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FOREWORD

The General Services Administration, through the National Archives and Records Service, is responsible for administering the permanent noncurrent records of the Federal Government. These archival holdings, now amounting to more than 900,000 cubic feet, date from the days of the First Continental Congress and consist of the basic records of the legislative, judicial, and executive branches of our Government. In the Presidential libraries—the Herbert Hoover Library, the Franklin D. Roosevelt Library, the Harry S. Truman Library, the Dwight D. Eisenhower Library, the John F. Kennedy Library, and the Lyndon B. Johnson Library—are the papers of those Presidents and many of their associates in office. In addition to documenting events of great moment in our Nation's history, these archival holdings are preserved because of their continuing practical use in the ordinary processes of government, for the protection of private rights, and for the research use of scholars and students.

In addition to preparing finding aids that describe the nature and content of these records in order to facilitate their use, members of the staff of the National Archives and Records Service upon occasion prepare materials contributing directly to the development of the archival and records management professions. The present work is one such publication. While intended primarily for staff information and use, we believe that it will also be useful to others interested in the administration and use of both public and private records and archives.

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PREFACE

Archivists in the Office of the National Archives appraise, accession and arrange records, provide reference service on them at the request of Government agencies and private citizens, and compile various kinds of finding aids to facilitate their use. Contributing to the literature of his profession is still another responsibility of the professional archivist, an activity perhaps not as fully evident to the public.

In the United States the archives profession is a comparatively youthful one, yet its literature is already substantial. Only through a knowledge of past archival policies and practices, acquired through familiarity with what has been written on the subject, will archivists of the present and those of the future be able to appraise current developments and devise techniques appropriate to the rapidly changing forms and uses of documentary materials. The literature continues to grow steadily, and therefore this bibliographic guide will be revised as necessary to keep abreast of the times and the material.

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INTRODUCTION

Writings pertinent to archival administration have increased rapidly in the last few years and are to be found not only in formal treatises but also in a wide variety of serial publications and in isolated pamphlets. Archivists and others concerned with the subject need a guide to aid them in discovering and selecting the roots useful items for study and reading. The lists that follow do not purport to be a general guide to writings on archival administration, much less a comprehensive bibliography of the subject, but it is believed that they will be helpful to those interested in the phases of the subject that are covered.

The introductory remarks by Solon J. Buck and Ernst Posner in their Selected References on Phases of Archival Administration (National Archives, Staff Information Circular No. 12, Washington, May 1942) define both the purpose and the limits of this guide. The volume, variety, and location of writings on archives have indeed multiplied during the past quarter century, making selectivity even more necessary if a listing is to prove useful as a working tool. This guide is confined almost exclusively to writings in the English language, and its emphasis is upon archival theory and practice in the United States.

The state of the literature itself has determined that some sections of the guide will be longer than others. An effort has been made to include all writings that have contributed to or illustrate the development in the United States of archival principles and techniques. Other writings are representative of scores of similar publications, frequently repetitious in content, and are included as either the most accessible or the best-written articles on a particular topic. The major part of the guide is organized according to archival functions, rather than according to types of archival agencies. However, writings dealing exclusively with one type of records and archives-government, business, college and university, church—are listed under the appropriate chapter in the concluding part of the guide. Writings dealing with several phases of archives administration have usually been listed only under the topic to which they most significantly relate, and no attempt has been made to cross-reference individual entries. Finally, the guide attempts, within the above limitations, to include the most relevant writings published through Jine 1969.



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In this guide the titles of serial publications and other bibliographical data have been abbreviated and simplified whenever possible. Quotation marks have been eliminated from the titles of published articles. The place of publication of books and pamphlets, unless otherwise indicated, is Washington, D.C. Because of the frequency with which the following institutions, organizations, publications, and other data occur, they have been designated with the symbols indicated:

AA	American Archivist
AASLH	American Association for State and Local History
ACJ	Autograph Collector's Journal
AD	American Documentation
AHA	American Historical Association
AHR	American Historical Review
ALA	American Library Association
ALJ	Australian Library Journal
AM	Archives and Manuscripts (Australia)
AP	Aslib Proceedings
BAC	Business Archives Council (Great Britain)
BACA	Business Archives Council of Australia
BAH	Business Archives and History (Australia)
BHR	Business Historical Review
BHS	Business Historical Society
BRA	British Records Association
CRL	College and Research Libraries
HAHR	Hispanic American Historical Review
HBR	Harvard Business Review
HLB	Harvard Library Bulletin
HN	History News
HS	Historical Studies: Australia and New Zealand
IA	Indian Archives
IL	Illinois Libraries
IRAC	U.S. Interagency Records Administration Conference
IRM	Information and Records Management
JAH	Journal of American History
JCC	Journal of Cataloguing and Classification (Great Britain)
JD	Journal of Documentation
JDR	Journal of Documentary Reproduction
JEH	Journal of Economic History
LAA	Library Association of Australia
LAR	Library Association Record
LC	U.S. Library of Congress
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LQ Library Quarterly

LRTS Library Resources and Technical Services

LT Library Trends
MSS Manuscripts

MVHR Mississippi Valley Historical Review

NA U.S. National Archives

NARS U.S. General Services Administration, National Archives and Records
Service

NBS U.S. Department of Commerce, National Bureau of Standards

NZL New Zealand Libraries

OME Office Management and Equipment

P Processed

PAR Public Administration Review

Proc. Proceedings R Book Review rep. reprinted

RMJ Records Management Journal
RMQ Records Management Quarterly
SA Society of Archivists (Great Britain)
SAA Society of American Archivists

SLA Society of Local Archivists (Great Britain)

SIC Staff Information Circular SIP Staff Information Paper

SL Special Libraries

T Typescript in National Archives Library

UBL Unesco Bulletin for Libraries
WLB Wilson Library Bulletin
WMH Wisconsin Magazine of History
WMQ William and Mary Quarterly

Symbols used only in listing writings on a particular topic are indicated at the beginning of the listing under that topic. For short titles used for manuals and general works, see ch. II.

As the outgrowth of introductory courses in the administration of modern archives, this select bibliography owes much to my colleagues on the staff of the National Archives and Records Service. At one time or another they have reviewed chapters or sections relating to their areas of responsibility and special interests, and have called particular writings to my attention. For the selection of items for inclusion in this guide, however, and for their placement under the various headings, the compiler assumes sole responsibility. He would



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appreciate having brought to his attention any errors in citation, as well as writings recommended for inclusion or deletion.

The compiler is particularly indebted to Jacqueline W. Allder and Camille Hannon for their assistance in the preparation of this publication, and of the several annual revisions of an informal bibliography upon which it is based. He is also grateful to Rita B. Carr for her preparation of the copy for this guide.

The compiling of a bibliography is essentially an act of faith, and this guide, like all bibliographies, will best serve its purpose if it is quickly outdated by the writings of those who use it.

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PART I. INTRODUCTION TO ARCHIVES ADMINISTRATION



I. GENERAL BIBLIOGRAPHIC AIDS

Very little has been written on the history of the literature of archives administration in the United States. For a discussion of the problems involved, see Edna L. Jacobsen, American Archival Journals, AA, 2:37-45 (Ja 39). A valuable study in this area is Karl L. Trever, The American Archivist: The Voice of a Profession, AA, 15:147-55 (Ap 52).

The most useful guide to writings on archives administration for the period before 1942 is NA, Selected References on Phases of Archival Administration, comp. by Solon J. Buck and Ernst Posner (SIC, No. 12, 42). In addition to containing many annotated entries, this bibliography includes the most useful European writings to that date and indicates those available in draft translation in the NA Library. Additional writings for the period before 1942 may be obtained from LC, A Selected List of References on the Administration and Care of Public Archives in the United States, comp. by Ann D. Brown (34 P); and from NA, Select Bibliography on the History, Organization, and Activities of Archival Agencies (41 P).

For the period since 1942 the most comprehensive guide to writings in English dealing with the administration of archives is the series of classified bibliographies published, beginning in 1943, in the AA under the title Writings on Archives, Current Records, and Historical Manuscripts. For a listing of the writings see A Checklist of the Bibliographies of Writings on Archives, Current Records, and Historical Manuscripts, comp. by the Editor [Kenneth W. Munden], (AA Biblio. List, No. 9, 65 P). Also useful are Ernst Posner, comp., Basic Bibliography of Writings on Public Archives Administration in the United States, in his American State Archives (Chicago 64), 377-86, and the initial sections in The Historical Profession, in AHA, Writings on American History, 1948-, comp. by James R. Masterson and published since 1950 as supplements (or as vol. 2) of the AHA, Ann. Rept.

The most comprehensive series of bibliographies on archives administration, in terms of geographical coverage and foreign language writings, is that compiled by Robert-Henri Bautier et al. under the title Bibliographie analytique internationale des publications relatives à l'archivistique et aux archives. The series has been published in Archivum beginning in 1952 and to



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date covers the period 1947-59. With its inception in 1938 the AA began publishing Abstracts of Archive Publications, which were discontinued during World War II and revived in 1960 as Abstracts of Foreign Periodicals; these provide valuable summaries in English of the contents of major archival journals outside the United States.

Bibliographies on particular topics are listed in this guide at the end of the section on the topic to which they relate.



II. GENERAL WORKS AND MANUALS

An adequate general history of the evolution of archives administration and a comprehensive manual on the principles and techniques for the administration of modern archives of both Public and private origin still remain to be written. Contributions to such a history and a manual are scattered in a wide variety of books, pamphlets, articles, and processed studies. For an understanding of the status of archives administration in the United States, the most valuable general works are:

Schellenberg, T. R. Modern Archives: Principles and Techniques (Chicago 56); hereafter cited as Schellenberg, Modern Archives.

Schellenberg, T. R. The Management of Archives (N.Y. 65); hereafter cited as Schellenberg, Management of Archives.

Posner, Ernst. American State Archives (Chicago 64); hereafter cited as Posner, State Archives.

The first treatise relates primarily to records and archives of the Federal Government and the policies and procedures of the National Archives and Records Service. The second study investigates the history and relationship of archives administration and library science, and provides a systematic exposition of methodology for the arrangement and description of both textual and nontextual documentary material. Professor Posner's study is valuable for the history of archives administration in the United States, its discussion of archival functions and problems common to most archival agencies, and for the "standards" it advances that have become a model for the entire profession.

More selective in their coverage but nevertheless invaluable are the following works:

Hesseltine, William B., and Donald R. McNeil, eds. In Support of Clio: Essays in Memory of Herbert R. Kellar (Madison 58); hereafter cited as Hesseltine, In Support of Clio.

Munden, Ken, ed. Archives & The Public Interest: Selected Essays by Ernst Posner (67); hereafter cited as Selected Essays.



On the administration of "historical manuscripts" the most useful and influential manuals are:

- Kane, Lucile M. A Guide to the Care and Administration of Manuscripts (2d ed. Nashville 66); hereafter cited as Kane, Manuscripts.
- Bordin, Ruth B., and Robert M. Warner. The Modern Manuscript Library (N.Y. 66); hereafter cited as Bordin and Warner, Manuscript Library.

Other general works and manuals, useful for an understanding of the development of archives administration, include:

- AHA, Public Archives Commission. The Preservation of Local Archives: A Guide for Public Officials (32).
- Blegen, Theodore C. A Report on the Public Archives (Wis. State Hist. Soc., Bull. of Information, No. 94, Madison 18); hereafter cited as Blegen, Report on the Public Archives.
- Botha, C. Graham. Report of a Visit to Various Archive Centers in Europe, United States of America, and Canada (Pretoria 21).
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- Christopher, H. G. T. Palaeography and Archives: A Manual for the Librarian, Archivist, and Student (London 38).
- Davies J. Conway, ed. Studies Presented to Sir Hilary Jenkinson (London 57).
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- 62); hereaiter cited as Hollaender, Essays in Memory of Jenkinson. Hower, Ralph M. The Preservation of Business Records (Boston 40); rev. of an
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- Leahy, Emmett J. A Study of European Archival Administration (39. 2 pts. T). Leland, Waldo G. Report on the Public Archives and Historical Interests of the State of Illinois, Ill. State Ed. Bldg. Comm., Rept., 11-53 (13).
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- NA. Report on a Scientific Mission to German, Austrian, and Swiss Archives, by Joseph Cuvelier (SIC, No. 2, 39).
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- Vail, R. W. G. (issue ed.). Manuscripts and Archives, LT, 5, No. 3 (Ja 57).
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Since archival activity in the United States represents necessary modifications of traditional European concepts, principles, and techniques, and in turn has led to modifications of practices in other countries, the student of archives administration should also become familiar with the following general works, treatises, and manuals, none of which are currently available in English translation:

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Boullier de Branche, H. Archivo. Organización y Metodos (San José de Costa Rica 59).

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