# Frank Kowalski Papers

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# Collection Summary

Title: Frank Kowalski Papers
Span Dates: 1925-1975
Bulk Dates: (bulk 1948-1963)
ID No.: MSS79561
Creator: Kowalski, Frank, 1907-1974
Extent: 7,500 items; 20 containers plus 1 classified and 1 oversize; 11 linear feet
Language: Collection material in English
Repository: Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.
Abstract: Army officer and United States representative from Connecticut. Correspondence, memoranda, writings, speeches, reports, military orders, patents, newspaper clippings, printed materials, scrapbooks, drawings, and photographs pertaining primarily to Kowalski's career in the United States Army (1925-1958) and in the House of Representatives (1959-1963).

# Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

People
Akama, Bunzō, b. 1898--Correspondence.
Bailey, John M. (John Moran), 1904-1975.
Benton, William, 1900-1973--Correspondence.
Bowles, Chester, 1901-1986--Correspondence.
Brucker, Wilber Marion, 1894-1968--Correspondence.
Burke, Arleigh A., 1901- --Correspondence.
Davis, Chester R., 1896-1966--Correspondence.
Hayashi, Keizo, 1907- --Correspondence.
Huie, William Bradford, 1910-1986--Correspondence.
Kennedy, Robert F., 1925-1968--Correspondence.
Konda, Hiroo--Correspondence.
Kowalski, Frank, 1907-1974.
Kowalski, Frank, 1907-1974. Niho Saisumbi (1969)
Masuhara, Keikichi, b. 1903--Correspondence.
Mills, Wilbur D. (Wilbur Daigh), 1909- --Correspondence.
Nishioka, Hirokichi, b. 1893--Correspondence.
Powell, Adam Clayton, 1908-1972--Correspondence.
Rayburn, Sam, 1882-1961--Correspondence.
Ribicoff, Abraham, 1910-1998--Correspondence.
Takeda, Yoshizō, b. 1885--Correspondence.
Taylor, Maxwell D. (Maxwell Davenport), 1901-1987--Correspondence.

Organizations
Japan. Keisatsu Yobitai.
United States Army Command Management School.
United States. Army--Management.
United States. Army--Officers.
United States. Army. Forces in the European Theater. Disarmament School.
United States. Congress. House.
United States. Congress. House. Committee on Armed Services.
United States. Congress. House. Committee on Armed Services. Special Subcommittee on the Utilization of Manpower in the Military.
United States. Subversive Activities Control Board.

Subjects
Labor disputes--Connecticut.
Manpower planning--United States.
Military government--Japan.
Vietnam War, 1961-1975--Protest movements--United States.
World War, 1939-1945--Personal narratives, Polish.

Places
Connecticut--Politics and government.
Fort Belvoir (Va.)
Germany--Armed Forces--Demobilization.
Japan--Defenses.
Japan--History--Allied occupation, 1945-1952.
Japan--Relations--United States.
Poland--Economic conditions--1945-1980.
Poland--Politics and government--1945-1980.
Poland--Social conditions--1945-
United States--Foreign relations--1945-
United States--Politics and government--1945-
United States--Relations--Japan.

Occupations
Army officers.
Representatives, U.S. Congress--Connecticut.

# Administrative Information

## Provenance

The papers of Frank Kowalski, army officer and United States representative from Connecticut, were given to the Library of Congress by his son, Barry Kowalski, in 1990. A small addition was given by Richard Lowitt in 1992.

## Processing History

The Kowalski Papers were processed in 1992. The finding aid was revised in 2010.

## Additional Guides

A description of the Kowalski Papers appears in *Library of Congress Acquisitions: Manuscript Division, 1990*: 16-19.

## Transfers

Motion picture films and sound recordings have been transferred to the Library's Motion Picture, Broadcasting, and Recorded Sound Division where they are identified as part of these papers.

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### Security Classified Documents

Government regulations control the use of security classified items in this collection. Manuscript Division staff can furnish information concerning access to and use of classified material.

### Preferred Citation

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## Biographical Note

| *Date* | *Event* |
|---|---|
| 1907, Oct. 18 | Born, Meriden, Conn. |
| 1925 | Enlisted in United States Army |
| 1926 | Appointed to United States Military Academy, West Point, N.Y. |
| 1930 | Graduated, United States Military Academy, West Point, N.Y. |
| 1930-1943 | Various infantry and ordnance assignments |
| 1937 | M.S., Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Mass. |
| 1944 | Chief, Training Branch, G-3 Section, European Theater of Operations |
| 1944-1945 | Director, Disarmament School, London, England |
| 1944 | Promoted to colonel, United States Army |
| 1945 | Deputy chief, Information and Education Division, European Theater of Operations Headquarters |
| 1945-1946 | Attended second European staff officers' studies course, Columbia University, New York, N.Y. |
| 1946-1947 | Liaison officer, Legislative Liaison Division, War Department, Washington, D.C. |
| 1948 | Chief, military government, Kyoto and Osaka, Japan |
| 1949-1950 | Chief, civil affairs region, Chugoku, Japan |
| 1950-1952 | Deputy chief, Civil Affairs Section, General Headquarters, Supreme Commander Allied Powers; and chief of staff, United States Military Advisory Group, Japanese National Police Reserve |
| 1953-1954 | Post commander, Camp Pickett, Va. |
| 1954-1958 | Commandant, Army Command Management School, Fort Belvoir, Va. |
| 1958, July | Retired from United States Army |

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| 1959-1963 | Congressman-at-large from Connecticut, United States Congress, Washington, D.C. |
| 1963-1966 | Member, Subversive Activities Control Board, Washington, D.C. |
| 1974, Oct. 11 | Died, Washington, D.C. |

## Scope and Content Note

The papers of Frank Kowalski (1907-1974) cover the years 1925-1976, with the bulk of the material dating from 1948 through 1963. The collection documents Kowalski's career in the United States Army from 1925 to 1958 and his two terms representing Connecticut in the United States House of Representatives from 1959 to 1963. A significant part of the papers pertains to Kowalski's role in the United States occupation of Japan following World War II and his involvement in the establishment of the Japanese National Police Reserve between 1950 and 1952. The papers consist of correspondence, memoranda, military orders, reports, printed matter, speeches and other writings, drawings, patents, photographs, scrapbooks, and newspaper clippings. They are organized into six series: Military Files, Congressional Files, Speeches and Writings, Miscellany, Oversize, and Classified.

The Military Files span Kowalski's military career from his graduation from the United States Military Academy, West Point, New York, in 1930 through his retirement in 1958. Detailed documentation is available on military assignments held by Kowalski after 1944. Between 1944 and 1945 Kowalski served as director of the Disarmament School in London, England. The school conducted a three-week training program for senior Allied American military officers on the disarmament and demobilization of Germany following World War II. A series of lectures and reports is included from his tenure as head of the school. The Military Files also contain typed manuscripts describing the political, social, and economic conditions in Poland during this period. Kowalski most likely wrote these reports after a trip to Poland in October 1945. A year earlier while stationed in England, Kowalski had interviewed seven Polish-born soldiers who served in the German army prior to their capture by the Allies. A report based on these interviews is filed with memoranda dated 1944. Also well documented are Kowalski's years (1954-1958) as the first commandant of the Army Command Management School, where he designed and implemented a curriculum to introduce modern management techniques to a post-Korean War United States Army.

The major portion of the Military Files concerns Kowalski's participation in the United States occupation of Japan between 1948 and 1952. After initial assignments as chief of military governments in Kyoto, Osaka, and the Chugoku region from 1948 to 1950, Kowalski was transferred to Tokyo as deputy chief of the Civil Affairs Section, Supreme Commander Allied Powers. Shortly after the outbreak of war in Korea, he assumed additional duties as chief of staff of an American advisory group overseeing the establishment of the Japanese National Police Reserve. This paramilitary organization was created in 1950 as a means of supplementing Japanese security forces when many American troops left Japan for Korea.

Kowalski's Congressional Files focus on his political career following his retirement from the army in 1958. Encouraged by Democratic state chairman John M. Bailey, Kowalski ran for Connecticut's congressman-at-large seat, a position traditionally reserved by both parties for Polish-American candidates. Kowalski defeated Republican incumbent Antoni Sadlak despite his lack of long-term residency in the state and limited name recognition among voters. In 1960 he won reelection by a large margin. After two terms in the House of Representatives, Kowalski challenged former governor Abraham Ribicoff for the Democratic nomination in the United States Senate race. Kowalski, who ran against Bailey's wishes, failed to secure the party's nomination.

Kowalski's files generated in the House of Representatives relate to his interest in military reform and membership on the House Committee on Armed Services. As a member of the manpower utilization subcommittee, Kowalski became a sharp critic of wasted military manpower and earned national recognition for his attacks on officers' use of enlisted men as personal servants. The Congressional Files also contain data on Kowalski's involvement in several labor disputes in Connecticut, including strikes against the Aircraft Corporation and Singer Manufacturing Company.

The Speeches and Writings series in the Kowalski Papers contains articles, manuscripts of books, fragments of other writings, interviews, a panel discussion, and speeches. Articles and speeches written while Kowalski was commandant of the Army Command Management School focus on his years in Japan and on the application of management theory to military operations. Among topics treated during his congressional years are constituent interests, military reform, military manpower abuse, and labor issues. Articles, including editorials, written between 1965 and 1974 explore various political issues and Kowalski's opposition to the Vietnam War.

After leaving Congress in 1963, Kowalski wrote two book-length manuscripts. One, entitled "Grace of Heaven," examines the occupation and rearmament of Japan by the United States after World War II. Although this book was published in Japan under the title *Niho Saisumbi* (Tokyo, 1969), Kowalski was unsuccessful in finding an American publisher. Only a rough outline and fragments of a draft appear in the papers. "Worms in Charter Oak" recounts Kowalski's entry into Connecticut politics, his subsequent elections to the House of Representatives, and an unsuccessful campaign for the Senate. This second manuscript, which was never published, deals candidly with Kowalski's strained relationship with the powerful political boss John M. Bailey.

The Miscellany series consists of material relating to Kowalski's undergraduate and graduate education and to numerous patents he received during the 1930s and 1940s. The series also includes post-congressional files which contain information on Kowalski's appointment to the Subversive Activities Control Board in 1963. Kowalski's nomination to the board received national attention after the Senate delayed his confirmation hearings several times during the summer and fall of 1963. Members of the media speculated that Kowalski's tumultuous relationship with Bailey and his campaign for military reform weakened his support in Congress. Eventually confirmed by the Senate, Kowalski served on the board from 1963 to 1966.

Prominent correspondents in these papers include Japanese government and National Police Reserve officials. Former Japanese colleagues continued to write to Kowalski about Japanese affairs long after his return to the United States in 1952. Such correspondence includes letters from Bunzō Akama, Keizo Hayashi, Nishioka Hirokichi, Hiroo Konda, Keikichi Masuhara, and Yoshizō Takeda. Correspondence concerning the accomplishments of the Army Command Management School contains letters from Wilber Marion Brucker, Chester R. Davis, Maxwell D. Taylor, and Arleigh A. Burke. Among the correspondents from Kowalski's congressional period are William Benton, Chester Bowles, William Bradford Huie, Robert F. Kennedy, Wilbur D. Mills, Adam Clayton Powell, Abraham Ribicoff, and Sam Rayburn.

## Arrangement of the Papers

The collection is arranged in six series:

- Military Files, 1925-1971
- Congressional Files, 1940-1970
- Speeches and Writings, 1937-1974
- Miscellany, 1926-1976
- Oversize, 1930-1963
- Classified, 1949-1959

# Description of Series

| *Container* | *Series* |
|---|---|
| BOX 1-10 | Military Files, 1925-1971<br>General and personal correspondence (including Kowalski's 201 military file) memoranda, photographs, and subject files consisting of reports, lectures and speeches, documents, charts and maps, notebooks, posters, printed matter, scrapbooks, and newspaper clippings.<br>Material is arranged alphabetically by name of person or organization, topic, or type of material. |
| BOX 10-17 | Congressional Files, 1940-1970<br>Correspondence, reports, campaign ephemera, editorial cartoons, photographs, press releases, printed matter, and newspaper clippings. The bulk of the files concerns Kowalski's political campaigns, his interest in military reform, and his involvement in Connecticut labor disputes.<br>Arranged alphabetically by subject or type of material. |
| BOX 17-19 | Speeches and Writings, 1937-1974<br>Articles, book manuscripts, fragments of writings, interviews, panel discussion, and speeches.<br>Arranged by type of material and chronologically therein. Undated material is identified by topic. |
| BOX 19-21 | Miscellany, 1926-1976<br>Miscellaneous certificates, grade reports, lecture notes, diplomas, and printed matter relating to Kowalski's undergraduate and graduate education; memoranda, reports, patents, photographs, and drawings pertaining to numerous inventions developed by Kowalski during the 1930s and 1940s; and general correspondence, research files, newspaper clippings, and photographs concerning Kowalski's activities after leaving the United States House of Representatives in 1963.<br>Arranged alphabetically by topic or type of material. |
| BOX OV 1 | Oversize, 1930-1963<br>Oversize material consisting largely of certificates, photographs, and scrapbooks.<br>Arranged and described according to the series, containers, and folders from which the items were removed. |
| BOX CL 1 | Classified, 1949-1959<br>Memoranda.<br>Organized and described according to the series, containers, and folders from which the items were removed. |

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| | Material is arranged alphabetically by name of person or organization, topic, or type of material. |
| BOX 1 | Correspondence |
| | General, 1938-1971, undated |
| | (8 folders) |
| | Personal (201) military file |
| | 1925-1949 |
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| BOX 2 | 1950-1958, undated |
| | (4 folders) |
| | Memoranda, 1935-1958, undated *See also Classified* |
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| | Photographs |
| | American Management Association course for presidents, 1955 |
| | Army Command Management School, Fort Belvoir, Va., 1955-1958, undated |
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| | Haynes, Loyal M., farewell ceremonies, 1954 *See also Oversize* |
| BOX 3 | Europe, circa 1945 |
| | Fort Knox, Ky., 1952 |
| | Fort Sam Houston, Tex., circa 1935 |
| | Japan |
| | Bradley, Omar Nelson, undated |
| | Civil Affairs Headquarters, undated |
| | Dulles, John Foster, 1950 |
| | Events and official functions, 1948-1950, undated |
| | (4 folders) |
| | Japanese officials, 1949-1953, undated |
| | Kowalski, Frank, office scenes, 1949, undated |
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| | Masuhara, Keikichi, inspection visits |
| | Camp Weir, circa 1950 |
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| | Shepard, Winfield P., undated |
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| | Kowalski, Frank, 1944-1956, undated |
| | (2 folders) |
| | Ordnance and infantry school class pictures, 1930s |
| | Poland, 1945 |
| | Sixty-ninth Armored Infantry Battalion, Fort Chaffee, Ark., 1944 |
| | Unidentified, undated |
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| | Addresses, miscellaneous, undated |
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| | Miscellaneous reports, 1944-1945 |
| BOX 7 | Japan |
| | Business cards, undated *See also Container 9, same heading* |
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| | Civil Affairs Section, Advisory and Control Group, National Police Reserve, 1951 |
| | Japanese government proposed organization for national defense, 1952 |
| | Location of National Police Reserve installations, 1951 |
| | Salary schedules for National Police Reserve officials, undated |
| | Memorials |
| | Masuhara, Keikichi, 1952 *See Oversize* |
| | Osaka Prefecture Assembly, 1949 *See also Oversize* |
| | Staff of North Camp, 1950 *See Oversize* |
| | Takeda, Yoshizo, mayor of Ikeda, 1949 *See Oversize* |
| | *National Police Reserve Weekly*, 1950 |
| | Notebooks regarding National Police Reserve, undated |
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| | Newspaper clippings, 1949-1953, undated |
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| | Transcripts of English-language articles, 1951 |
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| | "The Budget of Japan, . . . 1952-1953," 1952 |
| | "The Case of General Yamashita," 1949 |
| | Hiroshima, printed ephemera, 1949, undated |
| | Leaflets expressing opposition to the National Police Reserve, 1950 |
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| BOX 10-17 | Congressional Files, 1940-1970 |
| | Correspondence, reports, campaign ephemera, editorial cartoons, photographs, press releases, printed matter, and newspaper clippings. The bulk of the files concerns Kowalski's political campaigns, his interest in military reform, and his involvement in Connecticut labor disputes. |
| | Arranged alphabetically by subject or type of material. |
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| | Library of Congress, Legislative Research Service |
| | "Review of Mr. Kowalski's Two Terms in Congress," 1962 |
| | Studies and drafts of speeches, 1959-1963, undated |
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| | Malaxa, Nicolae, immigration case of alleged Romanian Nazi collaborator |
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| | General |
| | Kennedy, Robert F. |
| | Documentation, 1940-1962 |
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| | Report on status of legislation pertaining to military before Congress (1959-1962), 1963 |
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| | Editorial and news stories, 1959-1960 |
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| | Militarism, 1959-1961 |
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| | Correspondence and related material *See also Classified* |
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| | Women in the military, 1959 |
| | Nuclear testing, 1962 |
| | Photographs |
| | Bailey, John M., undated |
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| | Campaign billboard, 1958 |
| | Congress, eighty-sixth, 1959 |
| | Democratic Connecticut state politics, 1959, undated |
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| | Kennedy, John F. |
| | Campaigning, 1960 |
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| | With Lyndon B. Johnson and Kowalski, undated |
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| | Miscellaneous events, 1960-1961, undated |
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| | Singer Manufacturing Co. |
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| | Poster, "Singer has faith in the future of America—and Bridgeport," 1950 *See Oversize* |
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| | Background information, 1960-1961 |
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| | Proposals, 1961-1965, undated |
| | U-192 incident, 1960 |
| | United Aircraft Corp. |
| | General correspondence, 1961-63 |
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| | Labor unions |
| | Main, John K., International Association of Machinists, 1961 |
| BOX 17-19 | Speeches and Writings, 1937-1974 |
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| | "Kosciuszko at West Point," undated |
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| | Miscellaneous certificates, grade reports, lecture notes, diplomas, and printed matter relating to Kowalski's undergraduate and graduate education; memoranda, reports, patents, photographs, and drawings pertaining to numerous inventions developed by Kowalski during the 1930s and 1940s; and general correspondence, research files, newspaper clippings, and photographs concerning Kowalski's activities after leaving the United States House of Representatives in 1963. |
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| | Fluid coupling, 1944 |
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| | Gas leak preventive valve, 1939 |
| | Gyroglider and rotor, 1941-1945 |
| | High-speed moving picture camera, 1940 |
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| | Ideas, 1933-1946, undated |
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