



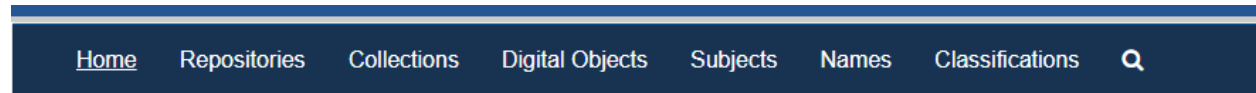
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Secretary of State

## Exploring the State Archives Catalog

The Rhode Island State Archives is charged with preserving and maintaining the permanent records of state government. The collection of historical records, dating from 1638 to the present, is available to the public for research at our Westminster Street facility. Our on-line catalog makes available digital content, records, research guides, and finding aids to help you explore our collections.

This guide is designed to help you navigate the catalog to find materials and collections that interest you.

## BROWSING THE CATALOG



### Home

Select home to begin a search.

### Repositories

Learn more about the Rhode Island State Archives. See contact information, location, and an overview of what is in the catalog.

### Collections

Browse by titles, record series, or records created by government entities, individuals, or corporate bodies. Results display in numerical then alphabetical order but can be sorted by Title ascending and descending.

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Title (ascending) Sort

**1636-1936 Official Chronicle and Tribute Book of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations**  
Item - Folder: Folder 14 Identifier: 2014-37.14  
Scope and Contents This Volume contains: A chronicle of three Hundred Years of Outstanding Events, Its Industrial and Commercial Development, and a Lasting Tribute to the progressive individuals, Companies and Corporations listed herein who are carrying on and preserving the glorious traditions of the city and state  
Lucia Hammon Wheeler  
George D. Hall Inc.  
Found in: Rhode Island State Archives

**1938 Hurricane Pictures from Falmouth to Fall River and New London Areas Mostly In and About New Bedford**  
Item - Folder: Folder 9 Identifier: 2014-37.9  
Found in: Rhode Island State Archives

**1954 Hurricane**  
Item - Folder: Folder 34 Identifier: 2014-37.34  
Found in: Rhode Island State Archives

**1995 Projected Demand and Supply of Nurses for Rhode Island, Nurse Shortage Task Force Report**  
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## Digital Objects

Browse records containing digital materials including PDFs and photographs.

## Subjects

Browse by subject such as administrative records, proclamations, reports, and more.

## Filter Results

Once you have selected a collection, digital object, or subject, use filters, located to the right of your results, to narrow results based on type of record, subject, name, and collection.

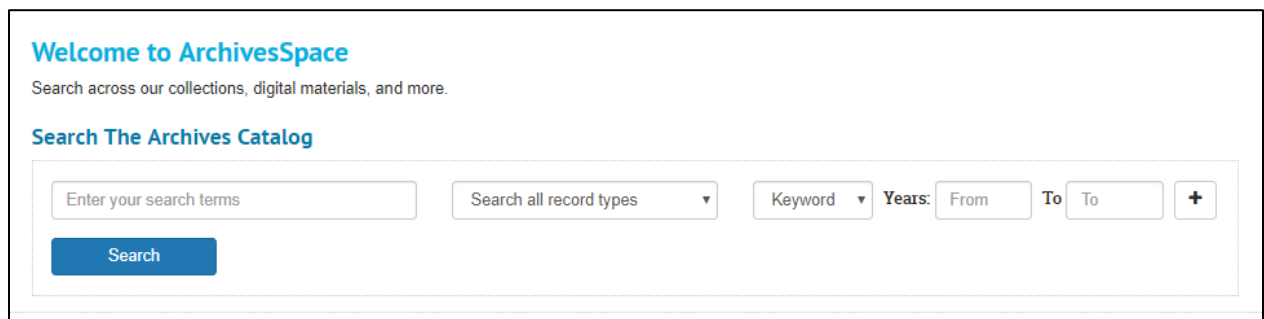
## Names

Browse by proper names of creators such as individuals, state and local government entities, corporate bodies, or geographic names.

## Classifications

Browse records created by specific agencies, commissions, and departments within state government.

## USING THE SEARCH



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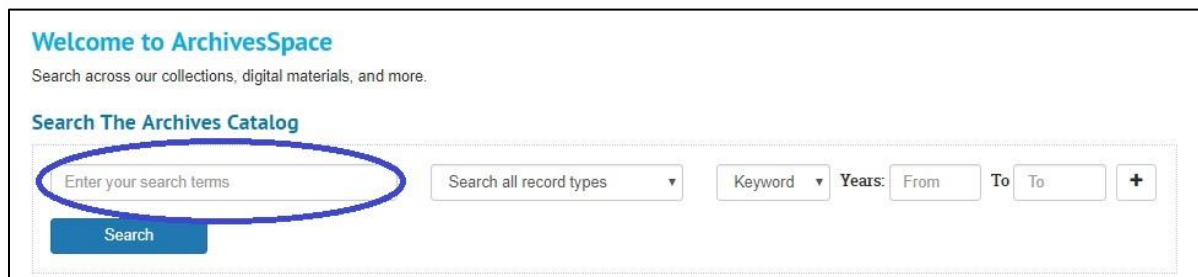
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## Keyword

The search engine looks for records containing the terms you submit. Enter your terms in the box labeled “Enter your search terms” and select “Search”.

## Search by Phrase

Use quotes around your search query (e.g. "William J. Stone Printing").



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## Narrow Your Search Results

Use a minus sign “-” before a term you want to omit from your results when entering keywords in the search bar (e.g. 'Williams -Roger' finds Ted Williams).

## Filter Results

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Item – Folder: Folder 7 Identifier: 1636-1244

Found in: Rhode Island State Archives / Rhode Island Proceedings of a Symposium Sponsored by LT. Governor J. Joseph Garrahy

**Lieutenant Governor Robert A. Weygand records**

Series – Box: Box 1 Identifier: 1997-12

Scope and Contents This series consists of commission appointment letters, advice and consent letters, and subject files from the office of Lieutenant Governor Robert Weygand. In the case of appointments, some are made by the Lieutenant Governor and some by others. In all cases of appointment letters and advice and consent letters, the series includes the Lieutenant Governor's copies. Other offices also hold copies. The subject files include reference files related to commissions on the Lieutenant Governor's...

Found in: Rhode Island State Archives / Lieutenant Governor Robert A. Weygand records

**Lieutenant Governor Bernard Jackvony records**

Series – Box: Boxes 1-9 Identifier: 1998-145

Scope and Contents This series consists of day-by-day schedules for Lieutenant Governor Bernard Jackvony, along with some subject files concerning specific pieces of legislation he was interested in and particular events he was involved in during his time as Lieutenant Governor.

Found in: Rhode Island State Archives / Lieutenant Governor Bernard Jackvony records

**Lieutenant Governor Elizabeth H. Roberts records**

Series – Multiple Containers Identifier: 2014-53

Scope and Contents These are the records of the administration of Lieutenant Governor Elizabeth Roberts who served two terms as Rhode Island Lieutenant Governor from 2007-2015. They consist of the records of her staff and the records of the Lieutenant Governor's statutory involvement in the Long Term Care Coordinating Council (R.I.G.L. 23-17.3-2); the Emergency Management Advisory Committee (R.I.G.L. 30-15-6(10)), and the Small Business Advocacy Council. The records also contain correspondence, invitations,...

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## SELECTED TERMS

- **Corporate body** - an organization.
- **Government entity** – an agency, regulatory authority, or department.
- **Record series** - documents arranged and filed based on a shared subject or function.

## Have a Question?

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