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Fannin, Paul Collection
1958 - 1974****DESCRIPTION**

This small collection consists of political newsletters, three letters, and campaign publications associated with Paul Fannin. The correspondence is a communication with the Arizona Pioneer Historical Society and is associated with a visit in 1961. The political campaign materials are from the period of 1958 when Fannin was seeking the Arizona governorship. Newsletters titled "The Fannin Report" consist of scattered issues from 1967 to 1974 when Fannin served as senator from Arizona. Some of the topics include the Vietnam War, copper strikes, domestic protests in America, terrorism, inflation, and patriotism.

1 Box, .25 linear ft.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Paul Jones Fannin was born January 29, 1907 in Ashland, Kentucky but came to Phoenix, AZ before the age of one. He attended the University of Arizona but graduated from Stanford University. He became involved petroleum equipment and distribution especially in the American Southwest and Mexico. In 1958 he was elected Governor of Arizona and was reelected in 1960. He ran for the United States Senate in 1964 to fill the position vacated by Barry Goldwater. Fannin served two terms in the Senate and retired in 1977 and was known as a hard-line conservative. He remained in Phoenix until his death on January 13, 2002.

ACQUISITION

Unknown

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PROCESSING

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