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Guide to the

**Salmon P. Chase papers**

1845-1873

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## Summary

**Creator:** Chase, Salmon P. (Salmon Portland), 1808-1873

**Title:** Salmon P. Chase papers

**Date:** 1845-1873

**Size:** .1 linear feet (1 folder)

**Abstract:** Salmon Portland Chase (1808-1873) was an American politician, jurist, and abolitionist. The Salmon P. Chase papers consist mainly of correspondence, beginning with letters and circulars relating to the 1845 Southern and Western Liberty Convention. Most date from his term as Secretary of the Treasury and relate political matters, including his ongoing support of the abolition of slavery

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## Key Terms

### Occupations

Abolitionists  
Judges  
Statesmen

### Subjects

Abolitionists -- United States -- 19th century  
Slavery -- United States -- Congresses

### Geographic Names

United States -- Politics and government -- 1845-1849  
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### Names

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