

**Thomas Darlington Cope papers, ca. 1909-1964**  
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## Summary Information

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<b>Abstract</b>	This is a collection of Cope's articles, papers, notes, lectures, notebooks, and some correspondence. There is much on his research pertaining to Charles Mason and Jeremiah Dixon, and other topics in the history of science on which he wrote.

## **Background note**

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Physicist and historian of science Thomas Darlington Cope received his A.B. (1903) and Ph.D. (1915) from the University of Pennsylvania; he became an instructor and later professor there from 1906-1952. He also studied at the University of Berlin (1912-1913) under Max Planck.

## **Administrative Information**

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### **Publication Information**

American Philosophical Society

## **Provenance**

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### **Acquisition Information**

Gift from Cope estate and accessioned, 1969 (1969 2136ms).

## **Indexing Terms**

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### **Corporate Name(s)**

- Pennsylvania Academy of Science.
- University of Pennsylvania. Dept. of Physics.

### **Genre(s)**

- Articles.
- Lecture notes.
- Lectures.
- Minutes.
- Notebooks.
- Notes.

### **Geographic Name(s)**

- Mason-Dixon Line.

### **Subject(s)**

- Electric circuits.
- Electric currents.
- Mechanics
- Physics -- History.
- Radiation.
- Radiometers.
- Relativity (Physics)
- Science -- History.

Graphics

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## Collection Inventory

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### Graphics

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Dr. Thomas D. Cope family portrait	ca. 1917	1.0 Photograph(s)
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Dr. Thomas D. Cope family portrait. , ca. 1917

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