

# **Ben B. Lindsey Papers**

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## Collection Summary

**Title:** Ben B. Lindsey Papers

**Span Dates:** 1838-1957

**Bulk Dates:** (bulk 1890-1943)

**ID No.:** MSS30254

**Creator:** Lindsey, Ben B. (Benjamin Barr), 1869-1943

**Extent:** 95,000 items ; 320 containers plus 35 oversize ; 142 linear feet

**Language:** Collection material in English

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

**Summary:** Judge and social reformer. Correspondence, notebooks, journals, lectures, memoranda, legal papers, briefs, legislative matter, campaign literature, family papers, scrapbooks, and other material documenting Lindsey's judicial, political, and literary career.

## Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

### People

Addams, Jane, 1860-1935--Correspondence.  
Annin, Joseph P.--Correspondence.  
Baker, Newton Diehl, 1871-1937--Correspondence.  
Baldwin, Roger N. (Roger Nash), 1884-1981--Correspondence.  
Beveridge, Albert Jeremiah, 1862-1927--Correspondence.  
Bok, Edward William, 1863-1930--Correspondence.  
Brandeis, Louis Dembitz, 1856-1941--Correspondence.  
Buchtel, Henry Augustus, 1847-1924--Correspondence.  
Burbank, Luther, 1849-1926--Correspondence.  
Catt, Carrie Chapman, 1859-1947--Correspondence.  
Causey, James H.--Correspondence.  
Cavanaugh, John, 1870-1935--Correspondence.  
Costigan, Edward Prentiss, 1874-1939--Correspondence.  
Creel, George, 1876-1953--Correspondence.  
Darrow, Clarence, 1857-1938--Correspondence.  
Early, Stephen T. (Stephen Tyree), 1889-1951--Correspondence.  
Edison, Thomas A. (Thomas Alva), 1847-1931--Correspondence.  
Ellis, Havelock, 1859-1939--Correspondence.  
Ely, Robert Erskine, 1861- --Correspondence.  
Evans, Wainwright--Correspondence.  
Ford, Harriet, 1868-1949--Correspondence.  
Ford, Henry, 1863-1947--Correspondence.  
Howe, Louis M. (Louis McHenry), 1871-1936--Correspondence.  
Hughes, Charles Evans, 1862-1948--Correspondence.  
Ickes, Harold L. (Harold LeClair), 1874-1952--Correspondence.  
Johnson, Hiram, 1866-1945--Correspondence.  
Johnson, Tom Loftin, 1854-1911--Correspondence.  
Kellogg, John Harvey, 1852-1943--Correspondence.  
La Follette, Robert M. (Robert Marion), 1855-1925--Correspondence.  
Lasky, Jesse L., 1880-1958--Correspondence.  
Lindsay family.  
Lindsey, Ben B. (Ben Barr), 1869-1943.  
Lippmann, Walter, 1889-1974--Correspondence.  
Mack, Julian W. (Julian William), 1866-1943--Correspondence.

McAdoo, W. G. (William Gibbs), 1863-1941--Correspondence.  
McClure, S. S. (Samuel Sidney), 1857-1949--Correspondence.  
McDonald, Jesse F., 1858-1942--Correspondence.  
McIntyre, H. H.--Correspondence.  
Miller, Justin, 1888-1973--Correspondence.  
Morgenthau, Henry, 1856-1946--Correspondence.  
O'Higgins, Harvey Jerrold, 1876-1929--Correspondence.  
Olson, Culbert L. (Culbert Levy), 1876-1962--Correspondence.  
Patterson, Thomas MacDonald, 1839-1916--Correspondence.  
Pearson, Drew, 1897-1969--Correspondence.  
Perkins, George W. (George Walbridge), 1862-1920--Correspondence.  
Pershing, James H. (James Hammond), 1863-1948--Correspondence.  
Pinchot, Amos, 1873-1944--Correspondence.  
Pinchot, Gifford, 1865-1946--Correspondence.  
Richberg, Donald R. (Donald Randall), 1881-1960--Correspondence.  
Riis, Jacob A. (Jacob August), 1849-1914--Correspondence.  
Roosevelt, Eleanor, 1884-1962--Correspondence.  
Roosevelt, Franklin D. (Franklin Delano), 1882-1945--Correspondence.  
Roosevelt, Theodore, 1858-1919--Correspondence.  
Rosenblatt, Sol A., 1900- --Correspondence.  
Russell, Bertrand, 1872-1970--Correspondence.  
Sanger, Margaret, 1879-1966--Correspondence.  
Schoff, Hannah Kent, 1853-1940--Correspondence.  
Shafroth, John F. (John Franklin), 1854-1922--Correspondence.  
Shafroth, Morrison, 1888-1978--Correspondence.  
Sinclair, Upton, 1878-1968--Correspondence.  
Steffens, Lincoln, 1866-1936--Correspondence.  
Stowe, Lyman Beecher, 1880-1963--Correspondence.  
Taft, William H. (William Howard), 1857-1930--Correspondence.  
Thompson, R. D.--Correspondence.  
Warren, Earl, 1891-1974--Correspondence.  
West, James E. (James Edward), 1876-1948--Correspondence.  
White, William Allen, 1868-1944--Correspondence.  
Whitlock, Brand, 1869-1934--Correspondence.  
Wilson, Woodrow, 1856-1924--Correspondence.  
Wise, Stephen S. (Stephen Samuel), 1874-1949--Correspondence.

### **Organizations**

Whittier State School (Whittier, Calif.)  
Women's Protective League.

### **Subjects**

Birth control.  
Child labor.  
Child welfare.  
Coal Miners' Strike, Colorado, 1913-1914.  
Divorce.  
Juvenile courts--California.  
Juvenile courts--Colorado.  
Lawyers--Disbarment, disqualification, etc.  
Marriage.  
Prisoners--Legal status, laws, etc.  
Schools--California.  
Sex instruction.  
Sexual health.

Strikes and lockouts--Colorado.  
Women--Suffrage.

### **Occupations**

Jurists.  
Reformers.

## **Administrative Information**

### **Provenance**

The papers of Benjamin B. Lindsey, judge and social reformer, were given to the Library of Congress by his wife, Henrietta B. Lindsey, from 1949 to 1965.

### **Processing History**

The Lindsey Papers were processed in 1963. The finding aid was revised in 2011 and 2015.

### **Additional Guides**

A note concerning the acquisition of the Lindsey Papers appeared in the *Library's Information Bulletin* (February 22-28, 1949). The material was also described in a press release (no. 547) issued on March 8, 1949, and in the *Library of Congress Quarterly Journal of Current Acquisitions* 6, no. 3 (May 1949): 86.

### **Copyright Status**

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

### **Access and Restrictions**

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

### **Preferred Citation**

Researchers wishing to cite this collection should include the following information: Container number, Ben B. Lindsey Papers, Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

## **Biographical Note**

<i>Date</i>	<i>Event</i>
1869, Nov. 25	Born, Jackson, Tenn.
1882-1884	Attended Notre Dame University, South Bend, Ind.
1884-1888	Attended Southwestern Baptist University, Jackson, Tenn.
1894	Admitted to Colorado bar
1894-1899	Practiced law and appointed Denver Public Guardian and Administrator, Denver, Colo.
1899	Wrote legislation creating the juvenile court, Denver, Colo.
1900-1907	County court judge, Denver, Colo.

1900	Delegate, Colorado state democratic convention
1906	Unsuccessful candidate for governor, Colorado
1907-1927	Judge, juvenile and family court, Denver, Colo.
1913	Married Henrietta Brevoort
1915	Member, Henry Ford's Peace Expedition
1915-1918	Worked in Europe for relief of war orphans
1928	Admitted to California bar
1929	Disbarred by the Colorado supreme court
1935	Reinstated member of the Colorado bar
1934-1943	Judge, superior court, Los Angeles, Calif.
1939	Wrote legislation establishing California Children's Court
1939-1943	Judge, California Children's Court of Conciliation Law
1943, Mar. 26	Died, Los Angeles, Calif.

## Scope and Content Note

The papers of Ben Barr Lindsey (1869-1943) span the years 1838-1957, with most of the material originating between 1890 and 1943. The bulk of the collection is comprised of correspondence, family letters and case files. Other papers include manuscripts of Lindsey's articles, books, speeches, and plays; drafts of broadcast scripts and statements; notebooks, daybooks, journals, yearbooks, and appointment books; and stenographic notes. In addition, there are financial, legal and legislation files; official and personal files; memorabilia; scrapbooks; photographs; newspaper clippings; broadsides; and related material. The collection is organized into eleven series: [Correspondence \(Indexed\)](#); [Correspondence \(Not Indexed\)](#); [Colorado File](#); [California File](#); [Article, Book, and Speech File](#); [Memoranda, Reports, Statements, and Interviews](#); [Subject File](#); [Legislation](#); [Miscellany](#); [Formerly Restricted Correspondence](#); and [Oversize](#).

The Lindsey Papers primarily concern his development of the juvenile court system, his tenures as a judge in Colorado and California, and his political and literary activities. Considerable material relates to child welfare, child labor laws, penal reform, women's suffrage, birth control, marriage and divorce, sex education and hygiene, and the Women's Protective League. The collection also treats Lindsey's disbarment in Colorado, the Colorado coal miners' strike of 1913-1914, and the investigations of the Whittier State School of California in 1940-1942.

Prominent correspondents include Jane Addams, Joseph P. Annin, Newton Diehl Baker, Roger Nash Baldwin, Albert Jeremiah Beveridge, Edward William Bok, Louis Dembritz Brandeis, Henry Augustus Buchtel, Luther Burbank, Carrie Chapman Catt, James H. Causey, John Cavanaugh, Edward Prentiss Costigan, George Creel, Clarence Darrow, Stephen T. Early, Thomas A. Edison, Havelock Ellis, Robert Erskine Ely, Wainwright Evans, Harriet Ford, Henry Ford, Louis M. Howe, Charles Evans Hughes, Harold L. Ickes, Hiram Johnson, Tom Loftin Johnson, James Harvey Kellog, Robert M. La Follette (1855-1925), Jesse L. Lasky, Walter Lippmann, William Gibbs McAdoo, S. S. McClure, Jesse F. McDonald, H. H. McIntyre, Julian W. Mack, Justin Miller, Henry Morgenthau, Harvey Jerrold O'Higgins, Culbert Levy Olson, Thomas McDonald Patterson, Drew Pearson, George W. Perkins, James H. Pershing, Amos Pinchot, Gifford Pinchot, Donald R. Richberg, Jacob A. Riis, Eleanor Roosevelt, Franklin D. Roosevelt, Theodore Roosevelt, Sol A. Rosenblatt, Bertrand

Russell, Margaret Sanger, Hannah Kent Schoff, John F. Shafroth, Morrison Shafroth, Upton Sinclair, Lincoln Steffens, Lyman Beecher Stowe, William Howard Taft, R. D. Thompson, Earl Warren, James E. West, William Allen White, Brand Whitlock, Woodrow Wilson, and Stephen S. Wise.

Edwin Markham, coauthor with Lindsey and George Creel of *Children in Bondage* (1914), is not heavily represented in the collection. There are, however, signed copies of Markham poems, "The Man With the Hoe" (1899) and "Lincoln, the Man of the People" (1900), in the [Subject File](#) under the title of "Edwin Markham Poetry, 1899-1900."

## Arrangement of the Papers

This collection is arranged in eleven series:

- [Correspondence \(Indexed\), 1897-1931](#)
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- [Colorado File, 1891-1927](#)
- [California File, 1928-1943](#)
- [Article, Book, and Speech File, 1900-1943](#)
- [Memoranda, Reports, Statements, and Interviews, 1904-1937](#)
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## Description of Series

<i>Container</i>	<i>Series</i>
BOX 1-78	<p><b><u>Correspondence (Indexed), 1897-1931</u></b></p> <p>Letters and telegrams sent and received, reports, memoranda, statements, speeches, and broadcast scripts.</p> <p>Arranged chronologically. A card index for this series is available in the Manuscript Division Reading Room.</p>
BOX 79-206	<p><b><u>Correspondence (Not Indexed), 1838-1957</u></b></p> <p>Letters and telegrams sent and received, reports, memoranda, statements, speeches, and broadcast scripts.</p> <p>Arranged chronologically.</p>
BOX 207-226	<p><b><u>Colorado File, 1891-1927</u></b></p> <p>Case files, subject files, correspondence, memoranda, reports, records, and related material.</p> <p>Arranged by type of material.</p>
BOX 227-259	<p><b><u>California File, 1928-1943</u></b></p> <p>Case files, subject files, correspondence, memoranda, reports, records, and related material.</p> <p>Arranged by type of material.</p>
BOX 260-281	<p><b><u>Article, Book, and Speech File, 1900-1943</u></b></p> <p>Holograph drafts, typescripts, galley proofs, and printed copies of articles, books, plays, speeches, broadcast scripts, lectures, and related material.</p> <p>Articles, speeches, broadcast scripts, and lectures are arranged chronologically by type of material. The books and plays are arranged by title.</p>
BOX 282-284	<p><b><u>Memoranda, Reports, Statements, and Interviews, 1904-1937</u></b></p> <p>Correspondence, memoranda, reports, poetry, printed matter, and related material.</p> <p>Arranged alphabetically by subject and therein chronologically.</p>
BOX 285-289	<p><b><u>Subject File, 1899-1942</u></b></p> <p>Miscellaneous memoranda, reports, statements, interviews and related material.</p> <p>Arranged by type of material, topic, or organization, and chronologically therein.</p>
BOX 290-297	<p><b><u>Legislation, 1902-1943</u></b></p> <p>Drafts and printed copies of bills, memoranda, reports, and related material.</p> <p>Arranged as received.</p>
BOX 298-315	<p><b><u>Miscellany, 1897-1941</u></b></p> <p>Financial papers, journals, daybooks, notebooks, stenographic notes, appointment books, yearbooks, legal papers, memorabilia, personal papers, photographs, printed matter, miscellaneous scrapbooks, and related material.</p> <p>Grouped by subject or type of material.</p>
BOX 316-320	<p><b><u>Formerly Restricted Correspondence, 1897-1945</u></b></p> <p>Formerly restricted letters and telegrams sent and received from individuals, principally young people, who wrote to Lindsey about their personal problems. Many of the names and addresses in these letters and telegrams were obliterated by the donor.</p>

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**Oversize, 1875-1953**

Broadsides, cartoons, certificates, citations, diplomas, photographs, official documents, printed matter, and scrapbooks.

Arranged and described according to the series, containers, and folders from which the items were removed.



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