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Summary Information

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Abstract	This collection includes correspondence, articles, newsclippings, photographs, and recordings, concerning Menzel's documentation of UFOs as natural phenomena explainable in scientific terms. One can find material on the National Investigation Committee on Aerial Phenomena, Project Blue Book, the Velikovsky controversy, and a card file of meteor activity, 1946-1961.

Background note

Donald Howard Menzel was an astrophysicist.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Provenance

Acquisition Information

Presented by Donald Howard Menzel and family, 1963-1982; accessioned, 10/--/1971. See in-house shelf list for additional accession numbers and dates.

Related Materials

Related Material

[Donald Howard Menzel's Autobiography](#) is also located in the American Philosophical Society Library (Mss.B.M522).

Indexing Terms

Corporate Name(s)

- National Investigations Committee on Aerial Phenomena.
- Project Blue Book (U.S.)

Genre(s)

- Card files.
- Clippings.
- Photoprints.
- Recordings.

Personal Name(s)

- Botley, Cicely Mary
- Boyd, Lyle Gifford, 1907-
- Condon, Edward Uhler, 1902-1974
- Hynek, J. Allen, (Joseph Allen), 1910-1986
- Keyhoe, Donald E., (Donald Edward), 1897-
- Klass, Philip J.
- Maney, Charles Albert, 1891-
- Markowitz, William
- Quintanella, Hector
- Sagan, Carl, 1934-1996
- Schreibsten, Norman
- Velikovsky, Immanuel, 1895-1979
- Wellman, Wade

Subject(s)

- Astronomy.
- Meteors.
- Unidentified flying objects.