

Finding Aid to the

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The Superintendency of John L. Nagle
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PREFACE

Jefferson National Expansion Memorial was established by Executive Order 7253, signed by President Franklin D. Roosevelt on December 21, 1935. The park was created to commemorate St. Louis' role in the westward expansion of the United States, specifically mentioning the site as the location of “the Spanish Colonial office where, during the administration of Thomas Jefferson the Upper Louisiana Purchase was transferred to the United States; the Government House at which, on March 9, 1804, Capt. Amos Stoddard of the United States Army took formal possession of the Louisiana Purchase and raised the American flag; the old French Cathedral of St. Louis, earliest home of religion on the western bank of the Mississippi; the place where Laclede and Chouteau established the first civil government west of the Mississippi; the place where Lafayette was received by a grateful people; the places where the Santa Fe, the Oregon, and other trails originated; the place where Lewis and Clark prepared for their trip of discovery and exploration; and the Court House in which the Dred Scott case was tried.”

Jefferson National Expansion Memorial collects and preserves archival materials that document the exploration and settlement of the American West, and particularly the role of St. Louis as the Gateway to the West. These manuscripts and records are collected as an extension of the three dimensional holdings of Jefferson National Expansion Memorial, further explaining and describing the artifact collections, and perhaps supplanting them when objects are lacking or unavailable. The human dimensions of the park's holdings are strengthened through the acquisition of personal correspondence, diaries, journals, sketchbooks, and photograph albums. These materials, along with records that document the administrative history of the park, comprise valuable and irreplaceable reference sources for historians and other scholars.

The Jefferson National Expansion Memorial Archives was formally organized in 1988 to insure the protection of these unique collections, and to make them available to the public. A small reference library is also available, containing nearly 4000 titles on westward expansion, Native Americans, St. Louis history, and the National Park Service. Researchers wishing to visit the Library and Archives are invited to call or write to make the necessary arrangements.

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Jennifer R. Clark
Archivist

INTRODUCTION TO THE COLLECTION

Since the creation of the memorial, staff members of Jefferson National Expansion Memorial have saved newspaper clippings related to the memorial, the riverfront, staff members, the National Park Service in St. Louis and other topics related to the memorial. In order to make the newspaper clippings collection finding aids a useable size and because the collection is still expanding, the archivist broke the collection into subsections divided into the terms of superintendents. This second section covers the administration of John L. Nagle, first superintendent of Jefferson National Expansion Memorial.

Under Superintendent Nagle the park focused on acquiring land for the memorial and studying the history of the St. Louis area in order to create a plan for a museum or museums. A team of historians and architectural historians headed by Charles Peterson studied not only the history of the St. Louis Riverfront and its architecture, but historical events that took place in the memorial district. They also studied the French colonial heritage of the region, uncovering examples of a rare form of vernacular architecture in Cahokia, Illinois and Ste. Genevieve, Missouri. A landscape plan of the proposed memorial, "Plan 8009," was formulated. (To read some of these reports please see another Jefferson National Expansion Memorial Archives collection, RU 118 JNEM Research Reports.)

In June 1936 the National Park Service created an office in St. Louis for the development of the Jefferson National Expansion Memorial and named John L. Nagle superintendent. Under Nagle's tenure the park proceeded with the acquisition of land for the memorial and conducted a great deal of historical research about the area and the early history of St. Louis. Plans were made for a museum to tell the history of the American West. During this time the inclusion of the Old Courthouse in the memorial was first considered. On July 1, 1937 the Mayor approved Ordinance 41,142 authorizing the Mayor and Comptroller to deed the Old Courthouse to the U.S. Government. The railroad tracks next to the riverfront came under consideration and the Park Service first proposed a tunnel to hide the tracks. On October 9, 1939 demolition began on buildings on the site. In May 1940 the President approved the inclusion of the Old Courthouse in the Memorial.

(Historical information abridged from:

Sharon A. Brown, *Jefferson National Expansion Memorial Administrative History, 1935-1981*. Jefferson National Expansion Memorial: June 1984.)

Information from this collection must be properly cited, whether used in publication or in other formats. In the case of this particular collection, the name of the publication should also be cited. The proper format for this collection is:

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Jefferson National Expansion Memorial Archives

Newspaper Clipping Collection: Superintendency of John L. Nagle
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Researchers are advised that before records, photographs, and any other unpublished materials from this collection can be published or exhibited, permission from the National Park Service must be obtained in writing.

ARRANGEMENT

For the sake of ease in use of the finding aid and because this collection will continue to grow, the newspaper clipping collection is divided into sections by superintendent's tenure. Each section will begin on the day the new superintendent reported for duty. Because there occasionally was a gap between the departure of one superintendent and the arrival of the next, this will mean the section continues after the formal departure of the superintendent. This second section covers the administration of the first superintendent of Jefferson National Expansion Memorial, John L. Nagle.

This collection of newspaper clippings is arranged in chronological order. The name of the article is listed, followed by the name of the publication in which it appeared. Some articles were found in the collection with no citation and no publication name is known so none is listed.

Because the finding aids to this collection will be quite large, and because the topics are all quite similar and related, there is no index to this collection. Researchers wishing to conduct a word search on the finding aid may obtain the finding aid in document format from the website at <http://www.nps.gov/jeff/historyculture/archival-collections.htm> or contact the archivist for assistance.

CONTAINER LISTING

Series 119.01 The Superintendency of John L. Nagle

Box 1

Folder 1

June 1936

"Constitutional Issue Raised on Riverfront Plan"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

June 5, 1936

"Temporary Order Halts River Memorial Plans"

St. Louis Star-Times

June 9, 1936

"Roosevelt Is Heard by 20,000 at Indiana Memorial Dedication"

June 14, 1936

"Roosevelt Hails Throng at Old Vincennes"

St. Louis Globe-Democrat

June 15, 1936

[JNEM Visual Image 119-80]

"Why the Farmers Went to Washington"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

June 15, 1936

"Jefferson Riverfront Memorial Will Be a Symbol of Great Epoch"

St. Louis Star-Times

June 16, 1936

[JNEM Visual Image 119: 81-82 and JNEM Map 119-3]

"Jefferson Sought to Buy a Town, Found He Doubled Size of Nation"

St. Louis Star-Times

June 17, 1936

[JNEM Visual Image 119-83]

"River Memorial Not Mere St. Louis Project, but of National Importance"

St. Louis Star-Times

June 18, 1936

[JNEM Visual Image 119-84]

"Suit by Workers in River Front Plants Planned"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
June 20, 1936

"Steeple Moved in One Piece"
June 21, 1936
[JNEM Visual Image 119-85]

"U.S. Files Plea to Dismiss Suit Over Riverfront Park"
June 21, 1936

"Government Answers River Memorial Suit"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
June 22, 1936

"Thunder on the Left"
St. Louis Star-Times
June 23, 1936

"Plea to Enjoin River Memorial Project Denied"
St. Louis Star-Times
June 24, 1936

"River Front Objectors Lose Injunction Suit"
June 24, 1936

"Congressman Cochran"
St. Louis Star-Times
June 25, 1936

"Memorial Work on River Front to Start at Once"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
June 25, 1936

"River Front Memorial Ruling to Be Appealed"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
June 25, 1936

"Riverfront Backers Say Way Is Clear to Begin"
June 25, 1936

"River Memorial Tax Data Filed in Injunction Suit"
St. Louis Star-Times
June 25, 1936

"Who's Property Is Safe?"

June 25, 1936

"How Deep Is Money Barrel"

St. Louis Star-Times

June 26, 1936

"Riverfront Firms Told Not to Move Pending Appeal"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

June 26, 1936

"Way to Memorial Again Clear"

St. Louis Globe-Democrat

June 26, 1936

"The Daily Washington Merry-Go-Round"

June 30, 1936

"Garner Visits City, Thinks Horse Race Might Settle Election"

St. Louis Globe-Democrat

June 30, 1936

Folder 2

July 1936

"Wrong Approach to the Memorial"

July 1, 1936

"The WPA Public Defender Fund"

St. Louis Star-Times

July 2, 1936

"Jefferson Memorial Foes Appeal Case"

St. Louis Globe-Democrat

July 3, 1936

"Chamber of Commerce Favors Jefferson Memorial"

Republican, Marion, Illinois

July 7, 1936

"C. of C. Endorses Memorial Plaza"

Post, Marion, Illinois

July 8, 1936

"Theodore Dreiser on Our River Front"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

July 14, 1936

"\$15,000 Fire Wrecks Blanton Co. Building"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch
July 27, 1936

"Two Museums, Depicting Early Fur Trade and Growth of
Architecture, May Be Nucleus of River Memorial"

St. Louis Star-Times

July 29, 1936

[[NEM Visual Image 119: 86-89]

"\$30,000,000 Worth of Boondoggling"

July 30, 1936

[[NEM Visual Image 119: 90-91]

Folder 3

August 1936

"Heirlooms for Sale"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

August 2, 1936

[[NEM Visual Image 119: 92]

"Peters Commends Voters on Turning Down Bond Issues"

St. Louis Star-Times

August 6, 1936

"Plans for Preserving Old Cathedral on River Front Studied"

St. Louis Globe-Democrat

August 6, 1936

"A New Hayday for 'Old Man River'"

August 11, 1936

[[NEM Visual Image 119: 93-95]

"Appellate Court Halts Progress on Memorial Project"

St. Louis Globe-Democrat

August 18, 1936

"Ickes Not Investigating Memorial Bond Election"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

August 20, 1936

Folder 4

September 1936

"Nagle Home After Riverfront Parley"

St. Louis Globe-Democrat

September 4, 1936

"Bond Election Fraud Charged"

September 8, 1936

"Big Sums Already Spent by U.S. and City on River Plan"
St. Louis Star-Times
September 10, 1936

"Memorial Group Uncertain About Effects of Probe"
St. Louis Star-Times
September 10, 1936

"The Jefferson Memorial . . ."
Fulton Telegraph, Fulton, Missouri
September 24, 1936

"Mayor Denies Any Improper Acts in Bond Issue Vote"
St. Louis Star-Times
September 24, 1936

Folder 5

October 1936

"Where St. Louisans May See Roosevelt on Visit Wednesday"
St. Louis Star-Times
October 10, 1936

"Plans Are Completed for Roosevelt's Visit to City Tomorrow"
St. Louis Globe-Democrat
October 13, 1936

"Plea to Roosevelt by Memorial Foes"
St. Louis Globe-Democrat
October 13, 1936

"Requests President Confer with Memorial Opponents"
St. Louis Star-Times
October 13, 1936

"St. Louis Plans for Roosevelt's Visit Tomorrow"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
October 13, 1936

"To Dedicate Memorial"
October 13, 1936

"Cheering Crowds Greet Roosevelt on St. Louis Visit"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
October 14, 1936

"Faith Expressed by Roosevelt in Missouri Speech"
October 14, 1936

"For President, Franklin D. Roosevelt"
St. Louis Star-Times
October 14, 1936

"Memorial Site Is Dedicated by President"
October 14, 1936

"People Able to Meet Problems"
Warrensburg Journal
October 14, 1936

"Peter Norbeck and Stix Way Like New Deal"
Lead Call, Lead, South Dakota
October 14, 1936

"President Inspects Site of the Proposed Riverfront Memorial"
St. Louis Star-Times
October 14, 1936

"Roosevelt at St. Louis Gets Big Welcome"
October 14, 1936

"Roosevelt Says U.S. 'Promoting Course of Peace'"
October 14, 1936

"Roosevelt to Make Chicago Talk Tonight"
Poplar Bluff Republic
October 14, 1936

"Sees Record Election Vote"
October 14, 1936

"Text of President's Address in St. Louis"
Covington Times Star, Covington, Kentucky
October 14, 1936

"Where the President May Be Seen and Heard in St. Louis
Tomorrow"
St. Louis Star-Times
October 14, 1936

"U.S. Is Promoting Peace, Roosevelt Says at St. Louis"
St. Joseph News Press, St. Joseph, Missouri
October 14, 1936

"75,000 at Ceremony on Plaza"
St. Louis Star-Times
October 15, 1936

"Huge Throng Greets President Roosevelt Here Wednesday A.M."
St. Louis Union News
October 16, 1936

Folder 6

November 1936

"Dickmann Launches Fight Against Memorial Opponents"
November 6, 1936

"Suit Against Riverfront Memorial Bonds Dismissed"
November 15, 1936

"Memorial on River Front Is Held up Till Congress Acts"
St. Louis Globe-Democrat
November 18, 1936

"No Money Now for Memorial, Cummings Says"
St. Louis Star-Times
November 18, 1936

"Hope Dashes for Early Roosevelt Okay on Memorial"
St. Louis Star-Times
November 19, 1936

"Now Up to Congress"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
November 19, 1936

"St. Louisans Try to Find Way Past Memorial Ruling"
Photograph Included
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
November 19, 1936
[[NEM Visual Image 119-96]

"Back From Capital Empty-Handed, Mayor Still Hopes for Memorial"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
November 22, 1936

"Mayor Hopes for Enough Funds to Start Memorial"
November 22, 1936

"The Mayor Sets an Example"
St. Louis Star-Times
November 23, 1936

"River Front Project Foes Win Brief Filing Delay"
St. Louis Globe-Democrat
November 23, 1936

"Mayor to Ask U.S. to Speed Memorial"
St. Louis Globe-Democrat
November 24, 1936

"Asks Riverfront Backers if Fraud Alters Their View"
November 26, 1936

"Inspects River-Front for Museum Pieces"
November 26, 1936

"Museum of American Architecture Urged for River Front Unit"
St. Louis Globe-Democrat
November 26, 1936

"Plan for Museum of Architecture"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
November 26, 1936

"Races Dickmann to Washington in Memorial Fight"
St. Louis Star-Times
November 28, 1936

"Dickmann in Washington to Talk About Memorial"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
November 30, 1936

"Opponents of Water Front Memorial File Appeal in U.S. Court"
St. Louis Globe-Democrat
November 30, 1936

Folder 7

December 1936

"To Make City a Party to Riverfront Suit"
December 1, 1936

"Jefferson Memorial Planned at Meeting"

December 2, 1936

"Jefferson Memorial to Cost 3 Millions"

December 2, 1936

"Mayor Confident Memorial Project Will Be Realized"

St. Louis Globe-Democrat

December 3, 1936

"Brief for Memorial Project Authorized"

St. Louis Globe-Democrat

December 5, 1936

"Jefferson Memorial"

New Orleans States

December 6, 1936

"Now a Jefferson Memorial"

Grand Junction Sentinel, Grand Junction, Colorado

December 8, 1936

"Planetarium as Part of River Memorial Favored by Mayor"

St. Louis Globe-Democrat

December 8, 1936

"Proposed National Monument to Jefferson"

Tempe News, Tempe, Arizona

December 8, 1936

"Planetarium Sought for Riverfront Memorial"

St. Louis Star-Times

December 9, 1936

"River Bond Election Inquiry Again Sought"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

December 11, 1936

"Riverfront Group Again Questioned About Bond Issue"

St. Louis Star-Times

December 11, 1936

"Grand Jury Will Not Probe Riverfront Bond Issue Election"

St. Louis Globe-Democrat

December 12, 1936

"Why Grand Jury Won't Take up Bond Vote Fraud"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch
December 12, 1936

"Jefferson Memorial"
Austin American, Austin, Texas
December 16, 1936

"Explaining Use of Planetarium"
Illustration Included
St. Louis Star-Times
December 18, 1936
[JNEM Visual Image 119-97]

"Grand Jury Recesses Without Comment on Cause of Worry"
St. Louis Globe-Democrat
December 18, 1936

"\$104,722,000 in City Projects Approved by Plan Commission"
St. Louis Globe-Democrat
December 19, 1936

"City Plan Board Estimates Needs at \$104,722,000"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
December 19, 1936

"Differs With Mayor on City Redistricting"
St. Louis Globe-Democrat
December 19, 1936

"St. Louis Approves Public Works Program"
Joplin Globe, Joplin, Missouri
December 19, 1936

"Behind the Scenes in Washington"
Lawton Constitution, Lawton, Oklahoma
December 22, 1936

"Protest"
Springfield Leader, Springfield, Missouri
December 22, 1936

"Behind the Scenes at Washington"
December 23, 1936

"U.S. Commission Files Brief Upon Memorial Protest"
December 29, 1936

"Asks Grand Jury That Vetoed Vote Inquiry to Resign"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
December 30, 1936

"Government Files Brief in Special Memorial Appeal"
St. Louis Globe-Democrat
December 31, 1936

"River Memorial Advocates Reply to Plea for Writ"
St. Louis Star-Times
December 31, 1936

Folder 8

1936 (month unknown)

"Comptroller Nolte Replies to Dickmann"
1936

"Didn't Reverse Self, but Mayor Did, Nolte Says"
1936

"Estimate Board Votes for River Memorial Bonds"
St. Louis Star-Times
1936

"Holding Back the Memorial"
1936

"How Long, O Lord?"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
1936

"Ideas for St. Louis Gardeners"
Photographs Included
1936
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"James Truslow Adams on Thomas Jefferson and His Professed
Disciples"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
1936

"The Mayor's Inactivity"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
1936

"Memorial Project Offices Opened"

1936

"River Bond Election Inquiry Again Sought"
1936

"Smoke and the River Front"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
1936

"Statement by Mayor on River-Front Bonds"
1936

"Third Suit to Halt 'River' Bonds Filed"
1936

"U.S. Is Going Ahead on River Park Project"
1936

Folder 9

January 1937

"Propose Memorial to Thomas Jefferson"
Tempe News, Tempe, Arizona
January 2, 1937

"Public Is Back of Jefferson Memorial"
Reno Journal, Reno, Nevada
January 2, 1937

"The Jefferson Monument"
Sullivan Times, Sullivan, Indiana
January 7, 1937

"Validity Doubted by Business Group"
January 10, 1937

"Pro-Memorial Property Owners File Brief in Suit"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
January 13, 1937

"U.S. Asked to Deny River Memorial Injunction Plea"
St. Louis Star-Times
January 13, 1937

"Decision Not Due on Memorial for at Least a Month"
St. Louis Star-Times
January 14, 1937

"Inaugural Finds Setting of Beauty in New and Matured
Washington"

Rock Rapids Reporter, Rock Rapids, Iowa

January 14, 1937

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"Riverfront Idea Is Attacked in Appeals Court"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

January 16, 1937

"Behind the Scenes in Washington"

Wewoka Democrat, Wewoka, Oklahoma

January 26, 1937

"Should Be Held Indoors"

January 1937

Folder 10

February 1937

"Judge Joynt Enjoins Himself"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

February 4, 1937

"O. T. Remmers Urges New Bond Issue Vote"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

February 16, 1937

"Remmers Urges New Vote on Bond Issue"

St. Louis Daily Globe

February 17, 1937

"Judge Joynt Gives Supreme Court His Reasons for Barring Inquiry
in Riverfront Bond Vote Frauds"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

February 25, 1937

"News & Views"

Center (Missouri) Herald

February 25, 1937

"J. L. Nagle Shifted From Post Here"

St. Louis Globe-Democrat

February 27, 1937

"Vault of Catholic Church Holds Bones of St. Louis Pioneers"

St. Louis Globe-Democrat

February 28, 1937

[[NEM Visual Image 119-104]]

Folder 11

March 1937

"Bus Service to Park Attractions"

St. Louis Globe-Democrat

March 3, 1937

"St. Louis Parkway Stand Is Upheld"

Washington Evening Star

March 8, 1937

"William Carr Lane, St. Louis' First Mayor, Started City on Road to Present Greatness"

Illustration Included

St. Louis Star-Times

March 8, 1937

[[NEM Visual Image 119-105]]

"Memorial Gifts Deductible"

St. Louis Star-Times

March 15, 1937

"Abandon the Jefferson Memorial"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

March 29, 1937

Cartoon: "Jefferson: In Memory of Me?"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

March 30, 1937

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"Questions and Answers"

St. Louis Star-Times

March 31, 1937

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April 1937

"U.S. Official Here on Memorial Site Condemnations"

St. Louis Globe-Democrat

April 1, 1937

"Banker Isaac Orr Denies Remmers' Quotation of Him"

St. Louis Star-Times

April 2, 1937

"For Written Opinion in Ballot Box Case"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

April 2, 1937

"Grand Jury Reports Work to Judge Joynt"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

April 2, 1937

"Remmers Says Mayor Opposes Registration Bill"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

April 2, 1937

"Official French Mission Visits Here"

St. Louis Globe-Democrat

April 7, 1937

Cartoon: "When a Ballot-Box Case Comes to Court"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

April 15, 1937

[[NEM Visual Image 119-107]

"Mr. Roosevelt's Economy Move"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

April 15, 1937

"Trying to Get it Straight"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

April 15, 1937

"Wayman, Thomas Jefferson and Riverfront Memorial"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

April 16, 1937

"Employment and the Jefferson Memorial"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

April 21, 1937

"Review of Vote Ruling Asked"

St. Louis Globe-Democrat

April 22, 1937

"Two Jefferson Memorials"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

April 24, 1937

Cartoon: "Good Place for Lightning to Strike"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

April 26, 1937

[[NEM Visual Image 119-108]

"River Memorial Work May Go Over Until Early Fall"

St. Louis Star-Times

April 27, 1937

"Riverfront and Washington Monument"

St. Louis Star-Times

April 29, 1937

"Hope Fading for Riverfront Fund Due to Economy"

St. Louis Star-Times

April 30, 1937

Folder 13

May 1937

"Appeals to Supreme Court for Ruling on River-Front"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

May 7, 1937

"River Memorial Injunction Asked in Supreme Court"

St. Louis Star-Times

May 7, 1937

"Jefferson Memorial Row Stirs Capital"

May 13, 1937

"Riverfront Plan Flayed as Reality Scheme in House"

St. Louis Star-Times

May 13, 1937

"Roosevelt in St. Louis Briefly on Way East"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch

May 13, 1937

[[NEM Visual Image 119-109]

"Roosevelt on Way Eastward Pays City Visit"

St. Louis Star-Times

May 13, 1937

"Roosevelt Pays City Brief Visit on His Way Eastward After 17-Day Fishing Trip in South"

St. Louis Star-Times

May 13, 1937

[[NEM Visual Image 119-110]

"St. Louis Riverfront Memorial Attacked"

St. Louis Post-Dispatch
May 13, 1937

"River Memorial Again Flayed on Floor of House"
St. Louis Star-Times
May 21, 1937

"Government's Reply in Riverfront Suit"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
May 24, 1937

"Relief Bill Held up by Efforts to Earmark Funds"
May 24, 1937

"U.S. Brief Filed in Riverfront Injunction Suit"
St. Louis Star-Times
May 24, 1937

"Query"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
May 27, 1937

Folder 14

June 1937
"Memorial on River Is Upheld"
St. Louis Star-Times
June 1, 1937

"Riverfront Suit Review Denied by Supreme Court"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
June 1, 1937

"Supreme Court Gives Approval to Plan for Jefferson Memorial"
St. Louis Star-Times
June 1, 1937

"Court Clears Way for Memorial"
June 2, 1937

"Mayor Seeks Action on Riverfront Plan"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
June 2, 1937

"Orders Purchase of Property for River Memorial"
St. Louis Star-Times
June 2, 1937

"Rush Plans for Memorial"
St. Joseph News Press, St. Joseph, Missouri
June 2, 1937

"2500-Foot Tower Proposed for River Front"
St. Louis Globe-Democrat
June 3, 1937
[[NEM Visual Image 119-111]]

"Action Begun to Condemn Site for River Memorial"
June 3, 1937

"Action Started to Condemn Land for River Memorial"
June 3, 1937

"First of Suits Filed to Acquire Riverfront Sites"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
June 3, 1937

"Mayor to Rush River Project"
St. Louis Globe-Democrat
June 3, 1937

"Expects 60 Pct. of Riverfront Suits Will Be Settled"
Illustration Included
St. Louis Star-Times
June 4, 1937
[[NEM Visual Image 119:6-7]]

"File First Suits for Riverfront Condemnation"
St. Louis Globe-Democrat
June 4, 1937

"Memorial Site Razing May Be Begun by July 1"
St. Louis Star-Times
June 4, 1937
[[NEM Visual Image 119:4-5]]

"Old Courthouse May Go to U.S."
St. Louis Globe-Democrat
June 5, 1937

"Suits for Riverfront Property Challenged"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
June 5, 1937

"Riverfront Memorial Attacked in House"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
June 8, 1937

"The 30-Million Dollar Memorial . . ."
June 10, 1937

"Fifth Riverfront Condemnation Suit"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
June 10, 1937

"Business Exodus from Riverfront Seemingly Near"
St. Louis Star-Times
June 11, 1937

"Congress and the Memorial"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
June 11, 1937

"If Congress Investigates"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
June 11, 1937

"New Suit to Condemn Riverfront Block"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
June 11, 1937

"Seek Direct Sales on River Front"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
June 13, 1937

"Want Direct Sale to Government"
June 13, 1937

"Suit to Condemn 6th Riverfront Block"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
June 14, 1937

"Some Questions"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
June 15, 1937

"Direct Options to Be Taken on River Front"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
June 16, 1937

"F. D. R. Deceived on River Memorial, Kansan Charges"
St. Louis Star-Times
June 16, 1937

"Civic Shysters' Tricked President Into Providing for Riverfront Memorial, Congressman Says"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
June 17, 1937

"More River-Front Condemnation Suits"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
June 17, 1937

"District of Columbia Court Dismisses Injunction Suit"
St. Louis Star-Times
June 24, 1937

"New Suit Filed to Block River Memorial Work"
St. Louis Star-Times
June 24, 1937

"New Suit to Bar Riverfront Work Filed in St. Louis"
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
June 24, 1937

"Riverfront Park Backers Say Way Is Clear to Begin"
June 25, 1937

"First Step Lost in New Fight on River Memorial"
St. Louis Star-Times
June 29, 1937

"Filing River-Front Memorial Condemnation Suits"
June 1937
[[NEM Visual Image 119-112]

Folder 15

September 1937

"Urges 'Dynamic' Memorial Setting"
St. Louis Daily St. Louis Globe-Democrat
September 3, 1937
[[NEM Visual Image 119-113]

"Predicts Long Tie-Up in Riverfront Suits"
St. Louis Star-Times
September 23, 1937

"Tied"
Springfield Leader, Springfield, Missouri
September 27, 1937

Folder 16

October 1937

"History of St. Louis Provides Most Colorful Background for Memorial on Riverfront"

St. Louis Star-Times

October 29, 1937

[JNEM Visual Image 119: 114-115]

"St. Louis Memorial Will Rank With Noted Parks of U.S. System"

St. Louis Star-Times

October 30, 1937

Folder 17

November 1937

"Frontier St. Louis to Emerge in Memorial"

St. Louis Star-Times

November 1, 1937

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