

**ALEXANDER  
INAUGURATION  
PAPERS  
1978-1979**

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## **INTRODUCTION**

The Alexander Inauguration Papers, 1978-1979, pertains to events leading up to and surrounding the inauguration of Governor Lamar Alexander on January 20, 1979. The papers are the gift of Mrs. Martha Olsen, Nashville, Tennessee.

The collection occupies 0.28 cubic feet of shelf space, and number approximately 300 items. There are no restrictions on the collection, and single photocopies of unpublished writings in the Alexander Inauguration Papers may be made for purposes of scholarly or individual research.

## **SCOPE AND CONTENT**

The Alexander Inauguration Papers containing approximately 300 items span the period 1978-1979. The collection is composed of correspondence, financial documents, identification, lists, maps, media information, minutes, newspaper articles, photographs, programs, reports, and tickets.

The collection is concentrated on the activities surrounding and leading up to the inauguration of Governor Lamar Alexander on January 20, 1979. There were several events that took place in the few days prior to and after the inauguration, including the Inaugural Ball, the Iris Ball, the Volunteer Ball, the Mockingbird Ball, and an open reception at the Governor's Mansion after the inauguration.

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**CONTAINER LIST**

**Folder/Description/Dates**

1. Correspondence- Cantrell- Sumner, 1978-1979
2. Financial Documents, 1978-1979
3. Identification- Security pin. Inaugural Platform, n. d.
4. Lists, n. d.
5. Maps, n. d.
6. Media Information, n. d.
7. Minutes, 1978-1979
8. Newspaper Articles, 1978-1979
9. Photographs, n. d.
10. Programs, 1979
11. Reports, 1978-1979
12. Tickets- Inaugural Platform, 1979

