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### MANNING, FRED M.: Papers, 1948-69

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The Papers of Fred M. Manning were deposited in the Dwight D. Eisenhower Library by his children in June 1992.

| Linear feet:                 | -1  |
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| Approximate number of pages: | 800 |
| Approximate number of items: | 600 |

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#### SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

Fred M. Manning was an oil developer who lived in Denver, Colorado. In 1948 he became acquainted with Dwight D. Eisenhower during one of Eisenhower's visits to the Doud family in Denver. The two men corresponded frequently over the next several years. In the early 1950s Manning moved to Rancho Santa Fe, California, where he died in October 1958. His wife Hazel continued to correspond with the Eisenhowers for several years thereafter.

The collection consists of letters which Fred and Hazel Manning received from Dwight and Mamie Eisenhower. The letters are mostly routine social correspondence, although in 1950 Eisenhower asked for Manning's help in starting the American Assembly conferences at Columbia University. A few letters from members of the White House staff are also in the collection. The collection contains no copies of the letters which the Mannings wrote to the Eisenhowers. The letters which Dwight D. Eisenhower received from Manning are located in Eisenhower's pre-presidential papers, his papers as president (the Ann Whitman file) and the White House Central Files at the Eisenhower Library.

# CONTAINER LIST

#### Box No. Contents

1 1948-50 [American Assembly conferences at Columbia University; DDE's assignment to NATO]

1951-52 [DDE's trip to Rome in Nov 1951]

1953 (1)(2)

1954

1955

1956

1957 (1)(2) [DDE complaint about Congress; Howard Snyder re vaccine distribution]

1958 (1)(2) [gift of fancy shirt by Manning]

1959-62

1963-69

Miscellaneous Items

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