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Collection Summary

Collection Title: Alan Cranston papers

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Creators: Cranston, Alan, 1914-2000

Extent: Number of containers: 625 cartons, 1 box, 48 volumes, 3 oversize foldersLinear feet: 800.95 linear feet

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Abstract: Includes papers relating to Alan Cranston's pre-Senatorial career, Senate career, and other political activities; also includes personal papers.

Languages Represented: Collection materials are in English

Physical Location: Many of the Bancroft Library collections are stored offsite and advance notice may be required for use. For current information on the location of these materials, please consult the Library's online catalog.

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Alternate Forms Available

There are no alternate forms of this collection.

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Separated Material
Photographs have been transferred to the Pictorial Collections of The Bancroft Library (BANC PIC 2008.064).

Indexing Terms
The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library's online public access catalog.
Cranston, Alan, 1914-2000--Archives
United States. Congress. Senate
California. Office of State Controller
United States--Politics and government--20th century

Acquisition Information
The Alan Cranston Papers were given to The Bancroft Library by Alan Cranston on March 16, 1988.

Accruals
No additions are expected.

System of Arrangement
Arranged to the carton level.

Processing Information
Processed by Susan Goldstein, with assistance from Dennis Scott and Steven Mandeville-Gamble.

Biographical Information
Cranston, Alan, a Senator from California; born in Palo Alto, Santa Clara County, Calif., June 19, 1914; attended the public schools in Los Altos, Calif., Pomona College, and the University of Mexico; graduated, Stanford University 1936; International News Service, covering England, Germany, Italy, and Ethiopia 1937-1938; chief, foreign language division, Office of War Information 1940-1944; enlisted in the United States Army in 1944 and served until the conclusion of the Second World War; national president, United World Federalists 1949-1952; elected State comptroller of California in 1958, and reelected in 1962; business career in land investment and home construction; elected as a Democrat to the United States Senate in 1968 for the term commencing January 3, 1969; reelected in 1974, 1980, and again in 1986 and served from January 3, 1969 to January 3, 1993; was not a candidate for reelection in 1992; reprimanded by the Select Committee on Ethics for "improper conduct" on November 20, 1991; Democratic whip 1977-1991; chairman, Committee on Veterans' Affairs (Ninety-fifth, Ninety-sixth, One Hundredth through One Hundred Second Congresses); unsuccessful candidate for the Democratic nomination for President of the United States in 1984; was a resident of Los Altos, Calif., until his death on December 31, 2000; remains were cremated.

--Taken from the Biographical Directory of the United States Congress:

Scope and Content of Collection
The papers are divided into four series: Pre-Senatorial Career, Senate Career, Political Activities, and Personal. The Pre-Senatorial Career series contains the following subseries: Journalism/Writing, Common Council for American Unity, Office of War Information, United World Federalists, California Democratic Council, and California State Controller. The Senate Career series is subdivided into the following subseries: Schedules, Whip/Leadership, Administrative Assistant Files, Administrative, Alan Cranston Files, and Ethics Committee Hearings, Mail, California Files, Legislative Record, Legislation, Committees and Press series. The Political Activity series is divided into two subseries: Campaign and Political Activity. The Personal series consists of two subseries: Personal papers and Photographs.


No casework files remain with the collection. Approximately 1,482 cartons of casework from 1969-1993 were destroyed when the office closed in order to ensure constituent confidentiality. Because the cases were filed by constituent last name rather than agency, it was decided that even a sample would not yield sufficiently important historical information to justify retaining these files.

No incoming constituent mass mailings were retained. Although it is possible to determine the volume of office mail from the Mail Reports, and a copy of each outgoing response was saved, over 3,000 cartons of mass mailings were destroyed.
because of their low historical value. In addition, the central mail files were retained on microfilm, while all hard copies were destroyed. In all, over 4,000 cartons of incoming mail were weeded from the collection. Duplicates, declined invitations, background reports and publications, background clippings, research or reference materials, and printed congressional documents that do not document Senator Cranston’s role have all been discarded.

### Series 1 Pre-Senatorial Career circa 1920-1969

**Physical Description:** Cartons 1-28, 622, Volumes 1-9  
**Scope and Content Note**  
Series contains the following subseries: Journalism/Writing, Common Council for American Unity, Office of War Information, United World Federalists, California Democratic Council, and California State Controller.

#### Subseries 1.1 Journalism and Writing circa 1920-1969

**Physical Description:** Cartons 1-2  
**Scope and Content Note**  
Contains both published and unpublished writings from Cranston’s early writing career. Includes handwritten drafts, newspaper clippings and published articles he wrote while an overseas reporter with the International News Service (INS), columns from his stints on *The Stanford Daily* (1934) and *The Daily Student Life* (1938) at Pomona College, his columns for U.S. Army papers during WWII, his column for California papers in 1967-1968. Also includes a manuscript from his Peace Corps trip to Ghana in 1965. An encapsulated copy of *Mein Kampf* has been removed to oversize. Book notes and reviews from *The Killing of the Peace* are included.

#### Subseries 1.2 Common Council for American Unity 1940-1941

**Physical Description:** Cartons 3, 5  
**Scope and Content Note**  
The Common Council for American Unity was a Washington D.C.-based organization that lobbied against discrimination faced by aliens and the foreign-born residing in the United States. Includes correspondence, legislative reports, office files, and publications. Geneva Cranston later worked for this organization to help repeal the Chinese Exclusion Act, and her papers are included. Geneva Cranston’s files when she worked as an assistant to Orson Welles for his column in the New York Post are also included.

#### Subseries 1.3 Office of War Information 1942-1944

**Physical Description:** Cartons 3-4  
**Scope and Content Note**  
Originally known as the Office of Facts and Figures, this department became the Office of War Information in 1942. In his capacity as Chief of the Foreign Language Division, Cranston worked to unite various nationality groups in the United States behind the war effort. His division produced media and informational material directed at the foreign-born. Contains correspondence, speeches, press files, reports, publications, office files, and clippings.
Series 1 Pre-Senatorial Career circa 1920-1969
Subseries 1.4 United World Federalists 1945-1952

Subseries 1.4 United World Federalists 1945-1952
Physical Description: Cartons 6-9, 622
Scope and Content Note
Contains material from the conferences that led to the founding of the UWF, as well as organizational records. The papers document Cranston's role as Chair of the Dublin Conference in 1945, the founding of the organization in 1947, and continue through Cranston's term as UWF President from 1949-1952. Includes correspondence, office files, conference materials, publications, and newspaper clippings. Correspondence is arranged alphabetically. Notable correspondents include Grenville Clark, Harris Wofford, Albert Einstein, and Kingman Brewster, among others. The following important conferences are documented in this series: Dublin, New Hampshire, October 11-16, 1945; Princeton, New Jersey, January 11-12, 1946; Asheville, North Carolina, February 1947; Pocono Pines, June 25-27, 1948.

Carton 6 Correspondence A-H
Carton 7 Correspondence H-Z
Carton 8 Office files, conference materials, California clubs, clippings
Carton 9 Office files, publications
Carton 622 Miscellaneous

Subseries 1.5 California Democratic Council 1953-1969
Physical Description: Cartons 10-14
Scope and Content Note
Documents the origins and founding of the CDC in 1953. Cranston was elected the first President in 1953 and served until he resigned in 1958 to run for State Controller. Includes bylaws, minutes, correspondence, office files, press files, notes, and publications. Correspondence is arranged alphabetically by last name or by CDC club name. Of note is material on Cranston's trip through the South in 1957 and his subsequent report to the Democratic Western States Conference. Also of interest is correspondence from many California politicos, including Pat Brown, Jess Unruh, Paul Ziffren, Roger Kent, Richard Nevins, and Rudy Nothenberg. The CDC organizing conference was held at Asilomar, CA on January 30-31, 1953 and was titled, "How to end the Republican Stranglehold on California." The founding conference was in Fresno, November 27-29, 1953. Thereafter, CDC conferences were held yearly.

Carton 10 Correspondence 1953-1957
Carton 11-12 Office files, including minutes, by-laws, reports, conventions
Carton 13-14 California and National Democratic politics

Subseries 1.6 California State Controller 1959-1967
Physical Description: Cartons 15-28
Scope and Content Note

Carton 15 Office files including oath of office, schedules, press, ITA lawsuit, Long Beach World's Fair, Tidelands Oil
Carton 16 Correspondence A-F 1959-1961
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Series 2 Senate Career 1968-1993

Physical Description: Cartons 29-479, 620-623; Volumes 10-48

Scope and Content Note
Series is subdivided into the following subseries: Schedules, Whip/Leadership, Administrative Assistant Files, Administrative, Alan Cranston Files, and Ethics Committee Hearings, Mail, California Files, Legislative Record, Legislation, Committees and Press series.

Subseries 2.1 Schedules 1969-1992

Physical Description: Cartons 29-58

Arrangement
Arranged chronologically.

Scope and Content Note
Includes office schedules, accepted invitations, itineraries, calendars, and the Senator’s daily green schedule cards. The invitations are stuffed in oversize envelopes by month and marked by the Senator indicating his acceptance. California schedules were prepared by the field office staff and changed frequently depending on the Senator’s Washington D.C. obligations. Often staff memos or community forum briefing notes are stapled to the California schedules. There may be some duplication of materials between California schedules and the California Files series. Divided into two subsubseries by location: Washington D.C. and California.


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Subseries 2.1.2 California 1969-1992

Physical Description: Cartons 22-58

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  January 1969-June 1973
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  July 1973-December 1977
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Carton 55
  January 1983-July 1985
Carton 56
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Carton 57
  August 1988-January 1990
Carton 58

Subseries 2.2 Whip Files and Leadership 1977-1991

Physical Description: Carton 59

Scope and Content Note
Cranston was elected to seven terms as the Democratic party whip. He was first elected whip, or assistant leader, in January 1977, and completed his final term in January 1991. Includes whip notices, vote tallies, other leadership files. These leadership positions are typically under documented, and this collection is no exception. Known as a consummate vote counter and behind-the-scenes conciliator, much of Cranston's work was verbal and, therefore, not documented.
Subseries 2.3 Administrative Assistant Files 1969-1993

Physical Description: Cartons 60-65, Carton 620

Arrangement
Organized by issue.

Scope and Content Note
The Administrative Assistant serves as the Chief of Staff to the Senator. Bob Gray was A.A. for approximately two years. Roy Greenaway, who was on staff from the beginning, became Administrative Assistant in 1971 and remained in this position until Cranston left office in 1993. Includes files on campaign finance legislation, congressional pay raises, the Ethics Committee, Senate rules and procedures, mail franking, and office budgets, as well as other internal Senate issues that affect the operation of the office. Carton 620 (missed in the original move and sent in 1994 from the Washington Records Center) contains “miscellaneous subject files...1969-70”, including memos and notes between Cranston and Roy Greenaway, and is presumed to belong in this series.

The Administrative Assistant position is ill-defined but incredibly important. Roy Greenaway’s longevity in the job is increasingly rare on Capitol Hill. His association with the Senator goes back to the CDC organization in California in the 1950’s. The role of an Administrative Assistant is difficult to document, and Roy left behind barely one carton of papers. Much of his work was conducted verbally. However, his long-time assistant, Jan Mueller, kept a number of files which are included in this series. Administrative Assistant Files typically document the structure and management of the office, the role of the staff and their interrelationships, and their role in accomplishing the senator's goals. Primary emphasis is on memos to and from the senator, other staff, and outside contacts. These files also document the development of political goals and operating plans for the year and the Congress. Roy was responsible for hiring and firing staff as well as assigning them legislative issue areas and structuring how both the Washington D.C. and field offices would run. All legislative and staff memos were read by Roy before they went to Alan. He worked closely with Alan on political strategy and with Murray on press issues and strategy. He also worked with the Senate Rules Committee and Ethics Committee on issues pertaining to the functioning of the office.

Carton 60
Bob Grey and Roy Greenaway (polls, anti-AC literature)
Carton 620
Miscellaneous subject files, Roy Greenaway: addition 1969-1970
Carton 61
Campaign finance legislation (list) 1969-1986
Carton 62
Voter registration, Congressional pay raises, FEC, Ethics, Honoraria (list)
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Carton 63
Senate rules, procedures, cloture, committee business
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Franking, Democratic Steering Committee, Freshmen Class Mtg., Western State Coalition, Tunney-AC agreement
Carton 65
Robos

Subseries 2.4 Administrative 1969-1993

Physical Description: Carton 66, 621

Scope and Content Note
Includes staff memos on policy and procedure, office manuals, staff legislative assignments, and other papers pertaining to office administration. Jan Mueller worked as both Roy Greenaway’s assistant and the Administrative Head of the office from 1969-1993, so many of these are her files or those of the various Washington D.C. Office Managers she supervised. Jan worked so closely with Roy Greenaway that some of these files will belong more appropriately in the Administrative Assistant series preceding this one.

Carton 66
Administrative Files
Carton 621
National Archives transmittal records
Subseries 2.5 Alan Cranston Files 1968-1993

Physical Description: Cartons 67-133

Scope and Content Note

Divided into two sub-series: Projects and Working Files.

Subsubseries 2.5.1 Projects 1968-1982

Physical Description: Cartons 67-73

Scope and Content Note

The Projects files consist of specific proposals and project notes of the Senator's. They include both ideas and fully realized projects, such as FIBER.

Carton 67-69
Santa Barbara book 1969-1972

Carton 70

Carton 71
World Court Proposals; U.N. Notes 1974-1982

Carton 72
Flora Lewis Public Policy Institute

Carton 73
The Fund for Integrative Biomedical Research (FIBER)

Subsubseries 2.5.2 Working Files 1968-1993

Physical Description: Cartons 74-133

Scope and Content Note

The Working Files are a hodge-podge of the Senator's own papers. They include speeches, subject and issue files, legislative files, fundraising and political files, VIP correspondence, and various topics near and dear to the Senator's heart.

Carton 74
Speeches and notes #19408-3 1968

Carton 75

Carton 76-79
Speeches, Domestic Affairs, 1969-76, alpha, #6422-3, Index incl.

Carton 79
Senate business, 1970-75, #6422-3 & 4

Carton 80, 81
Speeches, 1968-73, #33630-3

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Speeches, 1976-78, chron. (AC drafts)

Carton 83
Speeches, 1976-87, #94-23

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Speeches, 1979-87, #94-22

Carton 86-87
Speeches, Defense, 1969-76, #6422-2

Carton 88-89
Legislation, Defense, 1969-76, alpha, #6422-1, Index incl.

Carton 90
Subject files, 1969-74, A-E, #SR94-9

Carton 91
Subject files, 1969-74, E-R, #SR94-24

Carton 92
Subject files, 1969-74, S-Z, #SR94-20

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Subject files, 1974-80, A-D, #94-21

Carton 94
Issue files A-E 1974-1976

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Issue files V-W 1974-1976

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"In/Read" files, 1969-75, #33630-1

Carton 101-102
Issue/Tally/Speeches, 1975-80, #33630-2

Carton 102
Reconversion, 1969-80, #33630-2

Carton 103
Various 1970s

Carton 104
Legislation, SALT, #1989-02

Carton 105
Legislation, INF, #SR94-11

Carton 106
Legislation, 1974-76. Defense, weapons, Budget Committee, #SR94-6

Carton 107
Legislation, fundraising, speeches: Derwinski **RESTRICTED FOR 25 YEARS** DSCC, SALT, #1989-01 and #94-14

Carton 108
Various: DSCC, S & L's/FSLIC, INF, #1990-8

Carton 109
Various, #1990-4

Carton 110
Various, 1986-88, #SR94-16

Carton 111
Legislation, 1969-72: Budget reform, etc. #SR94-14
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Carton 118 | Office files: reprints & speeches. Nuclear, business, political, voter registration, housing, Israel
Carton 119 | Office files: Gulf War, foreign policy, budgets
Carton 120 | Office files: speeches and backup, issues, political
Carton 121 | Office files: National lists, state, individuals
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Carton 128 | Voter Registration Activities, 1985-89. CA Democratic Party, 1989
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Carton 132 | Collections IV and VI, #1991-8 and #1992-2: support letters, freedom of choice bill
Carton 133 | Various--VIP correspondence, support letters, Gorbachev Institute, Tass column

Subseries 2.6 Senate Ethics Committee Hearings **RESTRICTED FOR 25 YEARS** 1989-1992

Physical Description: Cartons 134-141
Scope and Content Note
Ethics Committee hearings over the alleged role of five senators charged with interfering with regulators of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board (FHLBB) on behalf of Lincoln Savings and Loan. Contains hearing exhibits, the Senator's and staff files, and videotapes of the proceedings. The Press Files contain clippings and articles on this topic.

Carton 134 | Special counsel, exhibits, vol 1: 1-77 and vol 2: 78-200
Carton 135 | Special counsel, exhibits, vol 3: 201-325 and vol 4: 326-403
Carton 136 | Special counsel, exhibits, vol 5: 404-432 and vol 6: 433-564
Carton 137 | Special counsel, exhibits, vol 7: 565-634
Carton 138 | Cranston files
Carton 139 | Cranston and staff files
Carton 140 | Roy Greenaway files
Carton 141 | Videotapes 1990-1991
Subseries 2.7 Mail 1969-1993

Physical Description: Cartons 142-179

Arrangement

This series is divided into mail reports, robos, and central files.

Scope and Content Note

A brief explanation of the office mail system: When mail entered the office it was counted. If the mailroom received 20 or more letters on a given topic this was dubbed “issue mail” and an issue box would be created for the topic in the mailroom. Issue mail would receive a robo (or form letter) response that was prepared by the appropriate aide or staff member. These letters were placed in envelopes of up to 200 and answered by the communications room staff. The actual incoming letters were boxed up and sent to the Washington National Records Center. Over 2,500 boxes of these mass mailings were destroyed when the Senator left office. If there were less than 20 letters on a given topic, these were called “individuals” and routed to the appropriate staff person’s desk for reply. After a response was drafted, a legislative secretary would type and mail these. These letters became part of the office’s central files which consisted of Name Files and Subject Files. Correspondence was filed by constituent last name or agency name in the Name files. Correspondence in the Subject files was filed according to a subject index developed by staff members over time (copy enclosed). Only a copy of the office’s outgoing letter was filed in the Name files, while the incoming letter, a copy of the outgoing letter, and any backup materials were filed in the Subject files. Any outgoing correspondence without an incoming letter or backup, for example, a letter the Senator might initiate writing to another Senator, would be in the Name files only. Until 1986, VIP mail was treated like any other individual letter. But from 1986 to 1993, VIP was “yellow-tagged” and sent to a first-name desk that answered only VIP mail. In both systems, the VIP mail ends up in the central files, interfiled in the Name or Subject files with all the other individual letters.

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Subseries 2.8 California Files: Projects and Fieldwork 1969-1992

Physical Description: Cartons 180-197, 623

Scope and Content Note

Contains correspondence, project background information, community meeting notes, county issue summaries, briefing memos on local issues.

Much of the Senator’s work occurred in his home state, and this series reflects that activity. During his years in office, Senator Cranston operated field offices in San Francisco, Los Angeles, and San Diego in order to better serve his constituents. The structure of the field operation changed over time as new ideas to remain in better contact with Californians were implemented. The early County Files were the work of Washington D.C. staff who visited California to hear constituent problems. Running from 1969-1977, these are arranged alphabetically by county. Subsequently, in the late 70’s through 1992, field staff in California handled these duties. They traveled to different counties to hold open houses and, in later years, held community forums on different topics of interest to local communities. These files are sometimes arranged alphabetically by county, sometimes chronologically by date of field visit, and sometimes by the name of the staff member.

Projects were handled in both Washington D.C. and California. A project was usually a request by a California agency or community for the Senator to assist them in obtaining federal grants or funds for projects. This ranged from writing letters of support for grant requests to help with oversight on a hazardous waste problem to making sure that California cities received favorable treatment from a number of federal agencies. These files are split between the Washington and California offices and different people arranged them differently. Some are organized alphabetically by county; others are alphabetical by federal agency name (for example: IRS, Veteran’s Administration, etc.).

Around 1988 a California Community database was developed by the office to better track local issues, contacts, and projects. Records documenting the design and implementation of this database are included, as well as a number of final reports.

Carton 180  County Files, Alameda-Fresno 1969-1976
Carton 181  County Files, Glenn-Los Angeles 1969-1976
Carton 182  County Files, Marin-San Bernardino 1969-1976
Carton 183  County Files, San Diego-Santa Barbara 1969-1976
Carton 184  County Files, Santa Clara-Ventura 1969-1976
Carton 185, 186  County Files, Yolo. Appropriations 1969-1977
Carton 188  Projects (Riverside-Ventura?, some alpha by agency, Brinton) 1983-1984
Carton 189  Projects, alpha by agency 1984-1987
Carton 190, 191  Projects, by county (Rogers and Mestman) 1988-1992
Carton 191  Fieldwork, Alpine-Yuba (Dom Vaca, Gerry Yoachum) 1973-1982
Carton 192  Field Office Requests, Alameda-Yolo 1975-1978
Carton 193  Fieldwork, Alameda-Yuba 1976-1982
Carton 194  Fieldwork, chron by visit (Diaz, Yoachum, Kuney) 1983-1986
Carton 195-196  Fieldwork 1983-1992
Carton 197  California Community Plan--memos, forums, casework summary, achievements
Carton 623  Various Field Office files
Subseries 2.9 Legislative Record 1969-1992

Physical Description: Cartons 198-218

Scope and Content Note

Contains summaries of legislative accomplishments, staff-generated daily and weekly activity reports, voting summaries generated by the LEGISLATE database, and voting records prepared by the Democratic National Committee and various interest groups. Also includes a series of bound Congressional Records with annotations and an index to the Senator's remarks, 1969-1977. Includes 1992 retirement tribute book composed of Congressional Records statements from other senators.

Helen Cannen kept the first voting records from 1969-1976. These became more formalized by Cleo Messinger, who, in the position of office Writer-Historian, maintained a system of Senate activity summaries entitled "Dailies" and "Biweeklies" that were distributed to the entire staff. Carolyn Fulton followed in the position of Writer-Historian and continued this task until the office closed.

These summaries are divided into the following sections: legislation that Cranston introduced, legislation that he co-sponsored, how he voted on bills along with a brief summary of the bill and a note on the outcome, and Congressional Highlights and Activities which included adding sponsorships to his bills or speaking at hearings. The dailies are reports on a daily basis. The biweeklies are compendiums of the dailies. They are numbered by Congress, with a new #1 for each new Congress. Subject indexes to the biweeklies are included beginning with the 99th Congress (1985). Backup files contain all the documents that were needed to write the dailies and biweeklies. They include Cranston's floor statements, written hearing testimony, copies of letters, and some press releases.

Carton 198
   Legislative Accomplishments (memos, summaries) 1969-1993
   Attendance records; Voting records (Helen Cannen); Biweeklies, 94th Congress;
   Weeklies, 94th Congress, 2nd session, #1-68 1969-1976

Carton 199
   Biweeklies, 95th Congress; Dailies, 95th Congress, 1st session, #1-155; Dailies,
   95th Congress, 2nd session, #1-146; Backup, #30-41/42 1977-1978

Carton 200
   Biweeklies, 96th Congress; Dailies and Backup; Dailies 1979-1980

Carton 201
   Dailies; Backup, report #23-41; Biweeklies, 97th Congress 1980-1982

Carton 202
   Dailies; Backup, report #1-14 1981-1982

Carton 203
   Backup, #20-37 ; Biweeklies, 98th Congress; Backup, #1-16 1983-1984

Carton 204
   Backup, #17-33 ; Biweeklies, 99th Congress, incl. indexes; Dailies and backup
   combined, #1-15 1985-1986

Carton 205
   Dailies/backup, cont, #16-21; Dailies/backup, folder 22-26, dailies 1-130 1986
   Biweeklies, 100th Congress, incl. indexes 1986-1988

Carton 206
   Dailies/backup, folders 1-22, dailies 1-153 1987

Carton 207
   Dailies/backup, folders 23-39, dailies 1-125; Biweeklies, 101st Congress, incl.
   indexes 1988-1990

Carton 208
   Dailies/backup, folders 1-21, dailies 1-129 1989

Carton 209
   Dailies/backup, folders 22-39, dailies 1-129; Biweeklies, 102nd Congress, incl.
   indexes 1990-1992

Carton 210
   Dailies/backup, folders 1-20, dailies 1-124; Dailies/backup, folders 21-38, dailies
   1-102; Congressional Record retirement tributes to AC 1991-1992

Carton 211
   Bound Congressional Record with annotations and index to AC remarks, 91st and
   92nd Congresses 1969-1972

Carton 212
   Bound Congressional Record, 93rd and 94-1 Congresses 1973-1975

Carton 213
   Bound Congressional Record, 94-2 and 95-1 Congresses 1976-1977

Carton 214
   DPC voting indexes

Carton 215
   Voting ratings from interest groups, Democratic Policy Committee ratings (close
   and comparison votes)

Carton 216
   DSCC voting

Carton 217
   Oversize print-out; DPC voting record books 1969-74, 1976
Subseries 2.10 Legislation 1969-1992

Physical Description: Cartons 219-351, 622

Scope and Content Note
These files document the nature and extent of the senator's participation in the introduction and movement of bills, his general legislative interests, impact, and influence, as well as the interaction of legislative concerns and interests with the pressures of his constituency. These files also document the development of policy positions and legislative initiatives by the legislative staff. Typical documents include statements; staff position papers; briefing memos; correspondence with other senators, the executive branch, and interest groups; a copy of the bill along with marked up drafts; conference and committees reports; any relevant hearings; related speeches or press releases; and background materials such as news clippings, reports, and CRS publications.

In the Cranston office, the legislative staff was composed of Legislative Assistants and Legislative Aides. The Legislative Assistants were more senior staff who had expertise in certain subject areas. The Legislative Assistants responsibilities included briefing the Senator on upcoming legislation, tracking bills in Congress, developing bills to introduce, and meeting with lobbyists and constituents. The Aides were assigned to support the work of the Legislative Assistants. They also composed robos and letters to constituents, met with constituents, and wrote briefing memos to the Senator. In addition, Susanne Martinez served as Legislative Director for a number of years. She was responsible for guiding overall legislative strategy as well as discharging her Legislative Assistant duties. The legislative staff was structured into "pods". Each pod addressed a cluster of subjects and consisted of a Legislative Assistant, one or two Aides, and a Legislative Secretary.

Senator Cranston has his own files on legislative issues in his Working Files series. Researchers should consult both series for relevant information. The senator's notes, drafts, and annotations are found in both series. Staff legislative assignment memos are in the Administrative series.

Divided into eight sub-series: Agriculture/Environment/Native Americans, Arts/Education/Labor, Energy and Transportation, Foreign Policy and Defense, Health, Judiciary, Social Services, and Tax and Trade.

Subsubseries 2.10.1 Agriculture/Environment/Native Americans 1975-1993

Physical Description: Cartons 219-239, 622

Arrangement
Mostly organized by Congress, and by bill number within a Congress.

Scope and Content Note
Kathy Files Lacey was the Legislative Assistant in this pod from the early 1970's until the office closed. Some of the boxes contain folder lists.

Carton 219
Legislative record, background 94th Congress, incl list 1975-1976

Carton 220
95th Congress

Carton 221
96th and 97th Congresses, incl lists

Carton 222
98th Congress, incl list

Carton 223
99th and 100th Congresses, list for 100th

Carton 224
101st and 102nd Congresses

Carton 225
102nd Congress

Carton 226
Water legislation, incl list 1982-1988

Carton 227
Desert Bill 1986-1992

Carton 228

Carton 229
Agricultural issue files, speeches, statements, correspondence 1980-1990

Carton 230
Native American issue files: Hopi-Navajo, Hoopa-Yurok disputes

Carton 231
Native Americans, cont.; Projects, incl list 1976-1990

Carton 232
Appropriations, FY1977-1982

Carton 233
Appropriations, FY1983-1986
Subseries 2.10 Legislation 1969-1992

Carton 234
- Appropriations, FY1987-1989
Carton 235
Carton 236
- Appropriations, FY1992-1993; Robos--agricultural, by subject
Carton 237
- Robos--agricultural, appropriations, environmental
Carton 238
- Robos--environmental, Indian affairs
Carton 239
- Robos--misc., water
Carton 622
- Water quality 1976-1977

Subsubseries 2.10.2 Arts/Education/Labor 1969-1993

Physical Description: Cartons 240-246
Arrangement
Organized by subject.
Scope and Content Note
Gary Aldridge was the Legislative Assistant in this area the entire time Cranston was in office.

Carton 240
- AIDS, Animal Wildlife
Carton 241
- Animal Wildlife
Carton 242
- Arts and Humanities, District of Columbia, Earthquakes, Education
Carton 243
- Education, Food and Nutrition
Carton 244
- Food and Nutrition, Gay Rights, Global Environment/Population, Labor
Carton 245
- Labor
Carton 246
- Labor, Religion

Subsubseries 2.10.3 Energy and Transportation 1971-1993

Physical Description: Cartons 247-257
Arrangement
Files are organized by subject.
Scope and Content Note
Hal Gross was the Legislative Assistant in the 1970's-1986. Clare Thorne was the Legislative Assistant from 1987 until the office closed. There are also transportation files with the records of the Housing Subcommittee.

Carton 247
- Energy: Legislative Summary; Alternative Energy; Alternative Energy - Geothermal
Carton 248
- Energy: Alternative Energy - Solar; Coal; Department of Energy; Energy Efficiency
Carton 249
- Energy: Energy Efficiency - Alliance to Save Energy; General; Nuclear
Carton 250
- Energy: Nuclear; Oil and Gas
Carton 251
- Energy: Oil and Gas; Oil and Gas - Elk Hills; Oil and Gas - Outer Continental Shelf - General
Carton 252
- Energy: Oil and Gas - OCS - Lease Sales; Oil and Gas - OCS - Moratorium; Oil and Gas - OCS - Santa Barbara; Oil and Gas - OCS - Southern California; Oil and Gas - OCS - Robos; Clean Air
Carton 253
- Clean Air, Transportation
Carton 254-255
- Transportation
Carton 256
- Other (primarily insurance and product liability legislation); Robos -- Energy and Clean Air
Carton 257
- Robos --Energy and Clean Air, transportation, other

Subsubseries 2.10.4 Foreign Policy and Defense 1969-1993

Physical Description: Cartons 258-286
Arrangement
Files are organized by subject.
Scope and Content Note
Hal Gross, Gerry Warburg, and Mick Andersen were all Legislative Assistants in this area. Aides' files are particularly important in this subsubseries; the aides did work comparable to Legislative Assistants in this pod.
Carton 258  Roll call votes, 1969-80; AC record, SALT briefing book, INF floor book
Carton 259  L.A. (Warburg) comprehensive files 1979-1990
Carton 261  Arms Control: nuclear proliferation 1980-1990
Carton 263  L.A. files (Gross): memos, robos, subject files
Carton 264  L.A. files (Gross): subject files, cont.; nomination, human rights, Soviet Jews
Carton 265  L.A. files (Gross): Soviet Jews
Carton 266  L.A. files (Gross): Soviet Jews, treaties--Panama Canal, SALT
Carton 267  L.A. files (Gross): Defense--general, arms control, conversion, budget
Carton 268  L.A. files (Gross): defense contractors, military bases and personnel, selective service, weapons
Carton 269  Space, weapons systems, incl list 1977-1991
Carton 270  Country files: Asia (alpha by country) 1978-1992
Carton 271  Country files: Not Asia (alpha by country) 1977-1992
Carton 272  Country files: Latin America (alpha) 1980-1992
Carton 273  India-Pakistan, Africa, Military education, Intelligence, FOIA
Carton 274  USSR trips, INF, Persian Gulf, war powers, war crimes 1981-1992
Carton 275  Congressional Record reprints, indigenous peoples, TASS articles (annotated), hearing books, 3 codexes (2 Russia, 1 Hungary)
Carton 276  Arms control, Iraq, Saudi, Gulf, START files and briefing book, USSR, sexual assaults in military, incl list
Carton 277  Mid-East, Israel, Falasha, Soviet Jews, base closing, incl list 1983-1992
Carton 278  Soviet Union and Central Asia, incl trips and lists, Mideast 1990-1992
Carton 279  Israel, cont.; Appropriations, FY1981-1983
Carton 280  Appropriations, FY 1983-1985
Carton 281  Appropriations, FY1986-1993, incl list
Carton 282  California military issues, 1980s
Carton 283-284  Robos, by subject: bases, weapons systems, military personnel, space, Soviet affairs, defense spending, Mideast, arms control, intelligence 1975-1992
Carton 285-286  SALT I & II briefing books and background materials

Subsubseries 2.10.5 Health 1970-1992

  Physical Description: Cartons 287-302
  Arrangement
  Files are organized by subject.
  Scope and Content Note
  Health issues were covered by both personal and committee staff, so these files turned up in a number of places, but are definitely related. There are still health files in the Committee series, so researchers should check both places. Nancy Berend and Barbara Masters did significant work on this topic.

Carton 288  Subject files: Abortion, AIDS, Arthritis 1977-1987
Carton 290  Rehabilitation Act of 1972; Health Services
Carton 293  FDA, 1978-79; Medicare/Medicaid, 1972-86; Mental Health, 1973-84; SIDS, 1974-80
Carton 294  Robos (chron); memos and statements 1975-1985
Carton 295  L.A. files (Berend, 1975-76; Masters, 1982-88), incl. list
Carton 296  L.A. files, Masters 1985-1990
Carton 297  AIDS, various, incl list 1985-1990
Carton 299  EMS and Trauma Care 1986-1991  
Carton 301  Robos 1976-1992  
Carton 302  Hearings  
Subsubseries 2.10.6 Judiciary 1969-1992  
  Physical Description: Cartons 303-324  
  Arrangement  
  Files are organized by subject.  
  Scope and Content Note  
  Hal Gross, John Fleming, Susanne Martinez, and Alan Thomas all served as Legislative Assistants on these issues and organized their files by subject, though John Fleming also organized his files by Congress. There are also some related files in John Steinberg's committee files.  
Carton 303  Judicial nomination blue slips, 1969-89; CA Federal Selection; Commission, 1977-79; Nominations and recommendations  
Carton 304  Bork, Kennedy, Ginsberg, Nebeker, Noonan, Siegan hearings (SM)  
Carton 305  Vaughn Walker hearing, Supreme Court Nominations, Blue Slips, 1987-91 (SM)  
Carton 306  Kozinsky, Manion hearings; ACTION Pauken hearings, Legal Services Corp.(SM)  
Carton 307  LSC hearings, cont.; Civil Rights committee, 1983(SM)  
Carton 308  Memos, robos, speeches, statements, press (JF)  
Carton 309  Authored and co-sponsored legislation, 93rd-95th Congress (JF)  
Carton 310  Cont., 95th-97th Congress (JF)  
Carton 311  Cont., 98th and 99th Congresses; private bills; immigration (JF)  
Carton 312  Voter registration (SM)  
Carton 313-314  Drugs, crime, civil rights, immigration, S&L's (SM)  
Carton 315  Drugs (Gross, Thomas)  
Carton 316-317  Drugs  
Carton 318  Drugs, campaign finance reform, revenue sharing/budget  
Carton 319  Intellectual property, media, telecommunications  
Carton 320  Telecommunications/Cable  
Carton 321  Crime, regulatory bills, civil rights (Hispanic, Black, political prisoners)  
Carton 322  Civil rights (Gay, Japanese-American redress); gun control; consumer issues; cigarettes; pornography  
Carton 323-324  Robos and co-sponsorships, 1974-92: federal employment, campaign finance, voter reg, antitrust, judiciary, civil rights, crime/drugs/guns, telecommunications, patents, media, sports, Post office, government regulations  
Subsubseries 2.10.7 Social Service 1975-1992  
  Physical Description: Cartons 325-340  
  Arrangement  
  Files are organized by subject.  
  Scope and Content Note  
  Susanne Martinez was responsible for these issues on the Child and Human Development Subcommittee of the Labor and Human Resources Committee; when she moved to the personal office, she brought these issues with her. Her work on the committee and her work for the personal office were virtually inseparable and are sometimes even filed together. Some of her papers are in this subseries, while others are in the Committee series. Researchers working on these issues should consult both series. Although she still worked on similar issues while she served as the Staff Legislative Director, other Legislative Assistants on these issues included Marion Rodriguez, Asha Jaini, and Irene Buena.  
Carton 325  Speeches, Congressional Record, Children's issues (SM section)  
Carton 326-327  Children, including Headstart, adoption  
Carton 328  Children; Women  

Finding Aid to the Alan Cranston Papers, 1914-1993, bulk 1940-1993
Carton 329  Women
Carton 330  Women; Agencies: Legal Services Corp., ACTION
Carton 331  Poverty and Social Services
Carton 332  Cont., LIEAP; Aging; EEOC and discrimination
Carton 333  Appropriations 1978-1985
Carton 334  Social Service: affirmative action, children (L.A. section) 1976-1986
Carton 336  Women and children, mainly gender equity and childcare bills
Carton 337  Children, seniors, national service, immigration
Carton 338  Immigration
Carton 339  Immigration, census, Senate Hispanic Task Force, Robos

Subsubseries 2.10.8 Tax and Trade 1973-1991

   Physical Description: Cartons 341-351
   Arrangement
   Files are organized by subject.
   Scope and Content Note
   Hal Gross, Dan Rich, and Carmen Lowrey were the Legislative Assistants in this pod who organized their papers by subject; however, John Fleming organized his papers by Congress.

Carton 341  Trade, commerce, and finance bills 1981-1988
Carton 342  Tax issues, U.S. Customs, international trade, robos 1980-1987
Carton 343  Semiconductor issues
Carton 344  Semiconductor issues, Fair trade in financial services
Carton 345  CAL-PAC 2000, S & L issues
Carton 346-347  Dumping reform, various
Carton 348-351  Aide files, mainly robos and backup 1973-1990
Carton 351  97th-99th Congress: Wine, Vince-Trammel, tax issues (JF)
Subseries 2.11 Committees 1969-1992

Physical Description: Cartons 352-385

Scope and Content Note

Committee files are the same as the Legislative files above, except that they are generated by Cranston committee staff or personal staff, who are assigned to do specific committee work. Like legislative files, they contain bills, committee drafts, position papers, memos, statement, press releases, and background materials. Although official committee files are deposited with the National Archives, the personal files of staff members can be included with the senator's papers. Researchers interested in these files should contact the National Archives for the full records of the relevant committees.

This series contains Jonathan Steinberg's files, as well as papers from the Veterans' Affairs Committee, the Committee on Labor and Human Resources, and the Housing and Urban Affairs Subcommittee of the Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs Committee.

Jonathan Steinberg joined Cranston's staff as counsel on the Labor and Public Welfare subcommittee on veterans' affairs in 1968. From 1971 to 1973, Steinberg served as counsel to both the subcommittee on railroad and retirement and the subcommittee on human resources. When Cranston became chair of the Veterans' Committee in 1977, Steinberg assumed the position of staff director and chief counsel. His early files seem to encompass every issue, not just committee issues. For example, he worked on the Harrison Williams ABSCAM case, even though this did not fall under his committee jurisdiction. He also worked on the Capitol Security Committee which Cranston was assigned to by virtue of his position as Democratic Whip, and those files are included in this series. So this series contains a number of Steinberg legislative files that don't really belong in one particular place. They are placed here only because he was officially designated committee staff. Some of his issues overlap with those of Susanne Martinez and the Judiciary pod of the Personal staff, so a researcher should be prepared to search all three places for certain issues.

Susanne Martinez, who moved from committee staff to personal staff, has files on identical subjects in both the Legislation and the Committee series. It is necessary to cross-reference her files from the Personal office with those from the Labor and Human Resources Committee, particularly the Child and Human Development Subcommittee.

The first eleven cartons are John Steinberg files. The next thirteen cartons are from the Labor and Human Resources Committee and its various subcommittees. The next five cartons are Peace Corps files from the Veterans' Affairs Committee. The next three cartons are from the Housing and Urban Affairs Subcommittee. The last two cartons are from the Committee on the Budget; these files were kept by personal staff, who were assigned to cover the relevant committee work, so they are not truly committee staff files, but they are concerned with committee work.

Carton 352
Steinberg files, 91st Congress, AC author and co-sponsor 1969-1979

Carton 353
Steinberg files, Vets subcommittee of Labor & Public Welfare, AC author and co-sponsor by committee

Carton 354
Steinberg files, cont., Banking & Currency through Judiciary

Carton 355
Steinberg files, cont., Judiciary through Rules

Carton 356
Steinberg files, 92nd Congress, vets and health issues 1971-1972

Carton 357
Steinberg files, cont., Senate & House bills, resolutions

Carton 358
Harrison Williams, ABSCAM 1982

Carton 359
Williams, cont.; Carswell, Haynsworth, Blackmun nominations 1969-1970

Carton 360
Steinberg: Capitol Security Committee 1985-1991

Labor and Human Resources Committee

Carton 360
Legal Services Corp. 1969-1985

Carton 361
Presidential Commission on Population Growth, 1971-72; LPW subcommittees:
1) Railroad Retirement, 2) Human Resources

Carton 362
3) Health and Science Research, 4) Children and Youth (later Child and Human Development): Aged, children and families

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CHD, cont.: Handicapped, social services

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### Subseries 2.12 Press 1969-1993

**Physical Description:** Cartons 386-497, Oversize volumes 10-48  
**Scope and Content Note**  
Divided into general press files, speeches, press releases, the newsletter to constituents, press background files, clipping files and scrapbooks, and audiovisual materials.  
Murray Flander was Senator Cranston's Press Secretary from 1969-1993. He was the publisher of the Coalinga newspaper until he left to work for Cranston in Washington D.C., and his final two editorials in his paper about going on leave to work for Cranston's campaign are included in the 1968 campaign files.  
Press files are a mixture of correspondence, letters to editors, memos, and published articles by and about Cranston. Indexes to press releases are filed here; they should be copied and interfiled with the proper year in the press release files. Speeches are included here too, but they may need to be interfiled with speeches in other parts of the collection, particularly those in Cranston's working files. Also, many speeches are included in the Press Release files as background information. Press conference transcripts, press briefings, and interviews and hearing are also included. Finally, AC floor statements pulled from the Congressional Records are here for 1973-1973 and 1977-1986; these might be duplicated in press release files.  
The Press Release files contain press releases, drafts, speeches, and statements, many with handwritten notes by Cranston. They are chronological by date, 1/10/69-1/1/93. Press releases from the Veteran's Affairs Committee are included.  
Press Background files are alphabetical by subject and contain floor statements, press releases, robos, and staff memos. Clipping files include both files and oversize scrapbooks.

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Congressional Record (AC floor statements) 1972-73, 1977-86
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Carton 493: Audio tapes 1970s
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Carton 495: Audio and video interviews
Carton 496-497: Videotapes 1974-1990

Series 3 Political Activities 1958-1993
Physical Description: Cartons 498-615, 622, 623, 633
Scope and Content Note
Series is divided into two subseries: Campaign and Political Activity.

Subseries 3.1 Campaigns 1958-1992
Physical Description: Cartons 498-610, 622, 623
Arrangement
Arranged by type of material within each campaign: official papers, correspondence, campaign management files (includes organizing, volunteer groups, and staff memos), press, fundraising, issues, polls, research files, and background information.
Scope and Content Note

Subsubseries 3.1.1 State Controller 1958
Physical Description: Cartons 498-502
Scope and Content Note
In 1958, Cranston ran against Robert Kirkwood for State Controller. With the help of the CDC and a reinvigorated California Democratic Party, he was swept into office on a Democratic slate headed by Governor Pat Brown. Contains official papers, correspondence, campaign management, press, finances, polls, issue files, opposition files, and background material.
Carton 498: Official papers, correspondence
Carton 499: Correspondence, campaign management, press
Carton 500: Press, finances, polls, issues
Carton 501: Opposition files, background
Series 3 Political Activities 1958-1993
Subseries 3.1 Campaigns 1958-1992

Subsubseries 3.1.2 State Controller 1962

Physical Description: Carton 502, 622
Scope and Content Note
In 1962, Cranston beat Bruce Reagan to be re-elected State Controller. Includes official papers, correspondence, campaign management, press, finances, and polls.

Carton 502
Official papers, correspondence, campaign management, press, finances, polls

Carton 622
Miscellaneous

Subsubseries 3.1.3 Senate 1964

Physical Description: Cartons 503-513, 622
Scope and Content Note
In 1964, Cranston ran for the Senate, but lost the Democratic primary to Pierre Salinger, a last-minute entry in the race who quit President Johnson’s press secretary and flew to California to qualify the day of the filing deadline. This was a bitter race, and the records document the acrimony that led to court cases and splits in the California Democratic Party. Salinger eventually lost the November election to Republican George Murphy. Includes official papers, correspondence, campaign management, press, fundraising, polls, and clippings.

Carton 503
Official papers, campaign management, press, finances, polls

Carton 504
Correspondence, A-O

Carton 505
Correspondence, P-Z; Invitations; Congratulatory letters

Carton 506-513
Clippings

Carton 622
Miscellaneous

Subsubseries 3.1.4 State Controller 1966

Physical Description: Carton 514
Scope and Content Note
In 1966, Cranston ran for State Controller, but was defeated by Houston Flourney. Includes official papers, correspondence, campaign management, schedules, events, press, literature, fundraising, polls.

Carton 514
Official papers, correspondence, campaign management, schedules, events, press, literature, fundraising, polls

Subsubseries 3.1.5 Senate 1968

Physical Description: Cartons 515-522
Scope and Content Note
Alan Cranston ran against conservative Republican Max Rafferty during the 1968 campaign for Senate. The Vietnam War was the major issue of the campaign. Rafferty championed militarism and tried to paint Cranston as soft on communism because of his dedication to peace and the end of the Vietnam War. Rafferty also attempted to use Cranston’s involvement in the World Federalists as grounds for red-baiting. In addition, Rafferty tried to paint Cranston as soft on crime. Cranston defeated Rafferty by a slim 66,000 vote lead. Crucial to his victory were the votes of moderate Republicans, who even organized a pro-Cranston campaign committee called “GOPocrats for Cranston”. Includes correspondence, campaign management, memos, voter registration, schedules, events, press, campaign literature, fundraising, opposition files, subject files, polls, results, clippings, ephemera, and audiovisual materials.

Carton 515
Correspondence, Campaign Management

Carton 516
Campaign Management: Memos, Registration - AC voter, Organization Lists, Schedules, Events, Events - Clippings, Events - Clippings - Primary, Notes, Press/Media, Press Releases

Carton 517
Press Releases (cont’d.), Speeches

Carton 518
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Polls; Contributor printouts; Interfiling (briefing book, Women's Committee Report)

Subsubseries 3.1.6 Senate 1974

Physical Description: Cartons 523-544, 623

Scope and Content Note

In 1974, Cranston ran for Senate reelection against H.L. Richardson, an ardent enemy of gun control who was known for dissenting to the right of then-Governor Ronald Reagan; fighting gun control was his primary issue. Allyn Kreps acted as campaign chairman and Mickey Kantor was the campaign manager. Cranston won the election with 63% of the vote, which represented a margin of 1,500,000 votes. Includes correspondence, memos, Cranston/Greenaway files, campaign management, Mickey Kantor files, scheduling, position papers, press, fundraising, research, polls, clipping, ephemera, and audiovisual materials.

Carton 523
Correspondence, A - Democratic Central Committee

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Correspondence, Democratic National Committee - Misc.

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Correspondence, Mondale - Shriver

Carton 526
Correspondence, Smith - Ziffren; Memos; Cranston/Greenaway files

Carton 527
Cranston/Greenaway files (cont'd.), Campaign Organization

Carton 528
Campaign Organization - Campaign Manager, Mickey Kantor - Notebooks

Carton 529
Campaign Manager, Mickey Kantor - Subject files

Carton 530
Campaign Manager, Mickey Kantor - Subject files; Organization Coordinator, Victoria Martinez - Subject files

Carton 531
Organization Coordinator, Victoria Martinez - Subject files; Campaign Staff Subject files: Doyle McManus, Frank Baron

Carton 532
Campaign Staff Subject files: Frank Baron Field Office Records, Scheduling

Carton 533
Scheduling, Position Papers

Carton 534
Position Papers; Press Releases and Murray Flander notes

Carton 535
Press Releases, Direct Mail, Budget

Carton 536
Budget, Fundraising

Carton 537
Fundraising

Carton 538
Fundraising, Mailing Lists, Research, Polling

Carton 539
Polling, Post-election Files, Thank You Letters, Clippings, Ephemera

Carton 540-542
Polling
Carton 543  **Audiovisual: Reel-to-reel**

Scope and Content Note
Sen. Cranston Mar. 27, 1974
Cranston Selected Tapes Reel #1
The Senator and the Press Jan 14th, 1974 (Los Angeles)
Sen. Cranston Sept. 25, 1973
   ____ Nov. 13, 1973
   ____ Nov. 27, 1973
   ____ Jan. 29, 1974
   ____ Feb. 6, 1974
   ____ Feb. 20, 1974
   ____ Mar. 5, 1974
   ____ Apr. 29, 1974
   ____ May 30, 1974
Nazi Story Aircheck 10/26/72
Senator Alan Cranston Radio Feed Calls
Cesar Chavez on Alan Cranston
(Master) Sen. Cranston - Announcement
1974 Campaign: Radio Feeds
unidentified (3)
A2A July 1973
B2A Station K.Z.O.L.
C2A
D2A The Big Room July 30, 1972

Carton 543  **Audiovisual: 2" Videotape**

Scope and Content Note
Amendment to End War
Jesse Unruh
Sen. Cranston

Carton 544  **Miscellaneous**

Carton 623  **Miscellaneous**

Subsubseries 3.1.7 Senate 1980

Physical Description: Cartons 545-551
Scope and Content Note
In 1980, Cranston ran for Senate against Paul Gann, known nationally for his role in the passage of Proposition 13. Bill Wardlaw was Cranston's campaign manager, Jan Wasson was assistant campaign manager, and Conway Collis was the campaign's finance director. Includes correspondence, campaign management, schedules, position papers, press, campaign literature, fundraising, PAC's, research, polls, and audiovisual materials.

Carton 545  **Correspondence; Campaign Organization; Schedules; Position Papers; Press; Campaign Literature; Direct Mailings; Budget**

Carton 546  **Fundraising, A-E**

Carton 547  **Fundraising, E-N**

Carton 548  **Fundraising, N-W**

Carton 549  **Fundraising, W-Z; Mailing Lists; Political Action Committees; Research; Polls; Thank You Letters, A-F**

Carton 550  **Thank You Letters, G-Z; Clippings; Ephemera**

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**Subseries 3.1.8 President 1984**

**Physical Description:** Cartons 552-577, 622, 623

**Scope and Content Note**
Concerned over Ronald Reagan's increasingly militant behavior, Cranston decided to run for the 1984 Democratic nomination for president on the issues of peace, human rights, and nuclear disarmament. His rivals for the nomination were Walter Mondale, who would eventually receive the Democratic nomination, and Gary Hart. He withdrew from the race at the end of February of 1984. Sergio Bendixen was the campaign manager and Ronald C. Peterson acted in the role of campaign treasurer. Includes correspondence, memos, campaign organization, scheduling, position papers, press, speeches, campaign literature, fundraising, research, polls, clippings, ephemera, and audiovisual materials.

| Carton 552 | Correspondence, Alabama - New Hampshire I |
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AUDIOCASSETTES
Scope and Content Note
Cranston Sacramento 1/16/81
San Diego Press 2/21/81
Cranston DC 3/6/81
Newsmaker Sunday - Sen. Cranston 3/7/81
Cranston 5/20/81
UPI roundtable 6/11/81
AC react to Reagan Press Conference 6/16/81
Cranston Press Conference 7/24/81
UJA -- Senator Alan Cranston undated
Press Conference and Speech/Maine Straw Poll 10/1/83
Dallas, TX, Democratic Conference, undated
AC on KCET-TV, Los Angeles (30 minutes) with Ornstein, Shogan
on economics, presidency undated
"Cranston Rap" dub
AC Speech -- Massachusetts 4/83 (?)
"From Senator Cranston" undated
Los Angeles Press Conference 2/3/83

Carton 572
VIDEOTAPES : VHS FORMAT
Scope and Content Note
The Lawmakers (2/10/83)/Meet the Press (2/6/83)
AC Announcement (2/2/83)
Gallen-Sununu Debate
Guatemala Refugees in Mexico 9/82
Ronald Reagan's State of the Union 1/84
MacNeill/Lehrer 7/25/84
CBS Evening News w/ Dan Rather "A Talk with Senator Cranston" 7/22/83
"Senator Alan Cranston" 12/7/82
Meet the Press 7/18/82
Face the Nation 11/27/83
Des Moines Register Debate 2/11/84
Cranston for President "Edited Newscips" unedited
The Lawmakers (2/10/83)/Meet the Press (2/6/83)
Hitler to MX #700 Supernational undated
Presidential Candidate Interviews by Marty Futrell 8/83
"The Day After" 11/83
Carton 573

**AUDIOVISUAL : UMATIC FORMAT Ctn 573**

**Scope and Content Note**
Cranston for President Spots
Alan Cranston for President "Living Room" 10/15/83, 3/4 inch
Announcement coverage; Lawmakers; Announcement edited;
Meet the Press, 3/4" master
Cranston for President 11/9/83 3/4 inch #1 Bio; #4 Jobs; #5 Bald;
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Debate : White Plains
U.S. Cancer : Fish ; Cancer Birds
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Rather/Cranston interview
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#3 Jobs; #4 Bald; #5 Ogarkov; #6 Mandate
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CNN Newsmaker Saturday, Sen. Alan Cranston, 5/22/82
Press Conference, undated
Cranston Dub #2 1/10/82
Cranston Dub #3 1/10/82
Cranston Dub #4 1/10/82
Fundraising Spot Jan. 13, 1984

Carton 574

**AUDIOVISUAL : UMATIC FORMAT**

**Scope and Content Note**
"Cranston Speech" undated
Mark Russell Program #706 7/16/82
Meet the Press 2/6/83
Nightline : "Prez Campaign '84" 3/30/83
Rather/Cranston interview undated
Meet the Press : Cranston and Hatch 4/18/82
Cranston/Brinkley : Iowa Straw Poll 10/9/83
Public Affairs Polls : California Disaster Relief (AC), undated
Cranston Press Conference Denver, CO 2/82
News Coverage, AFL-CIO convention with AC 2/20/83
No detail undated
CBS Reports : The Defense of the U.S. Part 2 "Nuclear Battlefield" undated
CBS Reports : The Defense of the U.S. Part 3 "Call to Arms" undated
CBS Reports : The Defense of the U.S. Part 4 "The War Machine" 5/30/81
Carton 575

**AUDIOVISUAL: UMATIC FORMAT**

Scope and Content Note

CBS Reports : The Defense of the U.S. Part 5 "The Russians" Ctn 575
SMWIA Speaker Intros: AC 8/31/82
Alan Cranston : "A Reason to Run" 6/21/82
Hilton Speech - Denver Dupe "Hart Introducing Cranston" undated
"Interview with Alan Cranston" 8/25/?
"Interview with Mr. and Mrs. Alan Cranston" 8/25/?
"Cranston at Columbia" 11/84
Sen. Cranston Campaign Meredith Vieira/Evening News, 2/1/84
WHO TV Des Moines News Dubs
1. 10/8/83 10 p.m.
2. 10/9/83 10 p.m.
3. 10/8/83 6 p.m.
MacNeill/Lehrer 7/25/83
Sen. Cranston #230 4:58 2/1/80
Sen. Cranston #507 9:42 5/17/82
Senator Cranston/Sheraton Universal 11/20/82
This Week with David Brinkley, Cranston, Peter Hart, Teeter 6/26/83

Carton 576-577

**AUDIOVISUAL: UMATIC FORMAT- Miscellaneous**

Carton 622

**Miscellaneous**

Carton 623

**Subsubseries 3.1.9 Senate 1986**

Physical Description: Cartons 578-610

Scope and Content Note

In 1986, Cranston ran his closest race for Senator since he was first elected to the Senate in 1968. A whole field of Republican contenders vied for the chance to try to unseat him, including Bobbi Fiedler, Bruce Herschensohn, Mike Antonovich, and moderate Republican Ed Zschau, who eventually won the Republican primary. Cranston's campaign focused on the inconsistencies in Zschau's stance on issues; the campaign even published lists of Zschau "flip flops", which outlined the ways in which Zschau's political stance changed whenever the political winds shifted. Darry Sragow ran the campaign as campaign manager, and Ronald Peterson, who had been the finance director of Cranston's bid for the presidency, returned to work on the 1986 Senate campaign as the legal counsel. Includes correspondence, memos, campaign management, legal files, voter registration, schedules, position papers, press, speeches, campaign literature, fundraising, opposition research, polls, clippings, ephemera, and audiovisual materials (including photographs). Also contains preparation for a 1992 Senate campaign.

Carton 578

**Announcement of Candidacy; Correspondence (fragmentary; the bulk of the correspondence to be found in this collection is arranged in the files of the various campaign staff members); Memos; Campaign Manager : Darry Sragow files**

Carton 579

**Campaign Manager : Darry Sragow files**

Carton 580

**Campaign Manager : Darry Sragow files; Legal Counsel : Ronald C. Peterson files**

Carton 581-582

**Legal Counsel : Ronald C. Peterson files**

Carton 583

**Legal Counsel : Ronald C. Peterson files; MUR 2073 correspondence; Operations Manager : Jan Wasson; Get Out the Vote campaign; Schedules Position Papers Position Papers; Press Releases, Statements, Speeches, 2/85 - 9/85**

Carton 584

**Press Releases, Statements, Speeches, 10/85 - 6/86**
Carton 586  Press Releases, Statements, Speeches, 6/86 - 11/86; Questionnaires; Scripts Articles; Endorsements; Election Statistics
Carton 587  Direct Mail; Telemarketing; Campaign Literature; Finance/Budget
Carton 588  Finance/Budget ; Mailing List; Opposition Research: Primary; Opposition Research: Primary - Publications
Carton 589  Opposition Research: Primary; Opposition Research: Zschau
Carton 590-592  Opposition Research: Zschau
Carton 593  Polls
Carton 594  Polls, Thank Yous, Clippings: Primary
Carton 595  Clippings: Zschau, vols. 1 - 5
Carton 596  Clippings: Zschau, vols. 5 - 7
Carton 597  Clippings: Zschau, vols. 8 - 10; Terry Hanagan’s files
Carton 598  Clippings: Terry Hanagan’s Abstracts, pre-1986 to July 1986
Carton 599  Clippings: Terry Hanagan’s Abstracts, August 1986 to October 1986
Carton 600  Clippings: Chronological ; Clippings: Subject - AC/agriculture to AC/criticism
Carton 601  Clippings: Subject - AC/defense to AC/trade
Carton 602  Clippings: Subject - AC/TV spots to AC on Zschau; Zschau/agriculture to Zschau/Libya raid
Carton 603  Clippings: Subject - Zschau/Nicaragua to Zschau/TV spots; general; Clippings: by county--Alameda to Los Angeles
Carton 604  Clippings: Madera - Yuba; Ephemera
Carton 605  Videotape: VTR

Scope and Content Note
Doak & Shrum Cranston for Senate 101 - 106
Doak & Shrum 201
Doak & Shrum 209
Doak & Shrum 211 - 214
Doak & Shrum 300 - 302
Doak & Shrum 311
Doak & Shrum 400 - 404
Doak & Shrum 405
Doak & Shrum 500 - 506
Doak & Shrum 510 - 514
Doak & Shrum 515 - 516
Doak & Shrum 517 - 518
Doak & Shrum 712
Doak & Shrum 725 HTS
Doak & Shrum 726 - 728
Doak & Shrum 905
Doak & Shrum 956,957 AUTH
Doak & Shrum House Party
Carton 606

**Videotape : 3/4" cassette**

Scope and Content Note
Doak & Shrum, Cranston for Senate
(EMS 400; Vets 401; Arms 402; Signature 403)
Doak & Shrum, Cranston for Senate
(Arms 402; EMS 400)
Focus Media, Inc., Cranston for Senate '86, 6-03-86
____, 6-16-86
____, 7-11-86
Focus Media, Inc., 8-21-86
____, 8-25-86
____, 9-23-86
____, 9-24-86
____, 10-2-86
____, 11-14-86
Fototronics "Senator Cranston", 6-11-85
Voice Over L.A., "Call 301", 8-20-86
[Unidentified]

Carton 607

**Videotape: 1" C Dub**

Scope and Content Note
Focus Media, Inc., "Call", 8-20-86
Fototronics , "Senator Cranston", 6-11-85
Videotape: 2" HBC Dub
Focus Media, Inc. "Call" 8-20-86
Beta Videotape
Focus Media, Inc. 6 spots, 5-30-86
Zschau on the Death Penalty
Sprint to Victory
VHS Videotape format
Focus Media, Inc. AC-201 6-03-86
____, AC-202 6-03-86
____, AC-209 6-16-86
____, AC-211 to AC-214 7-11-86
____, AC-300 to AC-302 8/21/86
____, AC-311 8/25/86
____, AC-311; AC-404; AC-402 9-23-86
____, AC-515 9-24-86
Doak & Shrum Arms; EMS 9-9-86
Doak & Shrum 402, 404 9-9-86
Sprint to Victory 9-08-86
Sprint to Victory 9-17-86
Carton 608

**VHS Videotape format- Cranston**

Scope and Content Note
The Campaign Group 3-19-84
News Conference 4-85
AC re: ORT award 12-12-85
Cranston Campaign Television News Coverage - L.A., 3-3-86
Cranston Campaign Kickoff, S.F. and Sacramento television 3-3-86
Sen. Cranston to Run for Re-election News Coverage, 3-3-86
Cranston Commercials, 4-28-86 (KCBS 2; KABC 7)
Cranston KPIX, 5-12-86
Sen. Alan Cranston, KBAK TV, 6-05-86
Cranston vs. Zschau, Campaign Analysis KGTG Ch. 10, (San Diego) 9-5-86
Cranston for Senate, "Zschau’s Terrorist" 9-12-86
”Sen. Cranston: California’s Senate Campaign” CNN 9-24-86
"Cranston Refuses to Debate Zschau” 9-26-86
Sen. Ted Kennedy at Cranston Fundraiser/L.A., 10-21-86
Cranston Shoot #1 (n.d.)
Cranston for Senate ’86 6 spots (n.d.)
Cranston for Senate ’86 5 30-second spots (n.d.)
MTV coverage reel
Re-election clips: EMS (n.d.)

Carton 608

**Opposition Videos**

Scope and Content Note
Ed Davis 2-3-85
Bobbi Fiedler 6-30-85
Fiedler, Herschonsen 1-23
Carnoy/Zschau Luncheon 7-19-84
Anti-Cranston Republican Commercial 6-11-86
Zschau Commercial 9-5-86
Zschau Drug Spot 9-16-86
Zschau Commercial KABC 7 9-23-86; KCOP 13 9-25-86
Ed Zschau on KNBC 9-28-86
Zschau Promo KNBC 4 10-1-86
Questionable Commercial produced by Z. campaign, 10-8-86
Zschau One-line Disclaimer 10-16-86
Ed Zschau Interview KABC Ch. 7 10-28-86
Ed Zschau Commercial KNBC Ch. 4, 10-28-86
Ed Zschau Commercial KABC Ch. 7, 10-30-86
Focus Media Zschau Spot (n.d.)
Z. at Stanford
Z Terrorism Spot
5 Ed Zschau Commercials
Audiotapes

Scope and Content Note
AC Comments and mention 6-28-85 to 1-24-86
   _____, 1-30 to 2-17-86
   _____, 2-17 to 3-3-86
   _____, 3-3 to 3-18-86
   _____, 4-27 to 5-9-86
   _____, 5-10 to 5-13-86
   _____, 7-22 to 8-22-86
   _____, 8-24 to 10-1-86
Testimony of Jose Israel Murillo Gomez
California Young Republicans Convention 4/86 (2 tapes)
Zschauf/Fiedler 5-5-86
Herschensohn/Zschauf Debate 5-16-86
Cranston Speech/CBA Monterey 7-28-86
KTNQ Saturday 10-4-86
KLUV/KLVE (L.A.) 10-5086
Registered Voters - Men 10-6-86 (2 tapes)
Registered Voters - Women 10-6-86 (2 tapes)
Zschauf on Michael Jackson 10-27-86
x 32: (cont'd.)
Doak & Shrum (n.d.)
Zschauf/Fiedler (n.d.)
Sen. Cranston Part 1 of 2
Sen. Cranston Part 2 of 2
Zschauf Meeting (n.d.)
Hal Cessna w/ Barbara Boxer and Ed Zschauf 2-25-86
EZ Press Conference
8 unidentified
Herschensohn/Helms Event - Orange Co. 2-15-86
Antonovich/Davis Debate (9 May 1986)
Fiedler/Herschensohn (9 May 1986)
Davis Speech 21 May 1986
Candidates Debate 5-29-86
San Diego Debate 5-31-86
Zschauf Press Conference 7 July 1986
EZ Speech and Press Conference 9 July 1986
Zschauf Press Conference 14 July 1986
EZ at Santa Monica 9-1-86
Zschauf at U.S.C. 9-22-86
Zschauf Speech Republican Convention 9-27-86
EZ Drug Press Conference
Deukmajian and Zschauf Speeches
CRA Convention
Republican Convention Candidate Forum
Carton 609  
**Reel-to-reel**  
Scope and Content Note  
Lloyd Bridges Toxics #1-41  
Lloyd Bridges #42-46  
Lloyd Bridges Qualified  
Lloyd Bridges Reel #2  
Master 15 ips  
"Toxics 2"...September 22, 1986  
Alan Cranston for Senate '86 Reel #1  
Alan Cranston for Senate '86 Reel #2  
"Vegas"; "Vegas II" September 24, 1986  
"Call 301" Aug. 20, 1986

Carton 610  
**1986 campaign interfiling; 1992 campaign preparation**

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**Subseries 3.2 Political Activity 1956, 1969-1993**  
Physical Description: Cartons 611-615, 622, 633  
Arrangement  
Organized by organization or event, then chronologically.  
Scope and Content Note  
Consists of Cranston’s participation in a variety of political activities, from state and national Democratic conventions to voter registration groups to fundraising for Democratic candidates. Includes records from the Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee (DSCC), the Democratic National Committee (DNC), the Democratic Leadership Circle, the Coalition for Democratic Values, the Committee for a Democratic Consensus (Cranston’s PAC), and USA Votes, among others.

Carton 611  
Conventions and California politics 1969-1992  
Carton 612  
Presidential nominating process, endorsements, fundraising  
Carton 613  
Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee (DSCC) 1979-1980  
Carton 614  
DSCC; Democratic Leadership Circle; DNC; Coalition for Democratic Values; Committee for a Democratic Consensus, 1983- ; USA Votes  
Carton 615  
DSCC Leadership Circle 1980-1986  
Carton 622  
Democratic Convention 1956  
Carton 633  
Global Security Institute 1990s-2000s

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**Series 4 Personal circa 1910-1993**  
Physical Description: Cartons 616-634, Box 1  
Scope and Content Note  
Series consists of two subseries: Personal Papers and Photographs and Audiovisual Materials.

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**Subseries 4.1 Personal Papers circa 1910-1993**  
Physical Description: Cartons 616-617, 622, 624  
Scope and Content Note  
Includes correspondence with family and friends, book notes on index cards, condolence letters for death of mother and son, Geneva Cranston files, sports.

Carton 616  
Book notes on index cards 1920s  
Carton 617  
Condolence letters on deaths of his mother, Carol, and son, Robin; information on Geneva; correspondence; sports

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Finding Aid to the Alan Cranston Papers, 1914-1993, bulk 1940-1993
Subseries 4.2 Photographs and Audiovisual Materials circa 1920-1993

Physical Description: Cartons 618-634, Box 1

Scope and Content Note

Includes unprocessed photographs, film, and audiotapes. Content lists to some of the cartons. AV materials and photos remain in campaigns from 1968-1986. The Ethics Committee series contains videotapes. Of the 13 cartons and one box of photographs that were transferred to Pictorial, eleven were shipped from the Washington D.C. office; the remaining two cartons and one box were culled from the collection during processing.

Carton 618
1 box of film, 1960-1966 (Campaigns, Controller, and CDC)

Carton 619
1 box of audio reel-to-reel, 1960-1966 (Campaigns, Controller, and CDC)

Carton 625-627
Videotapes

Carton 628-629
Cassette tapes

Carton 630-631
Reel-to-reel tapes

Carton 632
Videotapes; PSA's or other television footage

Carton 634
Cassette tapes; videotapes