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## HOLMES, JULIUS C.: Papers, 1936-48, 1968

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The Papers of Julius C. Holmes, Deputy, G-5 Division, SHAEF, 1944, and Assistant Secretary of State, 1944-45, were deposited in the Dwight D. Eisenhower Library by his son, Henry Allen Holmes, in June 1970. A small accretion was received from the National Archives in May 1993.

| Linear feet of shelf space occupied: | -1  |
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| Approximate number of pages:         | 200 |
| Approximate number of items:         | 120 |

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- 5. All other papers which contain information or statements that might be used to injure, harass, or damage any living person.

# **BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES**

| Apr. 24, 1899 | Born, Pleasanton, Kansas                                     |
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| 1925-1937     | Foreign Service Officer                                      |
| 1942          | Executive Officer, U.S. Joint Chiefs of Staff                |
| 1942-1944     | Liaison Section, AFHQ  |
| 1944          | Deputy G-5, SHAEF  |
| 1944-1945     | Assistant Secretary of State                                 |
| 1953          | Minister, American Embassy, London                           |
| 1954          | With the State Department                                    |
| 1955          | Ambassador to Iran   |
| 1955-1956     | Diplomatic Agent, Minister, Morocco                          |
| 1956-1959     | Special Assistant to the Secretary of State for NATO Affairs |
| 1959-1961     | Consul General, Hong Kong                                    |
| 1961-1965     | Ambassador to Iran   |
| July 16, 1968 | Died at the age of 69  |

#### SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The personal papers of Julius C. Holmes cover the period from 1936 to 1948 with a few items dated from 1968. The bulk of the collection consists of General Holmes' "201 File" (1936-1948). Also included is correspondence (primarily personal), awards and commissions, a biographical sketch, and a reprint of an address delivered by General Holmes in 1945. Included among the correspondents are Mark Clark, General H. Giraud, General Frank McSherry, Frederick E. Morgan, Edward R. Stettinius, and Walter Bedell Smith.

The collection is arranged alphabetically by type of material and chronologically thereunder. Four photographs were transferred to the Eisenhower Library Audiovisual Collection.

#### CONTAINER LIST

#### Box No. Contents

1 Awards and Commissions [1936-1941]

**Biographical Sketch** 

Personal Correspondence, 1944-1945 [Mark Clark; General H. Giraud; General Frank McSherry; Frederick E. Morgan; Edward R. Stettinius; Walter Bedell Smith]

Personal Correspondence, 1967-1968

201 File, 1936-1940

201 File, 1941-1945 (1)(2)

201 File, 1947-1948

Speech at 39th Annual Meeting of the Society of International Law, Washington, D.C., April 13-14, 1945

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