Register of the Harold M. Agnew miscellaneous papers

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Title: Harold M. Agnew miscellaneous papers
Date (inclusive): 1943-1994
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Language of Material: English
Physical Description: 1 manuscript box, 2 oversize boxes, 1 motion picture film reel (2.9 Linear Feet)
Abstract: Correspondence, reports, photographs, and miscellany relating to the explosion of atomic bombs over Hiroshima and Nagasaki, Japan in 1945. Includes motion picture film depiction of the explosions.
Creator: Agnew, Harold M.
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Access
Original motion picture film reel closed. Reference prints (Reel 2 and Tape 2) available for use. The remainder of the collection is open for research; materials must be requested in advance via our reservation system. If there are audiovisual or digital media material in the collection, they must be reformatted before providing access.

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Biographical Note
An American physicist and member of the Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory staff from 1943 to 1946. Agnew participated in the first atomic strike mission, flying as a scientific member of the crew.

Scope and Content of Collection
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Subjects and Indexing Terms
World War, 1939-1945 -- Japan
Video tapes
Motion pictures
World War, 1939-1945 -- Pictorial works
Atomic bomb -- Pictorial works

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Motion picture film 1945
Access

Sign: "American Cemetery / Tinian Island"
General Physical Description note: Color
Scope and Contents note
Footage (16mm): 000-007, Timecode (BSP): 01:00:00:00

Flagpole, Tinian Island
General Physical Description note: Color
Scope and Contents note
Footage (16mm): 007-013, Timecode (BSP): 01:00:18:03
Panoramic shots of North Field, Tinian Island
General Physical Description note: Color
Scope and Contents note
Footage (16mm): 013-041, Timecode (BSP): 01:00:28:07

Hiroshima atomic cloud
General Physical Description note: Black and White
Scope and Contents note
Footage (16mm): 041-054, Timecode (BSP): 01:01:15:13

Hiroshima atomic cloud
General Physical Description note: Black and White
Scope and Contents note
Footage (16mm): 054-059, Timecode (BSP): 01:01:37:25

"Great Artiste" (no. 89) and crew after return from Hiroshima mission
General Physical Description note: Black and White
Scope and Contents note
Footage (16mm): 059-090, Timecode (BSP): 01:01:44:25

"Enola Gay" (no. 82)
General Physical Description note: Black and White
Scope and Contents note
Footage (16mm): 090-092, Timecode (BSP): 01:02:36:10

Hiroshima atomic cloud
General Physical Description note: Black and White
Scope and Contents note
Footage (16mm): 092-110, Timecode (BSP): 01:02:39:08

Aircraft en route to Nagasaki; shots of "Bock's Car"
General Physical Description note: Color
Scope and Contents note
Footage (16mm): 110-131, Timecode (BSP): 01:03:09:20

Nagasaki atomic cloud
General Physical Description note: Color
Scope and Contents note
Footage (16mm): 131-159, Timecode (BSP): 01:03:45:08

Black
Scope and Contents note
Footage (16mm): 159-161, Timecode (BSP): 01:04:30:28

Nagasaki burst and cloud
General Physical Description note: Color
Scope and Contents note
Footage (16mm): 161-211, Timecode (BSP): 01:04:35:02
Nagasaki atomic cloud

General Physical Description note: Color
Scope and Contents note
Footage (16mm): 211-260 (end), Timecode (BSP): 01:05:58:08

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Los Alamos telephone directory 1943-1944

box 2

Scrapbook 1945-1994

box 3

Scrapbook 1945-1994