

Title: Pere Marquette Tercentennial Collection

Reference Code: Mss-2393

Inclusive Dates: 1965 - 1977

Quantity: 5.3 cu. ft.

Location: WHS, Sh. C084-C085
OS SM "P" (1 item)

Abstract: In September 1965, the U.S. Congress established the Father Marquette Tercentenary Commission to commemorate the 300th anniversary of Jacques Marquette's explorations of the northern Great Lakes and Mississippi River Valley. The commission set aside the years 1968-1973 to honor Marquette. President Lyndon Johnson appointed James C. Windham, president of Pabst Brewing Company, as chairman of the national commission. Eliot Fitch of the Marine National Bank chaired the Wisconsin of the State Commission. The commission authorized several events to honor Father Marquette, including the composition of a special symphony, a symposium, and the awarding of Marquette University's first Pere Marquette Discovery Medal to the Apollo 11 astronauts. In addition, the Apostle Islands on Wisconsin's Chequamegon Bay was the site of much of Marquette's missionary work, and as a result, it was designated a national park.

Scope and Content: The collection consists of correspondence, programs, photos, newspaper clippings, and other ephemera from James Windham and Arnold Winograd, also of Pabst Brewing.

Access and Use: No restriction

Language: English

Notes: Five bronze Father Marquette medals transferred to museum division.

Arrangement:

Folder Heading	Box #	File #
Tennessee State Committee, 1966-1969	1	1
Wisconsin State Committee, 1966-1973	1	2
Marquette Tercentenary Commission, 1966	1	3
Marquette Symphony – Astronauts, General, 1969-1970	1	4
Marquette Symphony – Astronauts, November 8, 1969	1	5
Marquette Symposium, 1966-1968	1	6
Marquette Symphony – World Premiere, February 1968	1	7
Marquette Symphony – Newspaper Clippings, 1968	1	8
Marquette Symphony – Reception Invitation List, 1968	1	9
Father Marquette – Symphony	1	10

Father Marquette – Symphony – Correspondence, 1967-1968	1	11
Father Marquette – Symphony – Planning, 1966	1	12
Father Marquette – Symposium, 1968	1	13
Marquette Symphony – Arnold J. Winograd file (1 of 3)	2	1
Marquette Symphony – Arnold J. Winograd file (2 of 3)	2	2
Marquette Symphony – Arnold J. Winograd file (3 of 3)	2	3
Representative John W. Byrnes – Correspondence, 1965-1970	2	4
Representative Harold V. Froehlich – Correspondence, 1973	2	5
Representative Kenneth J. Gray – Correspondence, 1965-1973	2	6
Senator Philip A. Hart – Correspondence, 1965-1973	2	7
Mrs. Elizabeth Kane – Correspondence, 1965-1970	2	8
Reverend William F. Kelley, S.J. – Correspondence, 1965-1973	2	9
Senator Jack Miller – Correspondence, 1965-1971	2	10
Senator Karl E. Mundt – Correspondence, 1965-1972	2	11
Senator Gaylord Nelson – Correspondence, 1967-1973	2	12
Representative Philip E. Ruppe – Correspondence, 1967-1973	2	13
Kenneth J. Shouldice, Ph.D. – Correspondence, 1965-1973	2	14
Representative Clement J. Zablocki – Correspondence, 1965-1973	2	15
Senator Paul H. Douglas – Correspondence, 1965-1967	2	16
Representative Edward Hutchinson – Correspondence, 1965-1967	2	17
Charles B. Wilkinson, Special Consultant to the President – Correspondence, 1969	2	18
Father Marquette – Banking	2	19
Marquette Tercentenary – Miscellaneous	3	1
Father Marquette Biography	3	2
Father Marquette Tercentenary Commission – By-Laws, Resolutions, etc.	3	3
Father Marquette – Dates	3	4
Father Marquette – Medallions	3	5
Expenditure Approvals for Medallion	3	6
Father Marquette Tercentenary Commission – Meeting Minutes, 1966	3	7
Michilimackinac Historical Society – Correspondence, 1971-1973	3	8
Father Marquette – Portrait	3	9
Father Marquette – Publicity, 1965-1970	3	10
Father Marquette – Commemorative Stamp (1 of 2)	3	11
Father Marquette – Commemorative Stamp (2 of 2)	3	12
Father Marquette – State Commission – Arkansas, 1966-1973	3	13
Father Marquette – State Commission – Illinois, 1966-1973	3	14
Father Marquette – State Commission – Iowa, 1966-1973	3	15
Father Marquette – State Commission – Michigan, 1965-1969	3	16
Father Marquette – State Commission – Michigan, 1970-1973	3	17
Father Marquette – State Commission – Missouri, 1966-June 1967	4	1
Father Marquette – State Commission – Missouri, July 1967-1973	4	2

Father Marquette – State Commission – Minnesota, Tennessee, 1966-69	4	3
Father Marquette – Stamp, Sault Ste. Marie Ceremony, etc.	4	4
Apollo Astronauts – Newspaper Clippings	4	5
Marquette Medallion	4	6
Father Marquette – Income Taxes	4	7
Father Marquette – Chronological Data	4	8
Father Marquette – Congressional Resolutions	4	9
Father Marquette – Congressional Record	4	10
Father Marquette – Donnelly-Hamilton Books	4	11
Father Marquette – Fact Sheet	4	12
Father Marquette – General, 1971-1973	4	13
Father Marquette – General, 1968-1970	4	14
Father Marquette – General, 1965-1967	4	15
Father Marquette – Government Reports	5	1
Father Marquette – Dr. Roy Harris Luncheon	5	2
Father Marquette – Harris, Dr. Roy	5	3
Marquette University Proposal – Marquette Committee	5	4
“Jacques Marquette” by Joseph M. Donnelly, S.J.	5	5
Illinois	5	6
Iowa	5	7
Tennessee	5	8
Michigan	5	9
Missouri	5	10
Wisconsin	5	11
Marquette Symphony – Event Planning	5	12
Father Marquette – Wisconsin Committee, 1972-1977	5	13
St. Ignace (1 of 2)	5	14
St. Ignace (2 of 2)	5	15
Father Marquette Medal Orders	5	16
Father Marquette – Press Releases/Newspaper Clippings, 1966-1973	5	17
Father Marquette – Park Proposal	5	18
PHOTOS		
Apollo 11/Marquette Discovery Award	6	1
Father Marquette – Dr. Roy Harris Luncheon	6	2
Father Marquette Medals	6	3
Father Marquette Symphony	6	4
Sault Ste. Marie – Commemorative Stamp	6	5
State Commission – Michigan	6	6
State Commission – Missouri – Cape Girardeau	6	7
MATERIAL ADDED TO MULTIMEDIA COLLECTION:		
WISN-TV News film: Presentation of Marquette medal by J.C. Windham to Fr. Raynor, Marquette University		

CBS News film: J.C. Windham presentation of Marquette medal to President Lyndon B. Johnson, Dec. 11, 1968		
Reel-to-Reel Audio Recordings: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Interview with Dr. Roy Harris - Marquette Symphony - Intermission at Performing Arts Center 		
OVERSIZE MATERIAL	LOCATION	
Proclamation from mayor of Ste. Genevieve, Missouri, re dedication of Father Marquette Park, 1967	OS SM "P"	