

# A Guide to the John Boyd Thacher II Papers

# **Collection Summary**

Collection Title: John Boyd Thacher II Papers

Call Number: DS 594

Creator: John Boyd Thacher II

**Inclusive Dates:** 1932-1939

**Bulk Dates:** 

**Abstract**: The correspondence covers the Mayor's activities on behalf of veteran's organizations, Albany hospitals, social welfare, playgrounds and women's organizations of the city during the period 1932-1939.

**Quantity:** 1 box, 2.5 linear inches

#### Administrative Information

**Custodial History**: Unknown

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## **Acquisition Information:**

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#### **Processing Information:**

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#### Restrictions

Restrictions on Access: none

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#### **Index Term**

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# Biography/History of

John Boyd Thacher, 2nd (1882-1957), son of George H. Thacher, Jr., was Mayor of Albany from 1926 to 1941 when he resigned to become Judge of the Children's Court of Albany. Both his uncle, John Boyd Thacher, 1st and his grandfather George H. Thacher, Sr., had been Mayors of Albany. John Boyd Thacher, 2nd was a lawyer by profession and a Democrat in politics. After serving as Mayor he became Judge and later President of the City and County Savings Bank of Albany.

## Scope and Contents of the Papers

The correspondence covers the Mayor's activities on behalf of veteran's organizations, Albany hospitals, social welfare, playgrounds and women's organizations of the city during the period 1932-1939.

## **Organization of the Papers**

[Descendant components may be described tersely within this section. In other words, list the series and subseries in this collection.]

#### Related Material

[This section describes other collections that have a common provenance, creator or subject matter. Sometimes it is used to describe the fact that parts of a collection have been transferred to other custodial units with the organization, which are listed in the Separated Materials sub-section below. For example, photographs have been transferred to the photo collection or books have been transferred to the general collection.]

#### **Separated Materials**

[List any materials here that have been separated out from the main body of records, including the call number.]

## Other Finding Aids

[This would be for additional guides to the same collection. These other access tools would describe all or parts of the collection. For example, there might be a published edition of the inventory or the materials may have come to the repository with some sort of inventory prepared by the creator. File plans are formal examples of such finding aids (with a separate element all their own) that sometimes accompany organizational needs.]

## Detailed Description of the Records/Papers/Collection

[We usually do not need to catalog to the item level. Assign item numbers only when necessary. Grid lines in table will not show when printed.]

The following section contains a detailed listing of the materials in the collection.

### Series # [ # ] . Series Title [ title]

Box #	Folder #	Item #. Title / Description
1	1	1932
1	2	1938
1	3	1939
1	4	1939-Veterans
1	5	1940