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- I. Title New Haven Charter Commission Papers, 1946-1947.
- II. The papers of John C. Tracy deposited in the Library on \_\_\_\_\_, by Mrs. J.C. Tracy In \_\_\_\_\_ converted the deposit to a gift.
- III. Linear feet of shelf space occupied: 2½ inches  
Approximate number of items: 44
- IV. Restrictions: none
- V. Literary rights of the unpublished writings of in these papers, and in other collections of papers in the custody of the New Haven Colony Historical Society Library, have been dedicated to the New Haven Colony Historical Society.
- VI. Press release was issued on \_\_\_\_\_
- VII. Biographical note: Professor John C. Tracy (1869-1955) was a member of the Charter Commission created by Mayor William C. Celentano to revise the existing Charter of the City of New Haven.  
  
For additional information on Charter Commission see: Celentano (William C.) Papers, MSS #B7, Box XLI - XLIII, B-2.  
For additional information on John C. Tracy see: New Haven Tercentenary Records, MSS #B3 and records of the New Haven Progress Exposition, MSS #B1.
- VIII. Analysis: The collection contains
  - Folder A - Minutes, Dec.10, 1946 - May 2, 1947 [30]
  - B - Public hearings, Dec.27, 1946 - Feb.14, 1947 [5]  
Report of Charter Commission  
Correspondence: to William C. Celentano, May 2, 1947  
(report of Commission activities)  
to Tracy from L.F. Peck, Feb.24, 1947  
(qualifications for director of public works)  
Revision of Charter [4]
  - C - (Tentative) Proposed organization charter of an integrated structure for New Haven government (marked "Confidential" on original folder)
  - D - Tentative copy of Charter for revision by Commission (bound)
  - E - Newspaper clippings, 1946-1947