



Guide to RG 660 Historical Publications and Reference Materials, 1838-2009

Overview of the Collection

Creators:	Catholic Church. <i>Archdiocese of Seattle</i>
Title:	RG 660 Historical Publications and Reference Materials
Dates:	1838-2009
Extent:	27 containers (10.4 cubic feet)
Reference Code:	RG 660
Summary:	RG 660 contains primarily published material about the Archdiocese of Seattle (and its predecessors), Northwest Catholicism, Native Americans, and Northwest history.
Repository:	Archives of the Archdiocese of Seattle. 710 9 th Ave., Seattle, WA 98103
Language(s):	Records are in English, French, Latin, Italian, Sahaptan/ <i>Ichishkiin</i> <i>Sinwit</i> (Yakama), Chinook Jargon, Salish, Nsyilxcən (Okanagan), and Lushootseed. Records in English unless noted.
Description Control:	Description based on DACS except the pamphlets and dissertations, thesis, and term papers which are based on the Chicago Manual of Style's endnote citations, with the publication title first for subject alphabetization.

Biographical/Administrative History

Unlike other records groups in the Archives of the Archdiocese of Seattle, RG 660 Historical Publications and Reference Materials does not reflect the operations of a specific Chancery office, program, function, or even a concerted centralized collection effort. RG 660 is a collection which has been accumulated over the years to document the history of the Diocese, northwest Catholicism, and northwest history in general. Most records in this record group have not been created explicitly by the Archdiocese of Seattle or its predecessors (Diocese of Walla Walla, Diocese of Nesqually, or Diocese of Seattle). Instead, most records constitute reference material collected by priests, diocesan archivists, the Oblates of Mary Immaculate (OMI), or Chancery staff interested in diocesan history. The most prominent of these many creators and collectors was Rev. Delannoy.

Rev. Joseph Mary Louis Delannoy (1867-1940) was born in Rumbeke, Belgium and ordained to the priesthood at Louvain, Belgium in 1890. Over his career, he served the Diocese of Nesqually in various positions, most prominently as Assistant at St. James Cathedral in Vancouver, WA. He also served as chaplain of St. Joseph Hospital in Bellingham, WA from 1925 until his death in 1940. Most of his notes in this record group ([Series 6](#)) date from his time at St. Joseph Hospital, Bellingham. There, he transcribed/translated early letters from founding bishops and clergy and provided copious explanatory notes for many important historical records and issues in the diocese. He also answered questions about diocesan history from internal and external requesters. Many records are his notes and commentary on issues relating to the founding of the Diocese of Nesqually and Northwest Catholic history in general.

Important dates related to this record group are:

1838 Appointment of Rev. F. N. Blanchet as Vicar General to establish a mission in Oregon. Rev. F. N. Blanchet and Rev. Modeste Demers arrived at Fort Vancouver.

1843 Pope Gregory XVI created the apostolic vicariate out of the territory between California (to the south), the Rocky Mountains (to the east), the Pacific Ocean (to the west) and Alaska (to the north) with F. N. Blanchet as its bishop.

1846 Pope Pius IX elevated Bishop F. N. Blanchet's status to Archbishop; Rev. Modeste Demers was appointed as bishop to the Diocese of Vancouver Island and Rev. A. M. A. Blanchet was appointed as bishop to the Diocese of Walla Walla.

1847 Whitman Massacre

1848 US Congress established Territorial Government of Oregon

1850 Establishment of the Diocese of Nesqually

1866 Death of Chief Seattle

1907 Diocese of Nesqually name changed to Diocese of Seattle

1913 Erection of the Diocese of Spokane

1951 Diocese of Seattle elevated to Archdiocese of Seattle; erection of the Diocese of Yakima

Scope and Content

Much of this record group consists of previously published material (such as newspaper clippings, pamphlets, and reports) intended for reference and study. Also, most copies of Dissertations, Theses, and Term Papers listed in [Series 3](#) can be found in the catalog of their respective university libraries, but were brought together because of their relation to diocesan history.

Series 1: Anniversaries & Celebrations; Series 4: Maps; Series 5: Native American Subject Files; Series 8: Photographs; and Series 10: Statistics represent the main extent of the original manuscript material (unpublished records) in this collection created by the diocese or its priests or missionaries. These are most pertinent to the history of the Diocese.

The pamphlets series (Series 7) offers a glimpse into the reference material used by the Diocese. Perhaps the most interesting of these is the Native American Dictionaries and Language Materials subseries (Subseries 2) as these pamphlets were integral in the missionary activities among Native Peoples in Washington State.

Some prominent topics documented in this record group include: Catholic missionaries in Washington state or territory (especially Jesuits), Native Americans issues (such as education and evangelization), Native American languages (in the form of pamphlets/dictionaries), the Whitman Massacre (1847), early diocesan statistics, and the Diocesan Centennial (1950).

Related Material:

- **RG 320 Other Dioceses** for correspondence with Archbishop F. N. Blanchet and Archdiocese of Portland in Oregon Series.
- **RG 610 Bishops Central File** for correspondence and records from Bishop A.M.A. Blanchet and Bishop A. Jünger.
- **RG 630 Legal Documents** for records of founding documents and articles of incorporation.
- **RG 632 Property and Construction. Mission Claims.**
- **RG 661 Archives** for more recent diocesan anniversaries and celebrations as well as historical projects such as Catholic Women's Oral History project and the working files for *Abundance of Grace* book project.
- **RG 700 Parishes: Parish Annual Reports.** This record series contains data about demographics, programs, property, financial information, which parishes submitted to the Chancery annually. It complements Series 10.
- **RG 700 Parishes** for files for Native American missions such as St. Joachim, Lummi; St. Paul, La Conner (Swinomish); St. Anne, Tulalip; St. Francis Xavier, Toledo (Cowlitz Prairie); St. Mary, Coupeville; and St. Joseph, Yakima are related to material in Series 5.
- **RG 820 Priests, Diocesan** for files on prominent Diocesan priests, such as Very Rev. J.B.A. Brouillet and his involvement with the Whitman Massacre.
- The [Research Guide to Native American Materials in the Archdiocese of Seattle](#) for additional material on Native Americans in the Archives.

Administrative Information

System of Arrangement: This record group is arranged into the following series, subseries, and files.

Series 1: Anniversaries & Celebrations, circa 1923-1988

Series 2: Clippings, 1848-1974

Subseries 1: Subject Files, 1860-1974

Subseries 2: Clippings Volumes, 1848-1952

Series 3: Dissertations, Theses, and Term Papers, 1932-2009

Series 4: Maps, circa 1850

Series 5: Native American Subject Files, 1846-2002

Subseries 1: Clippings, 1891-1969

Subseries 2: Correspondence, 1848-2002

File 1: Jesuit Correspondence, 1846-1923

File 2: Reports, circa 1850s-1948

Subseries 3: Missions, 1846-1948

Subseries 4: Whitman Massacre, 1847-1936

Series 6: Notes, Translations, and Research, 1900-1978

Series 7: Pamphlets, 1839-1988

Subseries 1: Federal and State Publications, 1830-1903

Subseries 2: Native American Dictionaries and Language Materials, 1872-1883

Subseries 3: Native American Missions, 1839-1918

Subseries 4: Northwest Catholicism, circa 1863-1988

Subseries 5: Northwest, General, 1879-1974

Subseries 6: Whitman Massacre, 1869-1905

Series 8: Photographs, circa 1950s

Series 9: Publications (Diocesan), 1964-ongoing

Series 10: Statistics, 1864-1967

Series 11: Artifacts, circa 1830s

Custodial History: N/A

Conditions Governing Access: Access is granted to the record group in accordance with the [general restriction policy](#).

Detailed Description of Record Group

Series 1: Anniversaries & Celebrations, circa 1923 - 1988

Scope and Content: This series is a result of the celebrations in which the Chancery has participated such as the Diamond Jubilee (1925), the Catholic Sesquicentennial (1988), and the Diocese Centennial (1950-1951). Most records in this series are promotional material such as programs and booklets. There are a few folders recording the planning of these events.

See also Series 8: Photographs for photos of the Diocesan Diamond Jubilee of 1925; and Series 7: Pamphlets – Northwest, General for centennial of the church in Walla Walla.

<u>Box/Folder</u>	<u>Folder Title</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>
1/1	Catholic Sesquicentennial - celebration program - Fort Vancouver National Historical Site, Vancouver, WA	1988
1/2	Diamond Jubilee - collection booklet	circa 1925
1/3	Diamond Jubilee - correspondence	1925
1/4	Diamond Jubilee - memorabilia - poster, buttons, and program.	1925
1/5	Diocese Centennial - <i>Catholic Northwest Progress</i> . "Centennial of the Diocese of Seattle 1850-1950."	1951
1/6	Diocese Centennial - civic auditorium program and Historical Committee meeting minutes	1950
1/7	Diocese Centennial - correspondence	1950
1/8	Diocese Centennial - invitations	1950
1/9	Diocese Centennial - newspaper clippings	1950-1953
1/10	General - checklist of things to do for solemn occasions	undated
1/11	Provincial Centennial - correspondence (1938)	1934-1950
1/12	Seattle Centennial - time capsule correspondence - history of the Diocese by Archbishop Thomas A. Connolly	1951

Series 2: Clippings, 1848-1974

Scope and Content: This series contains both loose newspaper clippings compiled during the first half of the twentieth century as well as clipping volumes from primarily from the second half of the nineteenth century. The subject files subseries containing loose clippings relate more to the history of the Diocese and Catholicism in the Northwest. The volumes, however, which contain clippings from newspapers around the world, provide a snapshot of pertinent issues of the times, as understood by its creator. Of particular interest in this series are pages detailing the payments and donations to missions 1838-1849. These capitulations are contained in Volume VI.

System of Arrangement: This series is arranged into the following subseries:

Subseries 1: Subject Files, 1860-1974

Subseries 2: Clippings Volumes, 1848-1952

Subseries 1: Subject Files, 1860-1974

Scope and Content: This small subseries is arranged primarily by geographical location. It reflects the original arrangement of these folders.

<u>Box/Folder</u>	<u>Folder Title</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>
1/13	Alaska-Yukon Exposition	1909

1/14	Bellingham	1890-1940
1/15	"Catholics in the Development of the Northwest" by the editor of the <i>Catholic Sentinel</i> reprinted from "Catholic Builders of the Nation." vol. 1. Continental Press, Inc., Boston, 1923.	circa 1923
1/16	Centennial of the Diocese of Seattle	1950-1953
2/1	Diocesan history	1939-1940
2/2	Diocese becomes Archdiocese	1951
2/3	Diocese of Nesqually Synod	1898
2/4	Fort Nisqually	1929-1965
2/5	Hudson Bay Company	1860-1935
2/6	"I Remember: A Nostalgic Description of Early Days in the Diocese of Nesqually (Seattle)." Kathleen Clancy. <i>St. Joseph Magazine</i> , 1956	1956
2/7	McLoughlin, Dr. John. Newspaper clipping found in a book presented to Archbishop F. N. Blanchet by John McLoughlin.	undated
2/8	Olympia	1921-1930
2/9	Seattle, City of	1924-1964
2/10	Vancouver, WA Centennial	1923-1925
2/11	Vancouver, WA Centennial	1924-1929
2/12	<i>Vancouver Chronicle</i> newspaper April 11, 1861	1861 April 11
2/13	Vancouver, WA - general	1908-1940
2/14	<i>Vancouver Register</i> newspaper from April 8, 1891	1891 April 8
2/15	Walla Walla, Diocese of - general	1974
2/16	Washington Territory pioneers	1898-1926

Subseries 2: Clippings Volumes, 1848-1952

Scope and Content: The clippings in this subseries were organized and arranged into volumes either by Very Rev. J. B. A. Brouillet or Bishop A.M.A. Blanchet before the see was moved from Vancouver to Seattle. The 17 volumes contain almost exclusively newspaper clippings, and more specifically clippings related to Catholicism worldwide. Volume numbering reflects original numbers given by Blanchet or Brouillet. The clippings come from predominantly the *Catholic Sentinel* (Portland, OR), more than likely due to Vancouver's proximity to Portland. Other newspapers include: *New York Freeman's Journal*, *Oregon Churchman* (Portland, OR), *Catholic News*, *Catholic Mirror*, *Daily Oregonian*, *Sunday Mercury* (Portland, OR), *Le Monde* (Paris, France), *Evening Telegram* (Portland, OR), *Monitor* (San Francisco, CA), *Irish World*, the *Pilot* (Boston, MA), *New York Herald*, *Weekly Statesman* (possibly Walla Walla, WA), *London Tablet*, *Montreal True Witness*, *Le Nouveau Monde*, and others. In addition to general news stories, the contents of the clippings include: pastoral letters, obituaries, letters to the editor, addresses, circulars, sermons, and encyclicals.

Of particular interest in this series is the beginning of Volume VI. Before the section where newspaper clippings begin, there is "Recapitulations Depuis L'etablissement de la Mission" from the years 1838-1849. Here donations and payments were recorded which relate to early missions (Cowlitz, Vancouver, etc.). The author is unknown but is likely to be either Very Rev. J. B. A. Brouillet (the Vicar General at the time), Bishop A.M.A. Blanchet or perhaps Rev. Modeste Demers. Also of interest are articles relating to the Pacific Northwest. See [Appendix A](#) for an index of topics and headlines.

The remaining scrapbook relates to the City of Seattle. There is also a fragment of a scrapbook containing photographs of Bishop Aegidius Jünger (as a priest) and Rev. Louis Schram.

<u>Box/Folder</u>	<u>Folder Title</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>
Oversize 21	Volume II	1855-1859
3/1	Volume III	1867-1869
3/2	Volume IV-V	1868-1871
3/3	Volume VI - included at the beginning is: "Recapitulations Depuis L'etablissement de la Mission" (1838-1849)	1872 [1838-1849]
4/1	Volume VII	1873
4/2	Volume VIII	1874
4/3	Volume IX	1875
4/4	Volume X	1876
5/1	Volume XI	1877
5/2	Volume XII	1878-1879
5/3	Volume XIII	1879-1880
6/1	Volume XIV	1866, 1867, 1864, 1871, 1872, 1873, 1875, 1880, 1881
6/2	Volume XV	1881
6/3	Volume XVI	1882
7/1	Volume XVIII: "Scrapbook for Canada"	1870-1876
7/2	Volume (unnumbered)	1900-1902
8/1	Volume (unnumbered)	1884-1899
Oversize21	Scrapbook of Seattle's growth and development, 1851-1953	circa 1952
Oversize21	Leaf of scrapbook which contains 7 photographs. "Rev. Louis Schram" and "Rev. Aegidius Junger"	undated

Series 3: Dissertations, Theses, and Term Papers, 1932-2009

Scope and Content: This collection of term papers, theses, and dissertations was primarily the result of a conscious collecting effort in the 1930s to the 1950s and the current alphabetical arrangement reflects the original. This collection focuses exclusively on the early history of the diocese and its bishops, parishes, religious orders, and institutions. The term papers were written for Seattle University's history program and in particular, history classes taught by Rev. Vincent Conway, S.J., Librarian from 1952 to 1964. Also included in this collection is a manuscript copy of the unpublished "History of the Catholic Church in the State of Washington" by Rev. William J. Metz, S.J. and a conference paper given by A. Felix Verwilghen, C.I.C.M. Another manuscript copy is Wilfred P. Schoenberg, S.J.'s *From Log Cabins to Cathedrals*.

<u>Box/Folder</u>	<u>Folder Title</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>
9/1	"An Annotated Bibliography of Sources Relating to the Archdiocese of Seattle and its Bishops from the Time of its Erection to the Present." Sister Julie Therese Weber. Master's Thesis, San Jose State College, 1968.	1968
9/2	"Blanchet - Augustin Magloire Alexander, Bishop of Nesqually - Collections Made in Mexico (1851-1852)." Sister Peter Mary McEnnis, S.H.N. Term Paper, Seattle University, 1947.	1947
9/3	"Blanchet - Bishop, and the Province." Sister Augustinus Rohr. Term Paper, Seattle University, 1950.	1950
9/4	"Blanchet, Francis Norbert and the Founding of the Oregon Missions (1838-1848)." Sister Letitia Mary Lyons, S.N.J.M. PhD Dissertation, Catholic University of America, 1940.	1940
9/5	"Brouillet - Abbe Jean - Baptiste Abraham, First Vicar General of the Diocese of Seattle." Sister Marian Josephine Thomas, S.N.J.M. Master's Thesis, Seattle University, 1950.	1950
9/6	"Catholic Hospital and Social Justice." Rev. Jerome L. Toner, OSB. Western Conference of the Catholic Hospital Association, 1947	1947
9/7	"Catholics and the Missions of the Pacific Northwest: 1826-1853." Rev. George L. Thomas. PhD Dissertation, University of Washington, 1986.	1986
9/8	"Child Care - A Survey of, in Institutions and Agencies of the Diocese of Nesqually and Seattle, 1857 - 1948." Sister Mary Eileen Rose Kelly, S.H.N. Master's Thesis, Seattle University, 1948.	1948
10/1	"Chirouse - Eugene Casimir, O.M.I. and the Indians of Washington." Sister Mary Louise (Nellie Sullivan), O.P. Master's Thesis, University of Washington, 1963.	1932
10/2	"Christian Brothers of Ireland - The History of, in the Northwest." John Joseph Donnelly, F.S.C.H. Master's Thesis, Seattle University, 1947.	1947
10/3	"Demers - Rt. Rev. Modeste, Bishop of Vancouver Island." Sister M. Caroline Ann Gimpl. Term Paper, Seattle University, 1948.	1948
10/4	"Dominican Sisters - Some highlights of the First Year of the, at Monte Virgine." Sister M. Bernadine, O.P. Term Paper, Seattle University, 1946.	1946
10/5	"History of the Catholic Church in the United States." Thomas O. Wood, S.S. Lecture Notes. Sulpician Seminary of the Northwest, Kenmore, WA, 1968	1968
10/6	"The History of the Confraternity of Christian Doctrine in the Archdiocese of Seattle." Sister Mary Alphonsa O'Sullivan, O.P. Master's Thesis, Seattle University, 1961.	1961
10/7	"Holy Names Academy - Establishment of, in Seattle." Unknown. Term Paper, Seattle University, circa 1937.	circa 1937
10/8	"Holy Rosary Parish, Moxee City, Washington, 1896-1950." Sister Anna Clare Duggar, F.C.S.P. Term Paper, Seattle University, circa 1950.	circa 1950
10/9	"Holy Rosary School, Moxee City, Washington, 1915-1950." Sister Anna Clare Duggar, F.C.S.P. Term Paper, Seattle University, circa 1950.	circa 1950
11/1	"Immaculate Conception Mission, Steilacoom, Washington." Sister M. Caroline Ann Gimpl, S.H.N. Master's Thesis, Seattle University, 1951.	1951
11/1	"Jünger, Bishop Aegidius - Second Bishop of Nesqually." Sister M. Eileen Rose Kelley, S.H.N. Term Paper, Seattle University, 1946-1947.	1946-1947
11/2	"Jünger, Bishop Aegidius." Sister Rose Amata, F.C.S.P. Term Paper, Seattle University, 1950.	1950
11/3	"La Salle Institute, Walla Walla, Washington, 1865-1920." Sister Anna Clare Duggar, F.C.S.P. Term Paper, Seattle University, 1950.	1950
11/4	<i>Log Cabins to Cathedrals, From.</i> Wilfred P. Schoenberg, S.J. Typed Manuscript. Section I.	undated
11/5	<i>Log Cabins to Cathedrals, From.</i> Wilfred P. Schoenberg, S.J. Typed Manuscript. Section II.	undated
12/1	<i>Log Cabins to Cathedrals, From.</i> Wilfred P. Schoenberg, S.J. Typed Manuscript. Section III.	undated
12/2	"The Music and Musicians of St. James Cathedral, Seattle, 1903-1953: The First 50 Years." Clint Michael Kraus. PhD Dissertation, University of Washington, 2009.	2009

12/3	"Notre Dame, Sisters of at French Prairie." Sister Evelyn Mary Pillette, S.H.N., 1945.	1945
12/4	"Oblates in Old Oregon, with the." Denys Nelson.	circa 1926
12/5	"The Obligation of Holding Sacred Missions in the Parish: An Historical Synopsis." Rev. Howard D. Lavelle. PhD Dissertation, Catholic University of America, 1948.	1948
12/6	"O'Dea - Bishop and the Providence." Sister Thomas Aquinas. Term Paper, Seattle University, 1950.	1950
12/7	"Pe Ell: The Boom and Decline of a Prairie Town." Sister Catherine Rollins, O.S.F. Term Paper	1972
13/1	"Prefontaine, Rt. Rev. Francis Xavier - Seattle's Pioneer Priest." Sister Mary Olivet Barky, O.S.F. Master's Thesis, Seattle University, 1949.	1949
13/2	"Providence of Holy Angels, Vancouver, Washington, 1856-1874 & 1874-1950." Sister Mary Claver Morrow. Term Paper, Seattle University, circa 1950.	circa 1950
13/3	"Providence Hospital, 1877-1909." Sister Anna Clare Duggar, F.C.S.P. Term Paper, Seattle University, 1948.	1948
13/4	Puyallup Indian Reservation Near Tacoma, Wash., A History." Elisabeth Shacklefort. Bachelor's Thesis, College of Puget Sound, 1918.	1918
13/5	"Sacred Heart Church and School, 1884-1895 & 1895-1903." Sister Stanislaus Mary Morgan, S.H.N. Term Paper, Seattle University, 1948, 1949.	1948, 1949
14/1	"St. Edward's School, 1911-1941." Sister Mary Rita Flanagan, O.P. Term Paper, Seattle University, 1948.	1948
14/2	"St. Elizabeth Hospital, Yakima, Washington, 1891-1950." Sister Anna Clare Duggar, F.C.S.P. Term Paper, Seattle University, 1949.	1949
14/3	"St. Francis Xavier Mission, 1838-1880, Cowlitz Prairie." Sister M. John Francis Taylor, S.H.N. Term Paper, Seattle University, 1948.	1948
14/4	"St. James Cathedral Parochial School." unknown, Term Paper, Seattle University, undated.	undated
14/5	"St. James' Mission Claim, Vancouver, Washington." Sister Consuella Maria, S.H.N. Master's Thesis, Seattle University, 1946.	1946
14/6	"St. Joseph's Academy, Yakima, Washington, 1875-1950." Sister Anna Clare Duggar, F.C.S.P. Term Paper, Seattle University, 1949.	1949
14/7	"St. Mary's Hospital, Walla Walla, Washington, 1880-1915." Sister Anna Clare Duggar, F.C.S.P. Term Paper, Seattle University, 1950.	1950
14/8	"St. Peter Claver Center in Interracial Apostolate." Sister Mildred Marie Brenner, F.C.S.P. Master's Thesis, Seattle University, 1954.	1954
15/1	"Sealth, Chief or Seattle (circa 1786-1866) in the letters of the first Christian missionaries of the Puget Sound." A. Felix Verwilghen, C.I.C.M. Conference Paper, Seattle University, 1964.	1964
15/2	"Study of the Total Formation Concept of Seminary Training in the Archdiocese of Seattle." Rev. Joseph M. Hendricks, S.S. Master's Thesis, Seattle University, 1977.	1977
15/3	"St. Theresa's Convent Home for Business Girls, 1909-1948." Sister M. Agnes Joseph (Bates). Term Paper, Seattle University, 1948.	1948
15/4	"Ursuline Foundation in the Diocese of Seattle (Seattle, Everett, Mukilteo)." Mother M. Benedict Griffin, O.S.U. Term Paper, Seattle University, 1948, 1949.	1948, 1949
15/5	"Washington - History of the Catholic Church in the State of." Rev. William J. Metz. Unpublished Manuscript, 1936. One of Three	1936
15/6	"Washington - History of the Catholic Church in the State of." Rev. William J. Metz. Unpublished Manuscript, 1936. Two of Three	1936
15/7	"Washington - History of the Catholic Church in the State of." Rev. William J. Metz. Unpublished Manuscript, 1936. Three of Three	1936
15/8	"Whitman Massacre: A Controversial Subject." Sister Anna Maureen, F.C.S.P. Term Paper, Seattle University, after 1937.	after 1937
16	Subject index cards [does not include recent accessions]	undated

Series 4: Maps, circa 1850s

Scope and Content: The hand sketched map of the Diocese of Nesqually was found inside March 1851 edition of "Rapport sur Les Missions du Diocese de Quebec." It lists placenames as: Nisqually, Cowlitz Mission, Olympia, New York [Alki Point in West Seattle], Steilacoom, and Astoria. The undated Handmade Puget Sound map mainly records topological features such as mountains, bays, straights, and rivers.

<u>Box/Folder</u>	<u>Folder Title</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>
17/1	Hand sketched map of the Diocese of Nesqually. In French. (VR660.0001)	circa 1850
17/2	Handmade Puget Sound map. In English. (VR660.0002)	undated

Series 5: Native American Subject Files, 1846-2002

Scope and Content: It is unclear when and from what sources this series was collected. It documents issues of Native American tribes and communities as well as missionaries to those populations (especially the Society of Jesus or Jesuits). Also well represented is the topic of education (see subseries 2). Particularly valuable is Subseries 4: Whitman Massacre. It contains contemporary reactions to and correspondence by Bishop A. M. A. Blanchet about the event.

Related Material: For printed responses to the Whitman Massacre, see [Series 7: Pamphlets](#). Also, see **RG820 Priests, Diocesan** – Brouillet, Very Rev. J.B.A. for correspondence related to the massacre. For the large group of photos included in *Catholic Northwest Progress* article on the Swinomish, see RG 1300 Miscellaneous – Ethnic Groups – Swinomish. See also the [Research Guide to Native American Records in the Archdiocese of Seattle](#) for these records and additional information pertaining to Native Americans.

Notes on Arrangement: Pamphlets in this series relating to Native Americans were removed and now comprise a portion of [Series 7: Pamphlets](#).

System of Arrangement: This series is arranged into the following subseries and files:

- Subseries 1: Clippings, 1891-1969
- Subseries 2: Correspondence, 1848-2002
 - File 1: Jesuit Correspondence, 1846-1923
 - File 2: Reports, circa 1850s - 1948
- Subseries 3: Missions, 1846-1948
- Subseries 4: Whitman Massacre, 1847-1936

Subseries 1: Clippings, 1891-1969

<u>Box/Folder</u>	<u>Folder Title</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>
18/1	Chief Seattle	1926-1938
18/2	Chinook Jargon	1907
18/3	Cowichan (British Columbia)	1929

18/4	General	1891-1969
18/5	Mission Churches	1962
18/6	"The Plight of Our Indians," <i>Seattle Post Intelligencer</i> newspaper article by Robert Browning in 6 parts.	circa 1964
18/7	Swinomish - includes <i>Northwest Progress</i> profile, 1968	1937, 1968
18/8	"War on Poverty Sheds Sad Facts on Non-Deserving Poor." Edward Beech letter to editor. <i>Catholic Northwest Progress</i> , 1966 and response.	1966
18/9	White River Massacre	1923

Subseries 2: Correspondence, 1848-2002

<u>Box/Folder</u>	<u>Folder Title</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>
18/10	Abuses of Whites Against Indians	1860
18/11	Blanchet, Bishop A. M. A. - Translations/transcriptions of correspondence (1867-1879) by Rev. Joseph Delannoy	undated
18/12	Cayuse War	1848
18/13	Diocese of Great Falls, Montana	1962-1963
18/14	Education I	1861
18/15	Education II	1861-1862
18/16	Education III	1862
18/17	Education VI	1934-1963
18/18	Indian Agents	1857-1881
18/19	Indian Center in Seattle	1960-1971
18/20	Letter from Rev. Garrand to Bishop Junger about Chief Ignace (Kootenai)	1886
18/21	National Congress of American Indians	1969
18/22	"Relatio Status Ecclesiae Nesqualliensis in Statu Washington Statum Foederatarum Americae Septemtris." Congregation of the Propagation of the Faith. In Latin.	circa 1905
18/23	Requests	1969-1977
18/24	Seattle, Chief	1926-1935, 1969
18/25	Shakers Religious sect	1915
18/26	Treaties - U.S. Government and Native Americans: Quianualt and Quileute; Confederated Tribes and Bands of Indians in Middle Oregon; Makah; hand copied Flathead Indians.	1853-1859
18/27	Tribes - Colville	1867-1956
18/28	Tribes - Duwamish	undated
18/29	Tribes - General	1855-1900
18/30	Tribes - General II	1912-1969
18/31	Tribes - Ktatash	1868
18/32	Tribes - Lummi	1911-1966
18/33	Tribes - Makah - translated letter of Bishop A.M.A Blanchet	undated
18/34	Tribes - Makah - Neah Bay	1937-1939
18/35	Tribes - Nisqually	1933

18/36	Tribes - Puyallup	1966
19/1	Tribes - Puyallup - Gethsemane Cemetery Issue	1979-2002
19/2	Tribes - Skokomish	1930, 1970
19/3	Tribes - Snohomish	1952-1972
19/4	Tribes - Suquamish	1945
19/5	Tribes - Swinomish. Also includes translation/transcription of Rev. Chirouse letters	1937-1972
19/6	Tribes - Tulalip I	1862-1890
19/7	Tribes - Tulalip II	1900-1945
19/8	Tribes - Yakima	1934-1964

Subseries 3: Missions, 1846-1948

File 1: Jesuit Correspondence, 1846-1923

<u>Box/Folder</u>	<u>Folder Title</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>
19/9	Jesuit Correspondence - Colville	1855-1868
19/10	Jesuit Correspondence - Couer D'Alene	1850, 1860
19/11	Jesuit Correspondence - Gazzoli, Giorda, Accolti, & Congiato, Revs.	1846-1861
19/12	Jesuit Correspondence - Grassi, S.J., Rev. Urban	1868-1873
19/13	Jesuit Correspondence - Joset, S.J., Rev. J.	1850
19/14	Jesuit Correspondence - de Rouge, S.J., Rev. E.	1915-1923
19/15	Jesuit Correspondence - Nez Perce and Yakima	1863
19/16	Jesuit Correspondence - St. Michael, Spokane	1867

File 2: Mission Reports, circa 1850s-1948

<u>Box/Folder</u>	<u>Folder Title</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>
19/17	Mission Reports - General I	1865-1877
19/18	Mission Reports - General II	1899, 1903-1905
19/19	Mission Reports - General III	circa 1922
19/20	Mission Reports - General IV	1933
19/21	Mission Reports - General V	1947-1948
19/22	Mission Reports - "Names of the Principal Tribes that Live in the Oregon Diocese" found in Bishop A. M. A. Blanchet's Account Book, 1846-1859.	circa 1850s

Subseries 4: Whitman Massacre, 1847-1936

<u>Box/Folder</u>	<u>Folder Title</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>
19/23	Clippings	1883-1936

19/24	Correspondence - Blanchet, Bishop A. M. A. correspondence (1847-1879) transcribed/translated by Rev. Delannoy	undated
19/25	Correspondence - Blanchet, Bishop A. M. A. to unknown. Four letters regarding the Whitman Massacre	1847-1849
19/26	Correspondence - General	1871
19/27	Correspondence – Pastoral letter from Archbishop F. N. Blanchet regarding the Whitman Massacre	1847

Series 6: Notes, Translations, and Research, 1900-1978

Scope and Content: Many of the records in this series were authored by Rev. Joseph Delannoy during his time at St. Joseph Hospital in Bellingham (1925-1940).

Related Material: Other research notes by Delannoy (usually typed) can be found throughout other Chancery record groups, especially **RG 700 Parishes** and **RG 610 Bishops**.

<u>Box/Folder</u>	<u>Folder Title</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>
20/1	The Benedictines and Dominicans notes by Msgr. Theodore Ryan	undated
20/2	Bishop Edward O'Dea notes by Msgr. Theodore Ryan	undated
20/3	"The Church in the Northwest and the Oregon Province." Rev. L. John Topel, S.J., Seattle University.	Circa 1982
20/4	"The Church in Wenatchee and Vicinity," R. J. Ryan	undated
20/5	Clippings & written responses by Rev. Joseph Delannoy	1924-1925
20/6	Correspondence about Diocesan history and statistics	1910-1954
20/7	Delannoy, Rev. Joseph conference paper: "The Erection of the Diocese of Seattle"	1924
20/8	Delannoy, Rev. Joseph notes on the history of deaneries in the Diocese	1927
20/9	Delannoy, Rev. Joseph notes on Snohomish County	undated
20/10	Delannoy, Rev. Joseph notes and translations	1929-1937
20/11	Delannoy, Rev. Joseph notes on Whatcom and Skagit County	circa 1923
20/12	"Dictionary of the Missions" questionnaire. Replies to the questionnaire issued by the Sacred Congregation of the Propaganda for a proposed dictionary of the missions	circa 1950
20/13	Diocesan history articles prepared by Rev. Joseph Delannoy and Rev. John McCorkle for encyclopedias	1947-1972
20/14	Doogan, Monsignor John P. – Notes and Writings	After 1983
20/15	Erection of the Diocese of Nesqually - notes by Rev. Joseph Delannoy	1924-1925
20/16	"Life Sketch of Monsignor Prefontaine (F. X.)." Rev. William J. Metz. Transcription of 1909 work.	1962
20/17	Notes about the Diocese of Walla Walla and Nesqually erection documents	1910-1942
20/18	"The Origin and Progress of the Catholic Church in Vancouver, WA 1838-1912." Rev. J. B. Boulet.	circa 1912
20/19	Questions, corrections, dates, regarding history of the Diocese of Seattle	1900-1940

20/20	Research question about the first mass in Fort Vancouver (1838)	1912
20/21	Research correspondence about Chancery records - George Belknap	1958-1966
20/22	Research correspondence about the origin of the Diocese	1939-1978
20/23	Some Diocesan historical comments by Msgr. Theodore Ryan	1959
20/24	Spain on the Pacific Coast	undated
20/25	St. Ann Mission, Tulalip Bay	undated

Series 7: Pamphlets, 1830-1988

Scope and Content: This is a collection gathered from numerous sources, many of which are unknown. Publication information (city and publisher) is included if known. Of particular interest in this series are Native American language materials (in Subseries 2) which contain dictionaries and prayer books in native languages and Chinook Jargon, the trading language of the Northwest. This series also contains pamphlets published after the Whitman Massacre (1847). Most of the pamphlets in this subseries were written to refute the claims that Catholic missionaries (or more specifically the Very Rev. J. B. A. Brouillet) somehow instigated the massacre of Dr. Marcus Whitman and his family.

System of Arrangement: This series is arranged into the following subseries:

- Subseries 1: Federal and State Publications, 1830-1903
- Subseries 2: Native American Language Materials, 1872-1883
- Subseries 3: Native American Missions, 1839-1918
- Subseries 4: Northwest Catholicism, circa 1863-1988
- Subseries 5: Northwest, General, 1879-1974
- Subseries 6: Whitman Massacre, 1869-1905

Subseries 1: Federal and State Publications, 1830-1903

<u>Box/Folder</u>	<u>Folder Title</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>
21/1	<i>An Act to Regulate Trade and Intercourse with Indian Tribes, and to Preserve Peace on the Frontiers.</i> United States Congress.	1830 June 30
21/2	<i>Charter of the City of Vancouver, Washington Territory.</i> Vancouver, W.T.: J. J. Beeson, Book and Job Printer, 1886.	1886
21/3	<i>Governor's Message of the Territory of Washington: Delivered in Joint Session of the Council and House of Representatives of Washington Territory, Wednesday, December 3rd, 1856.</i> Olympia: George B. Goudy, 1856.	1856
21/4	<i>Indian Affairs in Territories of Oregon and Washington.</i> No publication date, author, or title. Partial Copy.	circa 1857
21/5	<i>Indians at Work</i> , U.S. Department of the Interior – Office of Indian Affairs	1939
21/6	<i>Letter from the Secretary of the Interior communicating, in Answer to a Senate Resolution of January 15, 1878, a copy of report of Indian Inspector E.C. Watkins, in relation to the consolidation of Indian Agencies in the Colville country, U.S. Congress, Senate, 45th Cong., 2nd sess. Senate Executive Document 20.</i>	circa 1878
21/7	<i>Letter from the Secretary of the Interior communicating in Compliance with the Resolution of the Senate of the 2D Instant, Information in Relation to the Early Labors of the Missionaries for Foreign Missions in Oregon, Commencing in 1836. U.S. Congress, Senate, 41st Cong., 3rd sess., Senate Executive Document 37.</i>	1903

21/8	<i>The Memorials of the Hudson Bay Company and the Puget Sound Agricultural Company to the Commissioners between Great Britain and the United States for the Final Settlement of the Claims of the Hudson Bay and Puget Sound Agricultural Companies</i> , Charles D. Day. Washington, DC, 1865.	1865
21/9	<i>Nez Percé Indian Reservation in Idaho</i> . Benjamin W. Harris, U.S. Congress, House of Representatives, 43rd Cong., 1st sess., Report 63.	circa 1874
21/10	<i>Oregon - Facts Regarding its Climate, Soil, Mineral and Agricultural Resources, Means of Communication, Commerce and Industry, Laws, &c., &c. - For the Use of Immigrants</i> , Oregon State Board of Immigration. Boston: Rand, Avery, and Co., 1876.	1876
21/11	<i>Report of the Acting Capital Commissioner of the Territory of Washington: Together with Correspondence</i> . Olympia: Edward Furste, Public Printer, 1860.	1860
21/12	<i>Report of the Committee of Ways and Means of the Legislative Council of the Territory of Washington Recommending an Appropriation of Five Hundred and Forty-One Dollars and Eighty Cents, to Compensate the Sisters of Charity for Keeping the Insane and Idiotic of the Territory</i> . Olympia: Chas. Prosch, Printer, 1867.	1867
21/13	<i>Report of the Secretary of the Interior, Communicating, in Answer to a Resolution of the Senate, the Report of J. Ross Browne, on the Late Indian war in Oregon and Washington Territories</i> . U.S. Congress, Senate, 35th Cong., 1st sess., Senate Executive Document 40.	circa 1858
21/14	<i>Report of the Secretary of War, Communicating, in Compliance with a Resolution of the Senate, a Copy of the Topographical Memoir and Map of Colonial Wright's Late Campaign against the Indians in Oregon and Washington Territories</i> . U.S. Congress, Senate, 35th Cong., 2nd sess., Senate Executive Document 32.	circa 1859
21/15	<i>Transfer of Indian Bureau to War Department. Speech of Hon. S. S. Fenn, of Idaho, in the House of Representatives, May 2, 1878.</i>	1878 May 2
21/16	<i>Washington: Territory: Its Soil, Climate, Productions and General Resources Compiled by Mrs. A.H.H. Stuart, Chairman of the Board Immigration</i> . Olympia: Office of the Washington Standard, 1875.	1875

Subseries 2: Native American Language Materials, 1872-1883

<u>Box/Folder</u>	<u>Folder Title</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>
21/17	<i>Alphabet yakama, contenant les prières, les cantiques et le catéchisme dans la même langue : à l'usage des enfants de la tribu des Yakamas sous le patronage des R.R.P.P. jésuites</i> " by Rev. L. N. St. Onge. In French and Yakima language.	1872
21/18	<i>A.M.D.G. I Smemeies, I Nkaumen I Snkuenzin L Okenakan Nkolkoeltens Preces in Linguam Indorum Okenakan Versae P. De Rougé, S.J. In Okanagan language.</i>	undated
21/19	<i>Dictionary of the Chinook Jargon, or Indian Trade Language of the North Pacific Coast</i> . Victoria, B.C. : T. N. Hibben & Co., printers, 1883. In Chinook Jargon.	1883
21/20	<i>Dictionary of the Chinook Jargon, to which is added Numerous Conversations thereby enabling any person to speak the Chinook Correctly</i> . Archbishop Francis Norbert Blanchet. Portland, OR: S.J. McCormick, 1862. In Chinook Jargon.	1862
21/21	<i>Graded Catechism in Innuït [sic]</i> . Martin J. Lonneux, S.J. Chaneliak, Hamilton P.O., Alaska, 1950	1950
21/22	<i>Mass Book and Hymnal in Innuït [sic]</i> . Martin J. Lonneux, S.J. Chaneliak, Hamilton P.O., Alaska, 1950	1950
21/23	<i>The Missionary's Companion on the Pacific Coast: Chinook Dictionary, Catechism, Prayers and Hymns. Composed in 1838 & 1839 by Rt. Rev. Modeste Demers. Revised, corrected, and completed in 1867 by Most Rev. F. N. Blanchet. With modifications and additions by Rev. L. N. St. Onge Missionary among the Yakimas and Other Indian Tribes</i> . Montreal, 1871. In Chinook Jargon.	1871
21/24	<i>Prayer Book and Catechism in the Snohomish Language</i> . Compiled by Rev. J. B. Boulet. Tulalip: Tulalip Mission Press, 1879. In Snohomish language.	1879

21/25	<i>Skmiimii Eu Tel Kaimintis Kolinzuten: Narratives from the Holy Scripture in Kalispel.</i> Montana, St. Ignatius Press, 1876. In Kalispel language.	1876
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Subseries 3: Native American Missions, 1839-1918

<u>Box/Folder</u>	<u>Folder Title</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>
22/1	<i>Address to the Catholic Clergy of the Province of Oregon, to the Catholics of the United States, on President Grant's Indian Policy, in its Bearings upon Catholic Interests at Large.</i> Portland, Oregon: Catholic Sentinel Publication Company, 1874.	1874
22/2	<i>Annales de la Propagation de la Foi.</i> (Annals of the Propagation of the Faith). Paris: Bureau de l'Oevre, 1854, 1856. In French.	1854, 1856
22/3	<i>Annales de la Propagation de la Foi.</i> (Annals of the Propagation of the Faith). Paris: Bureau de l'Oevre, 1857. In French.	1857
22/4	<i>Annales de la Propagation de la Foi.</i> (Annals of the Propagation of the Faith). Paris : Bureau de l'Oevre, 1860, 1863. In French.	1860, 1863
22/5	<i>Annales de la Propagation de la Foi.</i> Washington DC: Missions Indiennes Catholiques, 1878. (Annals of the Propagation of the Faith). Baltimore: Propagation of the Faith, 1864. In French	1864, 1878
22/6	<i>Annales of the Catholic Indian Mission of America.</i> Washington, D.C.: Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions, January 1877, January 1878, and January 1879. Multiple copies.	1877, 1878, 1879
22/7	<i>A Brief Sketch of the Congregation of the Missionary Oblates of Mary Immaculate.</i> Lowell, MA: Harrington Brothers, 1888.	1888
22/8	<i>Catholic Education and the Indian.</i> Mother M. Agatha. Washington, DC: Catholic University of America Press, 1942.	1942
22/9	<i>Circular of the Catholic Commissioner for Indian Missions, to the Catholics of the United States.</i> Baltimore: John Murphy & Co., 1874.	1874
22/10	<i>Indian Affairs.</i> Bishop A. M. A. Blanchet. 1870.	1870
22/11	<i>The Indian Sentinel</i> , vol 1. no. VII. Washington, DC: Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions, 1918; <i>The Tulalip Bulletin</i> newspaper clipping.	1918 January
22/12	<i>A Jesuit in the War Against the Northern Indians</i> , R. Ignatius Burns, S.J. Philadelphia: American Catholic Historical Society, 1950.	1950
22/13	<i>The Key to the Catholic Ladder Containing a Sketch of the Christian Religion and Universal History Useful to All with Authorization of the Archbishop of Oregon City</i> , Archbishop F. N. Blanchet. New York: T. W. Strong, Printer 98 Nassau Street, 1859.	1859
22/14	"Lecture." Very Rev. J. B. A. Brouillet.	circa 1877
22/15	<i>Letter of Archbishop Blanchet to Hon. John Eaton, Commissioner of Education, Etc., Washington, D.C.</i> Archbishop F. N. Blanchet.	after 1877 December 10
22/16	<i>Manual of Catholic Indian Missionary Associations.</i> 1876.	1876
22/17	<i>Mémoire Présenté À la Sacrée Congregation de la Propagande sur les Missions Indiennes Aux Etats-Unis et sur le Bureau Catholique établi pour les protéger</i> (Submission to the Sacred Congregation of Propaganda on Indian Missions in the United States and the Catholic Office established to protect). Rome: Impimerie de la Propagande, 1878. In French.	1878
22/18	<i>Missionary Labors of the Oblates of Mary Immaculate.</i> Seattle: Lowman & Hanford Co., undated.	undated
22/19	<i>Official Construction of President Grant's Indian Peace Policy.</i> circa 1876.	circa 1876
22/20	<i>The Old Mission Church of the Coeur d'Alene Indians.</i> Spokane: Gonzaga College Press, undated.	undated
22/21	<i>Petition of the Catholic Church on Behalf of the Pueblos and Other Indians of New Mexico.</i> Washington DC: S & R. O. Polkinhorn, Printers, 1874.	1874
22/22	<i>Rapport de L'Association de la Propagation de la Foi, Etablie a Montreal, en vertu d'un Indult du Saint Siege</i> (Report of the Association for the Propagation of the Faith, based	1839, 1840

	in Montreal, under an Indult from the Holy See). Montreal: L'Association de la Propagation de la Foi, 1839, 1840. In French.	
22/23	<i>Rapport de L'Association de la Propagation de la Foi, Etablie a Montreal, en vertu d'un Indult du Saint Siege</i> (Report of the Association for the Propagation of the Faith, based in Montreal, under an Indult from the Holy See). Montreal: Bureau des Mélanges Religieux, 1841, 1843. In French.	1841, 1843
22/24	<i>Rapport de L'Association de la Propagation de la Foi pour le District de Montréal</i> (Report of the Association for the Propagation of the Faith for the District of Montreal). Montreal: Des Presses de Plinguet & Cie, 1859. In French.	1859
23/1	<i>Rapport sur les Missions du Québec</i> (Report on the Missions of Québec). Québec: Chez Fréchette et Frère, 1847, 1851. In French.	1847, 1851
23/2	<i>Rapport sur les Missions du Québec</i> (Report on the Missions of Québec). Québec: Des Ateliers de J. T. Brousseau, 1857, 1861. In French.	1857, 1861
23/3	<i>Rapport sur les Missions du Québec</i> (Report on the Missions of Québec). Québec: Des Ateliers des Leger Brousseau, 1863, 1866. In French.	1863, 1866
23/4	<i>Report of the Bureau of Catholic Indian Missions for the Year Ending October 1, 1899.</i>	circa 1899
23/5	<i>Sagra Congregazione di Propaganda Fide Ponente - L'Emo e Rmo Sig. Cardinale - Pietro Ostini - Ristretto con Nota d'Archivio - Sulle provvidenze d'adottarsi per il prospero reggimento degli affari Ecclesiastici nell' Oregon</i> (Sacred Congregation of the Propaganda of the Faith West – Most Reverend Mr. Cardinal Pietro Ostuni – Condensed with Note from the Archives - On the providences to adopt for the prosperous regiment from Ecclesiastical Affairs in Oregon). In Italian.	1846 April
23/6	<i>Status of the Catholic Indian Missions in the United States, 1876.</i> Baltimore: John Murphy & Co., 1874.	1874
23/7	<i>Three Articles on the Threat to American Indians.</i> Lee Metcalf, M. C., George Engstrom and Sister Providencia, and James J. Flaherty. Reprinted from <i>Social Order</i> .	circa 1954
23/8	<i>Work of the Catholic Indian Missions of the United States of America," Most Rev. James Gibbons, Archbishop of Baltimore (1879 October 9).</i> Washington, DC: 1879.	1879 October 9

Subseries 4: Northwest Catholicism, circa 1863-1988

<u>Box/Folder</u>	<u>Folder Title</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>
23/9	<i>The Bishops of Nesqually</i> , Wilfred P. Schoenberg, S.J. undated.	undated
23/10	<i>The Catholic Church - Its Condition on the Pacific Coast Forty Years after its Establishment, pamphlet and notes from Rev. Delannoy about its authorship.</i> Undated.	undated
23/11	<i>Celebrating the Spirit's Work Among Us.</i> Walla Walla Catholic community's Washington centennial celebration, 1989.	circa 1989
23/12	<i>Centenary of the Diocese of Seattle.</i> Gerald Murray. Kenmore, WA: Semmywood Press, 1950.	1950
23/13	<i>Centennial Souvenir of the Catholic Church in Walla Walla Valley, 1847-1947.</i>	circa 1947
23/14	"Chronicles of an Early Missionary." Bishop Aegidius Junger. Newspaper clippings bound in a small pamphlet.	circa 1863
23/15	<i>Decreta Concilii Provincialis Oregonensis I. Sancti Pauli Habiti, Diebus 28--29 Februarii et 1 Marti, 1848. Necnon et Kalendarium Romanum cum Officiis Provinciae Oregonensi a Sancta Sede Concessis.</i> (Decrees of the first Provincial Council of Oregon residing in St. Paul the days of 28 - 29 February and 1 March, 1848. And the Roman Calendar with the Offices of the Oregon Province granted by the Holy See). Portland, OR: S.J. McCormick, 1855. In Latin.	1855
23/16	<i>Etymology of the Word 'Oregon.'</i> Archbishop F. N. Blanchet. circa 1878.	circa 1878
23/17	<i>A History of Sprague.</i> Joseph W. Gaffney. Spokane: Gonzaga University Press, 1962.	1962
23/18	<i>Jesuits in Montana, 1840-1960.</i> Wilfred Schoenberg, S.J. Portland, Oregon: The Oregon-Jesuit, 1960.	1960

23/19	<i>Jesuits in Oregon, 1844-1959.</i> Wilfred P. Schoenberg, S.J. Portland, Oregon: The Oregon-Jesuit, 1959.	1959
23/20	<i>The Jubilee of the Fiftieth Anniversary of the Ordinance to the Priesthood of the Most Rev. F. N. Blanchet. D. D. Archbishop of Oregon City, Celebrated on the 18th of July, 1869, in the Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary, in Portland, Oregon.</i> Portland: A. G. Walling, Book and Job Printer, 1869.	1869
23/21	<i>Origin, Progress, and Prospects of the Catholic Mission to the Rocky Mountains.</i> Pierre-Jean De Smet. Fairfield, WA: Ye Galleon Press, 1986. Originally published in Philadelphia in 1843.	1986
23/22	<i>Pastoral Letter of the Most Rev. F. N. Blanchet. D. D. Archbishop of Oregon City to the Clergy and Laity of the Arch Diocese, Promulgating the Jubilee...</i> Archbishop F. N. Blanchet. Portland, OR: Oregon Farmer Printing Establishment, 1865.	1865
24/1	<i>Reminiscences and Current Topics of the Ecclesiastical Province of Oregon compiled and edited by Rev. Louis Verhagg, Pastor St. Francis Church, Baker City Oregon.</i> Baker City, OR: J. M. Shepherd, Book and Job Printer, 1897 no. 1-12; and Baker City, OR: Ellsworth Lentz' Job Printing Office, 1898 no. 1-3.	1897-1898
24/2	<i>Reminiscences and Current Topics of the Ecclesiastical Province of Oregon compiled and edited by Rev. Louis Verhagg, Pastor St. Francis Church, Baker City Oregon.</i> Baker City, OR: J. M. Shepherd, Book and Job Printer, 1897 no. 1-12; and Baker City, OR: Ellsworth Lentz' Job Printing Office, 1898 no. 1-3. Duplicates.	1897-1898
24/3	<i>Reminiscences of the West Coast of Vancouver Island,</i> Rev. Cha. Moser, O.S.B. Victoria, BC: Acme Press, Limited, 1926.	1926
24/4	<i>Report of Jubilee in Honor of Rt. Rev. Augustin-Maglorius-Alexander Blanchet, D.D. Bishop of Nesqually, W.T. on the 50th Anniversary of his Ordination to the Holy Priesthood.</i> Vancouver, W.T.: St. James' Catholic Printing Office, 1871.	1871
24/5	<i>Right Rev. John Baptist Brondel, A Memorial, 1904.</i>	
24/6	<i>Saint Frances Xavier Cabrini: A Saint in Seattle.</i> Sister Philippa Provenzano, M.S.C.	undated
24/7	<i>Sketch of the Alaskan Missions with an account of the death of the late Most Rev. Charles J. Seghers, Archbishop of Vancouver Island, B.C.</i>	circa 1887 August
24/8	<i>The Tacoma Church Tour: A Centennial Event.</i> unknown, circa 1984.	circa 1984
24/9	<i>The Walla Walla Story: Washington Centennial Edition,</i> Vance Orchard, editor. Walla Walla: General Printing, 1988.	1988

Subseries 5: Northwest, General, 1879-1974

<u>Box/Folder</u>	<u>Folder Title</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>
24/10	<i>Clark County History.</i> Fort Vancouver Historical Society. Milton Bona, ed. Camas, WA: Camas-Washougal Post Record, 1974.	1974
24/11	<i>The Life of Chief Seattle.</i> Vernon James Metcalfe. Supplement to the <i>Catholic Northwest Progress.</i>	undated
24/12	<i>Seattle's Old Saloons,</i> Henry Broderick, 1966	1966
24/13	<i>Three Cities of Washington: Origin of their Names.</i> Edmond S. Meany. Reprinted from the <i>Washington Historical Quarterly.</i>	Undated
24/14	<i>Washington Centennial Commemorative Booklet, 1945</i>	1945
24/15	<i>The Yakima Campaign of 1856.</i> William N. Bischoff, S.J. Reprinted from <i>Mid-America</i> vol. 31.	circa 1949

Subseries 6: Whitman Massacre, 1869-1905

<u>Box/Folder</u>	<u>Folder Title</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>
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24/16	<i>Authentic Account of the Murder of Dr. Whitman and Other Missionaries, by the Cayuse Indians of Oregon, in 1847, and the Causes which Led to that Horrible Catastrophe.</i> Very Rev. J. B. A. Brouillet. Portland, OR: S. J. McCormick, 1869.	1869
24/17	<i>The Hudson's Bay Company's Archives Furnish No Support to the Whitman Saved Oregon Story</i> , Principal William I. Marshall. Chicago: Press of the Blakely Printing Co., 1905.	1905
25/1	<i>The Moral and Religious Aspect of The Indian Question.</i> W. H. Gray, 1879.	1879
25/2	<i>Protestantism in Oregon, Account of the Murder of Dr. Whitman and the Ungrateful Calumnies of H. H. Spalding, Protestant.</i> Very Rev. J. B. A. Brouillet. New York: M. T. Cozans, 1853. Also included later editions printed in 1912 in Ferndale, WA.	1883
25/3	<i>Reply to Executive Document, No. 37.</i> Archbishop F. N. Blanchet. <i>Catholic Sentinel</i> , July/August 1872.	1872
25/4	<i>Several Calumnies Refuted; or Executive Document No. 37.</i> Undated. Reprinted from the "The Catholic World," February, 1872.	after 1872 February
25/5	<i>The Whitman Myth.</i> Professor E.G. Bourne and Mr. W. H. Scott.	after 1903

Series 8: Photographs, circa 1950s

Scope and Content: This series contains two folders of photographs.

Related Materials: Printed Jubilee and Centennial information can be found in [Series 1: Anniversaries & Celebrations](#). Also, for photographs of Native American missions, see RG700 Parishes. For photographs of priests (religious and diocesan), see RG820 and RG840 respectively.

<u>Box/Folder</u>	<u>Folder Title</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>
N/A	Diamond Jubilee - 2 staged photographs from above Holy Angels School, Ballard (now St. Alphonsus, Seattle). Also included are photographs from 75 th Anniversary of the <i>Northwest Progress</i> .	1925, 1950
N/A	General	undated

Series 9: Publications (Diocesan), 1964-ongoing

Scope and Content: This series contains unorganized Diocesan publications from Chancery offices which cannot be merged into their appropriate office record group or were the product of several offices.

Accruals: Further accruals are expected in this series as new material is discovered or donated.

<u>Box/Folder</u>	<u>Folder Title</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>
25/1	Archbishop Thomas Connolly Silver Jubilee booklet	1964
25/2	Introduction to Archives and Records Management for Parishes, Faith Communities, and Schools	circa 1997
25/3	<i>Journey of Faith: The Story of the Archdiocese of Seattle</i> comic book final draft.	2013
25/4	A New Wind & Fire: A Vision Statement for the Years 1995 to 2000 A.D. Archdiocesan Pastoral Council.	1995
25/5	Pilgrimage Site for the Great Jubilee Year pamphlet	2000

25/6	"Descriptions of Centrally Managed Archdiocesan Programs and Services"	circa 1987
25/7	<i>While Silent, They Shout: Catholic Cemeteries in Western Washington</i>	2000
25/8	<i>The Maryknoll Congregation and the Maryknoll Society and their work on the West Coast with the Japanese, 1920-1992</i> – By Kevin Dargan, MM	2017

Series 10: Statistics, 1864-1967

Scope and Content: This series is a small portion of the statistics compiled by the Chancery. For modern statistics, see the Office of Pastoral Planning and Research Services.

Related Material: See also, RG700 Parishes for later Parish Annual Reports and parish-related statistics.

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Series 11: Artifacts, 1830s-

Scope and Content: This series only contains one artifact, but as historic artifacts and objects are cataloged, this series can be expected to grow significantly.

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27	Whidbey Island Cross Pieces – Stored in Lower Vault	Circa 1830s

APPENDIX A: Index to Clippings Volumes

This is an index to the bound clippings volumes located in Subseries 2: Clippings Volumes, 1848-1952 of Series 2: Clippings, 1848-1974. This index, created over a decade ago, only includes articles of relating

to the Pacific Northwest, mostly of Oregon and the Diocese of Oregon City. Volume page numbers are listed first and any dates and newspaper information is given in parentheses (if known). Headlines are listed in quotation marks.

Volume III

Pg. 8 "The Church in Idaho" (August, 1869) Report on the progress of the Catholic Church in Idaho.

Pg. 8 "Protestants help establish Sister's School in Idaho City" (August, 1869).

Pg. 11 "Card of Thanks" (February 20, 1868) St. Mary's Academy, Portland, collected \$2,356.60 for the benefit of their orphans.

Pg. 50 "First Church in Oregon" (undated) Letter regarding St. Paul's Church in French Prairie being the first brick church in Oregon.

Pg. 72-75 Several articles on the McCormick Case. (*New York Freeman's Journal* and *Courier du Canada*, 1867) The courts decided the Church has a right to deny burial to those who die outside the church. Mr. McCormick and other parishioners were found not guilty of wrong doing for digging up the body of a man who was surreptitiously buried in the churchyard after the priest had denied a Catholic burial.

Pg. 75 "Etymology of the word 'Oregon'" (*Oregonian*, September 10, 1863)

Pg. 84-87 "Lettre de Vancourt" (April, 1867) Letter to Canada from Father St. Onge regarding conditions in Oregon and Washington.

Pg. 112 Schedule of political speeches by candidates for presidential electors and state electors in Oregon.

Pg. 120 "Matters in Oregon" (*Portland Monitor* September 23, 1868) Discusses the upcoming presidential election and new buildings in Portland.

Pg. 121 "Father Buchar'd's Mission in Southern Oregon" (*Portland Monitor*, August 9, 1868) Describes the mission as a success.

Pg. 123 (1868) *Ladies Fair* Information on a fair to be held to pay building costs for St. John's Church, Salem, Oregon; followed by an announcement of the proceeds of \$1,600.

Pg. 170 Two articles (*Oregon Sentinel*, June 27, 1868) about the commencement of pupils of St. Mary's Academy in Jacksonville, Oregon.

VOLUME IV & V

Pg. 9 "Death of a Pioneer" (January 4, 1869) Obituary of Col. W. T'Nault who died of small pox.

Pg. 9 (January 7, 1869) Correspondence between the Sisters of the Holy Names and the Jacksonville Board of Trustees. The sisters offer to work in the small pox hospital.

Pg. 28 (undated) Article regarding the small pox epidemic in Oregon; the charitable work of the Sisters of Charity and a letter from Archbishop Blanchet.

Pg. 42-43 (February 1869) Excerpts from Archbishop Blanchet's Pastoral Letter. Printed in the *Catholic Telegraph*.

Pg. 47 "Bigotry in the School Room" (undated) Rebuttal to resolutions made by the Linn County (OR) Teacher's Association regarding the school issue.

Pg. 52 "Religious Matters in Yakima Country" (May 1869) Correspondence between Fr. St. Onge and James Wilber, Indian Agent regarding mission land.

Pg. 56 "Progress of Catholicity" (*Boston Pilot*, after 1853) Report on the missions in the West and the growth of Catholicism.

Pg. 86 "Circular to the Clergy of the Archdiocese of Oregon City from Archbishop Blanchet regarding the Archbishop's 50th Anniversary Jubilee Mass" (*Portland Monitor*, 1869) Letter from a reader and a copy of the address given by the President of the Catholic Library & Christian Doctrine Society and the Archbishop's reply.

VOLUME VIII

Pg. 26 "The Indians and their Tormentors" (*New York Freeman's Journal*, March 5, 1874) A letter regarding the Quaker Plan in Washington Territory

Pg. 30 "Fifty-Fifth Anniversary" (*Portland Daily Bulletin*, April 28, 1874) Report on the Portland celebration of the Odd Fellows 55th anniversary in the U.S.

Pg. 62-71 (October-November 1874) Nine articles, mostly from the *Daily Oregonian* and *Bulletin* regarding the current issue of the proper way to spell the name Willamette River. Archbishop Blanchet was an advocate of the Indian name, Willamette, and wrote a letter to Governor Grover stating his case. Most articles printed here agree with that position, however, it appears it was a hotly debated issue.

VOLUME X

Pg. 24-25 "The Last and Worst Ulceration at Washington" (*Portland Daily Oregonian* March 6, 1876) Commentary on corruption in Washington, D.C. especially as regards General Belknap.

Pg. 25 "Pioneer Names" (*Portland Daily Bulletin*, May 29, 1875) Part of an article regarding Indian tribe and place names derived from French Canadian trappers.

Pg. 25 "Moral Training in and out of Public Schools" (*Portland Oregonian*, January 31, 1876) Letter to the editor from S.W. King, Portland City Superintendent, including some of the rules of conduct and instruction for Oregon Public Schools.

Pg. 33 (*Portland Daily Oregonian*, May 13, 1876) Notice of a meeting of the Liberal Association of Portland concerning spiritualism.

Pg. 33 "St. Michael's College" (*Portland Oregonian*, May 12, 1876) Presentation of an American flag to the school by the Catholic ladies of Portland.

Pg. 34-35 "Francis N. Blanchet D.D. The Apostle of Oregon and First Archbishop of the Great West" (*Portland Catholic Sentinel*, May 4, 1876) A historical sketch of Blanchet.

Pg. 35 "The Archbishop of Oregon and the Indian Question" (*Baltimore Catholic Mirror*, undated) Promoting Archbishop Blanchet's circular on the Indian Catholic question.

Pg. 35 "The School Question in Victoria" (*Baltimore Catholic Mirror*, May 11, 1876) Petition from the Catholic residents of Victoria to the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia.

Pg. 38 "Closing Exercises at St Helen's Hall" (*Portland Oregonian*, July 7, 1876) Report on the commencement, including a transcript of the Bishop's address.

Pg. 52 "Catholic Indian Schools and Churches, Missionaries and Teachers" (undated) A list of schools and churches on reservations.

Pg. 60 "What the Proposed Indian Policy Means" (*Portland Daily Oregonian*, December 3, 1875) Report on the transfer of Indian management to the War Department.

Pg. 66 "The Future of the American Indians" (*New York Tablet*, undated) Commentary on the treatment of Native Americans.

84 "Tabulated Vote by Precincts" (undated) The count of votes for President in Oregon.

VOLUME XVII

Pg. 1 "Nouvelles Religieuses" (*Verite au Canada*, September 28, 1866 – in French) Article about Archbishop Blanchet in Oregon City.

Pg. 1 "Generosite de la paroisse de St. Pierre" (*Gazette des Campagnes*, undated - in French)

Pg. 1 "Not the First" (*Oregon Herald*, August 14, 1867) Letter to the editor from Archbishop Blanchet regarding the first brick church in Oregon.

Pg. 1 "State of Oregon v. Matthew McCormick" (*Salem Review*, undated) Report on the McCormick case and the right of the church to refuse burial.

Pg. 2 "Return of the Most Rev. Archbishop Blanchet, from Rome" (*Portland Oregon Herald*, December 16, 1870)

Pg. 2 "Arrival Home of Archbishop Blanchet" (*Portland Oregonian*, December 16, 1870)

Pg. 3 "Archbishop Blanchet's Return" (*Weekly Bulletin*, December 24, 1870)

Pg. 3 "Voix de l'Oregon" (*Nouveau Monde*, undated - in French) Notice of receipt of a letter from Oregon for the 25th anniversary jubilee of the Pope.

Pg. 5-7 (*Portland Catholic Sentinel*, undated) Archbishop Blanchet's obituary for Bishop Demers.

Pg. 7 "The Death of Bishop Demers" (*New York Freeman's Journal*, undated)

Pg. 8-10 (*Quebec Courier du Canada*, September 22, 1871 - in French) French translation of the *Catholic Sentinel* obituary for Bishop Demers.

Pg. 11 "Circular to the Clergy of the Archdiocese of Oregon City" (July 5, 1869) Regarding the 50th Jubilee mass of Archbishop Blanchet.

Pg. 11 "The Name of our River" (*Portland Oregonian*, December 11, 1871.) Letter to the editor regarding the dispute about the spelling of the Willamette River.

Pg. 12 "Why the Yakima Reservation should have a Catholic Agent" (*Portland Catholic Sentinel*)

Pg. 13 "Handsome Gift" (1873) A photo album with pictures of the Pope and others who participated in the Vatican Council was presented to the Catholic Library & Christian Doctrine Society of Oregon City.

Pg. 13 (*Portland Monitor*, July 19, 1869) Letter to the editor regarding Archbishop Blanchet's 50th jubilee.

Pg. 13 "Etymology of the Word Oregon" (*Portland Catholic Sentinel*, December 19, 1870)

Pg. 14 "Sermon" by Archbishop Blanchet (*Portland Catholic Sentinel*, December 24, 1870) Discussion of his trip to Rome and transcript of his sermon.

Pg. 14 "Report: on the 22nd Annual Convention of the Episcopal Church - Missionary Jurisdiction of Oregon & Washington" (1873)

Pg. 17 (May 9, 1866) Letter (advertisement) to Fr. Blanchet from a steamer master reporting on the whereabouts of someone he knew.

Pg. 18 "Suwanee Reviewed" (*Portland Daily Bulletin*, April 9, 1873) Letter to editor by Archbishop Blanchet regarding the Hudson Bay Company and the priests with the Yakima Indians.

Pg. 20 "Reception at the Academy of the Holy Names" (*Portland Daily Bulletin*, August 6, 1873) Report on the induction of new members into the Order.

Pg. 20 "The Social Evil" (*Daily News*, July 18, 1873) Letter to the editor requesting something be done regarding prostitutes in Portland.

Pg. 20 "Assistance for Sufferers of Fire" (*Portland Daily Bulletin*, August 9, 1873) Appeal by Ben Holladay for action to help victims of a recent Portland fire.

Pg. 21 "Again in Operation" (August 9, 1873) Report on reopening of the Oregon City Woolen Mills after a fire.

Pg. 21 (*Portland Catholic Sentinel*, February 1871) Letter from Rev. Brouillet reporting on the first mass held at the Umatilla Indian Reservation.

Pg. 22 "Consecration of Trinity Church" (August 31, 1873)

Pg. 22-23 "Another Niagara" - Report on a falls discovered on the Snake River.

Pg. 23 "Table of Distances from Dalles to the Boise Mines" (undated)

Pg. 24 "Dedication in Portland" (*San Francisco Monitor*) Dedication of the new chapel of the Sisters of Jesus and Mary.

Pg. 24 "An Issue about a Name" (*Portland Daily Herald*, September 18, 1868) An opinion that the Willamette River should be called by an Americanized name, not a "suwish" name.

Pg. 25 "Presbyterian Synod" (*Portland Daily Bulletin*, October 16, 1873) Report on the Synod remonstrance against Catholic churches being built on Yakima and Nez Perce reservations.

Pg. 25 "Concerning Indians and Missions" (*Portland Daily Bulletin*, October 17, 1873) Response to previous report of remonstrances of the Synod.

Pg. 25 "Synod of the Pacific" (*Portland Daily Bulletin*, November 3, 1873) Presbyterian minister's (A. L. Lindsley) letter to the editor claiming that important parts of the Synod decisions were left out of the October 16 report.

Pg. 27 "Pacific Stage Company" (November 13, 1873) Articles of Incorporation are advertised.

Pg. 30 "Complaints of Injustice in Distribution of Indian Agencies" (*Chicago Tribune*, June 14, 1873?) Report on the arguments between the Protestant-led Indian board and the Catholic Missionaries.

Pg. 30 (*Baker City Weekly Herald*, October 23, 1873) Letter to the editor about Archbishop Blanchet and Rev. Bolduc's early missions in Oregon Territory.

Pg. 34. "Letters of Archbishop Blanchet concerning the Execution of the Five Cayuse Indians and Declarations of the Prisoners" (*Portland Catholic Sentinel*, April 27, 1872)

Pg. 43 "Hospital and Orphanage" (*Portland Daily Oregonian*, March 9, 1874) Plans are underway for a hospital and orphanage in Portland.

Pg. 45 "Petition of Catholic Indians" (undated) The chiefs of Ft. Hall Agency, Idaho, appeal to the President for the return of their Catholic agent.

Pg. 49 (April 9, 1874) Report by Rev. J. Giorda, S.J. and Rev. P. Tosi, S.J. to the Bishop of Nesqually on the conversion at the Spokane Chapel.

Pg. 52 (undated) Report on St. Michael's College commencement. It lists the names of four classes.

Pg. 53 "Anniversary of Oregon Bible Society" (*Portland Daily Bulletin*, July 27, 1874)

Pg. 53 (*Portland Daily Bulletin*, July 31, 1874) Report on ground clearing for St. Vincent's Hospital.

Pg. 54 (undated) Notice of arrival by steamer of several Sisters of Charity.

Pg. 55 (*Sale Willamette Farmer*, October 16, 1874) Copy of Archbishop Blanchet's letter to the Governor regarding the spelling of the Willamette.

Pg. 55 (*Portland Catholic Sentinel*, October 16, 1874) Copy of the above letter.

Pg. 56-58 Six articles regarding the sentencing of Thomas Gerrand, found guilty of murder, some calling for the death penalty, some for life in prison. Governor commutes death sentence.