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CHARLES BERTAN WHEELER, JR., MISSOURI SENATORIAL PAPERS

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Introduction

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The collection consists of correspondence, newspapers and magazine articles, meeting appointments, and research materials on various topics related to legislation in the Missouri Senate kept by Charles Bertan Wheeler, Jr., a Senator from Missouri.

Charles Bertan Wheeler, Jr. was born on August 10, 1926, in Kansas City, Missouri. He earned a Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Louisville, in Louisville, Kentucky, in 1946. After graduation, Wheeler attended the University of Kansas Medical School where he earned a medical degree in 1950.

Wheeler served as a flight surgeon in the United States Air Force during the Korean War. Upon returning to Kansas City, Missouri, after his military service, he worked as a pathologist. During this time, Wheeler began attending evening classes at the University of Kansas City Law School where he earned a Juris Doctor degree in 1959. In 1964, he was elected as the Jackson County Coroner. Wheeler served two terms as the Western Judge of the Jackson County Court and was elected Mayor of Kansas City, Missouri, in 1971. After a defeat for reelection as mayor in 1979, Wheeler returned to his position as director of the Wheeler Medical Laboratories in Kansas City, Missouri. He was elected as a Missouri Senator in 2002 and served one term.

Donor Information

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Cultural Arts
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Holden, Bob
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Box 2

News of Interest to Missouri State Government, Missouri State Library, "Keep Up,"
2003-2004 (2 folders)

Magazines

Agriculture
Kansas City
Missouri, general
St. Louis

Newspapers

Christian Science Monitor
St. Louis Labor Tribune

Publications

Agricultural, Environmental
Business
Charitable Organizations, Social Services
Financial
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Newspaper, Various
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American Laboratory Magazines
Genetic Engineering News Magazine and Cap Today
"Missouri Weapons and Self-Defense Law"
"Drug Trend 2002 Report"
"Comprehensive Annual Financial Report"

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Booklets, Newsletters
E-Mail, Newsletters
Expense Report, 2004
Governor Bob Holden's Correspondence
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House and Senate Bills, 2003

Journal of the House, 2003

Life Science

Memorandums

Missouri Endorsed Candidates, 2004

Missouri Council for the Blind and National Federation of the Blind

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Senator Wheeler's Constituent Letters