

Mss 80, Benjamin Ryan Tillman Papers

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This series consists of 8 bound volumes of printed pages of the *Congressional Record* which include Senator Tillman's speeches, roll call votes, debate on the Senate floor, and items inserted into the *Congressional Record*. There is no volume for the period, March 5, 1911 to March 3, 1913. The volumes are an important source for documenting Tillman's thoughts and political activities in the United States Senate such as his support of bimetallism, railroad regulation, and the strengthening of the Navy as well as his opposition to the Peace of Paris, the Philippine War, and the monopoly power of large corporations and trusts.

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