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Jane Kunstler Collection

Collection Number MS 236

Title The Jane Kunstler Collection

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Dates 1961-1971

Collection Size 2 linear feet

Creator Jane Kunstler

Scope and Content A collection of magazines and newspapers regarding John and Robert Kennedy, their lives, political careers, and assassinations. John F. Kennedy, a Massachusetts senator (democrat), was elected the 35th President of the United States in 1960. The Kennedy Administration's domestic policy pushed for action among the people, notably in civil rights. As for foreign policy, the administration heavily focused on the Cold War and communism. Robert Kennedy acted as Attorney General under President Kennedy. He oversaw the CIA during the failed Cuban Bay of Pigs Invasion, and developing a strategy to blockade Cuba during the Cuban Missile Crisis in 1962. President Kennedy was assassinated November 22, 1963 in Dallas, Texas during a parade. The Warren Commission, appointed by President Lyndon Johnson to investigate the assassination, concluded that Lee Harvey Oswald was the assassin and had acted alone. Robert Kennedy went on to become senator (democrat) of New York until his assassination in 1968 during his campaign for president. Robert Kennedy was shot by Sirhan Sirhan, a Palestinian militant, in Los Angeles while celebrating his victory in the California primary. There is also some material relating to Jacqueline Kennedy, the First Lady and widow of President John F. Kennedy.

Access Restrictions This collection is open for access. Researchers must use the collection in accordance with the policies of the Special Collections & University Archives, Leonard H. Axe Library, Pittsburg State University

Languages English

Biographical Note Jane Kunstler was a manager of the Branch Libraries Information Systems at the New York Public Library. She earned her bachelor's degree at Brandeis University and her Master in Library Science Degree at Columbia University in New York.

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Content Description

This collection is divided into the following series:

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 - a. Magazines
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Detailed Description of the Collection

Series 1: John F. Kennedy Career

Newspapers

Nixon v Kennedy, *New York Times*, October 19, 1960

Kennedy Inaugurated, *New York Times*, January 22, 1961

The Cuban Crisis, *The New York Times*, November 3, 1962

Series 2: John F. Kennedy Assassination and Aftermath

Magazines

The Assassination of President Kennedy, *Life*, November 29, 1963

After the Assassination, *New Statesman: The Week-end Review*, November 29, 1963

President Johnson and the Assassination, *Time*, November 29, 1963

"Leader of the West," *The Economist*, November 30, 1963

"The Day Kennedy Died" *Newsweek*, December 2, 1963

"The Tragic End of John F. Kennedy" *U.S. News & World Report*, December 2, 1963

The New Administration: A Promise of Continuity and Action, *Time*, December 6, 1963

The Legacy of John Fitzgerald Kennedy, *Saturday Review*, December 7, 1963

President Johnson, "An End- and a Beginning," *Newsweek*, December 9, 1963

The Assassination and President Johnson, *U.S. News & World Report*, December 9, 1963

Warren Commission: No Conspiracy, Domestic or Foreign, *Time*, October 2, 1964

"The Assassination: The Warren Commission Report," *Newsweek*, October 5, 1964

Look: The JFK Memorial Issue, November 17, 1964

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"In the Shadows of Dallas" and Editorials, *Ramparts*, Nov 1966

"Memorial on the Potomac," *Newsweek*, September 20, 1971

Poem about John F. Kennedy

Newspapers

"President is Dead" *The News Tribune*, November 22, 1963

"Kennedy is Killed by Sniper," *New York Times*, November 23, 1963

Lyndon Johnson to Start Duties, Kennedy Services Monday, *The Record*, November 23, 1963

"Kennedy's Body in White House" *New York Times*, November 24, 1963

"The News of the Week in Review," *New York Times*, November 24, 1963

Reaction to Assassination, *The Record*, November 25, 1963

"President's Assassin Shot to Death" *New York Times*, November 25, 1963

"Kennedy Laid to Rest in Arlington" *New York Times*, November 26, 1963

Lyndon Johnson, *Post Daily Magazine*, November 26, 1963

Review and Outlook, *Wall Street Journal*, November 26, 1963

Assassination of a President, Reprint from Nov. 23-28, *New York Times*, 1963

Johnson's Thanksgiving Speech, *The New York Times*, November 29, 1963

Poem about JFK, *The Record Magazine*, November 30, 1963

"The News of the Week in Review," *New York Times*, December 1, 1963

Review of President Johnson, September 4, 1964

"Warren Commission Finds Oswald Guilty" *The New York Times*, September 28, 1964

"The Warren Commission's Report," *New York Times*, September 28, 1964

Presidential Security and the Warren Report, *The New York Times*, October, 4, 1964

Series 3: Robert Kennedy Career

Newspapers

"The Kennedy Legend: A Nation Mourns Again," *The New York Times*, June 9, 1968

"Kennedy: A Memorial," *New York Daily Column*, June 14-16, 1968

Series 4: Robert Kennedy Assassination

Magazines

Robert Kennedy Assassination, *Time*, June 14, 1968

"Said Robert Kennedy, 'Maybe We're All Doomed Anyway'" *The New York Times Magazine*, June 16, 1968

"Bobby's Last, Longest Day," *Newsweek*, June 17, 1968

The Ordeal of Ethel Kennedy: The Last Happy Days at Hickory Hill, New York, June 17, 1968

The Kennedys, Life and assassination of both, *Life Magazine*, 1968

Newspapers

"Kennedy is Dead, Victim of Assassin," *The New York Times*, June 6, 1968

"Senator Kennedy is Buried in Arlington," *The New York Times*, June 9, 1968

The Village Voice, June 13, 1968

"Perché Kennedy," *La fiera letteraria*, June 13, 1968

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Robert Kennedy, *1262 Banner*, July 1968

Series 5: Jacqueline Kennedy

Magazines

Jacqueline Kennedy, First Lady: her fashions, her home, her words, 1961

Jackie Kennedy: An Inspiration to American Youth, *Jackie and Liz*, 1962