

## David Kruidenier Papers – Finding Aid

Initials used: DK=David Kruidenier, MC=Mike Cowles (Gardner Cowles, Jr.), JC=John Cowles, GC=Gardner Cowles, Sr., JCJ=John Cowles, Jr.

Some duplication may be observed and was necessary to preserve the folder contents as DK arranged them.

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Section 2: David S. Kruidenier, Jr.

Section 3: *Des Moines Register*

Section 4: Cowles Media Co./Minneapolis Star Tribune

Section 5: Des Moines, city involvement

Section 1: Family

Call-Cowles history

Call – Cowles History Folder

Birthdates of Great-grandchildren

Family trees: Gardner Cowles Jr., Lois Cowles, Kate Cowles, John Cowles, Jr., Sarah

Richardson Cowles Doering,

Call-Cowles Relatives 2/83

Cowles Family Address and Phone List

Letter 11/6/1969 re Call family

Members of the Cowles family

Letters re Cowles family history

Harper's, June, 1963 with article of John & Mike Cowles

Wall Street Journal, 2/23/1983 Article on Keck family empire

Letters from Gardner, Sr., Jan.-Feb. 1937 re purchase of land on Tonawanda

Clipping, D.M. Register 8/31/1982 re Cowles family wealth

Corresp. with Dale Bentz and Gary Gerlach re Cowles family papers 1982

Letter from Leslie Dunlap re papers 1981

Photo Florence Call Cowles

Letter from Bert Butcher, Jr. re William F. Cowles 1982

The Upper Des Moines (Algona) 10/26/1898

Copy of Mike Cowles' speech 10/2/1967

Clipping, Printers' Ink, 4/10/1959 on Mike Cowles

Clipping, Des Moines Tribune, 6/25/1974 on John Cowles

Clipping, Printers' Ink, 4/3/1959 and 4/17/1959 on Mike Cowles

Clipping, Time, 12/8/1958 on John and Mike

Clipping, Des Moines Register, 10/31/1965, Editorial by Mike on Viet Nam

Clipping, Saturday Review, 5/11/1968 on Cowles family

Book jacket, George Mills' Harvey Ingham & Gardner Cowles, Sr.

Picture, residence of Ambrose A. Call, Algona

Letters to George Mills, 1970, re scrapbook of Edith Call Hutchison and scrapbook

Article by Louis A. Haselmayer on William Fletcher Cowles  
Letter, Luther Hill, Jr. 4/7/1983 on Gardner Cowles, Sr. & Simpson College  
Clipping, 10/10/1977, re Cowles & Ingham in Algona  
Algona packet with clippings, Tom Hutchison

Clippings Folder 1 1976-1985 Further index?  
Clippings Folder 2 1986-1989 Index further?  
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Clippings Folder 4 1997-2004

Gardner Cowles, Sr.  
Ring binder, Estate of Gardner Cowles, inc. family letters

## **Trusts**

Cowles Family Trusts

History and Financial Data on Gardner Cowles and Florence Call Cowles Trust, Algona  
Farm Trust, Marathon Farm Trust, Years 1933 to 1946, inclusive

## **John Cowles**

### **Correspondence:**

Memo, JC to DK 1962 re business and politics  
DK to JC 1967 re Gardner Cowles Foundation  
JC to DK 1969 re Register articles  
JC to DK 1971 re Charlie Horn  
JC to DK 1971 re Eliot Janeway talk  
JC to MC 1971 re Register and Tribune stock  
JC to George Olmstead 1971  
JC to DK 1971 re Stanley Hawks  
JC to Dean Acheson 1971 re Pentagon Papers and public's right to know **alert**  
JC to MC 1971 re purchase of newspapers  
JC to James Demetron 1971 Gale collection of Japanese prints  
DK to Betty Cowles 1971 re Gale collection  
DK to JC 1971 re Minn. Star & Tribune, Wilbur Miller, Drake  
JC to DK 1971 re family  
DK to JC 1971 re Louise Cordingley  
JC to DK 1972 re Register and Tribune  
JC to DK 1972 re cataract operation  
JC to DK 1972 re Antigua  
JC to DK 1973 re David Smith sculpture and other  
JC 1973 remarks on retirement to Twenty Year Club-**alert**- **Kipling**  
JC to DK, DK to JC 1973 re MC retirement  
JC to DK 1973 re *Psychology Today*

Memo JC 1973 re Elliott Janeway talk  
JC to DK 1973 re Ken MacDonald editorial on Nixon, Gordon Gammack  
DK to JC 1973 reply  
Ken MacDonald to JC 1973 re Gil Cranberg  
JC to James Demetrian 1973 re Kokoschka double portrait of JC and wife  
JC to DK 1973 re paying for flights to Antigua  
JC to James Demetrian 1973 re Brancusi sculpture Maiastra  
DK to JC 1973 re Gardner Cowles Foundation  
Memo JC to DK 1973 re reimbursement for expenses  
DK to JC and Betty 1973 re Brancusi sculpture  
JC to Harry Prugh 1974 re retirement  
DK to Betty Cowles 1974 re Planned Parenthood  
JC to DK 1975 re family  
JC to DK 1975 thank-you letter  
JC to DK 1975 re Civic Center, Tom Hutchison  
DK to JC and Betty 1975 family  
Clipping 1976 re Morley Ballantine  
JC to DK and others 1976 re \$2 million gift to University of Minn. Foundation  
JC to DK 1977 re Des Moines as All American City  
JC to DK 1977 re book about GC and Harvey Ingham  
JC to DK 1977 re DK's 25 years with Register  
JC to DK 1977 re bequest from Betty Cowles and reply  
DK to JC 1982 re gift to Des Moines Art Center  
DK to JC 1982 thank-you  
DK to many 1983 re JC and Betty gifts to Minneapolis Society of Fine Arts and  
magazine  
JC Jr. to DK memo 1984 re JC estate

### **Biographical material & Clippings**

Obituary Mrs. John (Elizabeth Bates) Cowles  
Obituary John Cowles, Sr.  
Biographical clippings and data

Gardner Cowles, Jr. (Mike) family

### **Gardner Cowles, Jr., (Mike) Folder**

#### **1. Correspondence:**

Gardner Cowles, Jr. to Gardner Cowles Sr., 1940 re history of the Register & Tribune  
DK to D.M. Register, 1958 re Mike Cowles  
MC to DK, 1961, re Cowles Magazines and Broadcasting, Inc.  
MC to Bernard Kurtz, 1961, re St. Joseph Academy  
MC to DK, 1961, re Register and Tribune advertising department  
MC to JC, 1962, re Family Circle

DK? To MC, 1962, re Register and Tribune stock  
MC to Henry Harmon, 1962, re pledge to Drake  
MC to DK, 1962, re Renoir at Des Moines Art Center  
Thomas Tibbs to MC, 1963, re Renoir work  
DK? To MC, 1963, re Eighth and Grand property, Bankers Life  
Watson Powell, Jr. to DK and DK to MC, 1964, re cultural highlights of Des Moines  
MC to Mrs. Eero Saarinen, 1964, re arts, architecture in Des Moines  
MC to DK, 1965, re Hazel Brannon Smith  
Joyce Swan, DK to MC, 1965, re Newfoundland Pulp and Chemical Company  
MC to DK and DK to MC, 1966, re political ad  
DK to MC, 1967, re gift to YMCA  
DK to MC, 1967, re investing  
Memos MC to DK and others, 1967, re General Development and City Investing  
MC to Louis Norris, Gustave Levy, 1967, re State Street Investment Corporation  
DK to MC, 1968, re Janesville Gazette  
MC to DK, 1968, re Des Moines Art Center, Drake Fund Drive  
MC to DK, 1968, re travel advice  
DK to MC, 1969, re Peter's Commercial Printing, Inc. stock  
MC to Louis Norris and reply, 1969, re salaries of Register and Tribune employees  
MC to DK, 1969, family plans  
Louis Norris to MC, 1970, re Philip and Victor Shore  
DK to MC, 1970, re Register and Tribune shares  
MC to DK and reply, 1970, re Chairman of Drake University Board of Trustees  
Telegrams to MC, 1971 re trip to China  
MC to Mrs. Alvin H. Kirsner, 1971, re Des Moines Symphony Orchestra  
Map and directions to MC home, Indian Creek Island, Florida  
MC to DK, 1971, re purchase of Riverhead News-Review by Pat Cowles  
MC to DK, 1972, re Look  
DK to Dean Wayne Rowland, School of Journalism, Drake University re Look film  
MC to DK, 1972, re the Guild  
MC to DK, 1972, re Cowles Communications, Inc.  
MC to DK, 1972, re Gardner Cowles Foundation and Cowles Charitable Trust  
MC to DK and DK to MC, 1972, re offset printing  
MC to DK, 1972 20 year service  
DK to Louis H. Norris, 1973 re payment to MC  
MC to JC, 1973, re Cowles Communications, Inc.  
MC to DK, 1973, re Register & Tribune  
Voting Trust Agreement, 1973, Register and Tribune  
MC to DK and DK to MC, 1973, re Register and Tribune  
MC to Lou Norris, 1973 re Voting Trust Agreement  
Memo, 1973 New York Times Company  
MC to DK, 1973, re gift of CCI stock to Drake University  
Wilbur Miller to MC, 1974 re stock gift  
Memo, M.C. Whatmore to MC, 1974 re Cowles Communication, Inc.  
Memo, MC to DK, 1974, re CCI  
John Cowles, Jr. to MC and DK re Drew Pearson Diaries and pages from same

MC to DK, 1974, re Drake University  
MC to DK, 1974, re Cowles Charitable Trust  
JC to DK, 1974, re MC letter re Dwayne Andreas  
MC to DK, 1975, re trusts for Virginia, Lenore Fenton, Virginia Hochstraser  
MC to DK, 1976, re Garrison Asset Management  
MC to JC, 1976, re Countess Metternich  
MC to DK, 1976, re trusts  
DK to MC, 1976, re Gardner & Florence Call Cowles Foundation  
Address change, MC, 1976  
MC to DK, 1977, re Civic Center & Des Moines an All-American city  
MC to DK, 1977, re *Register & Tribune* history book  
DK to MC, 1977, re possible consolidation between Des Moines & Minneapolis  
MC to DK, 1977, re misc.  
DK to MC, 1977, re bio of GC and Mike Gartner  
MC to Florence Kruidenier, 1977, re visit  
MC to DK, 1977, re trust  
MC to DK, 1977, re Will Miller, Drake Univ.  
MC to DK, 1978, re vacation plans  
Katie Nichols to DK, 1978, re summer work  
MC to DK, 1978, re Kay Graham  
MC to DK, 1978, re Ding Darling cartoons  
Mary Croft to DK, 1978, re Virginia Cowles Trust, 3  
MC to JC & DK, 1978, re Nancy Cardozo Cowles' book  
Certificate of Capital Stock, Greater Des Moines Committee  
Mary Croft to DK, 1978, re trustee  
MC to DK, 1979, re stockholders' meeting  
GC travel itinerary, 1979  
MC to DK, 1979, report on trip to Northern Europe  
MC dates of election  
MC to DK, 1979, re DM Art Center sculpture  
MC to DK, 1979, re Jack Kemp  
Mary Croft to DK, 1979, re Virginia Cowles' trusts  
MC to DK, 1979, re Mary LeCron Foster  
MC to DK, 1980, re book on Ding Darling by David Lendt  
MC to DK, 1980, re R&T stockholders meeting  
DK to JC and Louis Norris, 1980, re Lois Thornburg Cowles Trusts  
MC to Clark Mollenhoff, 1980, re R&T stock  
MC to DK, 1980, misc.  
James M. Kiser to MC, 1980, re CCI stock  
DK to Martha Stephens, 1981 re Lew Little  
MC to DK, 1981, thank-you  
MC to JC, 1981, family news  
Clipping, MC to DK, 1981 re New York Times Co.  
DK to MC, 1982 re agricultural problems  
James Kiser to MC, 1982, re *Register & Tribune*  
MC to Liz Kruidenier, 1982, thank-you

MC to DK, 1982, re George Ball column  
Gary Gerlach to MC, 1982, re *DM Register*  
Michael Gartner to MC, 1982, re *DM Register*  
Michael Gartner to MC, 1983, re Simpson College  
Ron Peterson to DK, 1983, memo on stock  
Jim Kiser to Mary Croft, 1983, re stock  
DK to MC, 1983, re *DM Register*  
Jim Kiser to Lois Olsan, 1983, re stock  
DK to MC, 1983, re Drake endowment  
MC to DK, 1983, re Des Moines Art Center  
DK to MC, 1983, re family  
MC to DK and DK to MC, 1984, re Watts settlement  
MC to DK, 1984, re Register

## **2. Biography, Clippings, etc.**

Biographical sketches of Mike Cowles  
Clippings re Mike Cowles' retirement, etc.  
Obituaries of Mike Cowles  
2 copies of "Compatriots" by Herbert Strentz re MC and Wendell Willkie  
2 photos of MC  
Photo in folder of GC and his three sons  
Pete Crivaro to DK, 1984, re naming Des Moines airport after MC  
Correspondence, 1974 and 1988, re MC, Willkie and Drew Pearson diary

3. Mike Cowles' Book Series: Mike Looks Back, D.M. Register columns

## **John Cowles, Jr. & Family**

JC to MC 1967 re Minneapolis Star & Tribune stock  
JCJ position description questionnaire for chairman, no date  
JCJ to Robert Manning (*Atlantic Monthly*) 1969 re various Cowles companies  
JCJ to Alden Whitman (*New York Times*) 1969 re *Suffolk Sun*  
JCJ to Newton H. Fulbright (Editor & Publisher) 1969 re *Suffolk Sun*  
JCJ to DK 1970 memo re Gardner Cowles Foundation  
JCJ to DK 1971 re hunting trip  
JCJ to DK 1972 re Harvard  
DK to JCJ 1972 schedule requires cancelling hunting trip  
JCJ to DK 1973 re United Way  
JCJ to DK 1974 re meeting schedules  
DK to JCJ 1974 re Star and Tribune stock valuation  
DK to JCJ 1976 re newspaper acquisitions  
Gary Gerlach to JCJ 1976 re meeting procedure  
JCJ to DK 1976 re Werner and est  
DK to JCJ 1976 re Exeter fund raising  
DK to JCJ 1976 re sharing space in the National Press Building  
Jay to DK 1976 re Register  
JCJ to DK 1977 re Gridiron dinner

David S. Kruidenier Trusts 1976 Balance Sheets  
JCJ to DK 1977 re compensation study  
DK to JC and JCJ 1979 re trustees for various trusts  
JC and JCJ 1980 re memorial for Arthur Gormley  
JCJ 1980 travel plans  
Barbara Raddatz 1980 travel reimbursement  
DK to JCJ 1980 meeting schedules  
Barbara Raddatz 1981 travel reimbursement  
JCJ 1981 travel plans  
JCJ 1981 family newsletter  
DK to JCJ 1982 family news  
Katie Nichols to JCJ 1982 family news  
JCJ to DK 1982 re 1983 objectives  
JCJ to Mrs. Eugene Jurs 1982 family  
DK to JCJ 1982 1983 goals  
JCJ 1983 remarks on resignation  
JCJ to DK 1983 resignation letter  
JCJ 1983 resignation statement  
JCJ to DK 1983 various trust information  
JCJ 1983 family newsletter  
Barbara Mack to DK 1983 re DH & S commentary report  
JCJ 1983 travel expenses  
Morley to DK 1983 re JCJ memo on Cowles Media  
JCJ to DK 1983 re meeting schedule  
JCJ to DK and reply 1984 on Board of Directors, Cowles Media  
Clipping JCJ 1984  
DK to JCJ and reply 1984 re Board of Directors, Des Moines Register & Tribune  
DK to JCJ and reply 1984 re Gardner & Florence Call Cowles Foundation  
JCJ to DK 1984 family newsletter  
JCJ 1984 resigning from various trusts and successor issues  
DK to JCJ 1985 thank-you for check from John Cowles Family Trust Agreement  
DK to JCJ 1985 re meeting  
Directions to family farm  
JCJ Biographical sketch  
DK to JCJ 2002 re Reverend William Fletcher Cowles  
e-mail Elizabeth Ballantine 2004 re family tree  
JC to DK 1947 re publishing career  
E. Ballantine to DK 2004 re JC letters

### **Cowles Family – Published Data**

The Cowles Boys, *PM*, 5/14/1944  
Irish-Jordan Vows Spoken, *D.M. Register* 12/19/1958  
Man of the Month(Mike), *Iowa /Business and Industry*, 12/1958  
The Cowles World, *Time*, 12/8/1958  
John Cowles is Honored, *D.M. Tribune*, 6/14/1956

Mary-Elizabeth Pitlik, Peter Kruidenier Wed, *D.M. Register*, 12/28/1952  
Gardner Cowles Has Daughter, *D.M. Register*, 10/2/1957  
To Wed Gardner Cowles, *D.M. Register* 5/1/1956  
Noted Publisher Buys Cudjoe Key Land, *The Key West Citizen*, 9/3/1955  
Separation notice, Gardner and Fleur Cowles, *Time*, 7/18/1955  
New 'Look' Post to Fleur Cowles, *D.M. Register*, 10/19/1955  
Cowles Predicts Advertising Gains, *Broadcasting Telecasting*, 11/15/1954  
Announce Honor for John Cowles, *D.M. Register*, 11/15/1951  
Jane Sage /Fuller Flores and John Cowles, Jr., Wed, *D.M. Tribune*, 8/25/1952  
Miss Lois Cowles Engaged, *D.M. Register*, 7/16  
Russell Cowles, Artist, Marries, *D.M. Register*, 3/20/1954  
Son Is Born to Cowles Couple, *D.M. Register*, 11/2/1953  
U.S. Delegation to Coronation, no date  
Ike Selects 7 Council Aides (John) no date  
John Cowles on Advisory Board, *D.M. Register*, 1/16/1953  
Harvard Alumni Post to Cowles, *D.M. Register*, 4/13/1953  
Women Honored for Their Achievements, *D.M. Register*, 12/11/1952  
Gardner Cowles on Macy's Board, *D.M. Register*, 9/30/1952  
Flair's Future Looks Good: Fleur Cowles, *Advertising Age*, 10/2/1950  
Wed in Connecticut (Mike and Fleur), 12/28/1946  
New York Close-Up (Mike and Fleur), *New York Herald Tribune*, 9/11/1949  
John Cowles, cover of *Time*, 7/1/1935  
The Prudent Publishers, *Fortune*, 8/1950  
The Midwest's Nice Monopolists John and Mike Cowles, *Harper's Magazine*, 6/1963  
Russell Cowles II Married Ann Kyle in Florida, 6/18/1963  
Cowles-Whatmore Vows Are Spoken in New York, *D.M. Register*, 10/29/1961  
Miss Cowles Wed to Julian Strauss, *D.M. Register*, 6/12/1960

### **Kruidenier Family History**

Photos Elizabeth Kruidenier  
Sketch of Kruidenier Family History and Trek to America  
Letter from DK to Walter Koopman, 12/23/1983  
Letter from DK to Daniel Kruidenier and reply, 1983  
Obituaries of Dirk and Mrs. Dirk Kruidenier  
Clipping re John Raymond Kruidenier, 12/25/1982  
Letter to DK from Jeannette Vermeer, 5/6/1983  
Letter to DK from Barbara Sagraves, 5.2.1983 with family history  
History of Albert Plugger as Told by His Nephew Louis Van Schelven  
Family Notes  
Letter and reply, DK to Mrs. J.G. Boat, 1971  
Letter and reply, DK to Ed and Edith LeCocq, 1980  
*New Yorker* article on Pella, 12/24/1979  
Family Pella history  
Letter from Bob Kruidenier to DK, 1/2/1979  
Family information from J. Kruidenier Beheer B.V. Rotterdam

Letter DK to Fred Whalley, 3/29/1977  
Sketch of Kruidenier family  
Letter DK to Mrs. Gilbert Boat, 7/22/1958  
Letter and reply DK to Mr. & Mrs. R.J. Scheele, 3/1/1976  
Mount Hope Cemetery, Wilhelmina Kruidenier  
Genealogy of Wilhemina Kruidenier  
Kruidenier family  
Affidavit of David S. Kruidenier, Jr.  
Westchester County, Paul de Pasquale against Peter Kruidenier, et al  
Dirk Kruidenier, trust fund  
Letter, DK to Francis Dean, 10/22/1958  
Clipping, photo, DK and ??  
Brochure, Henk Kruidenier  
Kruidenier family arms  
Kuyper/Kuiper family notes  
Family name list  
Letter DK Sr. to Aleda Kruidenier, 2/17/1916  
Trust agreement, Wilhelmina Kruidenier

## **Section 2 – David S. Kruidenier, Jr. – Personal**

Letter Fred Lorber to DK, 12/23/2004  
Card Sally Pederson to FK, 12/17/2004  
Letter James Demetron to DK, 3/18/?  
Letter DK to Tom Brokaw, 8/15/2005  
Letter DK to Thomas Vilsak, 8/9/2005  
Letter DK to Siah Armajani and reply, 7/7/2005  
Letter Steve Zumbach to DK, 8/24/2005  
Letter George Foster to DK and reply 2/1/2005  
Letter William Vernon to DK re Fidel Castro, 6/18/2003  
Letter DK to Charles Grassley, 10/25/2004  
Letter DK to J. Ricard Burns, 9/15/2004  
Letter DK to Lois Harrison & Homer Hooks and reply, 5/17/2004  
Letter John Kerry to DK, 6/6/2003  
Letter Mary Seidler to DK, 4/27/2003  
Letter Glenn Leggett to DK, 3/9/2003  
Christmas letter George Foster to DK, 12/14/2003  
Obituary of Mary LeCron Foster  
Letter Kenneth Dayton to DK, 4/8/2003  
Letter Mary Ellin & Marvin to DK, 1/22/2003  
Letter Harold to DK, 10/22/2001  
Letter DK to Harold Margulies, 10/8/2001  
Letter DK to Joop J. Gijsman and reply, 9/6/2001  
Letter Ted Stuart to DK re golf, 9/27/2002  
Letter re Kruidenier genealogy, 9/30/2002  
Letter Kenneth Dayton to DK, 8/21/1001

Letter Lyle Lynn to DK, 6/11/2002

## **DK - Speeches**

1960-1979

6/2/1960, to Buena Vista College, "Our Greatest Challenge"

6/1/1963, to Simpson Alumni, "Alumni Responsibility"

Untitled, undated, on the Middle East

1/9/1964, to Rotary Club, on Middle East, etc.

3/17/1964, to Tifereth Israel Synagogue, on the Middle East

Undated, untitled, on Outstanding Achievement Awards

11/11/1965, to Stereotypers and Electrotypers, untitled

4/28/1970, speech by John E. Smith, "Prospects for the Individual in the Modern University"

5/6/1971, to Drake University School of Journalism, untitled

1/3/1973, to *Register and Tribune*, Advertising Sales Award Dinner

1/5/1973, to *Jackson Sun*, "Remarks"

5/27/1973, to Lambuth College, Commencement Address

4/26/1974, to Drake Parents' Association, Board of Directors, untitled

12/9/1977, to ?, Business Reporting Workshop

10/21/1978, introduction for Phil Brown

1/9/1979, Ad Dinner Remarks

Undated, untitled, remarks at retirement of Ken McDonald

5/9/1979, to Civic Leaders, Waukesha, WI, "Remarks" – includes guest list

1983-1995

1983, untitled, Jobholders Meetings

3/28/1983, Annual Meeting of Stockholders, Des Moines Register and Tribune Company, Remarks

4/5/1983, Memorial Service for Carl Kasten, Remarks

5/20/1983, Heritage Day, Central College, Remarks

6/22/1983, Cowles Media Company Stockholders' Annual Meeting, Remarks

4/25/1984, Annual Meeting of Stockholders, Des Moines Register and Tribune Company, Remarks

2/10/1985, 20-Year Club, Minneapolis Star and Tribune, untitled

4/17/1985, Yale Alumni Speech, Minneapolis, MN, untitled

4/30/1985, Report to Des Moines Register and Tribune Company Stockholders, Annual Meeting

6/24/1985, Special Shareholders Meeting, Comments

6/24/1985, Letter to employees

7/22/1985, CMC Annual Meeting, Remarks

12/18/1985, Gift to Iowa Historical Museum Foundation, untitled

2/9/1986, Minneapolis Star and Tribune, 20-Year Club, Remarks

8/23/1986, to Des Moines Pioneer Club, "Newspapering in Iowa – One Family's Experience" Includes list of slides  
7/29/1987, Cowles Media Company Annual Stockholders Meeting, Remarks  
11/4/1987, Civic Leaders, Scottsdale, AZ, Remarks  
11/13/1987, National Philanthropy Day, Remarks  
5/1/1989, Guest Column, untitled  
8/2/1995, Anniversary of the A-Bomb, untitled  
Speech on Vietnam, 1965

DK - Photographs

### Section 3 *Des Moines Register*

#### Volumes or Notebooks:

28-Year Report, The Register and Tribune Company, Des Moines, Iowa, 1925-1952, 2 copies

24-Year Report, Des Moines Register and Tribune Company, 1940-1963

Des Moines Register and Tribune Company, Annual Report, Year 1970-1980

Minute Book, Board of Directors, Register & Tribune Company, 1933-1945

Minute Book, Board of Directors, Des Moines Register & Tribune Co., Vol. III, 1946-1958

Minute Book, Board of Directors, Des Moines Register & Tribune Co., Vol. IV, 1959-1963

Minute Book, Board of Directors, Des Moines Register & Tribune Co., Vol. V, 1964-1968

Minute Book, Board of Directors, Des Moines Register & Tribune Co., Vol. VI, 1969-1973

Minute Book, Board of Directors, Des Moines Register & Tribune Co., Vol. VII, 1974-1976

Minute Book, Board of Directors, Des Moines Register & Tribune Co., Vol. VIII, 1976-1977

Minute Book, Board of Directors, Des Moines Register & Tribune Co., Vol. IX, 1978-1979

Minute Book, Board of Directors, Des Moines Register & Tribune Co., Vol. X, 1979-1980

Closing Documents Prepared for the Des Moines Register and Tribune Company, July 1, 1985

## Complaints

General Correspondence, 1976

General Information – News articles

J.N. Darling

Clark Mollenhoff

*Tribune* – Merger into Register, 1982

Voting Trust Material – Misc., 2 folders

Dow Jones Offer and others

Sale – Register & Tribune

1984-1986 Documents, memoranda, correspondence, minutes of meetings relating to the Sale of the Des Moines Register and the liquidation.

Clippings and photocopies of public response to the sale, mostly 1984-85: Newsweek, The New Republic, Des Moines Register, Saint Paul Pioneer Press Dispatch, Minneapolis Star and Tribune, presstime, Advertising Age, Editor & Publisher, Washington Journalism Review, Wall Street Journal, Washington Post, New York Times, Chicago Tribune, U.S. News & World Report, Jackson Sun, Citybusiness, Broadcasting, Business Record, Fortune, USA Today, Adweek

Concerned Stockholders Correspondence

Includes family tree: Descendants of Gardner Cowles, Sr. and Florence Call Cowles

Mary LeCron Foster to DK 5/3/1984

DK to Mary LeCron Foster 8/8/1984

Jonathan A. Jordan 10/10/1983

Bob Dillon 9/9/1983

MC to Bob Dillon 10/1/1983

Harold L. Johnson to Bob Dillon 9/13/1983

Paul Miller to DK and response 9/1983

Ross A. Walters to Jonathan A. Jordan 11/18/1982

Jonathan Jordan to MC 11/29/1982

Fritz Sparks to DK and reply 10/1982

Mrs. Harry Monahan to DK and reply 10/1982

DK to Jonathan Jordan 7/29/1982

Memo from Barbara Mack re Jonathan Jordan 7/20/1982

Katie Nichols to DK and reply 5-6/1982

Ken MacDonald to DK 5/21/1982

Bill Ballantine to Shawn Kalkstein 4/29/1982  
Bill Ballantine to DK and others 6/6/1982  
Carl Koester to MC 5/10/1979  
JCJr. To Jonathan Jordan 6/2/1982  
DK to Jonathan Jordan 6/11/1982  
Jonathan Jordan to Morley Ballantine 5/29/1982  
Charles C. Edwards, Jr. to DK 5/13/1982  
Memo DK to Cousins 5/11/1982  
Jonathan A. Jordan to cousins 4/22/1982  
JC Jr. to Jonathan Jordan 5/5/1982  
Jonathan Jordan to Board of Directors, R. & T. 4/21/1982  
DK to Eugene E. Jurs 4/20/1982  
Bunny to DK 4/6/1982  
Bill Ballantine to DK and reply 4/1982  
Nancy Kruidenier Shepard to Karen Kalkstein and reply 4/1982  
DK to Mrs. Eugene Jurs 4/12/1982  
MC to Peter Kruidenier 4/6/1982  
Gary Gerlach to Robert Riggs 4/6/1982  
Memo from MC 4/1/1982  
Memo from Shawn Kalstein 3/25/1982  
Margaret Bullitt to DK 3/31/1982  
Eugene Jurs to DK 3/29/1982  
Gary Gerlach to Jonathan Jordan 3/22/1982  
Gary Gerlach to JCJr. 3/22/1982  
DK to Eugene Jurs 3/22/1982  
Jonathan Jordan to cousins 2/15/1982  
Memo JCJr 2/24/1982  
JCJr. To Mrs. Eugene Jurs 2/4/1982  
Helen Cowles LeCron family voting trust

R & T Liquidation, Personal Letters of Support, Dow Jones Offer  
1984, 1985

Dow-Jones Offer & Others  
Correspondence, Memos - 1984

#### Section 4 **Minneapolis Star and Tribune/Cowles Media Company**

Closing Documents Prepared for Cowles Media Company Stock, July 1, 1985

Annual reports: 1975-1977, 1979-1984, Contributions Report: 1986-1988

Excerpts from information presented at the annual stockholders' meeting of Minneapolis  
Star and Tribune Company, May 17, 1972

Highlights about the Minneapolis Newspapers, presented at the annual stockholders'  
meeting of the Minneapolis Star and Tribune Co., May 16, 1973

Annual reports; 1985-1991

Cowles Media Company, Press Releases, 1983-1996

Cowles Media Co. – Letters of congratulations to DK

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#### Section 5 Des Moines city involvement

Architect – New Downtown Library - Chipperfield

Spiral-bound booklet, David Chipperfield Architects, 2001

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Architect – New Downtown Library – Other

Clippings, memos, articles, other architects considered

Kay Runge, Public Library of Des Moines, Architects Selection Committee

#### Des Moines Oral History Project 1998-2001

Project to assemble oral histories of Des Moines people. Transcripts of interviews  
with David Kruidenier, Reinhold Carlson, Evelyn Davis, Margaret Swanson included.

Memos and correspondence regarding the project: Luther Hill, Jr., Clare Mills, Gary  
Reiners, Virginia Wadsley, Denise Dial, Iowa Historical Foundation, Pamela Lundell

Drake University – Cowles Library

Forest Ave. Library

Gardner Cowles Foundation, Stuart Davis Mural

Silag – Polk County History

