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**Lipscomb Collection:  
1968 Democratic National Convention  
Chicago, Illinois**

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## INTRODUCTION

H. Alan Lipscomb became a Field Representative for the Northern Illinois University Swen Parson Library in August of 1968. He collected research material pertaining to the Democratic National Convention of 1968 and acquired the passes and credentials which gave him access to all convention activities. University Archivist J. Joseph Bauxer transferred the collection to the Northern Illinois Regional History Center June 1978.

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## SCOPE AND CONTENT

The Lipscomb Collection contains 6 boxes of materials documenting the activities of the committees and candidates in the 1968 Democratic National Convention. Also included in the collection are general materials on the Republican Party and other political organizations. These materials consist of campaign literature, press releases, newsletters, organization manuals, research reports, position papers, and policy statements. The collection is supplemented by Lipscomb's correspondence reflecting his efforts to gather observations, insights and further materials related to the 1968 convention.

The collection contains information regarding the procedures of the Democratic Credentials Committee. It documents the procedures of the Platforms and Rules Committee and details the selection of Presidential Democratic Nominees. It provides information regarding the Democratic Presidential candidates. Also included is general Republican Party material, specifically describing the activities of the Republican Congressional and National Committees. The collection provides information on Republican Congressional candidates, and includes materials on other political organizations. Also included in the collection is Lipscomb's correspondence and an official program of the Democratic National Convention, 1968.

## HISTORICAL SKETCH

In 1968 the Democratic Party, recognizing the political importance of Chicago's Mayor Richard J. Daley, held its national political convention in that city. Following the successful Tet Offensive launched by the North Vietnamese in early 1968, anti-war and anti-establishment feelings were at an all-time high as the convention opened its doors. The events of the "convention-in-the-streets" were as important as those of the Democratic Convention itself. Following the power-broker politics of the past, the convention slighted Peace Candidate Eugene McCarthy and nominated party-regular Hubert Humphrey, then Vice-President of the United States. Public revulsion towards the night of protesters being clubbed by Chicago police, who served the Daley Chicago machine, was partially responsible for the failure of Humphrey to defeat Republican candidate, Richard Nixon.

SUBJECT TRACINGS

Chicago  
Civil Rights  
Daley, Richard J.  
Democratic National Convention, 1968  
Democratic Party  
Lipscomb, H. Allan  
Peace Movement  
Politics  
Republican Party  
Vietnam War

COLLECTION INVENTORY

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1	1	Democratic National Convention - Carl Albert, Chairman
	2	John Bailey - Chairman
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	4	Richard J. Daley, Welcome Speech
	5	Robert C. Weaver
	6	Senator Daniel K. Inouye
	7	Address of Miss Katherine Graham-Peden
	8	Speech by Governor John Connally
	9	Richard J. Hughes - final report
	10	Information sheets
	11	Lists of members
	12	Passes, H. Alan Lipscomb
	13	Press kit
	14	Schedules
	15	News media
	16	Convention '68 Daily News Service
	17	Democratic National Convention Committee - News releases
	18	Demo Memo
	19	Manuals, Guides
	20	Resolutions
	21	California Democratic Delegation - News Releases
	22	Chicago Host Committee
	23	Democratic Study Group
	24	Frontlash '68
	25	Illinois Information Services
	26	International Telephone & Telegraph
	27	The Strategy of Confrontation
	28	Democratic Party Materials
	29	Press Background Information on Credentials Challenges
	30	Credentials Committee (general)
	31	Alabama (Cashin)
	32	Alabama (Vance)
	33	Alabama (Vann)
	34	Connecticut
	35	Georgia
	36	Julian Bond - Co-chairman of Georgia Delegation
	37	Indiana
	38	Michigan
	39	Minnesota
	40	Mississippi
	41	Mississippi Democratic Party
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	43	Affidavits of George Ragsdale, Wayne Corpening, Gimer Jones
	44	Oklahoma
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	47	Texas	
	48	Summary of Brief Supporting Texas Democrats	
	49	Washington	
	50	Wisconsin	
	51	Platform Committee (general)	
	52	Tentative Witness schedule	
	53	Ansel Adams; Camel, California	
	54	Hugh J. Addonizio	
	2	1	Joseph Lawrence Alioto, Mayor of San Francisco
2		American Bar Association	
3		American Committee for Justice	
4		American Council on Germany	
5		AFL-CIO Maritime Committee - Hoyt S. Haddock	
6		AFL-CIO Maritime Trades Department O. William Moody, Jr.	
7		News from AFL-CIO	
8		American Importers Association - Gerald O'Brien	
9		American Institute for Imported Steel - Mr. Leslie Storyk	
10		American Iron & Steel Institute	
11		American Jewish Community - Mr. Morris B. Abram, President	
12		American Library Association - Mrs. Robert B. Warden	
13		American Mining Congress - J. Allen Overton	
14		American National Cattlemen's Association	
15		Speech for American Unsubsidizing Lines - Edward Terres	
16		Americans for Constitutional Action Major Thomas A. Lane	
17		Association of American Medical Colleges	
18		Association of American Railroads	
19		Senator Birch Bayh in Support of Director Popular Election of the President	
20		William M. Bennett on Telephone Monopolies	
21		Richard Bodine - Minority Leader, the House of Representatives of Indiana General Assembly	
22		Joseph G. Bradley - Democratic Delegate	
23		Joseph F. Burke	
24		Phillip Burton on Israel	
25		Frank Stanton - President of CBS	
26		Terry Stanford Member of Citizens Conference on State Legislatures	
27		Committee for International Development	
28		Committee for a National Trade Policy	
29		Crisis in Education	
30		Davidoff for Congress Committee	
31		Fred O. Dickinson, Jr. "Law and Order"	
32		Senator Dodd's written Statement	
33		William H. Draper - Platform Committee	
34		Edison Electric Institute	
35		Education Commission of the States Robert B. McCall	

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2	36	Equal Rights Committee of the Democratic National Convention - Richard J. Hughes	
	37	Farm Bureau's Platform for America Charles B. Shuman, President	
	38	Federal-State Relations, Kay Allen	
	39	Federation of Settlements and Neighborhood Center	
	40	Federal Co-chairman of the Appalachian Regional Commission - Joe W. Fleming	
	41	Mary Dublin Keyserling Food for Thought Luncheon	
	42	Don F. Fraser Congressman, United World Federation	
	43	Miss Betty Furness, Assistant to President For Consumer Affairs	
	44	Greeks and Americans for Democratic Action in Greece - Professor Hourmouzis C. Georgiadis, Chairman	
	45	Grocery Manufacturers of America, Inc.	
	46	Phillip H. Hoff, Governor of Vermont	
	47	Abolish HUAC	
	48	Gov. Harold E. Hughes of Iowa on Agricultural Policies for 1969	
	49	Human Resources Agency of New York City - Mitchell Ginsberg	
	50	Independent Petroleum Association of America - William I. Powell	
	51	International Brotherhood of Teamsters Carlos Moore	
	52	Investors League, Inc. - William Jackman, President	
	53	Leadership Council on Civil Rights, Roy Wilkins	
	54	Liberty Lobby	
	55	<u>Lithuanian American Council</u> , Eugene A. Bartkus, President; Dr. Pius Grigatis, Vice President	
	56	Senator Long	
	57	Loyal Democrats of Mississippi	
	58	Vietnam Peace Plank, Mr. Don Luce	
	59	Maritime Trades Department, Press release	
	60	Metropolitan Sanitary District of Creator Chicago, Nicholas J. Melas	
	61	Midcontinent Farmers Association	
	62	Minority Report on How to End the War in Viet Nam	
	63	Outline of Oral Argument supporting Resolutions to Abolish Unit Rule-Stephen A. Mitchell	
	64	Move America in New Direction	
	65	Peace in Vietnam, Edmund Muskie	
	66	McCarthy & McGovern	
	67	Nation-wide Committee on Import-Export Policy	
	68	Cedar Society & the National Achievement Awards	
	69	National Association of Counties by M. James Gleason, Daniel Lynch & Eugene Nickerson	
	70	National Association of Social Workers, Mr. Mitchell I. Ginsberg	
	71	National Committee for a Political Settlement in Viet Nam	
	72	National Council of Farmers Cooperatives	

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	74	National Council of the Aging	
	75	National Council on Crime and Delinquency Carl M. Loeb	
	76	National Education Association, Frances M. Carnochan	
	77	National Organization for Women	
	78	National Pension Lobbyist	
	79	National Rural Electric Cooperative Association	
	80	National Society of Professional Engineers - Milton Pikarsky	
	81	National Tax Equality Association, Garner M Lester, Chairman	
	82	National Urban League Whitney M. Young, Jr.	
	83	National Waterways Conference C.H. Wescelius	
	84	National Woman's Party - Informational Bulletin	
	85	North Carolina Democratic Party	
	86	Northern Systems Company	
	87	Panel Discussion	
	88	Neal R. Peiree - Electoral Reform	
	89	Polish American Congress, Charles Rozmarek, President	
	90	Population Crisis Committee, William H. Draper, Jr., National Chairman	
	91	Public Policy Bulletin	
	92	Urban Crisis, Pucinski, Roman C.	
	93	Needs of Air Transportation, U.S. Senator Jennings Randolph of W. Virginia	
	94	Rationale for the Establishment of a Black Economic Development Commission	
	95	Abraham Ribicoff against Poverty and Discrimination	
	96	Arnold A. Saltzman before the foreign policy committee	
	97	Terry Sandford, spokesman for Urban needs	
	98	Edwin M. Hood, President of Ship-builders Council of America	
	99	Edward A. Terres, Vice-president, States Marine Lines, Inc.	
	100	Townsend Foundation on Social Security and Prosperity Act, John Doyle Elliott, Secretary	
	101	Trade Relations Council of the United States, Inc.	
	102	Crime and Law Enforcement, Joseph P. Tydings	
	103	United Farm Workers Organizing Committee AFL-CIO	
	104	Board of Christian Social Concerns, United Methodist Church, Dr. A. Dudley Ward	
	105	Hon. LeRoy Anderson on Public Issues	
	106	United States Conference of Mayors	
	107	U.S. National Student Association, Mr. Charles Hollander, Director, Drug Studies	
	108	United World Federalists	
	109	Veterans of World War I of the USA Inc., Paul F. O'Brien	
	110	Vietnam Education Project	
	111	State Senator Fred L. Wineland, Maryland's 5th District	
	112	Women at the Convention	
	113	Women Mobilized for Change	
	114	Women Power	

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	116	Young Democrats of Harvard and Radcliffe, 1968	
	117	Public Affairs Committee, Harry Torczner, chairman	
	118	Rules Committee (general material)	
	119	Commission on the Democratic selection of Presidential Nominees	
	120	Acceptance Speech of Vice President Hubert H. Humphrey	
	121	AFL-CIO Committee on Political Education	
	122	Hubert Humphrey, Campaign materials	
	123	Citizens for Humphrey	
	124	Information concerning H. Humphrey and his family	
	125	National Citizens for Humphrey	
	126	National University Forum	
	127	Nominating Speech for Humphrey - Joseph Alioto	
	128	Humphrey Press kits	
	129	Humphrey Press releases	
	130	H. Humphrey Press releases August 23-29	
	3	1	Speeches, articles and materials written by H. Humphrey
2		UAW Community Action Department	
3		United Democrats for Humphrey	
4		McCarthy for President	
5		Black Americans for McCarthy	
6		Proposed McCarthy Farm Programs	
7		Eugene McCarthy Cartoons	
8		Conventions	
9		Illinois Committee for McCarthy for President	
10		Information concerning E. McCarthy and his family	
11		Interviews of McCarthy by various people	
12		Kansas for McCarthy	
13		McCarthy Labor	
14		Newspaper Articles on E. McCarthy	
15		Nominating and seconding Speeches, of E. McCarthy	
16		McCarthy Press Kits	
17		E. McCarthy Press Releases, August 17-24	
18		E. McCarthy Press Releases, August 25-29	
19		Republicans for McCarthy	
20		Eugene McCarthy speeches and statements	
21		Stars for McCarthy	
22		E. McCarthy Vietnam Veterans	
23		Women for McCarthy	
24		Statement of Joseph S. Clark supporting George McGovern	
25		Pamphlets and materials concerning G. McGovern and his family	
26		G. McGovern News Releases, August 19-26	
27		Endorsement and support of McGovern - Abraham Ribicoff	
28		Statements of George McGovern	
29		Senator John Tydings speech supporting George McGovern for President	
30		John F. Kraft, Inc. the Report of Surveys in Ten States	



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3	31	Lyndon B. Johnson
	32	Senator Edward Kennedy
	33	Senator Edmund S. Muskie
	34	Nomination for the Presidency of Reverend Channing E. Phillips
	35	DeKalb County Democratic Central Committee
	36	Illinois Democratic State Committee
	37	McHenry County Democrats
	38	Benjamin P. Alschuler, Democrat
	39	William Clark, Democrat
	40	Mike Howlett
	41	Fanny Jones, Democrat
	42	Otto Kerner
	43	Francis S. Lorenz
	44	Lester Maddox
	45	Paul Powell, Democrat
	46	Price Congressman, 24th District, Illinois
	47	Dan Rostenkowski 8th District, Illinois
	48	Don Schilson, 20th District, Illinois
	49	Sargent Shriver
	50	Gov. Sam Shapiro, Democrat
	51	Paul Simon, Democrat
	52	John Slack, Congressman
	53	George Wallace
	54	College Republican National Committee
	55	Republican Newsletter
	56	National Republican Congressional Committee
	57	<u>The Republican</u>
	58	Republican Congressional Committee
	59	Republican Campaign material (general)
	60	The Republican Leadership of the Congress
	61	Republican National Committee
	62	Republican National Committee
	63	First research conference, Republican National Committee
	64	G.O.P. manuals
	65	Republican National Committee, News releases
	66	Public Relations Division, G.O.P.
	67	<u>The Republican Report</u>
4	1	The Republican Research Report
	2	Republican Speech Material
	3	1967 Republican Appraisal, State opinion
	4	United Republicans of America
	5	Republican Party Material
	6	Illinois Citizens for Nixon-Agnew
	7	Women's Republican Club
	8	Nixon-Agnew TV Committee
	9	John B. Anderson, 16th District, Illinois
	10	John Henry Altorfer, Republican
	11	Les Arends; Congressman, 17th District, Illinois

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	13	Bill Broomfield, Congressman	
	14	Joel T. Broyhill, Congressman	
	15	Elford "Al" Cederberg, Congressman	
	16	James C. Cleveland, 2nd District, New Hampshire	
	17	Conte Congressman, 1st District, Massachusetts, Republican	
	18	Harold R. Collier, Tenth District, Illinois, Republican	
	19	Glenn Cunningham, Congressman, 96th District, Nebraska, Republican	
	20	Devine, Sam L., Congressman, 12th District, Ohio, Republican	
	21	Ed Derwinski, 4th District, Illinois, Republican	
	22	Everett McKinley Dirksen	
	23	Bob Dwyer, Republican	
	24	John Erlenborn, Congressman, 14th District, Illinois, Republican	
	25	Paul Findley, Congressman, 20th District, Illinois, Republican	
	26	Reece B. Gardner Congressman, 1st District, North Carolina, Republican	
	27	Durward G. Hall Congressman, 7th District, Missouri, Republican	
	28	Margaret M. Heckler, Congresswoman 10th District, Massachusetts, Republican	
	29	Jack Hill, Republican	
	30	Joe Holt Congressman, 22nd District, California, Republican	
	31	Frank Horton, Congressman, 36th District, New York, Republican	
	32	Carleton J. King, Congressman, 30th District, New York, Republican	
	33	Theodore R. Kupferman, Congressman, 17th District, New York	
	34	John Kyl, Congressman, 4th District , Iowa, Republican	
	35	Dave Martin, Congressman, 3rd District, Nebraska, Republican	
	36	Chester Mize, Congressman, 2nd District, Kansas	
	37	Arch Moore, Governor	
	38	Dick Ogilvie	
	39	Jerry Pettis, Congressman, California, Republican	
	40	Richard H. Poff, Congressman, 6th District, Virginia, Republican	
	41	Charlotte T. Reid, 15th District, Illinois, Republican	
	42	Charlotte T. Reid, 15th District, Illinois, Republican	
	43	Don Riegle Congressman, Michigan, Republican	
	44	Rockefeller, Republican	
	45	Don Rumsfield, Congressman, 13th District, Illinois, Republican	
	46	John P. Saylor, Congressman, 22nd District, Pennsylvania, Republican	
	47	Richard Schweiker, Congressman, 13th District, Pennsylvania, Republican	

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4	48	Taft, Congressman, Ohio, Republican	
	49	Guy Vander Jagt, Congressman, 9th District, Michigan, Republican	
	50	P. Bruce Waddell, 33rd District, Illinois, Republican	
	51	Sidney R. Yates, 9th District, Illinois	
	52	Bob Wilson, Congressman, 36th District, California, Republican	
	53	Louis C. Wyman, Congressman, 1st District, New Hampshire, Republican	
	54	John Zwach, Congressman, 6th District, Minnesota, Republican	
	55	Farrington, Congressman	
	56	Mantis, Congressman	
	57	Chenoweth, Congressman	
	58	Joe Smith, Senator	
	59	The American Committee for Justice in the Middle East	
	60	American Conservative Union	
	61	American Documentary Films	
	62	The American Emergency Committee on the Panama Canal	
	63	AFL-CIO Committee on Political Education	
	64	American Flag Committee	
	65	American Friends Service Committee	
	66	American Humanist Association	
	67	Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith	
	68	Bankers Committee for Tax Equality	
	69	The Biafra Association	
	70	Black Liberation Commission of the Progressive Labor	
	71	Board of Christian Social Concerns United Methodist Church	
	72	Business Executives, Move for Vietnam Peace	
	73	Challenge--The Revolutionary Newspaper	
	74	Chamber of Commerce of the United States	
	75	Chicago Area Draft Registers	
	76	The Chicago Bridge	
	77	The Chicago Peace Council	
	78	Christian Crusade	
	79	The Citizens Conference on State Legislatures	
	80	The Committee Against Student Terrorism, Illinois Institute of Technology	
	81	Committee for the Formation of a New Party	
	82	The Committee of Responsibility	
	83	Cope, AFL-CIO	
	84	Daily World	
	85	Digest of Independent Liberal Thought	
	86	Education Commission of the States	
	87	Farm Bureau	
	88	Labors' Journal of Opinion	
	89	The Fund for the Republic	
	90	Gun Control	
	91	J. Archie Hargraves	
	92	Illinois Bell Telephone 1962 Strike	

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	95	International Association of Machinists and Aerospace Workers	
	96	Kennedy Action Corps	
	97	League for Industrial Democracy	
	98-99	League of Women Voters Education Fund	
	100	Left-Out	
	101	Liberal Party of New York State	
	102	Liberator	
	103	Midge Miller "Grass Roots"	
	104	The Militant	
	105	Mississippi Freedom Democratic Party	
	106	Muhammad Speaks	
	5	1	Robert W. Murphy solutions to the Problems of the U.S.
2		National Association for the Advancement of Colored People	
3		National Committee on Effective Congress	
4		National Committee for a Political Settlement in Vietnam	
5		National Coordinating Committee	
6		National Milk Producers Federation	
7		National Mobilization Committee	
8		National Trade Union Council for Human Rights	
9		National Urban League	
10		New America	
11		New Democratic Coalition	
12		The New Party	
13		Patriotic Party	
14		People's Progressive Party	
15		Plain Talk '68	
16		Progressive Labor Party	
17		Progressive Worker	
18		Ramparts	
19		A. Philip Randolph Institute	
20		Rat Subterranean News	
21		Revolutionary Songs of China	
22		Scholarship, Education	
23		Scripps league of Newspapers and Goerner Productions	
24		Socialist Party--Social Democratic Federation	
25		Socialist Worker	
6	1	Socialist Workers Campaigners	
	2	Southern Challenges Coordinating Committee	
	3	Southern Committee on Political Ethics	
	4	Students for a Democratic Society	
	5	Student Federalists	
	6	UAW Citizen, Legislature Department	
	7	United Farm Workers, AFL-CIO	
	8	United Farm Workers Organizing Committee	
	9	United Nations Association	

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	11	United States Commission on Civil Rights	
	12	USLA Reporter	
	13	United World Federalists	
	14	Vietnam Courier	
	15	World Revolution	
	16	YAF-Young Americans	
	17	Yippies in Chicago	
	18	Young People's Socialist League	
	19	Young Socialist Alliance	
	20	Form letter & addresses for information - Lipscomb	
	21	Form letters (no date, alphabetical)	
	22	Form letters, dated	
	23	American Committee for Justice in the Middle East	
	24	Credentials Committee	
	25	Frontlash '68, Charlotte Roe/Lipscomb correspondence	
	26	Summary of <u>Background Materials</u> , July 1967	
	27	Dr. Earl W. Hayter	
	28	League of Women Voters	
	29	Resolutions and Platform Correspondence	
	30	Rules and Order of Business correspondence	
	31	Women's Activities Democratic National Committee	
	32	Personal Papers, etc.	
	33	Official Program of the Democratic National Committee in Chicago, 1968	