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The papers of George Clifton Edwards, Jr. were placed in the Archives of Labor and Urban Affairs in 1962, 1968, and 1973 by Judge Edwards and opened for research in May of 1992.

George Clifton Edwards, Jr. was born in Dallas, Texas in 1914 to George Clifton Edwards, a Dallas attorney and socialist, and Octavia Nichols Edwards, an educator.

He received his B.A. from Southern Methodist University in 1933 and then attended Harvard, where he received his master's degree the following year. During his time at Harvard, Edwards became involved with the Student League for Industrial Democracy headed by Norman Thomas, and worked for the organization for two years.

In 1936 Edwards came to Detroit, where he went to work in production at Kelsey-Hayes Wheel Company. It was there that he became involved with union organizing, participating in the strike at Kelsey-Hayes that year. In 1937 he became a UAW-CIO representative and directed their WPA-Welfare Department for the next two years.

In April of 1939 Edwards married Margaret McConnell. Their first son, George Clifton Edwards III, was born in 1940.

Appointed director of the Detroit Housing Commission by Mayor Edward Jeffries that same year, Edwards played a large role in the construction of the Herman Gardens Housing Project. In 1941 he ran successfully for a seat on the Detroit Common Council. He served four terms on the Council, two as its president. Part of that time was served in absentia, as Edwards enlisted in the United States Army in 1943 and served until 1946. In 1944, while still in the military service, Edwards received his law degree from the Detroit College of Law and celebrated the birth of his son James.

Upon his discharge from the army, Edwards went into private practice in Detroit with attorney Theodore Bohn. Bohn played a major role in Edwards' unsuccessful 1949 mayoral campaign. In 1950 the firm became Rothe, Marston, Edwards, and Bohn, but Edwards left it in 1951 when he became probate judge in Wayne County Juvenile Court. In 1954 he became a judge in Wayne County Circuit Court, and from 1956 to 1962 served as a justice of the Michigan Supreme Court. In 1962 he returned to Detroit to serve as police commissioner and a year later was appointed to the Sixth Circuit U.S. Court of Appeals from which he retired as an active judge.

Judge Edwards co-authored *The Law of Criminal Correction* with Sol Rubin, Henry Weihofin and Simon Rosenzweig. He also wrote a biography of his father, *Pioneer at Law*.

Important subjects covered in the collection are:

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Child Welfare League of America
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Related Material: Reuther Library Collections: UAW President's Office: Walter P. Reuther

Records; George C. Edwards, Sr. Papers; Stanley J. Winkelman Papers; IWW Records; Jerome Cavanaugh Papers; George Crockett Papers; John Herling Papers; Claude Williams Papers; NAACP Detroit Branch

Records; American Civil Liberties Union of Michigan/Metropolitan
Detroit Branch Collection; UAW Research Department Records; Harold
Norris Papers; Mel Ravitz Papers; Damon J. Keith Papers; Mary Fox

Herling Papers.

Library of Congress Collections: Nomination of George Clifton Edwards, Jr. Hearings before a subcommittee of the Committee on the Judiciary, United States Senate, Eighty-eighth Congress, first session, on nomination of George Clifton Edwards, Jr., of Michigan, to be United States circuit

judge, sixth circuit.

Photographs were transferred to the Reuther's AudioVisual Department.

History

See Parts 1-3.

Scope and Content:

Material in part IV covers a wide range of years, from George Edwards, Jr.'s service in the military in the mid 1940's until his death, in 1995, with some post 1995 items. Included are manuscript material and reviews of *Pioneer at law*, written by Edwards and published in 1974, and documents and correspondence relating to publications about him after his death. Correspondence ranges from early personal letters, from his time in the military, with friends, service personnel, his wife, and family members to correspondence throughout his career, especially pertaining to his service as Police Commissioner of Detroit, 1962 to 1963, and his nomination to the Sixth Judicial Circuit of the United States in 1963 by President John F. Kennedy. Edwards' papers also contain correspondence and writings, speeches, and presentations before professional organizations, particularly the Anglo-American Justice Team, the National News Council, the National Council on Crime and Delinquency, and the South African Project. Issues of special interest to him included organized crime, free press and free trial, and in particular, the trial of Sam Sheppard. When Edwards died from complications of Alzheimer's and Parkinson's disease at the age of 80, his family received many letters of condolence and memorial tributes from friends and prominent political figures from all over the country. These comprise the post 1995 material. Oversize materials include sketches, scrapbooks, certificates, a map, and military apparel.

Important Subjects:

Capital Punishment
Community Relations and Police
Crime
Fair Trial, Free Press
Juvenile Delinquency
Law Enforcement
Malpractice
Organized Crime
Pre-Arraignment Procedure
Pre-sentencing
Probation
Race Relations
Sheppard, Sam

Important Names:

Brennan, Justice William J.
Cavanaugh, Mayor Jerome
Dingell, John D.
Edwards, George Clifton
Jeffrey, Mildred
Johnson, President Lyndon B.
King, Martin Luther (photocopy)

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Kennedy, Robert F. Murrah, Alfred P. Reuther, Victor G. Reuther, Walter Romney, Governor George

Series XII: Personal, 1930s-2001

Correspondence: to and from his wife, Peg, beginning during his military service and throughout the rest of his life; to military personnel and business associates regarding his ideas for an improved infantry tank; with his father, George Clifton Edwards; and with and about his children. Military and educational records, letters of condolence upon his death in 1995, various obituaries and ensuing memorials. His sketches of proposed infantry tank designs that he sent to Walter Reuther and military personnel, and various military apparel and artifacts, are included in Series XVII.

Series XIII: Career, 1940s-1990s

General business correspondence that follows his career chronologically, documentation of his election to and service on the Detroit Common Council, and official ceremonies as Judge of the Michigan Supreme Court. Many notes and statements, particularly related to organized crime, records of incidents, and questionnaires surveying public opinion of the Detroit Police Department. Includes correspondence with Robert F. Kennedy in regard to his nomination to the Sixth Judicial Circuit and also in regard to his fear of demise by organized crime figures. Many letters of congratulation and thank you's regarding nomination to the Sixth Judicial Circuit of the United States and subsequent Senate hearings, his Ten Year celebration, trip to the Philippines in 1968, and retirement. Scrapbooks of clippings documenting his service as Detroit Police Commissioner are included in Series XVII.

Series XIV: Professional Activities, 1962-1985

Correspondence, writings, position statements, memorandums, and agendas of meetings or conferences in regard to professional organizations. These organizations include Anglo-American Justice Team, National Council on Crime and Delinquency, and the Southern Africa Project. Speeches and presentations given by George Edwards, Jr. specific to these organizations are included.

Series XV: Writings, 1950s-2000

Articles, eulogies, commencement speeches, a photocopy of the manuscript for *Pioneer at law*, and many other speeches and presentations written by George Edwards, Jr. and given before a variety of organizations other than those in Series XIV. Many titles are included in the Index of Speeches. Correspondence and notes related to these speeches and presentations are included. Only annotated reference materials have been kept with the speeches and presentations. Notes, favorite quotes, and jokes are also included.

Series XVI: Clippings, 1930s-2001

Clippings about George Edwards, Jr. Photocopies of some photographs.

Series XVII: Oversize, 1940s-1990

A variety of materials and formats such as scrapbooks filled with clippings from Edwards' service as Detroit Police Commissioner, military attire, date books, children's notes to Peg, wartime sketches by Edwards of his proposed infantry tank designs, certificates of honor, and campaign materials.

Series XVIII: Publications, 1950s-1990s

Pamphlets, articles, reports, newsletters, commentaries, small government and professional publications, and reviews either about George Edwards, Jr. or by him. Histories of Hickman County, Tennessee.

Arrangement:

Arranged in seven series, beginning where Part III left off: Series XII (Box 107), Series XIII (Box 107-108), Series XIV (Box 109-111), Series XV (Box 111-114), Series XVI (Box 114), Series XVII (Oversize Boxes 115-119), and Series XVIII (Box 120). Folders are arranged alphabetically by subject, and then chronologically, unless otherwise noted.

Series XV is further divided by subject if the folder contains all of one subject. Series XVI and Series XVIII are arranged by decade. Series XVII is itemized.

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- 12. Correspondence; Edwards, Margaret McConnell, 1939-1996
- 13. Correspondence; Family, 1940's
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- 15. Correspondence; Infantry Tank Design, 1945
- 16. Educational Records, 1933-1944
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- 18. Edwards, George Clifton, 1940's
- 19. Edwards, George Clifton; Obituary, Memorials, 1961
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- 11. Correspondence; Organized Crime, Robert F. Kennedy, 1963-1965
- 12. Correspondence; Organized Crime, 1967
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- 15. Correspondence; Organized Crime Clippings, 1976
- 16. Correspondence; Portrait, 1981
- 17. Detroit Common Council; Certificates, Speech, 1941-1947
- 18. Michigan Supreme Court; Swearing In Ceremony, 1956 June 5
- 19. Michigan Supreme Court; Testimonial Dinner, 1957
- 20. Police Commissioner; Agenda, Notes, 1962-1963
- 21. Police Commissioner; Incidents, 1962-1963
- 22. Police Commissioner; Organized Crime; Notes, Memos, 1962-1963
- 23. Police Commissioner; Organized Crime; Statements, 1963
- 24. Police Commissioner; Survey, 1962
- 25. U.S. Sixth Circuit Court; Class, Community Service and American Values, 1980
- 26-28. U.S. Sixth Circuit Court; Correspondence, Congratulatory, 1963-1964
- 29. U.S. Sixth Circuit Court; Correspondence, Congressional Support, 1963
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- 33. U.S. Sixth Circuit Court; George Edwards Day, 1965
- 34. U.S. Sixth Circuit Court; Honors, Awards, 1950's 1960's
- 35. U.S. Sixth Circuit Court; Honors, Awards, 1981-1986
- 36. U.S. Sixth Circuit Court; Investitures, 1980
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- 39. U.S. Sixth Circuit Court; Oath, 1963
- 40. U.S. Sixth Circuit Court; Philippines; Agenda, 1968
- 41. U.S. Sixth Circuit Court; Philippines; Correspondence, 1968
- 42. U.S. Sixth Circuit Court; Philippines; Marcos, Ferdinand, 1968
- 43. U.S. Sixth Circuit Court: Retirement, 1983-1991
- 44. U.S. Sixth Circuit Court; Ten Years With the Lower Court of Appeals 1963-1973, Scrapbook
- 45. Special Cases; Sheppard, Sam, 1967-1986
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- 13. Anglo American Justice Team; Writings, Notes, 1963-1964
- 14. Michigan Welfare League; Speeches, Presentations, 1967-1970
- 15. National Council on Crime and Delinquency; Advisory Council Members, 1964-1965
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- 20. National Council on Crime and Delinquency; Correspondence, Thurgood Marshall, 1966
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- 21. National Council on Crime and Delinquency; Policy Statement, 1964-1966
- 22. National Council on Crime and Delinquency; Speeches, Presentations; Organized Crime, 1963
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- 25. Commencements, 1953-1963
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- 28. Eulogies; Herling, Mary Fox, 1978
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- 30. Eulogies; Murphy, John R., 1974
- 31. Eulogies; Reuther, Roy, 1968
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- 1. Manuscripts; Bridging the river of hatred: the pioneering efforts of Detroit Police Commissioner George Edwards, 1994-1998
- 2. Manuscripts; *Bridging the river of hatred: the pioneering efforts of Detroit Police Commissioner George Edwards*; Correspondence, Reviews, 1994-1998
- 3. Manuscripts; Clippings,
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- 16. Manuscripts; *Pioneer at law*; Correspondence, 1971-1974
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- 2. Speeches/Presentations, 1964; Civil Liberties and Responsibilities
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- 3. Citation of Commendation and Appreciation, St. Cyprian's Episcopal Church, 1948
- 4. Certificate of Appreciation, Labor's International Hall of Fame, 1990
- 5. Poster for Campaigning, Undated
- 6. Military Satchel

- 1. Appointment Book, 1955
- 2. Program, Visit of Members of the Judiciary of the United States to English Penal Establishments, 1963
- 3. Service Hat, U.S. Navy
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- 7. Medallion, 25th Anniversary Commemoration Bataan and Corregidor, 1967

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A Slogan for Detroit

1950's:

Address to the Child and Family Services of Chicago

Changing Complexion of the Michigan Supreme Court

Community and the Delinquent Child

Judicial Conference

Juvenile Delinquency – Problems and Answers

Michigan Supreme Court Trends

NAHRO's Annual Meeting

Opportunity for Our Young – A Blueprint for the Future

Police on the Urban Frontier

Saginaw County and Bay County Bar Associations

Verdict, Guilty - Now What

1960's:

Address: 1965 Conference of Mayors

Bail and Criminal Justice

Bail and the Right to Council

Campbell Competition Banquet, University of Michigan Law School

Civil Liberties and Responsibility in the Administration of Criminal Justice

Commencement Address: John Jay College of Criminal Justice

The Constitution and the Citizen: the Quest for Balance

Crime, Corrections, and the Community

Due Process of Law in Criminal Cases

Due Process from Runnymede to Miranda

Electronics, Law Enforcement, and the Constitution

Equal Opportunity and the Juvenile Court

Free Press, Fair Trial

The Hearing on Sentence

The Individual and Our Society of Ordered Liberty

John Marshall Law School

Law Enforcement and Police-Community Relations

Labor Law – Then and Now

The Law of the Land

Lessons from a Summer of Protest

Liberty, Equality and Domestic Tranquility

The Long Hot Summer

New Dimensions of Civil Rights

To Open the Door of Hope

Organized Crime

Organized Crime in the United States

Organized Labor and the Democratic Way of Life

Outline of Testimony (Capital Punishment)

Police and the Community: A Judicial View

Police-Community Relations

Police on the Urban Frontier

Probation A Way to Save Lives and Money

The Raid on the Gotham Hotel

Reappraising Crime Treatment

Recent Developments in Criminal Law

The Search Warrant

Sentencing the Racketeer

Social Workers and Lawyers – Friends or Foes

Toward a Society of Ordered Liberty

What are the Major Problems of Law Enforcement in Detroit?

Why Go to College?

1970's:

Adventures in the Law, University of Cincinnati Law Review Banquet

American Issues Forum

An Outline of the Do's and Don'ts of the Appellate Argument

Balance Sheet of American Society

Commentary on Civil Disobedience

Conference on Psychiatry and the Law, The Ditchley Foundation

Desegregation: A View from the Federal Bench

Fair Trials with a Free Press, The Federal Bar Association

Glimpses of the Enchanted Ground

Improving Procedures in the Decisional Process

Legal Aspects of Gun Control

Opening of 40th Annual Conference, Sixth Judicial Court of the United States

Our Changing Rights: the Great Decisions

No Man is Born a Criminal
Simple Justice
Ten Years After the Riots – the Unfinished Agenda
That Clumsy Word "Nonobviousness"
The Story of the Bill of Rights
The Times that Try Men's Souls
Toward a Better Tomorrow

1980's:

The Assault on the Constitution

The Do's and Don'ts of the Appellate Argument

Draft of Speech to the Graduates of the College of Community Services

George Orwell's 1984 v. the United States Constitution's First Amendment

Glimpses of the Enchanted Ground

Justice William O. Douglas - the SEC Years

Justice William O. Douglas - Pioneer in Life and Law

The Law as a Profession

The President, the Media, and the First Amendment

The Pursuit of Happiness

The Role of the Federal Courts in Labor Relations

Should We Amend the Constitution of the United States?

Should We Scrap the Constitution?

Undated:

The Adventure of Citizenship

Citizens of Tomorrow

The Community and the Delinquent Child

Free Press and fair Trial

Law and Medicine - Towards a Better Understanding

The Law and Race Relations in America

The Presidency, the Media, and the First Amendment

Statement of Faith

The Status of Michigan Law Pertaining to Contributory Negligence

What Causes Juvenile Delinquency?

What the Police Can Do