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Description

- Series - James B. McNamara's Outgoing correspondence, December 18, 1919 – January 10, 1941, 1 ½ linear feet, arrangement is alphabetical within boxes and chronological within folders. The bulk of the material runs from the late nineteen forty. The correspondents include American Communists Earl Browder, William Foster and Anita Whitney, as well as non-communists John Dewey, Clarence Darrow, and Edward Filene. Labor leaders William Green and Samuel Gompers received unfriendly letters. McNamara also wrote to another labor figure, Sidney Hillman, as well as to his lawyer, Leo Gallagher. Others that he wrote to include Sinclair Lewis, Lincoln Steffens, Fremont Older, A.J. Mooney, Also, J.B. wrote to his family: his mother Mary, sisters Alice and Mary, his brothers John and Robert, and his niece Janice.
- Series - James B. McNamara Incoming Correspondence from individuals, September 28, 1911 – March 8, 1941, 1 ½ linear feet, arrangement in alphabetical within boxes and chronological within folders. The vast majority of the letters date from the 1930's. Some of the correspondents are the Reverend Spence Burton, teacher, William Thurston Brown, entrepreneur; Edward Filene and publisher Alfred Harcourt. McNamara also received letters from John Dewey, Fremont Older, Lincoln Steffens. Clarence Darrow, and Communist Vita Marcantonio. Writers Upton Sinclair and Irving Stone also corresponded with McNamara. Rebecah Rainey, Mattie Smentoski, and Margaret Wilson were women who regularly wrote J.B. and kept him informed about current events, particularly labor news.
- Series - James B. McNamara Incoming Correspondence from organizations, September 27, 1932 – August 16, 1940, 6 inches, arranged alphabetically by name of group. Many of these letters are from unions who are saluting McNamara on different occasions, such as his birthday or the anniversary of his imprisonment. The International Labor Defense, and Communist supported group who sent money to J.B. McNamara and other "Class-war prisoners," is represented here.
- Series - John J. McNamara Incoming Correspondence from individuals, December 27, 1906 – April 8, 1941, 1 linear foot, arranged alphabetically in folders and chronologically within folders. Among the correspondents are the radical anarchist, Alexander Berkman; Clarence Darrow; the Reverend Spence Burton and Albert Detch. Other Correspondents include the English radical, Tom Mann; Ironworkers chief P.J. Morrin; American Federation of Labor Representative Ed Nockels; and J.J.'s brothers, Robert and Daniel.

Also Represented is the California reformer and newspaper editor, Fremont Older; as well as Tom and Anne Mooney.

- Series - J.J. McNamara Incoming Correspondence from organizations, January 11, 1906 – February 14, 1941, 3 inches, arranged alphabetically by group. Includes correspondence from unions, most notably the Ironworkers, the American Federation of Labor, and the International Typographical Union. There is also correspondence from the Ironworkers including the news of J.J. McNamara's re-election to his post as Secretary-Treasurer while still in prison.
- Series- J.J. McNamara Outgoing Correspondence, December 30th, 1910- August 23, 1940, 3 inches, arranged alphabetically by folder and chronologically within folder. Included are letters from Robert McNamara, spanning twenty years, covering aspects of both J.J.'s personal life and his professional career.
- Series- Robert McNamara Incoming Correspondence, December 9, 1911 – June 27, 1941, 4 inches, arranged alphabetically by folder and chronologically within folder. Includes correspondence from the Reverend Spence Burton, entrepreneur Edward Filene, Labor Leader William Green, Communist William Foster, and lawyer Clarence Darrow. Much of this correspondence related to Robert McNamara's attempts to pressure officials into releasing J.B. McNamara from jail.
- Series - Robert McNamara's Outgoing Correspondence, January 9, 1928 – June 1, 1941, 2 inches, arranged alphabetically by folder and chronologically within folder. Lincoln Steffens, Robert Cantwell, Edward Filene, William Foster, Reverend Spence Burton, and Frank Merriam, Governor of California were all recipients of letters from Robert McNamara.
- Series - Miscellaneous Correspondence, February 15, 1911 – October 18, 1941, 6 inches, not arranged. Included is a letter from Lincoln Steffens to Fremont Older, and correspondence from Norman Thomas to Lincoln Steffens's widow, Ella Winters. Most of the material related to J.B. McNamara, through J.J. McNamara's ejection from the Ironworkers Union is also documented.
- Series - Miscellany, April 21, 1906-1961, 6 inches, not arranged. Included are legal documents such as J.B. McNamara's will, and an indictment against J.J. McNamara for Blackmail. There are also essays and poetry, some of it by Reverend Albert G. Detch, while other writings are unsigned.
- Series - Printed matter, September 25, 1911 – May 27, 1940, 6 inches, not arranged. Included is a biography of Eugene Debs, an autobiography by Clarence Darrow, and Darrow's summation in his own defense in the 1912 bribery trial. There are also pamphlets about Tom Mooney's unjust trial and jailing, along with J.J. McNamara's 1919 copy of San Quentin Prison rules and regulations.

Series - Magazine and Newspaper Clippings, April 26, 1911 – October 12, 1959, 6 inches, arrangement – magazines alphabetically by title, newspapers alphabetically by subject. There are articles about the Los Angeles Times Building trial, and J.J. McNamara's other trials. There are also clippings from communist newspapers in which J.B. McNamara is transformed into a hero. Also included are stories concerning Clarence Darrow, Tom Mooney, and William J. Burns.

Series - Ca. 1905-1941, 1.25 linear feet. Some of these photographs were taken by James B. McNamara while he was in San Quentin Prison. Included are photos of inmates engaging in athletic events inside the prison grounds. There are also photographs of James B. and John J. McNamara.

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Box 1:

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4. From J.B. McNamara to Leonard Bright: June 23, 1929-May 13, 1930
5. From J.B. McNamara to Earl Browder: Sept. 4, 1934-Jan. 31, 1935
6. From J.B. McNamara to Frank Brown: May 22, 1930-May 23, 1930
7. From J.B. McNamara to William T. Brown: June 23, 1929-May 26, 1934
8. From J.B. McNamara to Elizabeth Burke: Aug. 2, 1929-Nov. 25, 1929
9. From J.B. McNamara to Rev. Spence Burton: Feb. 19, 1932-Sept. 4, 1933
10. From J.B. McNamara to John Carlisle: May 23, 1930-July 26, 1930
11. From J.B. McNamara to Mrs. Ethel Clyde: Oct. 16, 1931-Dec. 19, 1931
12. From J.B. McNamara to Clarence and Ruby Darrow: Jan. 8, 1931-Jan. 15, 1939
13. From J.B. McNamara to Mrs. Fred Deter: Sept. 9, 1929-Nov. 4, 1929
14. From J.B. McNamara to John Dewey: Mar. 1, 1928-May 4, 1931
15. From J.B. McNamara to George Doopp: Dec. 26, 1933-May 20, 1934
16. From J.B. McNamara to Edward Filene: Feb. 3, 1932-Dec. 31, 1936
17. From J.B. McNamara to Mrs. George Flears: Jan. 5, 1931-May 26, 1934
18. From J.B. McNamara to William Foster: Nov. 16, 1933-June 26, 1934
19. From J.B. McNamara to Don & Lloyd Fulker: Nov. 16, 1933-June 26, 1934
20. From J.B. McNamara to Edward Gahan: May 24, 1934-Feb. 13, 1935
21. From J.B. McNamara to Leo Gallagher: Feb. 17, 1936-Dec. 31, 1936
22. From J.B. McNamara to Leo Gallagher: July 1, 1937-Dec. 31, 1937
23. From J.B. McNamara to Leo Gallagher: Jan. 2, 1937-June 19, 1937
24. From J.B. McNamara to Leo Gallagher: May 10, 1938-Apr. 1, 1939
25. From J.B. McNamara to Sam Compers: n.d.
26. From J.B. McNamara to Elizabeth Graham: Mar. 20, 1932-June 7, 1934
27. From J.B. McNamara to William Green: Apr. 27, 1929-June 22, 1931
28. From J.B. McNamara to Emil Helbig: Jan. 3, 1930-May 29, 1934
29. From J.B. McNamara to Sidney Hillman: June 27, 1929-July 16, 1931
30. From J.B. McNamara to Charles Howard: Aug. 19, 1929-Nov. 2, 1931
31. From J.B. McNamara to Margaret Hunt: May 20, 1931-Dec. 10, 1931

32. From J.B. McNamara to Margaret Hunt: Jan. 23, 1932-Dec. 25, 1932
33. From J.B. McNamara to Margaret Hunt: Jan. 16, 1933-Feb. 15, 1935
34. From J.B. McNamara to Hilda Jordan: Feb. 23, 1934-Apr. 7, 1934
35. From J.B. McNamara to Hilda Jordan: Apr. 20, 1934-Feb. 12, 1938

Box 2:

1. From J.B. McNamara to Alice McNamara Knab: n.d.
2. From J.B. McNamara to George Koop: July 15, 1930-July 25, 1930
3. From J.B. McNamara to Molly Levitas: July 4, 1931-July 30, 1931
4. From J.B. McNamara to Lena Lewis: July 3, 1929-Aug. 30, 1929
5. From J.B. McNamara to Sinclair Lewis: July 26, 1939-Mar. 12, 1932
6. From J.B. McNamara to Janice McNamara: Mar. 14, 1933-July 24, 1933
7. From J.B. McNamara to John J. McNamara: May 4, 1922-Apr. 6, 1933
8. From J.B. McNamara to Mary McNamara: Feb. 1, 1932-July 24, 1932
9. From J.B. McNamara to Mary T. McNamara: Dec. 14, 1924-Jan. 3, 1932
10. From J.B. McNamara to Robert McNamara: Dec. 18, 1919-Dec. 14, 1924
11. From J.B. McNamara to Robert McNamara: June 3, 1925-Dec. 15, 1926
12. From J.B. McNamara to Robert McNamara: Sept. 5, 1927-Dec. 8, 1927
13. From J.B. McNamara to Robert McNamara: Jan. 3, 1928-Sept. 12, 1931
14. From J.B. McNamara to Robert McNamara: Jan. 24, 1932-Oct. 14, 1934
15. From J.B. McNamara to Joseph Baret Margolis: Aug. 5, 1931-Apr. 13, 1932
16. From J.B. McNamara to Gov. Frank Marriam: Dec. 21, 1934
17. From J.B. McNamara to Anna Mooney: Apr. 29, 1931-Jan. 9, 1941
18. From J.B. McNamara to A.S. Muste: June 16, 1929-May 29, 1930
19. From J.B. McNamara to Liston Oak: Aug. 17, 1934-Aug. 23, 1934
20. From J.B. McNamara to Harvey O'Conner: Aug. 22, 1929-Aug. 24, 1929
21. From J.B. McNamara to Fremont Older: June 29, 1929-June 17, 1931
22. From J.B. McNamara to Norma Perrie-Oct. 1, 1931-Mar. 11, 1932
23. From J.B. McNamara to Ed Poole: Oct. 27, 1931-Aug. 28, 1934
24. From J.B. McNamara to Reb Rainey: Aug. 3, 1933-Oct. 9, 1934
25. From J.B. McNamara to Reb Rainey: Jan. 13, 1933-July 31, 1933
26. From J.B. McNamara to Reb Rainey: Jan. 13, 1932-Dec. 30, 1932
27. From J.B. McNamara to Jack Rantz: May 5, 1929-June 1, 1930
28. From J.B. McNamara to Dan Regan: 1915
29. From J.B. McNamara to Ben Reitman: Mar. 23, 1931-July 25, 1952
30. From J.B. McNamara to Herbert Resner: Jan. 1, 1938-Jan. 13, 1939
31. From J.B. McNamara to Bruce Rogers: Mar. 98, 1932-Feb. 19, 1933

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1. From J.B. McNamara to Mattie Smentoski: Feb. 29, 1932-July 23, 1934
2. From J.B. McNamara to Ella Winters-Steffens: July 2, 1932-June 5, 1933
3. From J.B. McNamara to Lincoln Steffens: July 11, 1931-June 17, 1933
4. From J.B. McNamara to Lincoln Steffens: July 11, 1931-June 17, 1933
5. From J.B. McNamara to George Whitehead: Nov. 26, 1931-Feb. 24, 1932
6. From J.B. McNamara to Anita Whitney: Dec. 9, 1932-Oct. 18, 1938
7. From J.B. McNamara to Anita Whitney: Jan. 8, 1939-July 31, 1939

8. From J.B. McNamara to Anita Whitney: Aug. 6, 1939-Oct. 1, 1940
9. From J.B. McNamara to Margaret Wilson: Dec. 29, 1937-Dec. 11, 1938
10. From J.B. McNamara to Margaret Wilson: Jan. 12, 1939-June 26, 1939
11. From J.B. McNamara to Margaret Wilson: Aug. 27, 1939-Jan. 8, 1941
12. From J.B. McNamara to Phil Ziegler: May 27, 1931-Sept. 17, 1934
13. From J.B. McNamara to General Defense Committee of the Industrial Workers of the World: Jan. 1, 1932-Jan. 6, 1940
14. From J.B. McNamara to International Labor Defense: May 20, 1930-Nov. 13, 1934
15. From J.B. McNamara to International Labor Defense: Jan. 22, 1935-Apr. 16, 1940
16. From J.B. McNamara to Book Publishers: Aug. 7, 1929-Jan. 17, 1939
17. From J.B. McNamara to Unions-J.B.'s parole attempts: Jan. 7, 1938-May 5, 1939
18. From J.B. McNamara to Women's Auxillary #1 of the Maritime Federation: Mar. 2, 1938-Jan. 15, 1940
19. From J.B. McNamara to Friend or Comrade: Feb. 13, 1932-Feb. 19, 1934
20. Misc. Correspondence: June 26, 1929-Dec. 31-1929
21. Misc. Correspondence: June 20, 1930-Nov. 3, 1930
22. Misc. Correspondence: Jan. 12, 1931-Dec. 9, 1931
23. Misc. Correspondence: Jan. 12, 1932-Dec. 22, 1932
24. Misc. Correspondence: Jan. 6, 1934-Nov. 18, 1934
25. Misc. Correspondence: Jan. 3, 1933-Apr. 27, 1934
26. Misc. Correspondence: Jan 11, 1935-May 1, 1935
27. Misc. Correspondence: Jan. 10, 1938-Sept. 19, 1938
28. Misc. Correspondence: Feb. 1, 1939-Jan. 10, 1941
29. Fragments: n.d.

Box 4:

1. To J.B. McNamara from Roger Baldwin: Apr. 25, 1932-May 24, 1932
2. To J.B. McNamara from Rose Baron, head of International Labor Defense Prison Relief Department: Dec. 18, 1934-Nov. 10, 1936
3. To J.B. McNamara from Rose Baron: Jan. 11, 1937-May 24, 1937
4. To J.B. McNamara from Rose Baron: Jun. 7, 1937-July 19, 1937
5. To J.B. McNamara from Rose Baron: Aug. 9, 1937-Nov. 29, 1937
6. To J.B. McNamara from Rose Baron: Sept. 15, 1938-July 15, 1939
7. To J.B. McNamara from Lina Bernstein: June 29, 1934-Apr. 29, 1940
8. To J.B. McNamara from Elaine Black: Apr. 5, 1934-Dec. 29, 1936
9. To J.B. McNamara from Earl Browder: Dec. 5, 1934
10. To J.B. McNamara from William T. Brown: Jan. 18, 1928-Dec. 23, 1931
11. To J.B. McNamara from William T. Brown: Jan. 9, 1932-Dec. 31, 1936
12. To J.B. McNamara from Irene Burton: Dec. 18, 1933-July 6, 1934
13. To J.B. McNamara from Rev. Spence Burton: Feb. 26, 1932-Jan. 8, 1939
14. To J.B. McNamara from Josephine Cora: Jun. 18, 1937-Nov. 1, 1937
15. To J.B. McNamara from Josephine Cora: Oct. 14, 1937-Nov. 1, 1938
16. To J.B. McNamara from Albert Coyle: Jan. 6, 1926-June. 20, 1929
17. To J.B. McNamara from Margaret Cunard: Apr. 12, 1940-July 12, 1940
18. To J.B. McNamara from Anna Damon, International Labor Defense related: Nov.12, 1936-Oct. 16, 1939

19. To J.B. McNamara from Clarence Darrow: Apr. 12, 1913-Nov. 7, 1935
20. To J.B. McNamara from Ruby Darrow: Nov. 14, 1931-Dec. 14, 1940
21. To J.B. McNamara from John Dewey: Feb. 10, 1929
22. To J.B. McNamara from George Dopp: Dec. 16, 1933-May 6, 1934
23. To J.B. McNamara from Edward Filene: Apr. 20, 1931-Dec. 12, 1936
24. To J.B. McNamara from Edward Filene's Secretaries: Mar. 10, 1932-Aug. 19, 1935
25. To J.B. McNamara from William Z. Foster: Sept. 2, 1913-Sept. 24, 1940
26. To J.B. McNamara from Don Fulker: Nov. 3, 1933-Aug. 16, 1934
27. To J.B. McNamara from Edward Gahan: May 16, 194?-Sept. 16, 1935
28. To J.B. McNamara from Leo Gallagher: May 5, 1935-Jun. 14, 1939
29. To J.B. McNamara from Elizabeth Burke Graham: Dec. 18, 1929-Mar. 16, 1933
30. To J.B. McNamara from Alfred Harcourt: Jun. 11, 1931
31. To J.B. McNamara from Emil Helbig: May 21, 1929-Mar. 22, 1934
32. To J.B. McNamara from Charles Howard: Dec. 1, 1927-Dec. 30, 1927

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1. To J.B. McNamara from Margaret Hunt: Aug. 6, 1931-Dec. 1, 1931
2. To J.B. McNamara from Margaret Hunt: Jan. 12, 1932-Nov. 16, 1933
3. To J.B. McNamara from Margaret Hunt: Dec. 6, 1933-Jun. 21, 1936
4. To J.B. McNamara from Margaret Hunt: Jul. 31, 1931-Sept. 25, 1931
5. To J.B. McNamara from Hester Huntington, International Labor Defense News: Dec. 18, 1939-Feb. 10, 1941
6. To J.B. McNamara from Don Jonson: 1937
7. To J.B. McNamara from Hilda Jordan: Jan. 19, 1934-Apr. 30, 1934
8. To J.B. McNamara from Hilda Jordan: May 5, 1934-Sept. 28, 1934
9. To J.B. McNamara from Hilda Jordan: Mar. 18, 1935-Sept. 22, 1935
10. To J.B. McNamara from Hilda Jordan: July 17, 1936-Mar. 31, 1937
11. To J.B. McNamara from Hilda Jordan: Jun. 23, 1937-Sept. 28, 1939
12. To J.B. McNamara from E. Lawrence: Mar. 19, 1935-May 27, 1935
13. To J.B. McNamara from Molly Levitas: Apr. 22, 1930-Aug. 25, 1931
14. To J.B. McNamara from Lena M. Lewis: Aug. 26, 1929
15. To J.B. McNamara from Sinclair Lewis: Feb. 22, 1928-Mar. 3, 1932
16. To J.B. McNamara from J.H. Long: n.d.
17. To J.B. McNamara from Tom Mann: Jan. 29, 1916-Jan. 10, 1935
18. To J.B. McNamara from Vita Marcantonio: Jun. 9, 1939
19. To J.B. McNamara from Joseph Margolis: Nov. 9, 1931-Nov. 16, 1931
20. To J.B. McNamara from Joseph Margolis: Nov. 9, 1931-Nov. 16, 1931
21. To J.B. McNamara from Mildred & Eugene Marsden: Jan. 2, 1924-Feb. 23, 1924
22. To J.B. McNamara from Oscar Marks: July 8, 1936-May 28, 1937
23. To J.B. McNamara from Joseph Marshall: July 3, 1940-Jan. 11, 1941
24. To J.B. McNamara from James Maurer: Jan. 10, 1927-Mar. 17, 1927
25. To J.B. McNamara from Cora Meyer: Dec. 23, 1933-Mar. 13, 1935
26. To J.B. McNamara from Lillian Misphey: July 9, 1932-Aug. 16, 1932
27. To J.B. McNamara from Anna Mooney: Jun. 17, 1935-Dec. 24, 1937
28. To J.B. McNamara from Tom Mooney: Dec. 23, 1936-Dec. 22, 1939
29. To J.B. McNamara from A.J. Muste: Sept 12, 1929-Jun. 6 1930

30. To J.B. McNamara from Liston Oak: Aug. 6, 1934
31. To J.B. McNamara from Fremont Older: Nov. 16, 1926-June. 16, 1931
32. To J.B. McNamara from Norma Dewie: Oct. 4, 1931-July 22, 1932
33. To J.B. McNamara from William Peterson: Apr. 20, 1938-Feb. 26, 1939
34. To J.B. McNamara from William Peterson: Mar. 4, 1939-Dec. 9, 1940

Box 6:

1. To J.B. McNamara from Reb Rainey: Jan. 11, 1932-Dec. 27, 1932
2. To J.B. McNamara from Reb Rainey: Jan. 9, 1933-Dec. 31, 1933
3. To J.B. McNamara from Reb Rainey: Jan. 4, 1934-Nov. 18, 1934
4. To J.B. McNamara from Ben Reiman: Dec. 17, 1930-Mar. 8, 1932
5. To J.B. McNamara from Herbert Resner: Jan. 12, 1938-Mar. 17, 1939
6. To J.B. McNamara from John Roberts: Feb. 17, 1937-Jun. 5, 1937
7. To J.B. McNamara from Bruce Rogers: Mar. 2, 1932-July 23, 1932
8. To J.B. McNamara from Upton Sinclair: Jan. 16, 1928
9. To J.B. McNamara from Mattie Smentoski: Feb. 5, 1932-Dec. 12, 1932
10. To J.B. McNamara from Mattie Smentoski: Jan. 26, 1933-Dec. 24, 1933
11. To J.B. McNamara from Mattie Smentoski: Jan. 3, 1934-Feb. 6, 1936
12. To J.B. McNamara from Lincoln Steffens: Feb. 1928-Dec. 32, 1935
13. To J.B. McNamara from E.A. Stock: Feb. 8, 1928- Feb. 11, 1928
14. To J.B. McNamara from Irving Stone: Sept. 10, 1940
15. To J.B. McNamara from Allen H. Suggett: Oct. 24, 1924-Oct. 31, 1928
16. To J.B. McNamara from William Swords: Nov. 16, 1931-Feb. 7, 1938
17. To J.B. McNamara from Violet Shaw (David Caplan's daughter): n.d.
18. To J.B. McNamara from Ida Uchim: Dec. 21, 1930-Mar. 8, 1931
19. To J.B. McNamara from Anita Whitney: Dec. 3, 1932-Nov. 22, 1937
20. To J.B. McNamara from Anita Whitney: Jan. 11, 1938-Nov. 26, 1938
21. To J.B. McNamara from Anita Whitney: Jan. 26, 1939-Dec. 17, 1940
22. To J.B. McNamara from Margaret Wilson: Mar. 30, 1934-Dec. 22, 1938
23. To J.B. McNamara from Margaret Wilson: Jan. 4, 1939-Jun. 2, 1939
24. To J.B. McNamara from Margaret Wilson: Jun. 2, 1939-Dec. 5, 1940
25. To J.B. McNamara from Ella Winter: Oct. 4, 1939
26. To J.B. McNamara from Phil Zeigler: Feb. 3, 1926-Nov. 8, 1934
27. To J.B. McNamara from (Alice Blackwell): July 1, 1916-Sept. 18, 1916

Box 7:

1. To J.B. McNamara from Communist Party of America: Sept. 27, 1932-Aug. 16, 1940
2. To J.B. McNamara from General Defense Committee of the Industrial Workers of the Work: Dec. 19, 1916-Dec. 21, 1940
3. To J.B. McNamara from International Labor Defense: Mar. 5, 1928-May 2, 1932
4. To J.B. McNamara from International Labor Defense: Feb. 23, 1933-Dec. 28, 1933
5. To J.B. McNamara from International Labor Defense: Jan. 24, 1934-Nov. 14, 1934
6. To J.B. McNamara from International Labor Defense: Jan. 11, 1936-Apr. 12, 1940
7. To J.B. McNamara from International Labor Defense Local Branches: Mar. 11, 1931-Apr. 10, 1940
8. To J.B. McNamara from Labor Age Magazine: Jun. 12, 1929-Aug. 12, 1930

9. To J.B. McNamara from organizations that support jailed labor men: Dec. 18, 1922-Apr. 7, 1938
10. To J.B. McNamara from Russian Counterpart of the International Labor Defense: n.d.
11. To J.B. McNamara from Union-A-C: Jun. 20, 1931-July 10, 1940
12. To J.B. McNamara from Unions-I: Nov. 12, 1928-Apr. 16, 1940
13. To J.B. McNamara from Unions-L-P: Dec. 19, 1927-Apr. 19, 1940
14. To J.B. McNamara from Unions-U-Y: Dec. 31, 1934-Apr. 27, 1940
15. To J.B. McNamara from Women's Auxiliary #1 of Maritime Federation: Apr. 20, 1938-Jun. 15, 1939
16. To J.B. McNamara from Women's Auxiliary #1 of the Maritime Federation: Mar. 22, 1940-Jan. 13, 1941
17. To J.B. McNamara, Misc: Sept. 28, 1911-Dec. 7, 1924
18. To J.B. McNamara, Misc: Feb. 6, 1928-July 22, 1930
19. To J.B. McNamara, Misc: Mar. 16, 1931-May 17, 1932
20. To J.B. McNamara, Misc: Feb. 14, 1933-Dec. 30-1933
21. To J.B. McNamara, Misc: Jan. 10, 1934-Sept. 25, 1934
22. To J.B. McNamara, Misc: Feb. 25, 1935-Dec. 5, 1935
23. To J.B. McNamara, birthday greetings: May 25, 1935-July 25, 1935
24. To J.B. McNamara, Misc: Mar. 3, 1936-Dec. 22, 1937
25. To J.B. McNamara, Misc: Jan. 4, 1938-Mar. 24, 1939
26. To J.B. McNamara, Misc: Aug. 4, 1939-Dec. 19, 1940
27. To J.B. McNamara, Misc: Feb. 24, 1941-Mar. 8, 1941
28. To J.B. McNamara, Misc: n.d.
29. Telegrams-to J.B. McNamara from individuals: Dec. 2, 1911-Apr. 12, 1940
30. Telegrams from Unions-May Days & James McNamara's Birthday's to J.B. McNamara: Jan. 18, 1929-Dec. 23, 1940
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32. Telegrams from Communist Party of America to J.B. McNamara: Apr. 30, 1935-May 5, 1940

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1. To J.J. McNamara from J.A. Anslinger: Apr. 22, 1926-May 17, 1926
2. To J.J. McNamara from Ed Bastian: Dec. 3, 1921-Jan. 6, 1922
3. To J.J. McNamara from Alexander Berkman: May 10, 1915
4. To J.J. McNamara from Frank Biggs: Nov. 5, 1921
5. To J.J. McNamara from L.W. Bragg: Dec. 10, 1921-Sept. 3, 1921
6. To J.J. McNamara from Louis Braun: Aug. 10, 1921-Sept. 3, 1921
7. To J.J. McNamara from William T. Brown: Sept. 2, 1920-Sept. 5, 1920
8. To J.J. McNamara from Frank Buchanan: Oct. 17, 1911-Feb. 13, 1913
9. To J.J. McNamara from Henry Bullock: Sept. 23, 1911-Feb. 13, 1913
10. To J.J. McNamara from Spence Burton: Sept. 25, 1939
11. To J.J. McNamara from Mable C.: Oct. 14, 1921-Nov. 10, 1921
12. To J.J. McNamara from Sue Carr: Jun. 10, 1921-Aug. 20, 1921
13. To J.J. McNamara from Leonard Chadwick: Aug. 28, 1916-May 15, 1917
14. To J.J. McNamara from Harry Chandler: May 10, 1921-Jun.4, 1921

15. To J.J. McNamara from Eugene Clancy: Feb. 5, 1915
16. To J.J. McNamara from E.F. Crawford: Jan. 26, 1920-Jun. 28, 1921
17. To J.J. McNamara from Clarence Darrow: 1912-1934
18. To J.J. McNamara from A.G. Dentler: June 30, 1919-Apr. 12, 1921
19. To J.J. McNamara from Rev. Albert Detch: Aug. 25, 1911-Jan. 16, 1912
20. To J.J. McNamara from Mary Dye: Dec. 10, 1921-Jan. 3, 1922
21. To J.J. McNamara from Sarah Elias: Oct. 24, 1939-Apr. 10, 1940
22. To J.J. McNamara from Martin Finn: n.d.
23. To J.J. McNamara from Frank Foley: Dec. 6, 1921
24. To J.J. McNamara from William Foster: Jun. 26, 1939-Apr. 8, 1941
25. To J.J. McNamara from F.J. Gorman: Nov. 14, 1924
26. To J.J. McNamara from George Gould: Jan. 13, 1921-Dec. 26, 1921
27. To J.J. McNamara from C.F. Grow: Aug. 5, 1921
28. To J.J. McNamara from Robert Gunkel: n.d.
29. To J.J. McNamara from Dan Haley: Aug. 7, 1922
30. To J.J. McNamara from Frank Hannon: May 15, 1919-May 28, 1919
31. To J.J. McNamara from George Healy: July 5, 1919-Dec. 11, 1919
32. To J.J. McNamara from George Healy: Jan. 1920-Jan. 15, 1922
33. To J.J. McNamara from John Howard: Oct. 23, 1911-Sept. 28, 1917
34. To J.J. McNamara from Margaret Hunt: Jun. 22, 1932
35. To J.J. McNamara from M. Jackson: Aug. 8, 1919-Feb. 26, 1921
36. To J.J. McNamara from Harry Jones: Sept. 27, 1918-Dec. 7, 1923
37. To J.J. McNamara from Mary (Mother) Jones: Mar. 11, 1912
38. To J.J. McNamara from Edwin Kehoe: Sept. 14, 1922-Mar. 2, 1934
39. To J.J. McNamara from Helen Keith: Mar. 7, 1912
40. To J.J. McNamara from Alice McNamara Knab: Nov. 28, 1921-Mar. 23, 1938
41. To J.J. McNamara from Frank Leonard: Nov. 10, 1936
42. To J.J. McNamara from Ed Lewis: Mar. 30, 1921-July 1, 1921
43. To J.J. McNamara from E.G. Leibold: Nov. 28, 1921
44. To J.J. McNamara from Harvey Lowe: Dec. 27, 1909
45. To J.J. McNamara from Frank Lynch: Jun. 1, 1919
46. To J.J. McNamara from Joseph Marshall: Feb. 26, 1934

Box 9:

1. To J.J. McNamara from Daniel McNamara: Aug. 29, 1921-Jan. 19, 1922
2. To J.J. McNamara from James J. McNamara: Aug. 12, 1911-Sept. 18, 1911
3. To J.J. McNamara from Robert McNamara: Apr. 26, 1924-Jun. 5, 1940
4. To J.J. McNamara from John McNamee: Aug. 14, 1911-Oct. 2, 1911
5. To J.J. McNamara from Tom Mann: Dec. 19, 1913-May 28, 1919
6. To J.J. McNamara from Homer Marks: Oct. 14, 1911
7. To J.J. McNamara from Joseph Marshall: Apr. 22, 1920-Dec. 29, 1937
8. To J.J. McNamara from Anna Mooney: Mar. 4, 1939-Nov. 20, 1939
9. To J.J. McNamara from Tom Mooney: Jan. 20, 1934-Mar. 6, 1941
10. To J.J. McNamara from P.J. Morrin: Dec. 14, 1918-Mar. 21, 1921
11. To J.J. McNamara from Frank Mullen: Apr. 14, 1912-July 5, 1920-
12. To J.J. McNamara from Leo Mullen: Feb. 21, 1922-Mar. 2, 1922

13. To J.J. McNamara from J.E. Muasey: May 15, 1919-Jun. 26, 1926
14. To J.J. McNamara from Ed Nockels: Sept. 28, 1914-Sept. 9, 1934
15. To J.J. McNamara from Fremont Older: Nov. 16, 1911-Jan. 20, 1913
16. To J.J. McNamara from Jason O'Toole: Aug. 18, 1911
17. To J.J. McNamara from Emma Pearson: Sept. 19, 1913-Oct. 21, 1914
18. To J.J. McNamara from L.C. Pendell: Sept. 12, 1910-Jan. 10, 1911
19. To J.J. McNamara from Leo Rappaport: Oct. 6, 1911-Sept. 13, 1912
20. To J.J. McNamara from Reb Rainey: Mar. 16, 1919-Feb. 26, 1934
21. To J.J. McNamara from Charles Rooney: Feb. 8, 1922
22. To J.J. McNamara from Arthur Roos: 1911
23. To J.J. McNamara from Oscar Ruff: Apr. 14, 1926
24. To J.J. McNamara from Tom Scahill: Aug. 28, 1919-Sept. 24, 1921
25. To J.J. McNamara from F. Schemerhorn: Feb. 24, 1923
26. To J.J. McNamara from Kate Schmidt: Nov. 24, 1918-Mar. 23, 1922
27. To J.J. McNamara from Grover Schubert: Oct. 9, 1924
28. To J.J. McNamara from Stuart Scott: July 22, 1932-July 29, 1932
29. To J.J. McNamara from Norma Selby: Aug. 18, 1938
30. To J.J. McNamara from Fred Sherman: Feb. 16, 1912-Mar. 26, 1917
31. To J.J. McNamara from Fred Sherman: Jun. 23, 1917-Mar. 28, 1921
32. To J.J. McNamara from Adam Sladky: Jun. 28, 1914-Apr. 5, 1921
33. To J.J. McNamara from D.H. Smith: Apr. 19, 1922-Jun. 10, 1922
34. To J.J. McNamara from John Stanton: Apr. 3, 1920-Jan. 7, 1922
35. To J.J. McNamara from Teresa Stanton: July 20, 1923
36. To J.J. McNamara from Irving Stone: Sept. 20, 1940-Sept. 29, 1940
37. To J.J. McNamara from Frank Storry: Oct. 26, 1923
38. To J.J. McNamara from William Sutton: Apr. 23, 19193
39. To J.J. McNamara from Daniel Valentine: Jun. 7, 1924
40. To J.J. McNamara from Frank Walsh: Sept. 17, 1914-May 3, 1921
41. To J.J. McNamara from F.C. Webb: Aug. 11, 1922
42. To J.J. McNamara from Ella Winters: n.d.
43. To J.J. McNamara from Frank Wolfe: July 4, 1917-July 10, 1918

Box 10:

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