated.
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 15 "Electrical Communication," undated. Contains draft of slide show script by David A. Hounshell.

- Box 12 of 69 Folder 16 Endangered species at NZP, 1972, 1974. Includes list of endangered animals at NZP.
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 17 "The Enormous Egg," 1967-1968, and undated. Concerns filming of the NBC Children's Theater special. See also Uncle Beazley, Series 8, Box 36, folder 16.
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 18 Federal Times, 1972-1977. Concerns reaction to and refutation of March 28, 1977, article that claimed NZP was suffering from an uncontrolled outbreak of avian tuberculosis and also unusually high mortality rates.
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 19 Food and feeding, 1976, 1978
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 20 Food and milk formulas, undated
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 21 French, Cecil (1871-?). Includes copies of correspondence between French and first director of NZP, Frank Baker, 1896-1897, 1906 and undated.
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 22 Friends of the National Zoo, "The Crisis at Our National Zoo," circa 1959. Also includes information about the history of FONZ.
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 23 Friends of the National Zoo Hall of Fame, 1974-1976
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 24 Gallagher case, 1974-1976. Concerns Louise Gallagher's libel suit against The Washington Post for a 1974 article stating that she may have transmitted rheumatoid arthritis to gorillas while caring for them as infants.
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 25 Garner, Richard Lynch (1848-1920). Includes typescripts of articles and correspondence concerning Garner's theories of "simian language," 1891-1892.
- Box 12 of 69 Folder 26 General staff meeting, 1979. Includes agenda and notes from the meeting, and an organizational chart of NZP.

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- Box 13 of 69 Folder 1 Gifts of animals to NZP, 1960-1963
- Box 13 of 69 Folder 2 Gifts of animals to NZP from the Duke of Bedford. Includes copies of correspondence from Bedford to the Smithsonian, 1916-1917, 1921-1922. See also Series 4, Box 22, folder 21.
- Box 13 of 69 Folder 3 Gifts of animals to U.S. Presidents, 1954, 1968, 1970, 1980, 1984 and undated
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- [Image\(s\): Document describing the animals that US presidents gave to the National Zoo as gifts, Page 2, Theodore Roosevelt to Franklin Roosevelt, c. 1972. \[Image No. SIA2013-00204\]](#)

[Image\(s\): Document describing the animals that US presidents gave to the National Zoo as gifts, Page 3, Harry Truman to Richard Nixon, c. 1972. \[Image No. SIA2013-00205\]](#)

- Box 13 of 69 Folder 4 Goode, George Brown, house. Contains copy of entry from Capital Losses by James M. Goode, 1979.
- Box 13 of 69 Folder 5 Government Employees Companies magazine, Steering Wheel, 1968
- Box 13 of 69 Folder 6 Gray, Clinton W. (1916-1983). Includes obituary, 1974, 1983.
- Box 13 of 69 Folder 7 Grimmer, J. Lear (1913-?). Includes correspondence, biographical sketch, and clippings, 1957, 1959-1974, 1977, 1980.
- Box 13 of 69 Folder 8 Guide to Carl Hagenbeck's Zoo, Germany, 1911. In German.
- Box 13 of 69 Folder 9 Gunite air-placed concrete, 1953, 1958 and undated
- Box 13 of 69 Folder 10 Hamlet, Sybil E. (1912-1989). Includes job description, 1968, 1970, 1971, 1976, 1982 and undated.
- Box 13 of 69 Folder 11 Hand rearing records, 1944-1983
- Box 13 of 69 Folder 12 "The Happy Frog" statue dedication, 1975-1976. Includes schedule for dedication.
- Box 13 of 69 Folder 13 Heller, Edmund, Papers, circa 1898-1917. Contains photocopies of selected photographs from the Smithsonian Archives collection.
- Box 13 of 69 Folder 14 "Highlights of the National Zoo, 1967-1970, 1972 and undated. Consists of drafts and revisions of "Information From the Smithsonian Institution" pamphlet.
- Box 13 of 69 Folder 15 Hollister, Ned (1876-1924). Includes biographical information in the form of notes, photocopies of Smithsonian Archives correspondence, and memorials, 1916, 1925, 1968, 1980.
- Box 13 of 69 Folder 16 Holy Land Conservation Fund, 1972. Concerns the promise of two scimitar-horned oryx to the Hai Bar reserve, Israel.
- Box 13 of 69 Folder 17 Hornaday, William Temple (1854-1937). Includes correspondence, manuscripts, and biographical sketches, some concerning Hornaday's resignation, 1885-1887, 1890, 1937, 1979, 1983, 1986
- Box 13 of 69 Folder 18 Hornaday, William Temple, dissertation, "Bringing Wildlife to Millions: William Temple Hornaday the Early Years: 1854-1896" Part 2, by James Andrew Dolph, 1975
- Box 13 of 69 Folder 19 Insectarium, Tama Zoological Park, Tokyo, 1968

- Box 13 of 69 Folder 20 International Council of Museums (ICOM), 1968-1969, 1971-1973. Includes Information about membership dues, statutes, and an International Museological Bibliography.
- Box 13 of 69 Folder 21 International Zoo News, 1965-1970, 1972-1973. Includes news items from NZP sent to International Zoo News to be included in their newsletter.
- Box 13 of 69 Folder 22 Invitations, 1965-1968 and undated
- Box 13 of 69 Folder 23 Jackson, Hannah, case, 1902-1908. Includes photocopies from the Smithsonian Archives collections concerning the negligence suit brought against NZP by Mrs. Jackson when a wolf escaped from the zoo.
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- Box 14 of 69 Folder 1 Johnson, Martin and Osa, Safari Museum, 1981, 1983
- Box 14 of 69 Folder 2 Jones, Marvin L. (?-?), 1977. Consists of correspondence.
- Box 14 of 69 Folder 3 Jones, Marvin L. (?-?), 1968, circa 1978. Contains the publications: "The Washington Zoological Park, Washington, D.C.: A Narrative Guide to the Park," 1968, and "Longevity of Animals in Captivity," circa 1978.
- Box 14 of 69 Folder 4 Kent State thesis by Karen C. Papenfuss, "A Study of Methods of Disseminating Information by Major Zoological Gardens in the United States," 1969
- Box 14 of 69 Folder 5 Kohn, Edward H. (?-) (Deputy Director of NZP, 1973-1979). Contains St. Paul, Minnesota, newspaper clippings concerning alleged mismanagement of the Minnesota Zoological Garden while Kohn was Director, 1982.
- Box 14 of 69 Folder 6 Labels, 1956-1965 and undated. Includes correspondence and suggestions, and sample labels. See also Box 16, folder 3.
- Box 14 of 69 Folder 7 Label survey, 1971-1972 and undated
- Box 14 of 69 Folder 8 Langley, Samuel Pierpoint (1834-1906). Consists of research notes, correspondence, and articles concerning his studies in aviation, 1892, 1900-1902, 1906-1907, 1912, 1919, 1965, 1968, 1978, 1987.
- Box 14 of 69 Folder 9 La Varre, William J., Jr. (1898-?). Contains copies of correspondence from the Smithsonian Archives collection concerning La Varre, a South American animal collector, 1919-1922.
- Box 14 of 69 Folder 10 Letters of commendation, 1970. Concerns tuatara exhibits.
- Box 14 of 69 Folder 11 Lion and tiger exhibit dedication, 1975-1976. Includes memoranda, press releases, program and opening remarks by Theodore Reed on the day of the dedication (May 25, 1976).

- Box 14 of 69 Folder 12 Loan lists, December 1983
- Box 14 of 69 Folder 13 Mann, Lucile Quarry (1897-1986). Includes article and biographical sketch, 1967, 1985, 1987 and undated.
- Box 14 of 69 Folder 14 Mann, William M. (1886-1960). Includes correspondence, news clippings, biographical sketches and obituaries, 1922-1987 and undated. Emergency passports are in Box 43, folder 6.
- Box 14 of 69 Folder 15 Mann, William N. (1886-1960). Contains publications by Mann and a bibliography, 1930, 1932, 1937, 1938, 1957 and undated.
- Box 14 of 69 Folder 16 Manuscripts, miscellaneous, 1968, 1971, 1972
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- Box 14 of 69 Folder 18 McCrane, Marion P. (?-). Contains articles by McCrane about her hand-rearing of a two-toed sloth, 1956, 1966, 1967.
- Box 14 of 69 Folder 19 Mixer, George (1876-1947). Includes correspondence and a National Geographic article about Mixer's hunting of brown bears in Alaska, 1908, 1909.
- Box 14 of 69 Folder 20 Monthly activity reports, October-December 1972
- Box 14 of 69 Folder 21 Monthly activity reports, January-December 1973
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- Box 15 of 69 Folder 1 Muller, Kerry A. (?-). Includes manuscripts by Muller about birds, and correspondence concerning manuscripts, 1966-1970 and undated.
- Box 15 of 69 Folder 2 National Geographic Society, 1974-1980. Consists of correspondence asking for information and identification of animal photographs.
- Box 15 of 69 Folder 3 National Geographic Society news release, 1973. Concerns remodeling program for NZP.
- Box 15 of 69 Folder 4 National Zoological Park Library bibliographies, 1983-1984
- Box 15 of 69 Folder 5 New York Zoological Society history, circa 1977
- Box 15 of 69 Folder 6 Non-Museums and the Training of Museum Technicians Committee memoranda, 1966 and undated
- Box 15 of 69 Folders 7-8 Office of Public Affairs, 1970-1977 and undated. Includes memoranda and newsletters concerning public relations at NZP and the Smithsonian - general.

- Box 15 of 69 Folder 9 Olmsted, Frederick Law (1822-1903). Includes articles, notes, correspondence and newsletters concerning his role in the design of NZP buildings, 1890-1891, 1902, 1973, 1978-1983, 1985 and undated.
- Box 15 of 69 Folder 10 Organizational charts, July 1968, October 1973
- Box 15 of 69 Folder 11 Pageant of Peace, Christmas 1958. Concerns the transportation of fourteen reindeer and one caribou from Alaska to Washington, D.C., to take part in the Pageant of Peace held on the Mall.
[Digital Content: Motor carrier executives and animal experts here prepare for the second part of Operation Reindeer, 1958. \[Image No. SIA2011-0029\]](#)
[Digital Content: Map that shows the route taken by the reindeer and caribou during Operation Reindeer, 1958. \[Image No. SIA2011-0027\]](#)
[Digital Content: Cover of the Operation Reindeer Packet, 1958. \[Image No. SIA2011-0026\]](#)
[Digital Content: Image of the Alaska Steamship Company's S.S. Iliamna, 1957. \[Image No. SIA2011-0028\]](#)
[Digital Content: Planning for Operation Reindeer, 1958. \[Image No. SIA2011-0030\]](#)
- Box 15 of 69 Folder 12 Payment schedules, 1931-1932
- Box 15 of 69 Folder 13 Pelzman, Ivy A., glockenspiel, 1974-1976, 1985. Includes clippings and correspondence.
- Box 15 of 69 Folder 14 Perry, John (?-). Contains "Research at the National Zoo" manuscript, 1966.
- Box 15 of 69 Folder 15 Pest control, 1948, 1951, 1955, 1959, 1960, 1963 and undated. Consists of Fish and Wildlife Service leaflets.
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- Box 16 of 69 Folder 3 Photography and labels, other zoos' methods, 1962 and undated. See also Box 14, folder 6.
- Box 16 of 69 Folder 4 Pinchot, Gifford (1865-1946). Contains correspondence concerning research into Pinchot's 1929 South Seas expedition, 1985.
- Box 16 of 69 Folder 5 Polar bear cage, building of, 1932
- Box 16 of 69 Folder 6 Postcards, National Zoological Park, circa 1948 and undated
[Digital Content: Blank Postcard of a Seal at the Zoo, 1948. \[Image Nos. SIA2013-06599 \(front\) and SIA2013-06600 \(back\)\]](#)
[Digital Content: Blank Postcard of a Camel at the Zoo, 1948. \[Image Nos. SIA2013-06601 \(front\) and SIA2013-06602 \(back\)\]](#)

- Digital Content: Blank Postcard of a Bald Eagle at the Zoo, 1948. [Image Nos. SIA2013-06603 (front) and SIA2013-06604 (back)]
- Digital Content: Blank Postcard of the Great Flight Cage at the Zoo, 1948. [Image Nos. SIA2013-06605 (front) and SIA2013-06606 (back)]
- Digital Content: Blank Postcard of a Tiger at the Zoo, 1948. [Image Nos. SIA2013-06607 (front) and SIA2013-06608 (back)]
- Digital Content: Blank Postcard of Penguins at the Zoo, 1948. [Image Nos. SIA2013-06609 (front) and SIA2013-06610 (back)]
- Digital Content: Blank Postcard of a Lion at the Zoo, 1948. [Image Nos. SIA2013-06611 (front) and SIA2013-06612 (back)]
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- Digital Content: Blank Postcard of a Polar Bear at the Zoo, 1948. [Image Nos. SIA2013-06621 (front) and SIA2013-06622 (back)]
- Digital Content: Blank Postcard of a Rhinoceros at the Zoo, 1948. [Image Nos. SIA2013-06623 (front) and SIA2013-06624 (back)]
- Digital Content: Blank Postcard of a Mother and Baby Hippopotamus, 1935. [Image Nos. SIA2013-06625 (front) and SIA2013-06626 (back)]
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- Digital Content: Postcard of Chimpanzees at the Zoo, 1948. [Image Nos. SIA2013-01238 (front) and SIA2013-01239 (back)]
- Digital Content: Postcard of a Bear at the Zoo, 1948. [Image Nos. SIA2013-01240 (front) and SIA2013-01241 (back)]
- Box 16 of 69 Folder 7 Posters, National Zoological Park, 1965-1969. Consists of requests for NZP posters for exhibition.
- Box 16 of 69 Folder 8 Public relations, 1965-1972 and undated. Includes drafts of, correspondence about, and examples of NZP brochures.
- Box 16 of 69 Folder 9 Public relations, 1973-1976 and undated. Concerns public information and press policies, and publicity opportunities.
- Box 16 of 69 Folder 10 Quarantine regulations, 1966, 1968 and undated
- Box 16 of 69 Folder 11 Reed, Theodore H. (1922-). Includes curriculum vita, clippings, correspondence, 1956, 1970, 1977, 1983 and undated.
- Box 16 of 69 Folder 12 Reed, Theodore H. (1922-). Contains correspondence concerning publication of popular articles, "Come on Over to the Zoo" manuscript, 1966 and undated.
- Box 16 of 69 Folder 13 Regulations and rules, National Zoological Park, 1964, 1968

- Box 16 of 69 Folder 14 Reptile House guide, 1962
- Box 16 of 69 Folders 15-17 Research projects, 1972, 1975-1978 and undated. Includes correspondence, research proposals, and manuscripts of findings.
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- Box 17 of 69 Folder 1 Rivinus, Edward F. (1915-). Contains Smithsonian Torch article, 1982.
- Box 17 of 69 Folders 2-11 Safety Council meeting minutes, 1974-1975, 1978-1985
- Box 17 of 69 Folder 12 Scientists and NZP programs, 1971, 1974-1978, 1981. Includes symposia and conference information, correspondence, research reports and manuscripts of research findings.
- Box 17 of 69 Folder 13 Selenium, undated
- Box 17 of 69 Folder 14 Slides and photographs on loan, 1968, 1970-1972
- Box 17 of 69 Folder 15 Smithsonian Institution Archives, 1972, 1977, 1982. Includes annual reports, bibliography, and draft of NZP records finding aid.
- Box 17 of 69 Folder 16 Smithsonian Institution Archives, 1988. Contains corrections of temporary box listing for NZP Office of Public Affairs records.
- Box 17 of 69 Folder 17 Snakebite and antivenin procedures for use inside and outside of NZP, 1952, 1967-1968, 1971
- Box 17 of 69 Folder 18 Souvenir View Book, NZP, undated
- Box 17 of 69 Folder 19 Species and specimen removal files, keys, 1981
- Box 17 of 69 Folder 20 Sports Illustrated article about NZP, 1975. Consists of correspondence and memoranda concerning article.
- Box 17 of 69 Folders 21-25 Spots and Stripes newsletter, 1964-1968
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- Box 18 of 69 Folders 4-9 Status of the Collection, 1968-1970, 1973, 1976-1978, 1983
- Box 18 of 69 Folder 10 Tangier-Smith, Floyd (1882-?). Includes copies of correspondence and biographical sketch, 1933, 1937, 1972 and undated.
- Box 18 of 69 Folder 11 Tiger Talk correspondence, 1975, 1977-1978
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- Box 19 of 69 Folder 1 Tiger Talk masters, with original cartoons, 1977-1978
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- Box 20 of 69 Folder 1 Vogt, Julie Ann (1955-1958). Includes correspondence, clippings, depositions, and statement of compromise concerning the 1958 incident in which 2-year-old Julie Ann Vogt was killed by a lion at NZP, 1958-1959, 1961-1962 and undated.
- Box 20 of 69 Folder 2 Vogt, Julie Ann (1955-1958). Contains audio tape of testimonies by Bert Barker, Michael Brown, Malcolm Davis, Leonard Ford, Bernard F. Gallagher, Jr., and Dr. Wright concerning the lion attack, 1958.
- Box 20 of 69 Folder 3 Walker, Ernest Pillsbury (1891-1969). Includes manuscripts by Walker, and biographical sketch, 1940, 1942, 1981 and undated.
- Box 20 of 69 Folder 4 Wetmore, Alexander (1886-1978). Consists of memorials and tributes, 1979-1980.
- Box 20 of 69 Folder 5 Wharton, Charles Heizer (1923-?). Includes National Geographic article about Wharton's animal collecting in the Philippines, and a list of animals brought to NZP, 1948 and undated.
- Box 20 of 69 Folder 6 Work performed, 1962-1971 statistics
- Box 20 of 69 Folder 7 Zoos, articles about, 1889, 1968-1972, 1974, 1977
- Box 20 of 69 Folder 8 "Zoos: Their History and Development," 1961
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Series 4: ANIMAL INFORMATION FILES, 1855-1986 AND UNDATED. ARRANGED ALPHABETICALLY.

This series consists of notes, correspondence, copies of acquisition records, clippings, photographs, manuscripts, and press releases concerning animals at NZP and at other zoos. Earlier material (1850s through 1930s) consists of either photocopies of or notes taken from original documents. Of particular interest is the extensive information about the arrival of the two giant pandas, "LingLing" and "Hsing-Hsing."

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- Box 20 of 69 Folder 11 Albatross, 1944, 1958-1959, 1962-1963. Includes articles and correspondence.
- Box 20 of 69 Folder 12 Amphipod, Hays Spring, 1982 and undated. Includes articles concerning the endangered status of the Hays Spring scud.
- Box 20 of 69 Folder 13 Animal deaths, trauma, 1915-1916
- Box 20 of 69 Folder 14 Animal feeding schedule, undated
- Box 20 of 69 Folder 15 Animals, favorite zoo choices, 1955 clipping
- Box 20 of 69 Folder 16 "Animals in the Collection 1888-1962," 1962 manuscript by Marvin L. Jones
- Box 20 of 69 Folder 17 Animals, laboratory, facilities and care, 1963
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- Box 20 of 69 Folder 19 Antelope, saiga, 1934-1959. Contains acquisition records.
- Box 20 of 69 Folder 20 Armadillo, 1960 and undated. Consists of correspondence and care sheet.
- Box 20 of 69 Folder 21 Bear, Asian brown, 1933. Contains magazine article.

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- Note:
- Bear, black--"Smokey Bear" artwork, 1961, 1972. See Series 10.
- Box 21 of 69 Folder 4 Bear, black--"Smokey Bear" correspondence, 1967-1968, 1971, 1973-1978, 1981, 1983
- Box 21 of 69 Folder 5 Bear, black--"Smokey Bear" information, 1952, 1956, 1962, 1965, 1970, 1974-1977, 1981 and undated. Includes clippings, press releases, and fact sheets about "Smokey," "Goldie," and "Little Smokey."
- Box 21 of 69 Folder 6 Bear, black--"Smokey Bear" material, 1965, 1971, 1972 and undated. Includes brochures, photographs, and Junior Forest Ranger kit.
- Box 21 of 69 Folder 7 Bear, black--"Smokey Bear" memoranda and official correspondence, 1970, 1971, 1974-1975, 1977, 1982. Includes information on "Smokey's" retirement party, and death of "Smokey" and his mate "Goldie."
- Box 21 of 69 Folder 8 Bear, blue (glacier bear), 1917, 1924, 1982 and undated. Includes correspondence and article.
- Box 21 of 69 Folder 9 Bear, brown, 1931, 1934. Contains newspaper and magazine articles.
- Box 21 of 69 Folder 10 Bear, grizzly, 1855, 1857, 1929, 1956, 1960, 1966. Consists of newspaper and magazine articles.
- Box 21 of 69 Folder 11 Bear, hybrid, 1968, 1972 and undated. Includes correspondence and inventory.
- Box 21 of 69 Folder 12 Bear, polar, undated Contains magazine articles.
- Box 21 of 69 Folder 13 Bear, sloth, 1977. Consists of "Behavioral Ecology of the Sloth Bear" by Andrew Laurie and John C. Seidensticker IV.
- Box 21 of 69 Folder 14 Bears at NZP, 1902-1903, 1950, 1953, 1973. Contains acquisition records and correspondence.
- Box 21 of 69 Folder 15 Beaver, 1896, 1955, 1961. Includes clipping and Maine beaver management report.
- Box 21 of 69 Folder 16 Bird banding, 1947, 1954, 1960
- Box 21 of 69 Folder 17 Birds of prey, longevity at NZP, 1957, 1969
- Box 21 of 69 Folder 18 Births and hatchings records, 1962-1975. Includes diet and care information.
- Box 21 of 69 Folder 19 Bison, American, 1888-1962, 1981, 1984 and undated. Includes clippings, acquisition records, and correspondence.
- Box 21 of 69 Folder 20 Bushbaby, care and feeding, undated

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- Box 22 of 69 Folder 2 Camel, 1904, 1962 and undated. Includes studies on history of camel importation and on sweat glands, skin, and hair of camels, and also an obituary of "Ollie" the camel.
- Box 22 of 69 Folder 3 Cat, domestic, 1965 and undated. Includes information on the calico and diseases of the domestic cat.
- Box 22 of 69 Folder 4 Cat, hybrid (leopon), 1959. Contains photographs and reports on the interbreeding of leopards and lions at the Hanshin Park Zoological Garden, Japan.
- Box 22 of 69 Folder 5 Cats, large, 1935, 1943, 1962 and undated. Consists of magazine articles.
- Box 22 of 69 Folder 6 Cattle, wild, 1954, 1958, 1960. Includes correspondence and a manuscript, "The Wild White Cattle of Chillingham," by the Earl of Tankerville.
- Box 22 of 69 Folder 7 Census of rare animals (international), 1967-1968, 1970, 1972
- Box 22 of 69 Folder 8 "Checklist of Mammals in Captivity" by Marvin L. Jones, 1945-1963
- Box 22 of 69 Folder 9 Chimpanzee, "Ham" the chimponaut, 1961-1964, 1973, 1978, 1980-1981, 1986. Includes newspaper and magazine articles, photographs and fact sheets.
- Box 22 of 69 Folder 10 Chimpanzee, NZP, 1915-1965 and undated. Includes acquisition records and magazine article.
- Box 22 of 69 Folder 11 Chinchilla raising, USDA leaflet, 1953
- Box 22 of 69 Folder 12 Civet, banded palm, undated. Includes encyclopedia entry and acquisition records.
- Box 22 of 69 Folder 13 Cloud rat, slender-tailed, 1947-1969. Contains acquisition records.
- Box 22 of 69 Folder 14 Coati mundi, 1932. Contains magazine article.
- Box 22 of 69 Folder 15 Cockatoo, salmon-crested, 1971, 1974, 1980 and undated. Includes correspondence and news releases about "Jacob" the cockatoo.
- Box 22 of 69 Folder 16 Cockatoo, sulphur-crested, 1892, 1942. Consists of acquisition reports.
- Box 22 of 69 Folder 17 Condor, California, 1900-1981 and undated. Includes correspondence, articles, and acquisition records.
- Box 22 of 69 Folder 18 Crane hatchings, 1968

- Box 22 of 69 Folder 19 Crested screamer, 1957
- Box 22 of 69 Folder 20 Death, acquisition, and animal removal records, circa 1900-1961 and undated
- Box 22 of 69 Folder 21 Deer, Bedford's (Manchurian wapiti), 1916-1938. Consists of acquisition records. See also Series 3, Box 13, folder 2.
- Box 22 of 69 Folder 22 Deer, Japanese sika, 1905-1973. Contains acquisition records.
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- Box 22 of 69 Folder 24 Dog, domestic, NZP collection, 1892-1897. Consists of inventory.
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- Box 22 of 69 Folder 26 Dolphins and porpoises, 1964-1965. Contains fact sheet and article.
- Box 22 of 69 Folder 27 Elephant, "Dunk," undated. Consists of "Do You Remember Dunk" by Mae H. Nau.
- Box 22 of 69 Folder 28 Elephant, "Jumbo," 1976. Contains request for photograph.
- Box 22 of 69 Folder 29 Elephant, notes and correspondence, 1891-1976, 1978, 1980-1982. Includes acquisition records, photographs, and information on elephants from other zoos as well as NZP.
[Image\(s\): Tusko in chains at G. Barnes Circus, 1928. \[Image No. SIA2008-0925\]](#)
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- Box 22 of 69 Folder 30 Elephant, newspaper and magazine articles, 1926, 1929-1932, 1948, 1950-1952, 1955, 1957, 1981, 1984 and undated. See also elephant scrapbook in Series 12.

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- Box 23 of 69 Folder 1 Elephant, Sri Lankan--"Jayathu," 1984. Consists of newspaper clippings.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 2 Elephant, Sri Lankan--"Shanthi," 1976-1977. Includes press releases and photos from presentation ceremony.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 3 Elephant, Sumatran--"Kechil" and "Hitam," 1918-1920 and undated. Includes correspondence and clippings.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 4 Falcon, 1970 and undated. Includes article and care sheet.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 5 Frogs, 1933, 1948. Contains correspondence.

- Box 23 of 69 Folder 6 Gaur, 1937-1962. Consists of acquisition records.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 7 Gibbon, hybrid, 1944-1971. Includes inventories, correspondence, and articles.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 8 Gibbon, newspaper and magazine articles, 1938, 1958
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 9 Giraffe, 1926-1982 and undated. Includes acquisition records, correspondence, articles, and a history of giraffes at NZP.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 10 Gorilla, 1961, 1964, 1967-1968, 1972, 1980, 1982-1983 and undated. Includes acquisition records, international inventories, press releases, and newspaper and magazine articles.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 11 Gorilla questionnaire for Frankfurt Zoo, 1967- 1969
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 12 Herd records, 1972-1973, 1979 and undated
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 13 Hippopotamus, Nile, 1893-1961, 1981. Contains acquisition records and correspondence.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 14 Hippopotamus, pygmy, 1927-1972, 1979 and undated. Includes acquisition records, correspondence, and magazine articles.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 15 Horse, Przewalski's, 1915-1957, 1981. Includes acquisition records and memoranda.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 16 Horse, wild, 1977. Contains draft of statement by Senator Bob Packwood, "The Wild Horse Problem in the State of Oregon."
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 17 Ibis, scarlet, 1969. Contains "Carotenoid Transport in the Plasma of the Scarlet Ibis" by Eberhard G. Trams.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 18 Kangaroo, red, 1967 and undated. Includes memoranda and press releases.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 19 Kiwi, 1906-1908, 1923-1925, 1970. Includes acquisition records and correspondence.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 20 Koala, undated. Consists of newspaper clipping.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 21 Komodo dragon, 1934-1949, 1964-1975. Contains acquisition records, and history of komodo dragons at NZP.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 22 Lemur, black, 1904-1949, 1983. Includes acquisition records and memoranda.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 23 Lion, cross-eyed "Henry," 1963. Consists of correspondence.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 24 Lion, gift from Calvin Coolidge, 1929. Contains newspaper clipping concerning lion attacking an NZP visitor.

- Box 23 of 69 Folder 25 Lion, newspaper and magazine articles, 1929, 1941, 1951, 1955
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 26 Longevity, various species at NZP, 1970
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 27 Mammals, infant, 1968-1969. Contains "Sucking Patterns of Infant Mammals," by Peter H. Wolff.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 28 Marmoset, golden--conference, 1975. Includes list of participants, program of events, press release.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 29 Marmoset, golden, 1931-1971, 1984 and undated. Includes inventory lists, correspondence, and press release.
- Box 23 of 69 Folders 30-31 Marmoset, golden--1981-1982 International Studbooks. Includes a register and deaths and transfers listings.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 32 Moose, 1891-1913. Contains history of moose at NZP.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 33 Mule bibliography, 1971
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 34 Musk oxen from San Francisco, 1972 and undated. Contains news clippings and a press release concerning the musk oxen that were sent to China as a gift from the President of the United States. The Chinese reciprocated with a gift of two giant pandas.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 35 Mynah bird, 1926-1932
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 36 Nilgai, 1899-1939. Consists of acquisition records.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 37 Olingo, 1956-1975. Contains acquisition records.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 38 Onagadori, care of, 1955
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 39 Orangutan, 1908-1986 and undated. Includes acquisition records, newspaper clippings, and history of orangutans at NZP.
- Box 23 of 69 Folder 40 Panda, Brookfield Zoo, Illinois ("Mei-Mei" and "Mei-Lan"), 1974. Consists of photographs.

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- Box 24 of 69 Folder 1 Panda, general information, 1973-1974, 1978-1979 and undated. Includes brochures, fact sheets, correspondence, international inventories, manuscripts for newspaper articles.
- Box 24 of 69 Folder 2 Panda, London Zoo, 1966-1967, 1972, 1974 and undated. Includes brochures and photographs of "Chi-Chi," "An-An," "Ching-Ching," and "Chia Chia."
- Box 24 of 69 Folder 3 Panda, Moscow Zoo, undated. Contains photographs of "Chi-Chi" and "An-An."

Note: • Panda, NZP--artwork, 1972-1973 and undated. See Series 10.

- Box 24 of 69 Folder 4 Panda, NZP--correspondence, 1972. Includes inquiries concerning the pandas such as their names, when they can be viewed, and photograph requests.
- Box 24 of 69 Folder 5 Panda, NZP--educational information, 1972-1973, 1978-1979. Includes slide lecture texts, manuscript of encyclopedia entry, and school tour information.
- Box 24 of 69 Folder 6 Panda, NZP--graphics, 1972 and undated. Includes text for labels, and Chinese calligraphy for the names "Ling-Ling" and "Hsing-Hsing."
- Box 24 of 69 Folder 7 Panda, NZP--information requests, 1974-1977 and undated. Contains a sampling of correspondence.
- Box 24 of 69 Folder 8 Panda, NZP--memoranda and official correspondence, 1972-1977, 1980 and undated
- Box 24 of 69 Folder 9 Panda, NZP--movie requests, 1972-1974
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- Box 24 of 69 Folder 11 Panda, NZP photographs, 1973 and undated. Also includes correspondence concerning Parfums Rochas Inc.'s "Valentine of the Year Award," presented to "Ling-Ling" and "Hsing-Hsing" in 1973. See also Series 9.
- Box 24 of 69 Folder 12 Panda, NZP--press releases, 1973, 1982-1984
- Box 24 of 69 Folder 13 Panda, Paris Zoo, 1973. Contains "Li-Li" and "Yen-Yen" photographs.
- Box 24 of 69 Folder 14 Panda, Peking Zoo, 1973 and undated. Consists of photographs.
- Box 24 of 69 Folder 15 Panda, publications, 1946, 1949, 1956, 1958, 1964, 1968, 1970. Includes manuscripts, newspaper and magazine articles, and zoo brochures.
- Box 24 of 69 Folders 16-19 Panda, publications, 1972-1984 and undated. Includes newspaper and magazine articles, manuscripts, and zoo brochures.
- Box 24 of 69 Folder 20 Panda, Ueno Zoo, Tokyo, 1973-1974 and undated. Includes photographs of "Kan-Kan" and "Ran-Ran" and brochures.
- Box 24 of 69 Folder 21 Parrot, thick-billed, 1918-1921. Includes photocopies of 1918 correspondence.
- Box 24 of 69 Folder 22 Peafowl, care sheets, undated
- Box 24 of 69 Folder 23 Penguin, 1926-1977. Includes acquisition records and correspondence.

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- Box 25 of 69 Folder 1 Pig 311, 1945-1946, 1949-1950, 1955, 1966, 1975-1976, 1979, 1985 and undated. Includes correspondence and articles concerning "Pig 311," survivor of atomic testing at Bikini Atoll.
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 2 Pigeons, "Anzio Boy" and "Global Girl," 1957, 1978-1979. Includes correspondence and acquisition records concerning hero carrier pigeons during World War II.
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 3 Primates of Viet Nam listing, 1968
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 4 Puma, history of at NZP, 1888-1953
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 5 Reptiles, 1965-1967 and undated. Includes information on reptile deaths and the status of the collection, and "Questions Most Frequently Asked About Reptiles" by Lee Schmeltz.
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 6 Rhinoceros, African black, 1923-1959, 1980. Includes acquisition records and Berlin Zoo questionnaire.
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 7 Rhinoceros, black, 1941-1967, 1979. Includes information on "Tony" and on the birth of "Dillon."
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 8 Rhinoceros, Indian, 1937-1939, 1960. Includes photocopies of correspondence between William Mann and J. C. White concerning the capture and delivery of "Gunda" to NZP.
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 9 Rhinoceros, magazine articles, 1973-1974 and undated
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 10 Seal, sea lion, 1894-1973 and undated. Includes acquisition records.
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 11 Sheep, bighorn (Rocky Mountain), 1908-1910, 1977 and undated. Includes acquisition records concerning William Frakes' capture of sheep for NZP.
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 12 Sheep, black-faced, 1970. Contains correspondence, health certificate, and shipping documents concerning a gift to President Nixon.
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 13 Sheep, blue (Bharal), 1905-1944 and undated. Consists of acquisition records.
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 14 Sloth, three-toed, 1901, 1926-1931, 1960-1961. Contains acquisition records.
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 15 Sloth, two-toed, 1953-1965 and undated. Includes manuscript and notes on hand-rearing "Mary Jane" by Marion McCrane.
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 16 Solenodon, 1979, 1986. Contains acquisition records and correspondence.

- Box 25 of 69 Folder 17 Swan, 1957. Consists of correspondence concerning the care and breeding of swans.
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 18 Tapir, South American, 1893, 1899-1984. Contains acquisition records and correspondence.
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 19 Tarsier, 1947-1948, 1983. History of Mindanao tarsiers at NZP
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 20 Tiger, Indian, 1928, 1933, 1936, 1938. Consists of magazine articles.
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 21 Tiger, Siberian, 1916-1948. Contains acquisition records.
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 22 Tiger, white--background material, 1970, 1973-1979 and undated. Includes press releases, inventories, genealogical information, and correspondence.
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 23 Tiger, white--correspondence, 1961, 1964, 1966-1967, 1970-1977, 1979 and undated. Includes notes and memoranda.
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 24 Tiger, white--genealogy, 1969, 1972, 1974, 1982 and undated. Contains correspondence, genealogical charts and notes concerning NZP's and other zoo's tigers.
- Note:
- Tiger, white--genealogy, 1948-1974. Six large genealogical charts. See oversized materials.
- Box 25 of 69 Folder 25 Tiger, white--publications, 1959-1961, 1964-1965, 1967, 1975, 1978, 1980, 1982 and undated. Includes newspaper and magazine clippings, press releases.
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- Box 26 of 69 Folder 1 Toad, horned, 1941, 1943. Consists of correspondence.
- Box 26 of 69 Folder 2 Toad, Surinam, 1935, 1939, 1941 and undated. Contains correspondence and newspaper clippings.
- Box 26 of 69 Folder 3 Tortoise, Galapagos, 1971-1972 and undated. Contains agreement to propagate tortoises at the Honolulu Zoo.
- Box 26 of 69 Folder 4 Tuatara, 1906, 1926-1927, 1954, 1962, 1970 and undated. Includes acquisition records, inventories, and press releases.
- Box 26 of 69 Folder 5 Vulture, undated. Contains "Zoo's Historic Vultures Keep On Flying" by Sybil Hamlet.
- Box 26 of 69 Folder 6 Walrus, 1938 and undated. Contains diet and acquisition information.
- Box 26 of 69 Folder 7 Wisent (European bison), 1955-1961. Consists of acquisition records.

- Box 26 of 69 Folder 8 Wolf, Tasmanian (thylacine), 1902-1909, 1980, 1985. Includes acquisition information, magazine article, and correspondence.
- Box 26 of 69 Folder 9 Wolf, Texas red ("Lobita"), 1970 correspondence
- Box 26 of 69 Folder 10 Yak, 1898-1961. Consists of acquisition records.
- Box 26 of 69 Folder 11 Zebra, Chapman's, 1927-1958. Consists of acquisition records.
- Box 26 of 69 Folder 12 Zebra, hybrid (zebrass, zeborse, etc.), 1898, 1904-1923, 1969. Includes articles, notes, and correspondence.
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Series 5: ANIMAL CORRESPONDENCE, 1964-1980 AND UNDATED. ARRANGED CHRONOLOGICALLY.

This series consists of a sample (selected by the Smithsonian Archives) of incoming and outgoing correspondence providing general information about animals of all kinds. Also included are letters to and about specific animals such as the white tigers, "Mohini" and "Rewati," and the giant pandas, "Ling-Ling" and "Hsing-Hsing."

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Series 6: GENERAL CORRESPONDENCE, 1962-1985 AND UNDATED. ARRANGED BOTH CHRONOLOGICALLY AND ALPHABETICALLY BY CORRESPONDENT.

This series consists of incoming and outgoing correspondence not specifically concerned with information about animals. Included are thank-you letters, requests for guidebooks, photographs, and information about NZP and zoos in general.

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Series 7: MEMORANDA, 1962, 1964-1979, 1981-1982, 1987 AND UNDATED. ARRANGED BOTH CHRONOLOGICALLY AND ALPHABETICALLY.

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Series 8: HISTORY OF THE NATIONAL ZOOLOGICAL PARK, 1805-1987 AND UNDATED. ARRANGED ALPHABETICALLY.

This series consists of materials gathered by Sybil E. Hamlet documenting the history of the National Zoological Park. Included are articles and manuscripts, newspaper clippings, and correspondence. Material dating from before the 1950s is not original; it is either photocopies or notes concerning earlier events and information. Also included are research notes, drafts, and a card index to Sybil Hamlet's manuscript, "The National Zoological Park from Its Beginnings to 1973." The manuscript was never published.

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- Box 34 of 69 Folder 1 Adams Mill, 1967. Contains "Milling in Rock Creek Park: General Background."
- Box 34 of 69 Folder 2 Animals, 1957-1961, 1963, 1968, 1977 and undated. Includes notes, articles, and correspondence.
- Box 34 of 69 Folder 3 Annual report notes, undated. Contains notes concerning NZP activities and animals taken from Smithsonian Institution annual reports from 1917 to 1972. Emphasis in notes is on reptile collections.
- Box 34 of 69 Folder 4 Aquarium, 1980. Contains memorandum with information from 1896-1909, 1916.
- Box 34 of 69 Folder 5 Art work, 1907, 1920-1975 and undated. Includes clippings, notes, and correspondence.
- Box 34 of 69 Folder 6 Belvedere (lookout) Tower, undated. Consists of sketches of a building designed by William Ralph Emerson and never built.
- Box 34 of 69 Folder 7 "A Brief History of the National Zoological Park" by Sybil Hamlet, 1965. Also includes chronological listing of major events at NZP from 1887 to 1973.
- Box 34 of 69 Folder 8 Clock, 1952, 1956 (gift of Elton Louis Howe to NZP). Includes memoranda, correspondence, and clippings.
- Box 34 of 69 Folder 9 Conservation, 1913. Contains quote from The New York Times article "Our Vanishing Wildlife" by William Temple Hornaday.
- Box 34 of 69 Folder 10 Construction, 1805-1979, 1981. Includes correspondence, notes, and clippings. See also Box 44, bound volume of architectural drawings and construction notes.
- Box 34 of 69 Folder 11 Correspondence, 1976, 1978-1980
- Box 34 of 69 Folders 12-13 Correspondence, 1981-1986
- Box 34 of 69 Folder 14 "The Evolution of the National Zoological Park" by Suzanne Fauber, circa 1974

- Box 34 of 69 Folder 15 Expeditions, 1909, 1927, 1929, 1937-1938, 1940, 1966, 1969. Includes notes, clippings, correspondence, and lists of expeditions.
- Box 34 of 69 Folder 16 Front Royal, 1974-1977, 1979, 1982. Includes press releases, handbooks, information booklets, and maps on NZP's Conservation and Research Center in Front Royal, Virginia.
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- Box 35 of 69 Folder 2 Great flight cage, 1964-1966 and undated. Includes articles and correspondence.
[Image\(s\): Article Titled "Steel for the Birds" Sponsored by Bethlehem Steel. \[Image No. SIA2014-01213\]](#)
- Box 35 of 69 Folder 3 Great Zoos of the World, edited by Lord Zuckerman, 1980. Consists of section on NZP by John Toovey.
- Box 35 of 69 Folder 4 "The Greening of the National Zoo" by J. Goodwin, 1977
- Box 35 of 69 Folder 5 Henderson cage, 1912-1913, 1980-1981. Includes clippings and correspondence relating to the outdoor cage for parrots that was donated by John Brooks Henderson, Jr.
- Box 35 of 69 Folder 6 Histoire des Menageries de l'Antiquite a Nos Jours by Gustave Loisel, 1912. Contains selections from the book, in French.
- Box 35 of 69 Folder 7 History of Menageries by Gustave Loisel, 1984. Contains correspondence asking Sybil Hamlet to review the English translation of Loisel's book and a copy of the English manuscript.
- Box 35 of 69 Folder 8 "History of the National Zoological Park" by Elizabeth Ronkin, 1973
- Box 35 of 69 Folder 9 Holt House, 1962, 1967, 1970, 1977, 1981, 1988 and undated. Includes correspondence, notes, and clippings.
- Box 35 of 69 Folder 10 Jacob Lipkin bear sculpture, 1968-1970 and undated. Includes correspondence, memoranda, and clippings.
- Box 35 of 69 Folder 11 Madagascar shipment of animals to NZP, 1899
- Box 35 of 69 Folder 12 Manuscripts, guides, and correspondence concerning NZP history, circa 1958, 1962-1979 and undated
- Box 35 of 69 Folder 13 Maps, 1890, 1899, 1902, 1910, 1914, 1939, 1958. See also Series 11 for oversize maps.
- Box 35 of 69 Folder 14 "Menagerie on the Mall, Or, Wildlife at the Smithsonian," by Silvio A. Bedini, 1977

- Box 35 of 69 Folder 15 Mortellito, Domenico, 1975-1976 and undated. Includes correspondence and resume of mural artist.
- Box 35 of 69 Folder 16 Murals, 1970, 1977 memoranda
- Box 35 of 69 Folder 17 "The National Zoo at Washington: A Study of Its Animals in Relation to Their Natural Environment," by Ernest Seton-Thompson, 1900
- Box 35 of 69 Folder 18 "The National Zoological Garden," by Robert Wilson Shufeldt, November 1913
- Box 36
- Box 36 of 69 Folder 1 "The National Zoological Park: 'City of Refuge' or Zoo?," by Helen L. Horowitz, undated
- Box 36 of 69 Folder 2 National Zoological Park Commission report to the Senate and House of Representatives, January 17, 1890
- Box 36 of 69 Folder 3 National Zoological Park Office of Police and Safety, 1976, 1982, 1986-1987 and undated. Includes memoranda and a history of the police division.
- Box 36 of 69 Folder 4 "The National Zoological Park: A Popular Account of Its Collections," by Ned Hollister, 1917, 1920
- Box 36 of 69 Folder 5 Oral history, circa 1974 and undated. Includes two audiocassettes, one of an interview by B. Livingston with Lucile Quarry Mann, and one of three Radio Smithsonian segments, including the history of NZP with Sybil Hamlet.
- Box 36 of 69 Folder 6 The Outdoor Sculpture of Washington. D. C. by James M. Goode, 1974. Contains photocopy of section on NZP.
- Box 36 of 69 Folder 7 Primary sources, 1888-1899, 1902, 1909 and undated. Includes photocopies of correspondence between Samuel Langley and the Olmsted brothers; clippings; an 1894 guide to NZP; and "Animals Desired for the National Zoological Park," 1899.
- Box 36 of 69 Folder 8 Primary sources, 1931, 1933, 1935-1938, 1946, 1957, 1966, 1973. Includes photocopies of articles, clippings, and press releases.
- Box 36 of 69 Folder 9 Theodore Reed's history files, circa 1890-1967 and undated. Includes notes, correspondence and memoranda concerning many aspects of NZP's history, such as construction, salaries and expenses, employees, and number of animals in the collection.
- Box 36 of 69 Folder 10 Reptile house, 1929, 1983. Includes clippings and a brief history written by Sybil Hamlet.

- Box 36 of 69 Folder 11 Scientific research, 1965-1970, 1973 and undated. Includes notes and articles concerning the organization of a research division and appointment of John F. Eisenberg as resident scientist.
- Box 36 of 69 Folder 12 Slide show presentation, 1979-1980 and undated
- Box 36 of 69 Folder 13 The Smithsonian Institution 1846-1896: The History of Its First Half Century, edited by George Brown Goode, 1897. Contains photocopy of entry on NZP by Frank Baker.
- Box 36 of 69 Folder 14 "Statutory History of the National Zoological Park: Annual Appropriations, Deficiency Appropriations, and Other Pertinent Acts From 1889 to 1958 in Chronological Order and a List of the Projects Accomplished Under Public Works Administration Grants, Fiscal Years 1936 Through 1941," undated
- Box 36 of 69 Folder 15 Sundry Civil Bill hearings, 1892-1902, 1915, 1918, 1922
- Box 36 of 69 Folder 16 Uncle Beazley, 1967 Spots and Stripes article. See also "The Enormous Egg," Series 3, Box 12, folder 16.
- Box 36 of 69 Folder 17 "Wild Animals In and Out of the Zoo," by William M. Mann, 1930
- Box 36 of 69 Folder 18 A Zoo for All Seasons, by Thomas Crosby, 1978. Contains draft of chapter on NZP history.

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- Box 37 of 69 Folder 1 Word-processed manuscript of Sybil E. Hamlet's history of NZP, undated. Contains sections of manuscript covering 1885-1901, pages 1-151.
- Box 37 of 69 Folder 2 Word-processed manuscript of Sybil E. Hamlet's history of NZP, undated. Contains sections of manuscript covering 1902-1914, pages 152-241.
- Box 37 of 69 Folder 3 Word-processed manuscript of Sybil E. Hamlet's history of NZP, undated. Contains sections of manuscript covering 1915-1920, pages 242-287.
- Box 37 of 69 Folder 4 Word-processed manuscript of Sybil E. Hamlet's history of NZP, undated. Contains sections of manuscript covering 1921-1936, pages 288-434.
- Box 37 of 69 Folder 5 Word-processed manuscript of Sybil E. Hamlet's history of NZP, undated. Contains sections of manuscript covering 1937-1953, pages 435-577.
- Box 37 of 69 Folder 6 Word-processed manuscript of Sybil E. Hamlet's history of NZP, undated. Contains sections of manuscript covering 1954-1962, pages 578-740.

- Box 37 of 69 Folder 7 Word-processed manuscript of Sybil E. Hamlet's history of NZP, undated. Contains sections of manuscript covering 1963-1969, pages 741-890.
- Box 37 of 69 Folder 8 Word-processed manuscript of Sybil E. Hamlet's history of NZP, undated. Contains sections of manuscript covering 1970-1972, pages 891-962.
- Box 38
- Box 38 of 69 Folder 1 "The History of the National Zoo, Washington, D.C. 1889-1973," undated. Consists of typewritten draft of Sybil E. Hamlet's history of NZP, Introduction-1891, pages 1-60.
- Box 38 of 69 Folder 2 "The History of the National Zoo, Washington, D.C. 1889-1973," undated. Consists of typewritten draft of Sybil E. Hamlet's history of NZP, 1892-1901, pages 61-104.
- Box 38 of 69 Folder 3 "The History of the National Zoo, Washington, D.C. 1889-1973," undated. Consists of typewritten draft of Sybil E. Hamlet's history of NZP, 1902-1909, pages 105-146.
- Box 38 of 69 Folder 4 "The History of the National Zoo, Washington, D.C. 1889-1973," undated. Consists of typewritten draft of Sybil E. Hamlet's history of NZP, 1910-1920, pages 147-199.
- Box 38 of 69 Folder 5 "The History of the National Zoo, Washington, D.C. 1889-1973," undated. Consists of typewritten draft of Sybil E. Hamlet's history of NZP, 1921-1928, pages 200-243.
- Box 38 of 69 Folder 6 "The History of the National Zoo, Washington, D.C. 1889-1973," undated. Consists of typewritten draft of Sybil E. Hamlet's history of NZP, 1929-1936, pages 244-291.
- Box 38 of 69 Folder 7 "The History of the National Zoo, Washington, D.C. 1889-1973," undated. Consists of typewritten draft of Sybil E. Hamlet's history of NZP, 1937-1945, pages 292-340.
- Box 38 of 69 Folder 8 "The History of the National Zoo, Washington, D.C. 1889-1973," undated. Consists of typewritten draft of Sybil E. Hamlet's history of NZP, 1946-1953, pages 341-378.
- Box 38 of 69 Folder 9 "The History of the National Zoo, Washington, D.C. 1889-1973," undated. Consists of typewritten draft of Sybil E. Hamlet's history of NZP, 1954-1958, pages 379-428.
- Box 38 of 69 Folder 10 "The History of the National Zoo, Washington, D.C. 1889-1973," undated. Consists of typewritten draft of Sybil E. Hamlet's history of NZP, 1959-1962, pages 429-473.
- Box 38 of 69 Folder 11 "The History of the National Zoo, Washington, D.C. 1889-1973," undated. Consists of typewritten draft of Sybil E. Hamlet's history of NZP, 1963-1966, pages 474-519.

- Box 38 of 69 Folder 12 "The History of the National Zoo, Washington, D.C. 1889-1973," undated. Consists of typewritten draft of Sybil E. Hamlet's history of NZP, 1967-1969, pages 520-570.
- Box 38 of 69 Folder 13 "The History of the National Zoo, Washington, D.C. 1889-1973," undated. Consists of typewritten draft of Sybil E. Hamlet's history of NZP, 1970-1973, pages 570 [sic]-638.
- Box 39
- Box 39 of 69 Folders 1-3 "The National Zoological Park From Its Beginnings to 1973" by Sybil E. Hamlet, December 1985
[Image\(s\): "The National Zoological Park From Its Beginnings to 1973" \[SIA_000365_B39_F01-03\]](#)
- Box 39 of 69 Folder 4 Photocopies of subject and cross-reference index to 1985 manuscript, undated, Aardvark-Indonesia
[Image\(s\): Photocopies of subject and cross-reference index to 1985 manuscript, undated, Aardvark-Indonesia \[SIA_000365_B39_F04\]](#)
- Box 39 of 69 Folders 5-6 Photocopies of subject and cross-reference index to 1985 manuscript, undated, Aardwolf-Zorilla
[Image\(s\): Photocopies of subject and cross-reference index to 1985 manuscript, undated, Aardwolf-Zorilla \[SIA_000365_B39_F05-06\]](#)
- Box 39 of 69 Folder 7 Zoo chronological record of major events, 1887- 1972, compiled by Sybil Hamlet, undated
[Image\(s\): Zoo chronological record of major events, 1887- 1972 \[SIA_000365_B39_F07\]](#)
- Box 39 of 69 Folders 8-11 Miscellaneous research notes compiled by Sybil Hamlet, undated. Includes clippings, notes, and chronologies used in the writing of the NZP history manuscript.
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Series 9: LANTERN SLIDES AND PHOTOGRAPHS, 1956-1957, 1972, 1974 AND UNDATED. ARRANGED CHRONOLOGICALLY.

The majority of lantern slides in this series were probably taken at the London Zoological Gardens around the early 1900s. The photographs are mostly of NZP animals. All photographs are black and white unless otherwise noted.

Boxes 41-41A

Boxes 41-41A of 69 Lantern slides, numbers 1-100, of identified animals, undated. Probably from the London Zoological Gardens. Also included is a 1980 memorandum concerning the slides. Five lantern slides from London, fourteen slides from New York, all undated, of animals and people.

Box 42

Box 42 of 69 Folder 1 Perkins, Charles Eliot, 1979. Consists of a thank-you letter to Mr. and Mrs. Martin G. Young for their gift of Charles Eliot Perkins' photograph collection, "Wild Animals in Captivity: A Photographic Journey Through the National Zoological Park," 1956 (see Box 43).

Box 42 of 69 Folder 2 Duplicate photographs of animals by Charles Eliot Perkins from his "Wild Animals in Captivity" collection, circa 1956 (see Box 43)

Box 42 of 69 Folder 3 Miscellaneous photographs of animals probably taken by Charles Eliot Perkins, some identified, undated
[Digital Content: Baby Asiatic Elephant Water Skiing. \[Image No. SIA2008-0922\]](#)

Box 42 of 69 Folder 4 Photograph of illustration of "Smokey Bear" and family welcoming the pandas to NZP, 1972. Painted by Rudolph Wendelin, the official artist for "Smokey Bear."
[Digital Content: Photo of illustration of Smokey Bear, 1972. \[Image No. SIA2012-6127\]](#)

Box 42 of 69 Folder 5 Color photographs taken on Panda Day, April 20, 1972. Includes Mr. and Mrs. James C. Bradley, S. Dillon Ripley and family, Theodore Reed, and Fred L. Whipple, as well as "Hsing-Hsing" and "Ling-Ling."
[Digital Content: Cages in which Ling-Ling and Hsing-Hsing were shipped, April 20, 1972. \[Image No. SIA2012-6128\]](#)
[Digital Content: Hsing-Hsing, male panda, April 20, 1972. \[Image No. SIA2012-6129\]](#)

- Note:
- Photo of the pandas with Chinese and English captions, April 1972, see oversize materials.
 - Young fawn, 1972. Photograph taken by Howard Earl Uible. See oversize materials.

Box 42 of 69 Folder 6 Ned Hollister, undated

Box 42 of 69 Folder 7 William Temple Hornaday, undated

Box 42 of 69 Folder 8 Samuel Pierpoint Langley, undated

Oversize

- Oversize "Wild Animals in Captivity: A Photographic Journey Through the National Zoological Park" by Charles Eliot Perkins, 1956 (2 folders) [**in Box 45**]
- Oversize Tarsier color photograph used in National Geographic article "The Wild Animals in My Life" by William M. Mann, April 1957. Photograph was taken by Ernest P. Walker. [**in Box 48**]
- Oversize Panda photographs mock-up, circa 1974 [**in Box 48**]
- Oversize "Jumbina" the African elephant, undated. Photograph was taken by Louie Thomas. [**in Box 48**]

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Series 10: ARTWORK, 1950, 1961, 1972-1973 AND UNDATED. ARRANGED CHRONOLOGICALLY.

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- Oversize Original cartoon by Gib Crockett of William M. Mann receiving India's gift of two Indian elephants, "Ashok" [sic] and "Shanti," April 1950 [**in Box 48**]
- Oversize Original illustration of yellow-billed tropic birds by Karl Plath of Chicago, undated [**in Box 43**]
- Oversize Emergency Passports for Dr. William M. Mann, 1912, 1916 [**in Box 48**]
- Oversize Original illustration of "Smokey Bear" explaining his history to other animals of the forest, 1961. Painted by Rudolph Wendelin, official artist for "Smokey Bear."
- Oversize Original illustration of "Smokey Bear" and family welcoming the pandas to NZP, 1972. Painted by Rudolph Wendelin, official artist for "Smokey Bear."
- Oversize Print of giant panda, 1973. original painting by Gene Gray.
- Oversize Original panda drawings, undated. Crayon and pencil sketches.
- Oversize Promotional poster for unidentified zoo, undated.

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Series 11: ARCHITECTURAL DRAWINGS AND MAPS, 1889, 1892, 1894, 1896-1920, 1938, 1959-1962, 1974 AND UNDATED. ARRANGED CHRONOLOGICALLY.

This series consists of maps and architectural drawings of the land and buildings that make up the National Zoological Park. All of the maps are photocopies or photographs of original drawings. See Series 8, Box 35, folder 13, for more maps.

Oversize

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| Oversize | Three maps showing plots of land purchased for the zoo, 1889 and undated. See oversize materials in map cases. |
| Oversize | Preliminary plan for portion of National Zoological Park, 1892. Prepared by F. L. Olmsted and Co. See oversize materials in map cases. |
| Oversize | NZP map, 1894. Prepared by G. J. Davis, Jr. See oversize materials in map cases. |
| Oversize | Preliminary plan for location of elephant house, 1894. Prepared by Olmsted, Olmsted and Eliot. See oversize materials in map cases. |
| Oversize | Map of Rock Creek for service drain construction, 1896. See oversize materials in map cases. |
| Oversize | Proposed extension of the boundaries of the Zoological Park, 1898. Prepared by G. J. Davis. |
| Oversize | See oversize materials in map cases. |
| Oversize | Bear cages, revised plan and section, 1902. Prepared by the Olmsted Brothers. See oversize materials in map cases. |
| Oversize | Study for arrangement of buildings, 1903. See oversize materials in map cases. |
| Oversize | NZP map, "Diagram showing proposed location of new buildings, as explained in letter of Nov. 21st, 1904, addressed to Dr. Baker," 1904, by the Olmsted Brothers. See oversize materials in map cases. |
| Oversize | Topological landscaping map of NZP, 1905. Prepared by Gordon H. Taylor. See oversize materials in map cases. |
| Oversize | NZP map, 1914. See oversize materials in map cases. |
| Oversize | Topographical map of NZP, in 12 sections, circa 1938. See oversize materials in map cases. |
| Oversize | Great Flight Cage details, 1962. Prepared by Daniel, Mann, Johnson, and Mendenhall. See oversize materials in map cases. |

- Oversize Great Flight Cage plan, elevations, 1962. Prepared by Daniel, Mann, Johnson, and Mendenhall. See oversized materials in map cases.
- Oversize Master Plan map of animal exhibits, circa 1974. See oversized materials in map cases.
- Oversize Lion and tiger house plan, undated. See oversized materials in map cases.
- Oversize Bound volume containing architectural drawings, circa 1896-1920, 1959-1961 and undated. Includes plans of cages and of wooden bridge, and notes on construction. [**in Box 48**]

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Series 12: SCRAPBOOKS, 1899-1901, 1903, 1905, 1924-1978 AND UNDATED. ARRANGED CHRONOLOGICALLY.

These scrapbooks contain magazine and newspaper clippings, invitations and pamphlets, and a few original photographs in both black and white and color. Clippings came from newspapers all over the United States and some foreign countries as well. Except for one scrapbook devoted to clippings about elephants, all of the books document events, animals, and people at the National Zoological Park. Twelve scrapbooks are filled with clippings about the giant pandas "Ling-Ling" and "Hsing-Hsing," and four books deal exclusively with the death of "Smokey Bear." Also included are some loose newspaper clippings in folders, dating from 1899 to 1905.

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- Box 43 of 69 Loose clippings 1899-1901, 1903, 1905
- Box 43 of 69 Scrapbook, c. 1924-1934 (2 folders)
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- Box 43 of 69 Original illustration of yellow-billed tropic birds by Karl Plath (from Series 10)

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- Box 44 of 69 Scrapbook: 6/1934- 11/1936
- Box 44 of 69 Scrapbook: 11/1936-10/1939

Box 45

- Box 45 of 69 "Wild Animals in Captivity: A Photographic Journey Through the National Zoological Park" by Charles Eliot Perkins, 1956 (from Series 9)
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[Digital Content: Bird House at the National Zoo. \[Image No. 97-3040\]](#)
[Digital Content: Lion House at the National Zoo. \[Image No. 97-3038\]](#)
[Digital Content: Reptile House at the National Zoo. \[Image No. 97-3037\]](#)
[Digital Content: African Elephant at the National Zoo. \[Image No. 97-3046\]](#)
- Box 45 of 69 Scrapbook: 1/1945- 5/1947
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Box 48 of 69 Panda photos mock-up, 1957 (from Series 9)

Box 48 of 69 Photo of NZP's "Jumbina" African elephant by Louie Thomas (from Series 9)

Box 48 of 69 Cartoon by Gibb Crocket of Dr. Mann receiving Indian gift of elephants, 1950
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Box 48 of 69 Emergency passports for Dr. William Mann, 1916 (from Series 10)

Box 48 of 69 Bound volume of architectural drawings c. 1876-1920, 1959-1961, & n.d.
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