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Summary Information

Repository: Rare Book and Manuscript Library

Creator: Nikolaev, Aleksandr Mikhaĭlovich, 1876-1967

Creator: Florinsky, Michael T., 1894-1981

Creator: Robinson, Geroid Tanquary, 1892-1971

Creator: Kliuchevskii, V. O. (Vasilii Osipovich), 1841-1911

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Language of the

Material:

Russian.

Biographical sketch

Colonel in the Imperial Army and military attach'e at the Russian embassy in the United States until the Revolution. Following the Revolution, Nikolaev worked at the New York Public Library.

Scope and Content

The collection includes correspondence, manuscripts, memoirs, diaries, notes, subject files, documents, photographs, and printed materials. Most of the material in the collection concerns Nikolaev's tenure as military attach'e at the Russian embassy in Washington. Cataloged correspondents include Mikhail T. Florinsky and Geroid T. Robinson. There is a typescript by Vasilii O. Kliūchevskii, "Kratkoe posobie po russkoi istorii." Among the correspondence are

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cablegrams and official communications to the Russian embassy during World War I and the revolutionary period. Manuscripts, mostly by Nikolaev, concern contemporary and historical military topics. Diaries and memoirs deal with Nikolaev's travels to Europe during World War I and his activities as military attach'e. Among orders granted to Nikolaev is the "Order of the Sacred Treasure," signed and sealed by the Japanese Emperor Meiji (1911). Printed materials include many articles by Nikolaev.

Administrative Information

Publication Statement

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Papers: Source of acquisition--A. M. Nikolaev. Method of acquisition--Gift; Date of acquisition--1953.

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Papers: Method of acquisition--Purchase; Date of acquisition--1954.

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Immediate Source of Acquisition

Papers: Method of acquisition--Purchase; Date of acquisition--1966.

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Papers: Method of acquisition--Purchase; Date of acquisition--1968.

Processing Information

Papers Accessioned 1953.

Processing Information

Papers Accessioned 1954.

Processing Information

Papers Accessioned 1966.

Processing Information

Papers Processed 05/--/80.

Processing Information

Papers Accessioned 1968.

Restrictions on Access

This collection is located on-site.

Accruals

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Controlled Access Headings

- World War, 1914-1918 -- Soviet Union
- Soviet Union -- History -- Revolution, 1917-1921
- Soviet Union -- Study and teaching -- United States

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- Russia -- Foreign relations -- 1894-1917
- Soviet Union -- Foreign relations -- United States
- Articles
- Diaries
- Memoirs
- Notes (documents)
- Orders (military records)
- Photographic prints
- Diaries

Collection Inventory

Title/Description	Instances	
Cataloged Correspondence	box 1	
Aleksandrova, Vera	box 1	
Armstrong, Hamilton Fish	box 1	
Fisher, Harold H.	box 1	
Florinsky, Michael	box 1	
Karpovich, Mikhail Mikhailovieh	box 1	
Mosely, Philip E.	box 1	
Robinson, Geroid Tanquary	box 1	
Arranged Correspondence		
American Military Institute	box 1	
Barclay, C.N.	box 1	
Candadian Defence Quarterly	box 1	
The Cavalry Journal	box 1	
The Coast Artillery Journal	box 1	
Danilov, Iurii	box 1	
Davis, Malcolm W.	box 1	
Domanevskii, V.N.	box 1	
Doughty, Sanford and Cynthia	box 1	
Drobashevskii, V.P.	box 1	
Gali ch-Goncharenko, G.	box 1	

Gilbert, Prentiss B.	box 1
Gilder, J.B.	box 1
Golovin, N.N.	box 1
Guaranty Trust Company of New York	box 1
The Infantry Journal	box 1
Invitations	box 1
Ionov, Aleksandr Mikhailovieh	box 1
Jones, Lucile de Nevers (Russian Student Fund)	box 1
Khrabrov, N.M.	box 2
Larner, W. Angamar	box 2
Library of Congress	box 2
The Literary Review	box 2
Lukomskii, A.	box 2
New York Times Book Review	box 2
New York Times Subscription Department	box 2
Nikolaev, Aleksandr M.	box 2
Nikolaev, Nikolai Mikhailovieh	box 2
Nikolaeva, Marie	box 2
The Outlook	box 2
Pototskii, S.	box 2
Rebinkova, P.F.	box 2
Retirement '	box 2
Riasinskii, Sergei N.	box 2
Richardson, Robert C.	box 2
Stern, Eva(Brookhaven National Laboratory)	box 2
Sworakowskii, W.S.(The Hoover Institute)	box 2
Tsingtao, Aleksandr Aleksandrovich	box 2
Ughet, S.	box 2
Vasil'ev, V.V.	box 2
Volkonskii, A.M.	box 2
Walter, C.	box 2
Who's Who in America	box 2

A-Z	box 3
Unidentified Correspondence	box 3
Correspondence as Military Attache, 1917-1928	box 4
Cablegrams as Military Attache	box 5

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Kliuchevskii, Vasilii 0"Kratkoe posobie po russkoi istorii"	box 1
Meiji, Emperor of Japan-"Order of the Sacred Treasure"	box 1
Manuscripts by Nikolaev	box 5
"The Campaign in Switzerland"	box 5
"Civil War in Russia"	box 5
"Expansion of the German Army in the War of 19lU-l8"	box 5
"The FebruaryRevolution and the Russian Army"	box 5
"Grazhdanskaia voina v Rossii"	box 5
"Kampaniia 1914 goda", 1914	box 5
"Katalog aviatsionnoi biblioteki kantceliarii voennogo agenta v	box 5
Soedinennykh shtatakh ameriki"	box 5
"More Light on the Invasion of East Prussia"	box 5
"Napoleon and 'General Winter' in the Russian Campaign"	box 5
"Napoleon in Russia"	box 5
"0 pol'skikh pritiazaniiakh na russkie zemli"	box 6
"0 rechi Lloyd George'a"	box 6
"0 Rumynii"	box 6
"The People's Army at Samara"	box 6
"Peter I or Peter the Great as a Military Leader 1709-1959"	box 6
"Po voprosu o poteriakh russkoi armii vo vremia velikoi voiny"	box 6
"A Russian Military Observer at Napoleon's Court before the Campaign of 1812"	box 6
"The Three Fateful Landmarks in Napoleon's Campaign in Russia"	box 6

"The Time of Troubles in XVII Century Russia"	box 6
"Tolstoi in the Light of a Russian Scholar"	box 6
Translation into Russian of Ovid's "Metamorphoses"	box 6
Translations into English and Russian	box 6
"Universal Military Service in Russia and Western Europe from the l8th Century to the World Wars"	box 6
"Who Started the First World War"	box 6
Manuscript by Vasilii V. Vitkovskii, "Kurs geodezii"	box 6

Series III: Diaries and Memoirs	
Title/Description	Instances
Memoirs by Nikolaev	box 7
"At the Front at the Battle of Neuve Chapelle"	box 7
"Polveka tomu nazad"	box 7
"in Russia before the Revolution"	box 7
"V poiskakh raboty"	box 7
"Vtoroi god rossiiskoi grazhdanskoi voiny i poslednii god pervoi mirovoi voiny"	box 7
"Years of War and Revolution"	box 7
Memoirs by N.K. Borishchevskii	box 7
"Zapiski o nedavnom proshlom"	box 7
Unidentified Memoir	box 7

Series IV: Subject Files	
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Antonina Borshchevskii	box 7
Applications to Join the Russian Army	box 7
Black Tom Terminal and Kingsland, N.J. Munitions Munitions Factory Explosion (1916)	box 7
Employment	box 7
Federation Interalliee des Anciens Combattants	box 7

Joint Queensview Housing Project	box 7
Knights of Malta	box 7
Kuzfmin-Karavaev(pseudKin), Evgenii M.	box 7
Litigation vs. Metro-Goldwyn-May er	box 7
Military Attache	box 7
Retirement	box 7
Trip to British Front in France, 1915	box 7

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Notes and Notebooks	box 9
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Addresses	box 10
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Photographs	box 10
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Journals	box 14
Maps	box 15
Clippings	box 16
Clippings	box 17
Mimeographed Materials	box 17
Mimeographed Materials	box 18
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Miscellaneous Printed Material	box 20
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