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1870
Born, Jasper County, Iowa
1891
Ph.B., Cornell College, Iowa
1895
A.M., Ph.D., University of Heidelberg
1896
J.U.D., University of Heidelberg
1896
Lecturer on Jurisprudence, State University of Iowa
1898
Consular Agent, Eibenstock, Germany
1902
Commercial Agent, Eibenstock, Germany
1905-1906
Consul at Chemnitz, Germany
1905-1906
Lecturer on commerce, University of Chicago
1906-1908
Consul at Smyrna Turkey
1908-1911
Consul General, Smyrna, Turkey
1911-1916
Consul General, Stockholm
1917
Staff, National City Bank of New York, Moscow branch
1918-1921
Consul General, Irkutsk, Siberia
1921-1925
Consul General, Singapore
1925-1929
Consul General, Vancouver, British Columbia
1929-1935
Consul General, Vienna
1935
Retired from the Foreign Service
1946
Died, Vancouver, British Columbia
February 2
Scope and Content of Collection
Reports, memoranda, and correspondence relating to the Russian Civil War in Siberia, the Czechoslovak Legion, political and economic conditions in Siberia, and American policy in Siberia.
Subjects and Indexing Terms
Russia. Armiia. Československý střelecký pluk..
United States. Consulate General (Irkutsk, Russia)
Czechoslovakia.
Diplomats--United States.
Russia (Federation)
Siberia (Russia)--History--Revolution, 1917-1921.
Soviet Union--Foreign relations--United States.
Soviet Union--History--Allied intervention, 1918-1920.
Soviet Union.
United States--Foreign relations--Soviet Union.
United States--Foreign relations.

Box 1  CORRESPONDENCE, 1909-1930
Scope and Contents note
Letters sent and received by Ernest Lloyd Harris, arranged alphabetically by last name of correspondent.

Box 1  Finocchi, Guido, 1919 August 20
Fowler, W. B., 1920 March 31
Grovesnor, Gilbert H., 1909 January 15
Lutz, Professor Ralph J., 1930 March 17
Morris, Ambassador Roland S., 1919 May 7
Pollak, R., 1920 April 26
Semenov, Ataman G., 1920 February 28
Thomas, Edward B., 1920 May 24
U.S. Secretary of State, 1918 September 9

Boxes 1-2  SUBJECT FILE, 1918-1924
Scope and Contents note
Reports, protocols, and clippings, arranged alphabetically by subject or title.

Box 1  Border, Russian-Chinese, inspection
Chita, conditions in

Consulates, U.S.

Finances
Personnel
Reports of consuls

Cooperatives, Russian and Siberian

Cotton in Russia

Preliminary report
Supplemental report

Czecho-Slovak Legion

Actions in Siberia, 1918, consular reports
Bolsheviks, relations with
Conversations and conferences
"The Czecho-Slavok [sic] Incident," official version by the Temporary Executive Committee of the Czecho-Slovak Army, 1918
"The Czecho-Slovak Revolutionary Movement," speech by Kenneth D. Miller, Young Men's Christian Association, undated
Fourth-of-July greetings to U.S. President
"History of the Czechoslovak Legion in Russia," book review (author unknown)
Kolchak army, relation to
"Manifesto to the Inhabitants of Siberia," by the Information Department of the Czech Forces in Siberia (translation), 1920
Political role
Press reports
Trains
"The Truth about the Czechoslovak Legions in Siberia," article by Jaroslav Papousek in the Central European Observer, Prague, 1933 April 14
U.S. attitude
"With the Czecho-Slovacks [sic] from Mariensk to Neusneudinsk [sic]," report by Ernest F. Campbell, 1918 June-July
"Zborov--the Revolutionary Movement of Czehs-Slovaks [sic]" (author unknown), circa 1918 June

Box 2

Economy, Russian and Siberian
Agriculture
Currency
Effects of Revolution
Trade

Entente, policy towards Russia

German-Japanese Treaty, draft

Intervention, Allied

Irkutsk
Conditions
Socialist-Revolutionary/Zemstvo Party uprising

Janin, General Pierre

Joint Distribution Committee, relief work in Siberia

Kolchak, Admiral Alexamder Vasilevich
Allies’ relation to
Arrest and execution
Government
Korean National Council

Krasnoyarsk, events in

McCroskey, Lt. Col. B. B., mission of

Nizhneudinsk, Menshevik government at

Omsk

Evacuation
Political situation, 1918 May-November
Socialist-Revolutionaries killed at

Passports

Perm, conditions in (report of French Military Mission in Siberia)

Petrov, Minister N. I., address of

Property, American, in Russia and Siberia

Publicity, U.S.

Railroads

Red Cross

Russia

Imperial Family
"The Political Situation in Russia," article by Vladimir Dillon, undated

Semenov, Ataman G.

Serbian refugees

Siberia, government of
Soviet Federal Republic, governmental plan

Tredwell, R.

U.S. - Soviet relations

Verkhneudinsk, situation in

Vladivostok, hostilities in

Voitsekhovskii, Major General (first name unknown)

Wild Division (Mongol-Buriat division under Ataman Semenov, commanded by General Levitskii), atrocities committed by Young Men's Christian Association

Boxes 3-5

TELEGRAMS, 1918-1921

Scope and Contents note

Copies of telegrams sent and received by the office of Ernest Lloyd Harris, U.S. Consul General in Siberia, arranged alphabetically by name of office or last name of person, chronologically thereunder. Outgoing telegrams are filed by date sent, incoming telegrams by date received, if indicated.

Box 3

American Consulates, general circulars, 1918
American Consulate, Chita, 1920
American Consulate, Ekaterinburg, 1918
American Consulate, Harbin, 1920
American Consulate, Irkutsk, 1918-1919
American Consulate, Omsk, 1918-1919
American Consulate, Samara, 1918
American Consulate, Tomsk, 1918-1919
American Consulate, Ufa, 1918

American Consulate, Vladivostok

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1919 January-March
1919 April-June
1919 July-September
1919 October-December
1920

American Legation, Peking

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1918 June-September
1918 October-December
1919 January
1919 February
"Beginnings of the Czecho-Slovak Anabasis," article by Consul General Harris, undated
"Church and State in the Maryland Colony," published dissertation, Heidelberg, 1894
"The Consular Corps in Siberia," incomplete handwritten manuscript, undated
"The Czechoslovak Campaign in the Trans-Baikal," incomplete handwritten manuscript by Consul General Harris, undated
"The Economical Situation in Sweden," handwritten manuscript, undated
Lapland, carbon copy of typewritten manuscript fragment, undated
"The March of the Seventy Thousand," incomplete handwritten manuscript of Consul General Harris, undated
Raffles, Sir Stamford, Section IV of a typewritten manuscript with carbon copies, undated
"Recollections of a Consul General," incomplete handwritten manuscript, undated
"Siberia in Revolt," handwritten manuscript by Consul General Harris, undated
Soviet Trade, typewritten manuscript, undated
"Turkestan in Time of War," incomplete typewritten manuscript, undated
Miscellaneous writings

Box 5

MISCELLANY
Scope and Contents note
Letters, notes, clippings, transcripts of wire conversations, fragments of articles by Ernest Lloyd Harris, register of telegrams, humor, etc.

Photo file

PHOTOGRAPHS
General Physical Description note: 16 prints, 4 negatives / 1 envelope.
Scope and Contents note
16 prints, including 6 photographs of Consul General Harris' first wife; 4 group photographs including Consul General Harris, one with Admiral Kolchak and one with U.S. consular officials; 1 photograph of the entrance to the Mosque of Selim at Ephesus; and 1 photograph of Consul General Harris with his second wife.