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Collection Overview

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Descriptive Entry

This accession consists of records documenting the organization of the Society of Vertebrate Paleontology (SVP) in 1934 and its activities through the late 1960s. Included are constitutions, by-laws, and correspondence of founders; files of SVP officers; materials documenting SVP annual meetings; files of SVP committees; copies of the SVP *News Bulletin*; records documenting SVP relations with the American Geological Institute and the Geological Society of America; membership records; and fiscal records.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

Professional associations
Vertebrate paleontology

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