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## Collection Overview

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## Administrative Information

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## Historical Note

Lawrence H. Walkinshaw (1904-1993) graduated from the University of Michigan School of Dentistry in 1929. Though a dentist by training, he was a leading authority on cranes on which he published 61 articles and two books: *The Sandhill Cranes* (1949) and *Cranes of the World* (1973). He described the Canadian sandhill crane (*Grus canadensis rowani*) in 1965. He published on other species as well, most notably Kirtland's warbler.

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## Descriptive Entry

This accession consists of notes maintained by Lawrence H. Walkinshaw on birds observed in India, 1965; Australia, 1968; and Florida, 1984-1985. Especially well represented are notes dealing with his research on Cranes. The notes for Florida include photographs.

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## Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

### Subjects:

- Cranes (Birds)
- Dentists
- Ornithology

Types of Materials:

Black-and-white photographs  
Manuscripts

Names:

University of Michigan. School of Dentistry  
Walkinshaw, Lawrence H.

## Container Listing

### Box 1

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| Box 1 of 1 | India Birds, 1965                                 |
| Box 1 of 1 | Bird Observations - Australia, Florida, 1968-1985 |