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Collection number: 1028
Creator: Goldman, Eric Frederick, 1915-
Extent: 2 boxes (1 linear ft.)
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Abstract: Eric Frederick Goldman (1915-1989) was born in Washington, D.C. He was a professor of history at Princeton University, special consultant to President Johnson (1963-66) and wrote many books. The collection consists of a manuscript with holograph corrections, galley proofs, and a typescript index for Goldman's book titled, The Crucial Decade: America, 1945-1955.

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Biography
Goldman was born June 17, 1915 in Washington, D.C.; MA (1935), Ph.D (1938), Johns Hopkins University; instructor in history, Johns Hopkins University (1938-41); writer, Time magazine (1941-43); assistant professor (1943-47), associate professor (1947-55), and professor of history (1955-62), Princeton University; special consultant to President Johnson (1963-66); member, Society of American Historians, American Historical Association, Phi Beta Kappa; winner, Bancroft Prize in history (1952) for Rendezvous With Destiny; wrote many books, including Rendezvous With Destiny: a History of Modern American Reform (1952), The Crucial Decade: America, 1945-1955 (1956), and The Tragedy of Lyndon Johnson: a Historian's Personal Memoir (1968); died February 19, 1989 in Princeton, New Jersey.

Scope and Content

Indexing Terms
The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library's online public access catalog.
Goldman, Eric Frederick, 1915- --Archives.
Historians--United States--Archival resources.
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United States--History, 1945- --Research.
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Online resources.

Manuscripts and galley proofs, ca. 1955.
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Manuscript with holograph corrections, galley proofs and typescript index for the book The Crucial Decade ... (Knopf, 1956).