



# James Oliver Buswell, Jr.

## Manuscript Collection #088

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Size: 0.5 cu. ft.

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Life dates: 1895–1977

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**Abstract:** Tacoma Controversy, 1952–1953.

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f01—Finding Aid

f02—Dismissal from PCUSA, 1935 – 1936, Newspaper Clippings re Ecclesiastical Trial

f03—Dismissal from PCUSA, 1936, Appeal to Synod of Illinois [6 items; 36 leaves]

f04—Tacoma Secession Controversy, 1952, Complaints to the General Synod of the BPC [4 leaves]

f05—Tacoma Secession Controversy, 1952 – 1953, BPC Judicial Commission, Minutes [10 leaves]

f06—Tacoma Secession Controversy, 1952 – 1954, Judicial Commission, Correspondence, Reports [88 leaves]

f07—Tacoma Secession Controversy, 1952, Presbytery of the Pacific Northwest (BPC) [19 leaves]

f08—Tacoma Secession Controversy, 1952 – 1954, Tacoma Bible Presbyterian Church, Correspondence and Documents [70 leaves]

f09—Tacoma Secession Controversy, 1954, Faith Bible Presbyterian Church, Tacoma, WA, Correspondence [9 leaves]

f10—Tacoma Secession Controversy, 1952 – 1953, Anderson, Norman D., Correspondence [14 leaves]

f11—Tacoma Secession Controversy, 1953, Bennet, James E., Correspondence [29 leaves]

f12—Tacoma Secession Controversy, 1952, Brumbaugh, Roy T., Correspondence [30 leaves]

f13—Tacoma Secession Controversy, 1952 – 1953, Earnisee, J. Guy, Mr. and Mrs., Correspondence [23 leaves]

f14—Tacoma Secession Controversy, 1952, Foxwell, Philip R., Correspondence [2 leaves]

f15—Tacoma Secession Controversy, 1952 – 1953, Hamilton, Wesley B., Correspondence [12 leaves]

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f18—Tacoma Secession Controversy, 1952 – 1953, Horner, Kenneth A., Correspondence [19 leaves]

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- f20—Tacoma Secession Controversy, 1952, Latal, Gerald, Correspondence [15 leaves]
- f21—Tacoma Secession Controversy, 1952 – 1953, LeRoy, William and Sibyl, Correspondence [7 lf.]
- f22—Tacoma Secession Controversy, 1952, McColley, Margaret H., Correspondence [6 leaves]
- f23—Tacoma Secession Controversy, 1952 – 1953, McIntire, Carl, Correspondence [53 leaves]
- f24—Tacoma Secession Controversy, 1952 – 1953, Oakley, Howard C., Correspondence [56 leaves]
- f25—Tacoma Secession Controversy, 1952 – 1953, Rayburn, Robert G., Correspondence [21 leaves]
- f26—Tacoma Secession Controversy, 1952 – 1953, Youngs, John Barney, Correspondence [24 leaves]
- f27—Tacoma Secession Controversy, 1946 – 1952, Tacoma Bible Presbyterian Church, Legal Documents [23 leaves]
- f28—Baptism Controversy, 1946, *Bible Today* [3 leaves + booklet, *God's Scientific Solution for...Man's Religious Confusion*, by Martin Bol (Holland, MI: self-published, undated, 48pp.)]
- f29—Buswell, J. Oliver, Jr., 1952 – 1953, Itineraries [sampling, 3 leaves]
- f30—Crop Reduction Plan of United States Government, 1935, Newspaper Clippings [3 leaves]
- f31—Miscellaneous, 1935 – 1976, Seven items: 1. *The Presbyterian Constitutional Covenant Union: Origin, Aims, Constitution and Covenant* [brochure]; 2. *Prayer Service for America at War*, 10 December 1942, Federal Council of Churches Bi-ennial Meeting [Order of Worship, 4 leaves]; 3. Letter of 3 December 1944 from "Doug" to "Oliver"; 4. *Proposed Basis for Harmonious Co-operation* [1 leaf]; 5. Open letter to National Association of Manufacturers, by JOB, undated [2 leaves]; 6. Statement on Creation Days, by JOB [1 leaf]; 7. J. Oliver Buswell, Jr. Library, Service of Dedication, 9 January 1976 [Order of Service, 1 leaf]