

Sir Lionel Phillips

[Pam box 1]: Lionel Phillips papers. Subject correspondence files. A-J. Contains 4 files tied with tapes.

[File 1]. Lionel Phillips papers. Incoming correspondence. 1820 Memorial Settlers' Association, 1920 Jan. 10-1922 Dec 13

[File 2]. "Arcadia". L. Phillip's residence. Jewish Orphanage. Apr.1911-Feb.1925. Contains correspondence regarding the building of Arcadia and its later sale to the South African Jewish Orphanage.

[File 3]. Lionel Phillips papers. Education, 1911-1914. Univ. of S.A.

[File 4]. ----- Incoming correspondence (+ copies of outgoing) Johannesburg Art Gallery, 1910 Jan. 24-1913 Jan. 22. Contains a couple of signed letters by Herbert Baker and an inventory of the works of art presented to the Gallery in 1913.

[Pam box 2]: Lionel Phillips papers. Subject correspondence files, K-W Contains 6 files tied with tapes and a folder.

[File 1]. Lionel Phillips papers. Incoming correspondence. Max Michaelis Collection, Cape Town, 1913 May 7-Nov. 29

[File 2]. ----- Land settlement, 1911-1925.

[File 3]. ----- Incoming correspondence. King Edward VII Memorial (Order of Nurses). 1910 Dec-1913 Aug 32

[File 4]. ----- Incoming correspondence re: Rand Regiments Memorial, 1905-1921.

[File 5]. ----- St Aidan's Church organ (Yeoville), 1912-1913

[File 6]. ----- Witwatersrand Agricultural Society, 1911

Folder. Contains letters to do with newspapers, e.g. the Argus Press.

[Pam box 3]: Lionel Phillips papers. Alphabetical files. Contains 9 folders and 5 files tied with tapes

[Folder 1.] Incoming and outgoing. Lionel Phillips: correspondence with Louis Botha, 1900-1910

[Folder 2]. Gladstone, 1912–1914. [Lord Herbert John Gladstone, Viscount Gladstone, first Governor-General of the Union, 1910-1914].

[Folder 3]. Walter Hely-Hutchinson, 1895. [Governor-General of Natal]

[Folder 4]. F. Hirschhorn, 1906-1916.

[Folder 5]. B. K. Long. “The State”, 1911-1912. [Monthly periodical].

[File 1]. J. X. Merriman. Private letters to L. Phillips re unification, Dec. 1907-Apr. 1909

[Folder 6]. Milner, 1912

[Folder 7]. F. Perry. The “Observer” and new Sunday paper, 1909-1911

[Folder 8]. Lord Selborne [Governor of the Transvaal and Orange River Colony].

[Folder 9]. Incoming and outgoing correspondence – Lionel Phillips and J. C. Smuts, 1907-1911

[File 2]. Lionel Phillips papers. Incoming correspondence re Sunday Post, Ltd. – L. R. MacLeod, 1912 May 23-1919 Feb. 28

[File 3]. Lionel Phillips papers. Incoming correspondence from E. R. Syfret & Co. re newspapers: “The State”, Cape Times, etc. 1908 Jul. 10-1913 Oct. 4

[File 4]. J. B. Taylor. Private outgoing letters to L. Phillips, 1894-1920

[File 5]. J. B. Taylor. Private letters to L. Phillips – undated

[Pam box 4]: Lionel Phillips papers. Phillips at Kimberley, 1881-1870. General; Samuel Phillips; Zoutspansberg; Randfontein – Eckstein. Contains 1 folder, 3 files tied with tape.

[Folder 1]. Lionel Phillips papers. Correspondence re Randfontein – Eckstein appointment, 1889

[File 1]. Lionel Phillips papers. Incoming correspondence from Samuel Phillips (cousin), 1882-1887

[File 2]. Lionel Phillips [papers]. Incoming correspondence: Kimberley letters, 1881-1889

[File 3]. Lionel Phillips papers. Incoming correspondence (& copies of outgoing). Klerksdorp-Zoutspansberg interests, 1888-1890

[Pam. box 5]. Lionel Phillips letters. Transcriptions/typed/photocopies: WB LL: 1890-1910; WB Cape IL 24, 1896-1905. [WB = Wernher Beit]

Contains a blue folder headed Queries... in which can be found a German postcard of a Boer soldier.

[Pam. box 6]. Lionel Phillips. Background information

Contains Mrs. Joyce Newton Thompson's memories of Lady Phillips and Sir Lionel Phillips; a copy of Sir Lionel's birth certificate; a history of the Royal Johannesburg Golf Club, of which Sir Lionel was President; notes on Tylney Hall; a pamphlet on Phillips' life by Maryna Fraser; the catalogue of furniture, etc., from Vergelegen sold in 1941, etc.

[Pam. box 7]. Lionel Phillips. Incoming correspondence from Florence Phillips. Contains 6 files tied with tape.

[File 1]: Nov. 1884-Apr. 1887

[File 2]: Sept. 1884-Nov. 1884

[File 3]: 1892 30 Sept-20 Dec.; 1898 31 Mar. – undated

[File 4]: July 1900-Sept. 1901

[File 5]: Apr. 1903-Feb. 1912

[File 6]: Feb.-May, 1912

[Pam box 8]. Lionel Phillips. Incoming correspondence from Florence Phillips. Contains 6 files tied with tape.

[File 1]: Jan. 1888-Nov. 1888

[File 2]: 1888-1892

[File 3]: Jan. 1893-Dec. 1893, 1894

[File 4]: Jan. 1894-Dec. 1895

[File 5]: Feb. 1897-Aug. 1897

[File 6]: Feb.-Mar. 1898

[Pam. box 9]. Lionel Phillips papers. Letters of appeal. Copies of outgoing correspondence. Miscellanea. Contains files, papers, etc.

[File 1]: Lionel Phillips. Drafts & copies of outgoing correspondence. Includes a folder of letters from Abe Bailey.

[File 2]: Death of Harold Phillips. Press cuttings.

South African mining journal, Feb. 4, 1893. Discusses a speech delivered by Phillips as president of Chamber of Mines.

Miscellaneous documents, e.g. press cuttings, copies of speeches.

[Folder 1]: Lionel Phillip's incoming letters. Requests for assistance...Letters of thanks. Promissory notes.

Envelope: Negatives and Photostats of Sir L. Phillip's correspondence

Folder 2]: Lionel Phillips – telegrams

[Pam box 10]: Lionel Phillips. Incoming correspondence, from members of the family and children. Contains 10 folders and a file tied with tapes.

[Folder 1]: Harold Phillips

[Folder 2]: [Correspondence with the Eastwoods].

[Folder 3]: Jack Stuart-Wortley (son-in-law)

[Folder 4]: Edie Phillips

[File]: Lionel Phillips. Incoming correspondence. Family. School reports

[Folder 5]: Alfred Braunstein

[Folder 6]: Ortlepps

[Folder 7]: Marion (sister)

[Folder 8]: Willy George (nephew)

[Folder 9]: Alice Penso (sister)

[Folder 10]: Mary Ortlepp

[Pam box 11]: Lionel Phillips. Private letters. Transcripts typed/ photocopies from PHI, 1893-1929. Business correspondence

[Pam box 12]: Lionel Phillips. Biography. Notes & photocopies

Miscellaneous documents, e.g. an extract from a memoir, photocopies of telegrams, archival notes on the Phillips papers, report of a court case about water in Somerset West, etc.

[Pam box 13]: Lionel Phillips. Photocopies from other collections

Photocopies of letters from collections such as the James Rose Innes Papers in the South African Library and the Thomas Pringle Collection. Included is a memoir of Jack Stuart-Wortley by John Buchan (Edith Phillips' first husband) and another of Edith Nicholson (Phillips) by her daughter.

[Pam Box 14]: Lionel Phillips papers. Incoming correspondence (unsorted). 9 files tied with tape and a folder.

[File 1]: Lionel Phillips papers. Prominent personalities, 1910-1921, including letter conferring baronetcy. Letters by people such as John McCormack and Schumacher, D Hirshchorn. Includes a letter of commiseration from the father of Phillips' would-be assassin. There is no letter conferring

a baronetcy, but a letter from the Garter inquiring as to his correct description to be embodied in the Letters Patent.

[File 2]: Prominent personalities sent to Phillips, 8/5/1901 – 12/1/1909. Miscellaneous letters, e.g from a German seaman asking to captain Phillips' new yacht.

[Folder]: Lionel Phillips. Incoming correspondence (unsorted). Letters from Alice and Sir Julius Wernher, Richard Feetham, Jim Taylor, Francis Brett Young, etc. on matters such as Chinese labour, the Miners' Phthisis Bill, the death of Beit, the taking over of St. Mary's College by the Diocese, the visit of General Haig; a copy of a letter from Oliver Fitzpatrick to his father Sir Percy written shortly before his death and copies of Fitzpatrick's letters to his son Alan and a Major Apthorpe, plus a photocopy of a letter from 10 Downing St telling Fitzpatrick of his knighthood (probably wrongly filed), etc.

[File 3]: Lionel Phillips. Unsorted. Contains telegrams, etc. – mostly political.

[File 4]: Prominent personalities – Sir L Phillips, 26/6/1909 – 2/1/1911. Contains letters from Marquess Curzon of Kedleston, Lord Lansdowne, Walter Hely-Hutchinson, John Buchan, etc.

[File 5]: Lionel Phillips. Ralph Martin (nephew?) – Lady Phillips – loan – A. D. Pennant – Haenertsburg Gold and Copper Company. Insurance policies in Florence Phillips' name, deed of lease in her name in Plein Street.

[File 6]: Lionel Phillips. Mostly letters from overseas correspondents, e.g. Lord Lothian, Charles R. Hunter, the 4th Earl Grey, S. M. Lewin, A. Mackie Niven, also John Martin of the Argus Press.

[File 7]: Lionel Phillips, Sept 1902-1918: Contains an essay on Pan-Britannicism by J. Astley Cooper, letters from Abe Bailey, E. R. Syfret, etc., a deed of transfer, a list of wrought iron items for Arcadia, a list of Lady Phillips' jewellery, etc.

[File 8]: Sir Lionel Phillips papers. Incoming correspondence. Copies of outgoing, 3/6/1911 – Dec. 1911. Contains a number of personal letters, from Alice Wernher about Sir Julius' illness, various people wanting donations, etc.

[File 9]: Lionel Phillips letters, circa 1907-1910 (as yet unsorted). Includes correspondence about the organ for Arcadia.

[Pam. box 15]: Lionel Phillips. Business papers and correspondence. Contains some loose papers and 5 files tied with string. The loose papers are memorandums of agreement.

[File 1]: Sir L. Phillips. Prominent personalities. 15/7/1886 – 5/1900. Contains documents from L.P.'s early business career, e.g. credit notes, letters and statements from Sir Alfred Beit, a mortgage bond.

[File 2]: Lionel Phillips papers. Life insurance & balance sheets, & correspondence financial matters. Income tax, life insurance, etc.

[File 3]: Lionel Phillips papers. Articles of partnership. L. Breitmeyer & Co.

[File 4]: Letters to Lionel Phillips, 1882. Rifle & drivers' licenses. Receipts.

[File 5]: Sir Lionel Phillips. Birth certificate. Copy of will & codicil, life policies.

[Pam box. 16]: Lionel Phillips papers. Correspondence addressed to his secretaries and G. W. Newcombe. Contains 6 folders and a file.

[Folder 1]: Incoming correspondence A. F. Mullins

[Folder 2]: J. L. Siddall

[Folder 3]: J. Mitchell. Contains press cuttings with photographs of L.P.

[Folder 4]: T. J. Milner.

[Folder 5]: Broederstroom Stud Farm

[Folder 6]: Other correspondence found among Phillips' papers addressed to Mullins

[File]: J. Mitchell. Incoming correspondence. L. Phillips' estate, 1936-1939

[Pam. box 17]: Lionel Phillips papers. Incoming correspondence (unsorted). Contains a variety of unsorted documents, e.g. letters from the Wills concerning the estrangement between L.P.'s son Albert and his wife Mary; plans of farms; purchases of racing horses and the chamber organ for Arcadia; catalogues of farming items at the Tylney Hall estate home farm; a signed letter from Geoffrey Robinson, editor of The Times; a letter from R. Leaver about the Brakpan tragedy; a number of letters on political issues; invitations; several memorandums on native squatters; labour recruiting material; an analysis of L.P.'s handwriting; correspondence about Dr. Ortlepp who had entered the Norwood Sanatorium, about Lady Phillips' flower book, about the visit to South Africa of Field Marshall and Lady Haig; about miners' phthisis, etc.

[Pam. box 18]: F. R. Phillips papers, incl. letters from L.P., 1923-1935. Contains 5 files tied with tape and 2 folders

[File 1]: F. R. Phillips papers. Credit notes, Trust A/C (F. R. Phillips & Mrs. H. W. Lammie, Trustees)

[File 2]: F. R. Phillips papers. Lionel Phillips to Frank, 1923 Jun. 13-1935 Aug. 8

[File 3]: F. R. Phillips papers. Correspondence; 1. Estate and Deed of Trust Sir Lionel. 2. Nephew, Lionel

[File 4]: F. R. Phillips papers (Frank). Correspondence. Estate & Deed of Trust of Sir Lionel Phillips. (Copies of letters to R. MacQueen, C.M. and I.C.)

[File 5]: F. R. Phillips [papers]. Background information on Sir Lionel's farms: copies of letters to F. R. Phillips, Newcombe (L.P.'s farm manager); letters addressed to L. Phillips re Woodbush Timber Co., Broederstroom Stud Farm

[Folder 1]: Refs to Vergelegen, extracted from F. R. Phillips papers. E.g. a list of Sir Lionel's South African assets after his death, a notice from the Colonial Orphan Chamber & Trust Company asking for offers for the property.

[Folder 2]: Vergelegen. Documents lifted from [sic.] Phillips Papers. E.g. the problem of Lady Phillips' attempt to build a dam to supply water to Somerset West; her Somerset Strand plot (boat-house).

[Pam. box 19]: Florence Phillips papers. Contains one file tied with tapes. Includes correspondence with Edward Rowarth on photographs for her book and on the publication of The flora of South Africa; New Year's cards; suggested site for the Art Gallery, etc.

[Folder]: Sir Lionel Phillips. Contains copies of title deeds, etc., a short biography of L. P., a cutting from The Star written on his 80th birthday, and various financial documents.

[Folder]: Broederstroom Farm. Monthly statements & ledger balances, 1932/1937* 1
Removed from M.N.F. Box 260 on 4.9.14

[Folder]: Syferfontein. Statements, etc., 1920/1936*
Removed from M.N.F. Box 266 on 4.9.14

[Envelope 1]: Sir Lionel Phillips papers. 1. Westfalia Estate 1929, by Kenno Klapwijk. 2. Photocopies from Some reminiscences. Contains a history of the Westfalian estate by Klapwijk who explains how run-down it became when managed by Harold Phillips.

[Envelope 2]: Photocopied items to do with the Phillips family, e.g. birth and death certificates, family trees, wills.

[Album 1]: Miners' Strike. Witwatersrand., July 1913. Diary & notes, vol. 1. 'Diary and notes of incidents in connection with the strike; also extracts from speeches, letters, etc. [copied from newspapers]. Pages 1 to 58 are devoted to the matter of labour movements in the Transvaal since January, 1911.' Annexures include a command paper presented to Parliament in Britain and the South African Labour Party manifesto.

[Album 2]: -----, vol. 2. 'Diary and notes. Also contains reports of speeches, statements, etc. from termination of strike July 5th, 1913 up to and including September 11th, 1913, dealing with mines and railways.' Mostly newspaper cuttings.

[Album 3]: -----, vol. 3. 'Diary and notes. Also contains reports of speeches, statements, etc. from September 12th, 1913 up to and including January 8th, 1914.' Further newspaper cuttings.

[Album 4]: Press cuttings re Transvaal problems. (Transvaal problems, by Sir Lionel Phillips, was published in 1905).

[Book 1]: A duplicate telegram book.

[Book 2]: Tylney Hall, Hampshire, 1910. The auction catalogue of Tylney Hall, which was bought by L.P., and the various farms attached to it.

Letter Books: Series numbered 1-29, dated 05/1893-03/1929.

[Pam. Box]. Wallers papers. Contains 2 files tied with tape, a folder, 4 pamphlets and a book

[File 1]: White labour, unions, etc., 1914-1915. Contains documents such as minutes of the meetings of the Joint Committee of the Transvaal Chamber of Mines and Mine Employees, items to do with wages, etc.

[File 2]: White labour – 1922 strike, etc. 1916-1936. Contains items such as Mr. Wallers - Industrial conference papers, July/Oct. 1917; a list of the demands of the Mine Workers Union and the response to them; cuttings from The Star, etc.

Folder. Sir Evelyn A. Wallers. [President of the Chamber of Mines]. Contains letters, reports, etc., most of them on newspapers such as The leader and The Sunday post; an article by George Alfred Goodwin entitled 'An old prospector's thoughts about South Africa'; letters about the Bezuidenhout Valley Memorial to Fallen Soldiers, and correspondence between John Martin and E. Baliol Scott, editor of The mining journal.

[Pam. 1]: A paper by E. T. Mellor reprinted from the South African journal of science, 1926

[Pam. 2- 4]: Annual addresses to the Transvaal Chamber of Mines by its president, 1915-1917
Book. Consists of bound speeches by Sir Evelyn to the Transvaal Chamber of Mines and press cuttings of the same.

Wallers Estate

Books:

1). Syferfontein cash books and statements folder

2). Book of press cuttings. Dated 28.2.1908 – 12.3.1910. A label on the spine reads: Transvaal Chamber of Mines, and Lionel Phillips is stamped on the front cover. It contains press cuttings and addresses to do with his chairmanship.

3). Book. Labelled: Lionel Phillips. Notes on properties. There are notes on mines such as Jumpers, Crown Reef. The book was begun in about 1899.

4). Journals:

Title page reads: The Broederstroom Stud. Season 1907-8
LP: 07/1921-06/1936

5). Cash books: 1887-1888; 1921- 1930; 1926-1938**Letter books and others:**

Series (brown) from 1905-1916 (do not follow strict numerical order).

Series (red/black) from 1912-1932.

Binders x 5: These also contain letters, and date from 2.4.29 to 7 April 1937

Box of soft folders: statements, sale of farms to Government Forest Dept, cables, press cuttings.

Envelope of documents copied from material in the possession of Sir Lionel's granddaughter, Mrs P Hunt. Includes: *A record of the Sensations attendant upon being sentenced to death, with some reflections in the condemned cell,*

Waller's letter books from 05/1909-04/1928 (do not follow strict numerical order).

Ledger, 1901-1905

Some Reminiscences: Lionel Phillips, edited by Maryna Fraser, AD Donker, 1986 (2 copies)