Donald B. Harris Spiratron Papers

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Scope and Content of Collection
The papers include General Electric files and reports; invention disclosure papers (1956); "Project 265 - Spiratron Oscillator" notes; Harris's notes on vacuum tubes/cyclotron (1957); Spiratron research notebooks (1958-1959); photographs. All relate to Harris's work on the Spiratron tube while at General Electric Co. between 1956-1959.