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## Collection Overview

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<b>Title:</b>	Alexander Wetmore Papers
<b>Identifier:</b>	Record Unit 7006
<b>Date:</b>	circa 1848-1983 and undated
<b>Extent:</b>	116.34 cu. ft. (206 document boxes) (10 half document boxes) (1 12x17 box) (2 16x20 boxes) (29 3x5 boxes) (13 5x8 boxes) (oversize materials)
<b>Creator::</b>	Wetmore, Alexander, 1886-1978
<b>Language:</b>	English

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## Administrative Information

### Preferred Citation

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## Historical Note

(Frank) Alexander Wetmore (1886-1978), ornithologist, avian paleontologist, and science administrator, was the sixth Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution, serving from 1945 to 1952. He was born in North Freedom, Wisconsin, the son of Nelson Franklin and Emma Amelia (Woodworth) Wetmore. He developed an early interest in birds and at the age of eight made his first field journal entry - an observation on the pelican recorded on a family vacation to Florida in 1894. His first published paper, "My Experience with a Red-headed Woodpecker," appeared in *Bird-Lore* in 1900. By the time he entered the University of Kansas in 1905, Wetmore had made extensive natural history collections around his Wisconsin home and in Independence, Kansas.

Shortly after his arrival in Lawrence, Kansas, Wetmore received his first museum job as Assistant at the University Museum under Charles D. Bunker. His undergraduate career was interrupted on several occasions as he took jobs in Arizona, California, and Colorado to finance his education. He also used these opportunities to study and collect the native avifauna. Wetmore received the Bachelor of Arts degree from the University of Kansas in 1912. Wetmore continued his education in Washington, D.C., receiving the Master of Science degree in 1916 and the Doctor of Philosophy degree in 1920 - both from George Washington University. He would later receive honorary doctorates from the University of Wisconsin, George Washington University, Centre College, and Ripon College.

Wetmore's career in the federal government began in 1910 when he was appointed an Agent for the Biological Survey, a bureau of the United States Department of Agriculture. During the summers of 1910-1911 he assisted on field investigations in Wyoming and Alaska. He traveled to Puerto Rico in late 1911 and spent nearly a year surveying the bird life of that and adjacent islands. In 1913, Wetmore was promoted to Assistant Biologist with the Biological Survey, and he moved to Washington to begin

work in the program on the food habits of North American birds. His career with the Biological Survey was highlighted by constant field investigations which took him to most of the United States, as well as Canada, Mexico, and South America. Among his more important investigations were a study of the causes of waterfowl mortality around the Great Salt Lake, Utah, 1914-1916; a survey of North American birds that migrated to the southern part of South America, 1920-1921; and the leadership of the Tanager Exploring Expedition to the islands of the mid-Pacific, 1923. Wetmore was promoted to the rank of Biologist with the Survey in 1924.

As his professional status grew, Wetmore received offers of curatorial and research positions from several of the leading museums in America. Perhaps the most interesting came in 1920 when the American Museum of Natural History asked him to join the Roy Chapman Andrews Asiatic Expedition and take charge of the zoological collections. Wetmore declined this and several other offers. Finally, in November 1924, he accepted appointment as Superintendent of the National Zoological Park (NZP). He remained at the NZP until March 1925 when he was appointed Assistant Secretary of the Smithsonian in charge of the United States National Museum (USNM). Wetmore held this position for nearly twenty years, when, in 1945, he was elected the sixth Secretary of the Smithsonian. He retired in 1952 and became a Research Associate of the Institution where he continued his research on recent and fossil birds.

Wetmore's administration of the USNM and Smithsonian during the era of the Great Depression and World War II faced many constraints. However, he managed to continue the Institution's basic research aims, while instituting improvements in its administrative operations and exhibits program. Among his most important accomplishments was a move toward professional management of the Institution by hiring specialists such as John E. Graf and John L. Keddy to assist with federal budgetary procedures and other administrative matters. He also steered the Smithsonian toward a period of exhibit modernization which was realized after his retirement. Two new bureaus were added to the Smithsonian during Wetmore's tenure as Secretary - the National Air Museum (now the National Air and Space Museum) and the Canal Zone Biological Area (now the Smithsonian Tropical Research Institute).

Despite his administrative responsibilities at the Smithsonian, Wetmore continued an active research program in the field and the laboratory. He conducted several collecting expeditions to the American tropics between 1927 and 1940. When the outbreak of World War II restricted travel outside the country, he undertook a study of the birds of Shenandoah National Park in nearby Virginia. In the mid-1940s, Wetmore began a research program that would occupy his energies for the remainder of his life. Between 1946 and 1966 he took annual trips to Panama - making an exhaustive survey of the birds of the isthmus. This work culminated in the publication of his magnum opus, *The Birds of the Republic of Panama*. Three volumes of the work appeared during his life. The final volume was completed by his Smithsonian colleagues and published posthumously.

Wetmore was widely recognized as the dean of American ornithologists, and he worked extensively in the field of avian paleontology and as a systematic specialist. His bibliography contained over seven hundred entries; including 150 papers and monographs on fossil birds. He described 189 species and subspecies of birds new to science. Wetmore made enormous natural history collections, which were eventually donated to the Smithsonian. Included were 26,058 bird and mammal skins from North America, South America, Central America, and the Caribbean area; 4,363 skeletal and anatomical specimens; and 201 clutches of birds eggs. Fifty-six new genera, species, and subspecies of birds (both recent and fossil), mammals, amphibians, insects, mollusks, and plants were named in his honor - an assemblage which Wetmore called his "private zoo." Also named in his honor was the "Wetmore Glacier" in the Antarctic and the "Alexander Wetmore Bridge," a canopy bridge in the Bayano River Basin in Panama.

Wetmore was a member of countless professional organizations, scientific committees, conservation groups, and social clubs. He served many of the groups in elected or appointed capacities. He was a member of the American Ornithologists' Union (AOU) for seventy years and served as President from 1926 to 1929. For many years he was Chairman of the AOU Committee on Classification and Nomenclature and was instrumental in the publication of the fifth edition of the Check-list of North American Birds. Wetmore also had a long-term association with the National Geographic Society, serving

as a Trustee, 1933-1976, and as Vice-Chairman of the Committee on Research and Exploration. He also authored several popular publications on birds for the Society.

Wetmore served as President of the Washington Academy of Sciences, 1927; the Washington Biologists' Field Club, 1928-1931; the Biological Society of Washington, 1929-1931; the Cosmos Club, 1938; the Explorers Club, 1944-1946; and the X International Ornithological Congress held at Uppsala, Sweden, 1950. He was Home Secretary of the National Academy of Sciences, 1951-1955, and a Trustee (or Director) of the Textile Museum of Washington, 1928-1952; the George Washington University, 1945-1962; and the Gorgas Memorial Institute for Tropical and Preventive Medicine, 1949-1976.

During his career at the Smithsonian, Wetmore was named to several national and international scientific committees. He was Secretary-General of the Eighth American Scientific Congress, 1940; United States Representative to the Inter-American Commission of Experts on Nature Protection and Wildlife Preservation, 1940; Vice-Chairman of the National Advisory Committee on Aeronautics, 1945-1952; and Chairman of the Interdepartmental Committee on Research and Development, 1946.

His contributions to science resulted in many honors and awards. He was the recipient of the Otto Herman Medal of the Hungarian Ornithological Society, 1931; the Hubbard Medal of the National Geographic Society, 1957; the Brewster Medal, 1959, and the Elliott Coues Award, 1972, of the American Ornithologists' Union; the Explorers Club Medal, 1962; the Bartsch Award of the Audubon Naturalist Society, 1964; and the Arthur Allen Award of the Cornell Laboratory of Ornithology, 1970. Wetmore married Fay Holloway in 1912, and a daughter, Margaret Fenwick, was born in 1916. After a long illness, his wife died in 1953. That same year he married Annie Beatrice Thielen. Wetmore died at his home in Glen Echo, Maryland, on December 7, 1978.

For more detailed biographical information on Wetmore, see Paul H. Oehser, "In Memoriam: Alexander Wetmore," *The Auk*, July 1980, vol. 97, no. 3, pp. 608-615; S. Dillon Ripley and James A. Steed, "Alexander Wetmore, June 18, 1886-December 7, 1978," *Biographical Memoirs of the National Academy of Sciences*, vol. 56, pp. 597-626, 1987; and John Sherwood, "His Field Notebook Was Started in 1894; It Is Not Yet Complete," *The Washington Star*, Thursday, 13 January 1977. A discussion of his contributions to paleornithology is found in Storrs L. Olson's "Alexander Wetmore and the Study of Fossil Birds" in "Collected Papers in Avian Paleontology Honoring the 90th Birthday of Alexander Wetmore," Storrs L. Olson, editor, *Smithsonian Contributions to Paleobiology*, 1976, no. 27, pp. xi-xvi.

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## Chronology

<i>June 18, 1886</i>	Born in North Freedom, Wisconsin
<i>1900</i>	Wrote first published paper, "My experience with a Red-headed Woodpecker" ( <i>Bird-Lore</i> , vol. II, pp. 155-156)
<i>1905-1908, 1910</i>	Assistant, University of Kansas Museum
<i>1909</i>	Assistant, Colorado Museum of Natural History
<i>1910-1912</i>	Agent, United States Bureau of Biological Survey
<i>1910</i>	Field work, Wyoming
<i>1911</i>	Field work, Alaska
<i>1911-1912</i>	Field work, Porto Rico
<i>1912</i>	Bachelor of Science, University of Kansas
<i>October 13, 1912</i>	Married Fay Holloway
<i>1913-1923</i>	Assistant Biologist, United States Bureau of Biological Survey

1914 Field work, Utah and California  
1914-1915 Field work, Utah and Montana  
1916 Master of Science, George Washington University  
1916 Birth of daughter, Margaret Fenwick  
1916 Field work, Utah  
1916 Birds of Porto Rico (U.S. Dept. Agric. Bull. 326, pp. 1-140)  
1917 Field work, North Carolina  
1917-1918 Field work, Arkansas and Texas  
1918 Field work, Western United States  
1919 Field work, Florida; Arizona  
1920 Doctor of Philosophy, George Washington University  
1920-1921 Field work, South America  
1921 Field work, Georgia  
1922 Field work, South Carolina; Minnesota; North Dakota; Pennsylvania; Maryland  
1923 In charge of the Tanager Exploring Expedition to the mid-Pacific islands  
1924 Biologist, U.S. Bureau of Biological Survey  
1924-1925 Superintendent, National Zoological Park  
1925-1944 Assistant Secretary, Smithsonian Institution (in charge of the U.S. National Museum)  
1926 Observations on the Birds of Argentina, Paraguay, Uruguay and Chile (U.S. National Museum, Bull. 133, pp.1-448)  
1926 The Migration of Birds (Harvard University Press)  
1926-1929 President, American Ornithologists' Union  
1927 Field work, Haiti and Dominican Republic  
1927 President, Washington Academy of Sciences  
1927 Isidore Geoffroy St. Hilaire Medal, Societe Nationale d'Acclimation de France  
1928 Trip to study bird collections of museums in the western United States  
1928-1931 President, Washington Biologists' Field Club  
1928-1952 Trustee, Textile Museum of Washington  
1929-1931 President, Biological Society of Washington  
1930 A Systematic Classification for the Birds of the World (Proc. U.S. Nat. Mus., vol. 76, art. 24, pp. 1-8). Revised and reprinted in 1934, 1940, 1948, 1951, and 1960.  
1930 U.S. Delegate, VII International Ornithological Congress, Amsterdam; field work, Spain  
1931 The Birds of Haiti and the Dominican Republic, by Wetmore and B. H. Swales (U.S. National Museum Bull. 155, pp. 1-483)



1931 Field work, Haiti

1931 Otto Herman Medal, Hungarian Ornithological Society

1931-1957 Chairman, American Ornithologists' Union Committee on Classification and Nomenclature of North American Birds

1932 Honorary D.Sc., George Washington University

1932 Field work, western United States

1933-1976 Trustee, National Geographic Society

1934 U.S. Delegate, VIII International Ornithological Congress, Oxford

1936 Field work, Guatemala

1937 Field work, Venezuela

1937-1978 Vice Chairman, Acting Chairman, and Chairman Emeritus, Committee on Research and Exploration, National Geographic Society

1938 President, Cosmos Club

1938 Chairman of U.S. delegation, IX International Ornithological Congress, Rouen, France

1939 Field work, Mexico

1940 A Check-list of the fossil birds of North America (Smiths. Misc. Coll., vol. 99, no. 4, pp. 1-81)

1940 Secretary-General, Eighth American Scientific Congress

1940 U.S. Representative, Inter-American Commission of Experts on Nature Protection and Wildlife Preservation

1940 Field work, Costa Rica

1941 Field work, Colombia

1941 Distinguished Service Award, University of Kansas

1944-1946 President, Explorers Club

1944, 1946-1966 Field work, Panama

1945 Alumni Award for Achievement in Science, George Washington University

1945-1952 Secretary, Smithsonian Institution

1945-1952 Vice-Chairman, National Advisory Committee on Aeronautics

1945-1962 Trustee, George Washington University

1946 Honorary D.Sc., University of Wisconsin

1947 Honorary D.Sc., Centre College of Kentucky

1947-1963 Chairman, Daniel Giraud Elliot Fund Award Committee, National Academy of Sciences

1948 Chairman, Interdepartmental Committee on Scientific Research and Development

1948 Orden de Merito, Carlos Manuel de Cespedes, Cuba

1949-1976 Member, Board of Directors, Gorgas Memorial Institute for Tropical and Preventive Medicine

1950	President, Academy of Medicine of Washington, D.C.
1950	President, X International Ornithological Congress, Uppsala, Sweden
1951-1955	Home Secretary, National Academy of Sciences
February 14, 1953	Death of Fay Holloway Wetmore
December 16, 1953	Married Annie Beatrice Thielen
1953-1978	Research Associate, Smithsonian Institution
1954	Field work, Venezuela
1957	Hubbard Medal, National Geographic Society
1959	Honorary D.Sc., Ripon College
1959	Brewster Medal, American Ornithologists' Union
1962	Explorers Club Medal
1963	Treasurer, XVI International Congress of Zoology
1964	Bartsch Award, Audubon Naturalist Society
1965	The Birds of the Republic of Panama, vol. 1 (Smiths. Misc. Coll., vol. 150, pp. 1-483)
1968	The Birds of the Republic of Panama, vol. 2 (Smiths. Misc. Coll., vol. 150, pt. 2, pp. 1-605)
1969	Field work, Netherlands Antilles
1970	Arthur Allen Medal, Cornell Laboratory of Ornithology
1972	The Birds of the Republic of Panama, vol. 3 (Smiths. Misc. Coll., vol. 150, pt. 3, pp. 1-631)
1972	Elliott Coues Award, American Ornithologists' Union
1973	"Alexander Wetmore Bridge" dedicated in Panama
1975-1978	Honorary President, American Ornithologists' Union
1976	Collected Papers in Avian Paleontology Honoring the 90th Birthday of Alexander Wetmore, Storrs L. Olson, editor (Smiths. Contrib. to Paleobio., no. 27)
December 7, 1978	Death, Glen Echo, Maryland
1984	The Birds of the Republic of Panama, vol. 4 (Smiths. Misc. Coll., vol. 150, pt. 4, pp. 1-670)

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## Introduction

The papers of Alexander Wetmore were received in the Smithsonian Archives in several different accessions between 1978 and 1987.

The Archives would like to thank Mrs. Beatrice T. Wetmore for her help in transferring her husband's papers to the Archives. We also appreciate the assistance of the staff of the Division of Birds, National Museum of Natural History. The authors thank Susan Glenn and Pamela Henson for their thorough review of the manuscript.

## Descriptive Entry

The papers of Alexander Wetmore provide comprehensive documentation of his professional career and personal life. The collection is especially valuable in illustrating his research career in systematic ornithology and avian paleontology; his many collecting trips and field expeditions; his involvement in professional organizations, scientific societies, and social groups; his education and the development of his interest in ornithology; his administrative career at the United States National Museum (USNM) and the Smithsonian Institution; his family history; and personal matters. Less well represented in the collection is material concerning his brief tenure as Superintendent of the National Zoological Park, 1924-1925. Interested researchers should consult Smithsonian Archives Record Unit 74, National Zoological Park, Records, 1887-1965, and undated.

Wetmore was a prolific correspondent and nearly a third of this collection is made up of letters written and received between 1901 and 1977. The correspondence documents most aspects of his career and is particularly valuable in illustrating his research on recent and fossil birds. Wetmore exchanged letters with many of the prominent ornithologists and avian paleontologists of his day, and the correspondence is an important source of information on the history of both disciplines during the twentieth century. It is also helpful in documenting USNM and Smithsonian history from the mid-1920s to the early 1950s. Especially valuable are letters exchanged with USNM curators which concern field work, research programs, and exhibits. Wetmore corresponded with many foreign specialists, and several letters from British and European ornithologists contain descriptions of World War II and its effects on society and science. Also included are countless letters written by Wetmore giving information and advice to amateur ornithologists, bird watchers, and youngsters interested in birds.

A large file of correspondence, reports, fiscal records, publications, and related materials documents Wetmore's constant involvement in professional activities and national and international scientific affairs. His seventy-year membership in the American Ornithologists' Union is thoroughly illustrated. Included are files concerning Wetmore's work with the AOU Committee on Classification and Nomenclature, and his role in the preparation of the fifth edition of the Check-list of North American Birds. Also included are files concerning Wetmore's work as a delegate and President of meetings of the International Ornithological Congress. Records concerning his work as Secretary-General of the Eighth American Scientific Congress, and as United States Representative to the Inter-American Committee of Experts on Nature Protection and Wildlife Preservation provide documentation of initial inter-American cooperation on conservation issues. Also found are substantial records documenting his associations with the National Geographic Society; the Gorgas Memorial Institute for Tropical and Preventive Medicine; the Washington Biologists' Field Club; the Cosmos Club; and the Explorers Club. Contained in a separate series are records dealing with his work as Chairman of the National Academy of Sciences Daniel Giraud Elliot Award Committee.

Wetmore's work as a field ornithologist and scientific expedition member is documented from his first recorded observation of a Florida pelican in 1894 through his last collecting trip to Panama in 1966. The majority of records concerning his field work are found in three series. The first documents Wetmore's work prior to his appointment to the U.S. Biological Survey in 1910 and includes field notes, migration records, and lists made during his boyhood in Wisconsin; similar materials compiled during his college days in Lawrence, Kansas, and on trips to the western United States; and catalogues of his ornithological and natural history collections. The second series consists of correspondence, field notes, diaries, reports, expense records, and related materials documenting field work carried out for the U.S. Biological Survey and the Smithsonian Institution (with the exception of trips to Panama). Also included are records created during trips to professional meetings, trips to study museum specimens, and other official travel. The third series contains records concerning his field trips to Panama, 1944, 1946-1966. Also included is a file of permits used during his field investigations, as well as expense accounts from his official travel.

Photographic documentation of Wetmore's life and career is a major strength of the collection. Included are voluminous photographs, albums, lantern slides, 35mm color slides, motion pictures, and negatives

documenting his field work and other official travel. Also included are portraits of Wetmore; photographs of Wetmore with family, friends, and colleagues; photographs from his boyhood; photographs of Smithsonian events, scientific meetings, and social gatherings; and photographs of professional colleagues.

The papers contain a file of collected materials documenting Wetmore's personal life and family history. The file includes correspondence with his immediate family and other relatives; various biographical information; genealogical data on his family; school and college records; papers and drawings from his early work on birds; congratulatory correspondence and letters of introduction and recommendation; transcripts of an oral history interview; and personnel records from his service in the federal government. Of special interest is Wetmore's "private zoo" - a card catalogue of species and subspecies named in his honor. A series of daily diaries and appointment books helps to illustrate his day-to-day activities.

Wetmore's twenty-eight-year administrative career at the USNM and Smithsonian is partially documented in the collection. Most of the records consist of routine correspondence inquiring about employment at the USNM. Also included are various files concerning Smithsonian activities, offices, and administrative matters.

The remainder of the collection primarily consists of materials relating to his research in ornithology and avian paleontology. Included is a large group of unpublished manuscripts, speeches, and radio talks prepared by Wetmore. Also included are numerous letters; specimen lists; notes; published manuscripts; field records; and publications relating to his research. Of special interest are original journals, lists, and correspondence from field work in Haiti by William Louis Abbott, 1916-1928, and Watson M. Perrygo, 1928-1929. The collection also contains a sample of original illustrations used in his publications on fossil birds; and manuscripts, proofs, drawings, and other materials from his magnum opus, *The Birds of the Republic of Panama*.

Also included in the collection are diplomas, certificates, and awards received by Wetmore, and typescript copies of correspondence between John Xantus and Spencer F. Baird.

Additional records documenting Wetmore's professional career can be found in the Smithsonian Archives. Researchers interested in Wetmore's career as Assistant Secretary in charge of the USNM and Secretary of the Smithsonian should consult Smithsonian Archives Record Units 192 and 46. Field reports written during several investigations he conducted for the U.S. Biological Survey can be found in Record Unit 7176, United States Fish and Wildlife Service, Field Reports, 1860-1961. Records dealing with Wetmore's work on the fifth edition of the AOU Check-list of North American Birds are a part of record unit 7050, American Ornithologists' Union Collection, 1883-1977. An oral history interview (record unit 9504) conducted by the Archives in 1974 provides insight to all aspects of Wetmore's career. Record unit 9516, the Watson M. Perrygo oral history interviews, include many reflections on Wetmore by his long-time field companion.

A voluminous collection of Wetmore's field catalogues, field notes, lists, and other specimen-related records are housed in the Division of Birds, National Museum of Natural History.

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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:

Conservation of natural resources  
Ornithology  
Paleontology

Types of Materials:

Black-and-white photographs  
Color transparencies  
Drawings  
Lantern slides  
Manuscripts  
Motion pictures (visual works)

Names:

American Committee for International Wild Life Protection  
American Ornithologists' Union  
American Philosophical Society  
Cosmos Club (Washington, D.C.)  
Eighth American Scientific Congress. (1940 : Washington, D.C.)  
Elliot, Daniel Giraud, 1835-1915  
Explorers Club  
George Washington University  
Gorgas Memorial Institute of Tropical and Preventive Medicine  
Harris, Harry  
Inter-American Committee of Experts on Nature Protection and Wild Life Preservation  
International Ornithological Congress  
National Academy of Sciences (U.S.)  
National Academy of Sciences (U.S.). Daniel Giraud Elliot Fund  
National Association of Audubon Societies  
National Geographic Society (U.S.)  
National Zoological Park (U.S.)  
Smithsonian Institution. Assistant Secretary in charge of the United States National Museum  
Smithsonian Institution. Office of the Secretary  
United States National Museum  
United States. Bureau of Biological Survey  
United States. Department of Agriculture  
Washington Biologists' Field Club  
Wetmore, Alexander, 1886-1978  
Xántus, János, 1825-1894

Preferred Titles:

*Birds of the Republic of Panama (Monograph : 1965)*

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## Container Listing

### Series 1: General Correspondence, 1901-1977, and undated, with Related Materials from 1879.

This series consists of incoming and outgoing correspondence documenting the professional career of Alexander Wetmore. He maintained a voluminous correspondence with domestic and foreign ornithologists and avian paleontologists concerning research projects, nomenclatural questions, and various professional issues.

Other correspondents include staff and officials of the Bureau of Biological Survey, United States National Museum (USNM), and Smithsonian Institution; staff and officials of museums, universities, and research foundations; officers and members of professional organizations; editors of scientific journals and popular publications; bird watchers and amateur ornithologists; and personal acquaintances.

The correspondence documents all aspects of Wetmore's professional life. In addition to providing a wealth of information on his research on recent and fossil birds, it is especially strong in illustrating field work and scientific expeditions; the development of his career as a professional ornithologist, museum director, and science administrator; his participation in professional organizations; and the preparation of scientific papers and popular works. The correspondence is also a valuable source of information on the history of the Bureau of Biological Survey, 1910-1924, and the USNM/Smithsonian, 1925-1952.

Occasional photographs, manuscripts, and field notes are found in the correspondence. This material is noted in the folder list.

Arranged Alphabetically

#### Box 1

Box 1 of 253	Folder 1 Aa-Ak, general
Box 1 of 253	Folder 2 Abbot, Charles G., 1927-1929, 1931, 1936, 1938, 1940, 1967, 1969-1970, 1972-1973, and undated. Includes a poem by Paul E. Garber commemorating Abbot's 95th birthday, May 1967.
Box 1 of 253	Folder 3 Abbott, William Louis, 1924, 1927-1939, 1949, and undated. Includes several letters containing descriptions of Wetmore's field work. Correspondence post-dating Abbott's death in 1936 is with Gertrude Abbott and Cora M. Arrants.
Box 1 of 253	Folder 4 Achorn, John Warren, 1921-1926, and undated. Includes an obituary of Achorn.
Box 1 of 253	Folder 5 Adams, Leverett A., 1912-1913, 1916, 1924, 1942-1943, 1946, 1948, 1970
Box 1 of 253	Folder 6 Ahrens, Theodor G., 1935, 1937-1938. Includes Ahrens report on bird reservations on the coasts of Denmark, 1937.

- Box 1 of 253 Folder 7 Al, general. Includes a letter from and a photograph of Brent I. Altsheler, July 30, 1936.
- Box 1 of 253 Folder 8 Albright, Horace Marden, 1929, 1940, 1942, 1946, 1951, 1956, 1959, 1972-1973
- Box 1 of 253 Folder 9 Alexander, Wilfrid B., 1921-1922, 1924-1929, 1931-1936, 1941-1942, 1947, 1954, 1958-1959
- Box 1 of 253 Folder 10 Allen, Arthur A., 1922-1923, 1925-1927, 1930, 1932, 1934, 1940, 1944-1948, 1950-1952, 1955-1956, 1958, 1960, 1964. Includes correspondence with Elsa G. Allen (Mrs. Arthur A.), and Richard B. Fischer concerning an article on Allen, 1964. Also included are photographs of Allen and his family.
- Box 1 of 253 Folder 11 Allen Award, Arthur A., 1966-1967, 1969-1970. Includes correspondence and related materials concerning the selection of Wetmore as the recipient of the award in 1970.
- Box 1 of 253 Folder 12 Allen, Glover Morrill, 1915, 1919, 1921-1924, 1928-1929, 1931, 1936-1939, 1941-1942
- Box 1 of 253 Folder 13 Allis, James A., 1946-1947, 1955, 1960-1962, 1966
- Box 1 of 253 Folder 14 Allouse, Bashir E., 1953-1954, 1957, 1965
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- Box 2 of 253 Folder 2 Amadon, Dean, 1941, 1943-1946, 1951-1969, 1971, 1973, and undated
- Box 2 of 253 Folder 3 Andrews, Roy Chapman, 1920, 1942-1943, 1948, 1951. The letters of 30 November and 6 December 1920 concern an offer to Wetmore to join the Third Asiatic Expedition of the American Museum of Natural History to take charge of zoological collections. The offer was declined by Wetmore. Also included is a newspaper article concerning Andrews.
- Box 2 of 253 Folder 4 Anthony, Harold E., 1916-1917, 1919-1924, 1926-1928, 1934, 1958
- Box 2 of 253 Folder 5 As-Ay, general

- Box 2 of 253 Folder 6 Austin, Oliver L., Jr., 1932, 1948, 1950-1953, 1955, 1957, 1959, 1961-1964, 1967-1975. Includes correspondence documenting various aspects of Austin's duties as Editor of *The Auk*.
- Box 2 of 253 Folder 7 Bag-Bai, general
- Box 2 of 253 Folder 8 Bailey, Alfred Marshall, 1923-1927, 1929, 1931, 1936-1937, 1941, 1949, 1953, 1956-1958, 1960, 1962, 1964, 1966, 1968-1971, 1973-1974, and undated. The letter of 10 August 1937 (Wetmore to Bailey) includes a description of Wetmore's work at the Colorado Museum of Natural History in 1909.
- Box 3
- Box 3 of 253 Folder 1 Bailey, Harold H., 1928-1937, 1945. Consists mostly of correspondence concerning the birds of Florida.
- Box 3 of 253 Folder 2 Bailey, Laura Law (Mrs. Harold H.), 1938, 1941-1942, 1944-1945, 1948-1953, 1955-1957, 1959-1972, 1975. See also under Eugene J. Law and Laura B. Law.
- Box 3 of 253 Folder 3 Bailey, Vernon Orlando, 1910-1911, 1929-1930, 1936. The correspondence of 1910-1911 concerns Wetmore's collecting trips to Wyoming and Alaska for the Bureau of Biological Survey. Also included is a photograph of Bailey.
- Box 3 of 253 Folder 4 Bak-Ban, general
- Box 3 of 253 Folder 5 Baker, Rolin Howard, 1948, 1953-1956, 1958, 1961, and undated
- Box 3 of 253 Folder 6 Baldwin, Samuel Prentiss, 1926-1929, 1934-1936, and undated
- Box 3 of 253 Folder 7 Ball, Stanley Crittenden, 1924-1926, 1928-1929, 1934, 1947, 1952. The letter of 5 November 1925 includes a list of birds collected by Wetmore on the Tanager Expedition, 1923.
- Box 3 of 253 Folder 8 Bangs, Outram, 1922, 1926, 1928
- Box 3 of 253 Folders 9-10 Bannerman, David A., 1930, 1934-1938, 1941, 1943-1975. The letter of 21 September 1967 includes a manuscript by Bannerman concerning the Blossom Expedition of the Cleveland Museum of Natural History, 1923-1924. Also included is a newspaper article on Bannerman.

Box 4

- Box 4 of 253 Folder 1 Bar-Bas, general



- Box 4 of 253                      Folders 2-4 Barbour, Thomas, 1926-1949, and undated. Wetmore carried on a voluminous correspondence with Barbour, a herpetologist and Director of the Museum of Comparative Zoology. While most of the letters concern zoological issues, several contain interesting discussions of events at and personalities associated with the USNM.
- Box 4 of 253                      Folder 5 Barclay-Smith, Phyllis, 1938-1939, 1947, 1950, 1953
- Box 4 of 253                      Folder 6 Barnes, Ventura, Jr., 1936-1953, 1973. Several letters concern Barnes' field work in Venezuela.
- Box 4 of 253                      Folder 7 Barros V., Rafael, 1929-1931, 1945-1951, 1959
- Box 4 of 253                      Folder 8 Bartlett, Robert A., 1930-1931, 1935-1941, 1943, 1972, and undated. Consists mostly of correspondence concerning various voyages of the Effie M. Morrissey. Also included is a letter from Harry Dugan, 9 June 1972, concerning Bartlett.
- Box 4 of 253                      Folder 9 Bassler, Ray S., 1915-1916, 1927, 1930, 1936-1948. Mostly concerns Bassler's curatorial duties in the Department of Geology, USNM.
- Box 5
- Box 5 of 253                      Folder 1 Bat-Bay, general
- Box 5 of 253                      Folder 2 Batchelder, Charles F., 1920, 1936, 1942-1943, 1951
- Box 5 of 253                      Folder 3 Bea-Beg, general
- Box 5 of 253                      Folder 4 Beatty, Harry A., 1933, 1937, 1941-1944, 1948, 1973, 1975
- Box 5 of 253                      Folder 5 Beck, Herbert Huebener, 1937, 1947, 1952, 1954, 1957-1958. Beck's letter of 4 February 1958 concerns the effect of DDT on the breeding of Bald Eagles.
- Box 5 of 253                      Folder 6 Beck, Rollo Howard, 1911, 1913-1915, 1926, 1947. The correspondence of 1913-1915 concerns Beck's collecting work in South America.
- Box 5 of 253                      Folder 7 Beebe, William, 1933, 1938, 1941, 1943-1946, 1948-1949, 1956, and undated
- Box 5 of 253                      Folder 8 Beh-Bex, general
- Box 5 of 253                      Folder 9 Behle, William H., 1943-1944, 1957-1959, 1962, 1970

- Box 5 of 253 Folder 10 Belcher, Charles F., 1931-1937. Mostly concerns Belcher's research on the birds of Trinidad.
- Box 5 of 253 Folder 11 Belote, Theodore T., 1926-1947. Consists mostly of correspondence relating to Belote's duties as Curator of the Division of History, USNM.
- Box 5 of 253 Folder 12 Beltran, Enrique, 1942-1947, 1956-1958, 1961
- Box 5 of 253 Folder 13 Benjamin, Marcus, 1916, 1918. Correspondence concerning the publication of Wetmore's ornithological papers by the USNM.
- Box 5 of 253 Folder 14 Bennett, A. G., 1928-1933, 1938. Mostly concerns Bennett's collecting work in the Falkland Islands.
- Box 5 of 253 Folders 15-16 Bent, Arthur Cleveland, 1911-1955. Bent and Wetmore maintained an extensive correspondence for over forty years. Many of the letters concern Bent's Life Histories of North American Birds.
- Box 5 of 253 Folder 17 Berger, Andrew John, 1951-1962, 1966, 1970-1975
- Box 6
- Box 6 of 253 Folder 1 Betts, H. W., 1945-1948
- Box 6 of 253 Folder 2 Bi, general. Correspondents include Virgilio Biaggi, Jr., 1941, 1944, 1947-1950, 1955-1958; Leota H. Bigelow (Mrs. A. P.), 1925, 1945-1948, 1951, 1965-1966; John C. Birmingham, Jr., 1969, 1976; Alice S. Bishop (Mrs. Sherman C.), 1951, 1954-1955, 1962.
- Box 6 of 253 Folder 3 Bishop, Carl Whiting, 1927-1929, 1932-1934. Mostly concerns Bishop's work as Associate Curator at the Freer Gallery of Art. The correspondence of 1932-1934 documents his archeological work in China.
- Box 6 of 253 Folder 4 Bishop, Louis B., 1926-1933, 1937-1939, 1944-1945, 1949
- Box 6 of 253 Folder 5 BI, general. Correspondents include Enrique T. Blanco, 1941-1942 and Donald Bleitz, 1962, 1969-1973.
- Box 6 of 253 Folder 6 Blackwelder, Richard Eliot, 1941-1946
- Box 6 of 253 Folder 7 Blake, Emmet Reid, 1949, 1952-1958, 1961-1973. Includes correspondence concerning Blake's Manual of Neotropical Birds.

Box 6 of 253 Folder 8 Blogg, Percy Thayer, 1923, 1925, 1928, 1931, 1933, 1938,  
1944-1947

Box 6 of 253 Folder 9 Bob-Bon, general

Box 6 of 253 Folder 10 Bock, Walter Joseph, 1956-1957, 1960-1965, 1973, 1975

Box 6 of 253 Folder 11 Bond, James, 1928-1936, 1940-1951, 1955-1964, 1967-1975.  
Bond and Wetmore maintained an extensive correspondence for nearly fifty  
years. Much of the correspondence concerns Bond's research on the birds  
of the West Indies and several letters written during the period 1928-1931  
document his field work in Haiti.

Box 6 of 253 Folder 12 Bonilla Atilas, J. A., 1944-1947, 1962-1964, and undated

#### Box 7

Box 7 of 253 Folder 1 Boo-Boy, general. Correspondents include Richard Borden, 1935,  
1943; Ray Bosley, 1916-1917, 1926-1927, 1930-1931; Adam Giede Boving,  
1934, 1936, 1951, and undated.

Box 7 of 253 Folder 2 Book Orders (foreign), 1965-1973, and undated

Box 7 of 253 Folder 3 Borden, John, 1929. Concerns Borden's proposed expedition to  
Siberia. Includes correspondence between Borden and Edward William  
Nelson.

Box 7 of 253 Folder 4 Borrero H., Jose Ignacio, 1944-1947, 1949, 1952, 1954, 1957-1975,  
and undated

Box 7 of 253 Folder 5 Boss, Norman H., 1927, 1929, 1931, 1937

Box 7 of 253 Folder 6 Boulton, Rudyerd, 1924-1928, 1959-1972, and undated. Mostly  
concerns Boulton's work as Director of the Atlantica Ecological Research  
Station in Rhodesia.

Box 7 of 253 Folder 7 Bra-Broc, general. Correspondents include Herbert W. Brandt, 1928,  
1948, 1950-1952; Walter John Breckenridge, 1947, 1949, 1953, 1962, 1969;  
Herbert H. Brimley, 1929-1930, 1932, 1934, 1936, 1939.

#### Box 8

Box 8 of 253 Folders 1-2 Brodkorb, William Pierce, 1936-1946, 1950-1976, and undated.  
Mostly concerns research on avian paleontology. Includes a photograph of  
Brodkorb in the field near Chiapas, Mexico, circa 1939.

- Box 8 of 253 Folder 3 Broe-Bry, general. Correspondents include Detlev Wulf Bronk, 1945-1946, 1949, 1964, 1974; Edwin Horace Bryan, Jr., 1934-1936, 1939, 1943-1944, 1955, 1962, 1972; Kirk Bryan, 1935, 1938, 1941; Harold C. Bryant, 1918-1919, 1936, 1948.
- Box 8 of 253 Folder 4 Brooks, Allan C., 1927-1938, 1942-1946, and undated. Primarily concerns his work as an ornithological illustrator.
- Box 8 of 253 Folder 5 Brooks, Maurice Graham, 1937-1945, 1949-1951, 1954, 1958. Mostly concerns the birds of West Virginia.
- Box 8 of 253 Folder 6 Brown, Barnum, 1925-1931, 1935, 1938, 1950
- Box 8 of 253 Folder 7 Brown, Edward J., 1919, 1925-1935, 1949
- Box 8 of 253 Folder 8 Brown, William L., 1928-1933, 1937, 1942-1945, 1968, 1974-1975. The correspondence of 1968, 1974-1975, contains reminiscences on Brown's career as a taxidermist at the USNM.
- Box 8 of 253 Folder 9 Bryant, Herbert S., 1925-1946. Concerns his duties as Chief, Division of Correspondence and Documents, USNM.
- Box 9
- Box 9 of 253 Folder 1 Buc-Bux, general. Correspondents include Thomas Dearborn Burleigh, 1922, 1938-1939, 1947, 1951, 1968-1970; Frank L. Burns, 1908, 1929-1930, 1933, 1943, and undated; Philip J. K. Burton, 1971, 1973-1975.
- Box 9 of 253 Folder 2 Budin, Emilio, 1926, 1928, 1931. Correspondence concerning his collecting work in South America.
- Box 9 of 253 Folder 3 Bull, John L., 1957, 1961-1969, 1973, 1975
- Box 9 of 253 Folder 4 Bullis, Harvey R., Jr., 1962-1964
- Box 9 of 253 Folder 5 Bump, James D., 1941, 1949-1951, 1955-1957
- Box 9 of 253 Folders 6-7 Bunker, Charles Dean, 1909, 1913-1948, and undated. Bunker, Assistant Curator of Birds and Mammals, Natural History Museum, University of Kansas, was an early influence on Wetmore. They maintained a constant correspondence until his death in 1948. Included are photographs from Bunker's Alaska expedition of 1918.
- Box 9 of 253 Folder 8 Bunker Fund, Charles Dean, 1942-1948
- Box 9 of 253 Folder 9 Burt, Charles Earle, 1932-1935

Box 9 of 253 Folder 10 Burton, E. Milby, 1937-1942, 1947-1949, 1959-1964, 1973, 1975

Box 9 of 253 Folder 11 Byrd, Richard Evelyn, 1928, 1939

Box 10

Box 10 of 253 Folder 1 Cab-Cap, general

Box 10 of 253 Folder 2 Cadwalader, Charles Meigs Biddle, 1934-1951

Box 10 of 253 Folder 3 Calhoun, John Bumpass, 1939-1941, 1944-1945

Box 10 of 253 Folder 4 Cammerer, Arno B., 1928, 1933-1940. Includes a report and photographs concerning elk in Yellowstone National Park, 10 December 1934.

Box 10 of 253 Folder 5 Car-Cau, general. Correspondents include Edward L. Caum, 1923-1925, 1932-1936, 1941.

Box 10 of 253 Folder 6 Carnes, Betty, 1949-1952, 1955, 1958, 1967-1969

Box 10 of 253 Folder 7 Carpenter, R. R. M., 1943-1944, 1947-1948

Box 10 of 253 Folder 8 Carr, Archie Fairly, Jr., 1954, 1956, 1959, 1963

Box 10 of 253 Folder 9 Carriker, Melbourne Armstrong, Jr., 1939-1940, 1948, 1951-1966, 1976, and undated. Carriker collected birds, primarily in Colombia, for the USNM and Wetmore during the 1940s, 1950s, and 1960s. The correspondence concerns Carriker's field work and his research on bird lice.

Box 10 of 253 Folder 10 Carriker, Melbourne Armstrong, Jr. Field work, Colombia, 1942-1952, 1957, 1960-1964, and undated. Consists of yearly reports on field work, specimen lists, equipment lists, correspondence, and photographs of his 1951 expedition.

Box 10 of 253 Folder 11 Carriker, Melbourne Romaine, 1970-1972

Box 11

Box 11 of 253 Folder 1 Ce-Ch, general. Correspondents include E. Burnham Chamberlain, 1938-1945, 1948, 1957, 1964, 1972-1975; David Chase, 1930-1931, 1933, 1940, concerning Wetmore's field work in Spain, 1930; Webster W. Chase, 1963-1964, concerning the Latin American ornithologist Hasso von Wedel; F. N. Chasen, 1936-1941.

- Box 11 of 253 Folder 2 Chambers, W. Lee, 1908, 1915, 1919-1928, 1931, 1935, 1940, 1943-1948, and undated. Mostly concerns activities of the Cooper Ornithological Club.
- Box 11 of 253 Folder 3 Chapin, Edward Albert, 1918-1920, 1925, 1934-1944, 1947, and undated. Primarily concerns Chapin's duties as Curator, Division of Insects, USNM. The correspondence of 1937 documents his field work in Jamaica.
- Box 11 of 253 Folder 4 Chapin, James Paul, 1917-1918, 1921-1929, 1938, 1940-1951, 1956-1957, 1963, and undated. The correspondence of 1943 concerns a controversy over the importation of gorillas from the Belgian Congo.
- Box 11 of 253 Folder 5 Chapman, Frank Michler, 1920-1945, and undated. Chapman, Curator of Birds at the American Museum of Natural History (AMNH), was a close colleague of Wetmore's. The correspondence documents various aspects of their research, especially on Latin American birds. Of special interest is the correspondence of 1920-1921 which documents an offer to Wetmore to join the Third Asiatic Expedition of the AMNH to take charge of the zoological collections. Also included is biographical information and an obituary.
- Box 11 of 253 Folder 6 Chardon, Carlos E., 1941-1950, 1953-1954. Correspondence concerning the preparation of his *Los Naturalistas en la America Latina*.
- Box 11 of 253 Folder 7 Cherbonnier, E. G., 1952-1953, 1956-1960, 1973-1974
- Box 11 of 253 Folder 8 Ci, general
- Box 12
- Box 12 of 253 Folder 1 Ci, general. Correspondents include P. A. Clancey, 1957, 1965-1968, 1973, 1975; Harold T. Clark, 1946, 1948, 1950; Theresa Clay, 1945-1948, 1951-1952; Howard H. Cleaves, 1915, 1917, 1922, 1929, 1969-1973.
- Box 12 of 253 Folder 2 Clark, Austin H., 1916, 1922-1936, 1939-1943, 1946, and undated. Primarily concerns Clark's work as Curator, Division of Echinoderms, USNM.
- Box 12 of 253 Folder 3 Clark, Leila F., 1935-1947. Correspondence and memoranda concerning her duties as Librarian, USNM.
- Box 12 of 253 Folder 4 Coa-Cok, general. Correspondents include Theodore D. A. Cockerell, 1930-1936, 1941, 1946.
- Box 12 of 253 Folder 5 Cochran, Doris Mable, 1926-1927, 1931, 1935, 1942-1947. Mostly concerns her duties as Assistant Curator and Curator, Division of Reptiles

and Amphibians, USNM. The correspondence of 1935 documents Cochran's field research in Brazil.

- Box 12 of 253 Folder 6 Col, general. Correspondents include Leon J. Cole, 1927, 1934, 1936, 1940, 1943-1946; Alfred M. Collins, 1925-1931, 1944; Harold S. Colton, 1932-1936, 1940, 1944-1945, 1947.
- Box 12 of 253 Folder 7 Collins, Henry Bascom, Jr., 1928-1938, 1945-1946, and undated. Correspondence concerning his work in the Division of Ethnology, USNM, and the Bureau of American Ethnology. Included are letters documenting his Alaska field work, 1929 and 1936.
- Box 12 of 253 Folder 8 Com-Con, general. Correspondents include Lawrence V. Compton, 1933-1938, 1942, 1947; John B. Conant, 1946, concerning the selection of a Director for the Museum of Comparative Zoology; Roger Conant, 1945, 1950-1951, 1964, 1968; Jose Alvarez Conde, 1946, 1948, 1951-1952.
- Box 12 of 253 Folder 9 Commerford, Lester E., 1925-1934, 1937-1940, 1943, 1946-1948
- Box 12 of 253 Folder 10 Conover, H. Boardman, 1935, 1939-1942, 1945-1950, and undated

#### Box 13

- Box 13 of 253 Folder 1 Coo-Cos, general. Correspondents include Melville Thurston Cook, 1936-1937, 1950; Wells Woodbridge Cooke, 1905, 1908, concerning Wetmore's early ornithological studies; Charles Barney Cory, 1907, 1910, 1919-1920, including an offer to Wetmore to become a field collector for the Field Museum of Natural History, 1910.
- Box 13 of 253 Folder 2 Cook, Harold J., 1922, 1927, 1931-1940, 1945, 1949, 1951, 1954-1959, and undated. Correspondence concerning his research on fossil birds.
- Box 13 of 253 Folder 3 Coolidge, Harold Jefferson, 1942-1943, 1948, 1951-1953, 1956, 1958, 1969-1970, and undated. Correspondence primarily concerning Coolidge's work as Chairman, American Committee for International Wild Life Protection.
- Box 13 of 253 Folder 4 Cooper, G. Arthur, 1931, 1935-1946. Concerns Cooper's curatorial career in the Department of Geology, USNM. The correspondence of 1939 and 1945 documents his field work in Texas.
- Box 13 of 253 Folder 5 Corbin, William L., 1925-1941, and undated. Correspondence documenting Corbin's duties as Smithsonian Librarian.
- Box 13 of 253 Folder 6 Cot-Cox, general. Correspondents include Edward J. Court, 1935-1936, 1943, concerning his collecting activity in Maryland and Virginia.

Box 13 of 253 Folder 7 Cottam, Clarence, 1937, 1941-1944, 1949, 1955-1962, 1965, 1968, 1972, 1974, and undated. The correspondence of 1955-1956 concerns the disposition of the Theodore S. Palmer library and papers.

Box 13 of 253 Folder 8 Courtenay-Latimer, Marge, 1957-1964, 1969-1972

#### Box 14

Box 14 of 253 Folder 1 Cr, general. Correspondents include Frank C. Craighead, 1947, 1949; John J. Craighead, 1945, 1947; Lee S. Crandall, 1918, 1944, 1953, 1957, 1960; Ralph E. Cropley, 1936, 1939, 1941, 1943-1944, concerning Cropley's collection of maritime data.

Box 14 of 253 Folder 2 Cracraft, Joel, 1966-1975. Correspondence concerning Cracraft's research on avian paleontology.

Box 14 of 253 Folder 3 Crist, Raymond E., 1941-1944, 1947-1948, 1952-1966, 1969. Correspondence primarily concerning Crist's field work in Central and South America.

Box 14 of 253 Folder 4 Cu, general. Correspondents include Carlos E. Cummings, 1939, 1947.

Box 14 of 253 Folder 5 Cuello, Juan, 1959-1962, 1966, 1969-1970

Box 14 of 253 Folder 6 Curtis, Karl P., 1948-1964. Many of the letters contain information concerning Wetmore's Panama field research.

Box 14 of 253 Folder 7 Dabbene, Roberto, 1920-1930, 1933

Box 14 of 253 Folder 8 Daf-Dan, general. Correspondents include Alfons Dampf, 1940-1943, 1946 and Ralph E. Danforth, 1941-1945, 1948, 1952.

Box 14 of 253 Folders 9-10 Danforth, Stuart Taylor, 1925-1930, 1934-1939, and undated. Danforth, a professor at the University of Puerto Rico and specialist on West Indies birds, donated his specimen collection to the USNM. The correspondence documents his research and the transfer of his collection to Washington.

#### Box 15

Box 15 of 253 Folder 1 Dar-Day, general. Correspondents include M. E. McLellan Davidson, 1928-1929, 1934, 1936; David Edward Davis, 1941, 1948-1951; John Davis, 1952, 1954-1955, 1957.



- Box 15 of 253 Folder 2 Davis, L. Irby, 1947, 1949, 1959, 1961-1966, 1969-1976.  
Correspondence concerning his research on bird calls and songs.
- Box 15 of 253 Folder 3 De, general. Correspondents include L. F. de Beaufort, 1930-1932,  
1936, 1938 and Theodoor de Booy, 1917-1918.
- Box 15 of 253 Folder 4 Deane, Ruthven, 1915, 1922, 1925-1934, and undated. Several  
letters concern the Deane Collection of Photographs of Ornithologists.
- Box 15 of 253 Folder 5 Deignan, Herbert Girton, 1936-1937, 1939, 1943-1948, 1961-1968,  
and undated. Deignan, an authority on the birds of Southeast Asia, was  
on the staff of the Division of Birds, USNM, from 1938 to 1961. The  
correspondence concerns his participation on the Asiatic Primate Expedition,  
1937; his study of Asiatic birds in European museums as the recipient of the  
Walter Rathbone Bacon Traveling Scholarship, 1939; and his retirement in  
Switzerland, 1962-1968.
- Box 15 of 253 Folders 6-7 Delacour, Jean Theodore, 1926-1956, 1970-1971, and undated.  
Includes news clippings concerning Delacour.
- Box 15 of 253 Folder 8 de Schauensee, Rodolphe Meyer, 1933, 1936-1951, 1960,  
1964-1970, 1973, and undated
- Box 16
- Box 16 of 253 Folder 1 Dharmakumarsinhji, Prince K. S., 1938-1944, 1948, and undated.  
Correspondence mostly concerning his research on breeding Birds of  
Paradise.
- Box 16 of 253 Folder 2 Di, general. Correspondents include Lee Raymond Dice,  
1925-1926, 1928-1929, 1933, 1943-1944, 1947, including a letter (30 June  
1925) concerning his interest in the position of Superintendent, National  
Zoological Park; Frederick M. Dille, 1925, 1929, 1933, 1935, 1938-1939.
- Box 16 of 253 Folders 3-4 Dickey, Donald Ryder, 1923-1932, and undated. Dickey, field  
naturalist and Research Associate at the California Institute of Technology,  
served with Wetmore on the Tanager Expedition of 1923. Of special interest  
is correspondence documenting a plan by Dickey to endow a chair of  
vertebrate zoology for Wetmore at the California Institute of Technology.
- Box 16 of 253 Folder 5 Dickey, Florence Van Vechten Murphey (Mrs. Donald Ryder Dickey),  
1932-1935, 1940, 1943, 1950-1951, 1954, and undated. Mostly concerns  
negotiations over the disposition of the Donald Ryder Dickey Collection and  
Library. The material was eventually donated to the University of California at  
Los Angeles.
- Box 16 of 253 Folder 6 Dickinson, Joshua Clifton, Jr., 1949, 1952-1959, 1964, 1974

Box 16 of 253 Folder 7 Dickison, D. J., 1929, 1932, 1937-1938, 1949, 1957-1962, 1965

Box 16 of 253 Folder 8 Diven, Emerson Liscum, II, 1926-1939, 1953-1954, 1963, 1965,  
1971

Box 17

Box 17 of 253 Folder 1 Dob-Dol, general. Correspondents include Richard L. Dobie,  
1933-1939 and Homer L. Dodge, 1944-1949, 1954-1957, 1969.

Box 17 of 253 Folder 2 Don-Doz, general

Box 17 of 253 Folder 3 Dr-Dy, general. Correspondents include Frank Dufresne, 1938,  
1942, 1945-1946 and James A. Duke, 1967-1968, including Duke's  
manuscript "Bird Dietary."

Box 17 of 253 Folder 4 Dugand, Armando, 1938-1953. Correspondence concerning his  
research on the birds of Colombia.

Box 17 of 253 Folder 5 Dunn, Thomas W., 1958-1968, 1973. Includes several letters  
concerning Wetmore's field work in Panama.

Box 17 of 253 Folder 6 Dunning, John S., 1965, 1969-1970, 1973-1974

Box 17 of 253 Folder 7 Dupouy, Walter, 1941-1949, 1967

Box 17 of 253 Folder 8 Dwight, Jonathan, 1924-1927, 1929, and undated. Much of the  
correspondence concerns the preparation of the fourth edition of the AOU  
Check-List of North American Birds.

Box 18

Box 18 of 253 Folder 1 Ea-Ed, general. Correspondents include Harold E. Edgerton,  
1947-1948, 1950, 1954.

Box 18 of 253 Folder 2 Edwards, Ernest P., 1959-1960, 1963, 1969-1971

Box 18 of 253 Folder 3 Eg-EI, general

Box 18 of 253 Folders 4-6 Eisenmann, Eugene, 1946-1967. Correspondence concerning  
the birds of Panama.

Box 18 of 253 Folder 7 Ekman, Erik L., 1927-1930. Concerns Ekman's collecting work in  
Haiti and the Dominican Republic.

## Box 19

- Box 19 of 253 Folder 1 Em-Es, general. Correspondents include Guy Emerson, 1948-1952, 1955, 1958, 1961; Robert K. Enders, 1945-1947, 1956, 1958.
- Box 19 of 253 Folder 2 Emerson, Kary Cadmus, 1952, 1957, 1970-1971, 1976
- Box 19 of 253 Folder 3 Emlen, John Thompson, Jr., 1929, 1932, 1934, 1949-1950, 1952, 1955-1956, 1961, 1968
- Box 19 of 253 Folder 4 Et-Ez, general. Correspondents include R. D. Etchecopar, 1951, 1964-1967; Logan I. Evans, 1928, 1937, 1943; Barton Warren Evermann, 1918-1919, 1924-1925; Alfred Ezra, 1934, 1938-1939, 1942-1943.
- Box 19 of 253 Folder 5 Ewan, Joseph, 1958, 1960-1961, 1969, 1974. The letter of 30 April 1974 (Wetmore to Ewan) contains information on the early history of the Barro Colorado Island Research Station.
- Box 19 of 253 Folder 6 Fa, general. Correspondents include David Grandison Fairchild, 1938, 1945, 1948-1950; James Waldo Fawcett, 1935, 1937-1938, 1940, 1944, 1947, concerning the Washington Evening Star's coverage of the Smithsonian and USNM.
- Box 19 of 253 Folder 7 Fagen, Charles L., 1921-1928, 1937-1941, 1947. Several letters concern his collecting work for the USNM in South America.
- Box 19 of 253 Folder 8 Fairchild, Graham Bell, 1951-1959, 1963, 1966-1967, 1970-1971
- Box 19 of 253 Folder 9 Farner, Donald Sankey, 1945-1947, 1950, 1953, 1957, 1960-1964, 1967-1968, and undated
- Box 19 of 253 Folder 10 Fast, Arthur H., 1945-1947, 1952-1953, 1957, 1961, 1963, 1968-1969
- Box 19 of 253 Folder 11 Favour, Paul G., Jr., 1948-1955. Correspondence mostly concerning the birds of Shenandoah National Park, Virginia.
- Box 19 of 253 Folder 12 Fe-Ff, general. Correspondents include John Alan Feduccia, 1959, 1967, 1970-1971; Ramon Ferreyra, 1944-1947, 1951, 1970; Judith M. Ferrier, 1934-1937, 1943-1950.

## Box 20

- Box 20 of 253 Folder 1 Fi, general. Correspondents include Clyde Fisher, 1929, 1933, 1937, 1942, 1947.

- Box 20 of 253 Folder 2 Figgins, Jesse D., 1923-1928, 1931-1934, 1941-1944
- Box 20 of 253 Folders 3-4 Fisher, Albert Kenrick, 1914-1931, 1934, 1936, 1940, 1942, 1945-1947, and undated. Fisher, a biologist with the Bureau of Biological Survey, was a long-time colleague and friend of Wetmore's. The correspondence of 1929 documents Fisher's participation on the Pinchot South Seas Expedition. Also included are several letters concerning the Washington Biologists' Field Club.
- Box 20 of 253 Folder 5 Fisher, Harvey Irwin, 1945-1954, 1959-1960, 1968-1969, 1971
- Box 20 of 253 Folder 6 Fisher, Walter Kenrick, 1922-1938, 1943, 1947-1949, 1952. The correspondence of 1948-1949 concerns the death of Albert Kenrick Fisher. Also included are several letters written to Fisher by European ornithologists in 1904-1905 (see letter of 1 June 1943).
- Box 20 of 253 Folder 7 Fisk, Erma J., 1955, 1962, 1971, 1974
- Box 20 of 253 Folder 8 Fl, general. Correspondents include Laurence B. Fletcher, 1925-1932.
- Box 20 of 253 Folders 9-10 Fleming, James Henry, 1917, 1919, 1922, 1924-1940, and undated. Fleming, a noted Canadian ornithologist, was in constant correspondence with Wetmore. The letters document research interests, AOU business, and various professional issues.
- Box 21
- Box 21 of 253 Folder 1 Fo, general. Correspondents include Edward Howe Forbush, 1919, 1922, 1925, 1927, 1932-1933, concerning the Massachusetts Division of Ornithology; and Richard L. Fox, 1945-1947.
- Box 21 of 253 Folder 2 Foshag, William F., 1926-1941. Correspondence concerning Foshag's official duties as Curator, Department of Geology, USNM. Included are accounts of his collecting work in Mexico, 1927, 1929, 1931, 1934, and 1941.
- Box 21 of 253 Folder 3 Fowler, Henry Weed, 1922, 1928-1929, 1932, 1936-1937, 1942
- Box 21 of 253 Folder 4 Fr-Fy, general. Correspondents include Herbert Friedenwald, 1943-1944, including several letters concerning Albert Kenrick Fisher, January 1944.
- Box 21 of 253 Folder 5 Freeland, Edward D., 1943-1951. Concerns Wetmore's field research in Shenandoah National Park, Virginia.
- Box 21 of 253 Folder 6 Freeman, George Fouche, 1927-1932, 1937

- Box 21 of 253 Folder 7 Frick, Childs, 1929-1930, 1937, 1942-1948
- Box 21 of 253 Folder 8 Friedmann, Herbert, 1922-1943, 1957-1965, 1968. Friedmann served as Curator, Division of Birds, USNM, 1929-1957, and Head Curator, Department of Zoology, USNM, 1957-1961. The correspondence documents his appointment and subsequent career at the USNM; his investigation of bird collections in European museums, 1936-1937; and his research on African and South American parasitic birds.
- Box 21 of 253 Folder 9 Fuertes, Louis Agassiz, 1915, 1924-1926
- Box 21 of 253 Folder 10 Gaa-Gal, general
- Box 21 of 253 Folder 11 Gabrielson, Ira N., 1935-1937, 1940-1956, 1961, and undated
- Box 21 of 253 Folder 12 Galindo, Pedro, 1957, 1960-1974, 1976, and undated. Mostly concerns Wetmore's research on the birds of Panama. Included are photographs of the Alexander Wetmore Bridge, Bayano River Station, Panama, 1973.
- Box 22
- Box 22 of 253 Folder 1 Ganier, Albert F., 1937-1947, 1950-1965, 1969-1970, and undated. Correspondence mostly concerning the birds of Tennessee.
- Box 22 of 253 Folder 2 Gar-Gaz, general. Correspondents include Leon L. Gardner, 1918-1920, 1925-1927, 1965.
- Box 22 of 253 Folder 3 Garber, Paul Edward, 1926-1931, 1934-1938, 1941, 1945. Mostly concerns his work as Assistant Curator, Section of Aeronautics, USNM.
- Box 22 of 253 Folder 4 Garrido, Orlando H., 1967-1974. Mostly concerns Garrido's work on the birds of Cuba.
- Box 22 of 253 Folder 5 Garrity, Devin A., 1957-1958, 1962
- Box 22 of 253 Folder 6 Gazin, Charles Lewis, 1932, 1934, 1936, 1938, 1942, 1945. Concerns Gazin's duties as Assistant Curator, Division of Vertebrate Paleontology, USNM. Included is correspondence documenting his field work in Idaho, 1934; New Mexico, 1936; and Utah, 1938.
- Box 22 of 253 Folder 7 Ge-Gi, general. Correspondents include Humphrey A. Gilbert, 1935-1942, 1946; Walter M. Gilbert, 1932-1933, 1936, 1943-1944; E. Thomas Gilliard, 1939-1944, 1948, 1959.

- Box 22 of 253 Folder 8 Gebhardt, Erwin, 1958-1959
- Box 22 of 253 Folder 9 Gillham, Charles Edward, 1942, 1956-1957, 1961, 1965
- Box 22 of 253 Folder 10 Gl, general. Correspondents include L. W. Glazebrook, 1945-1952 and Fred H. Glenny, 1941-1946.
- Box 22 of 253 Folder 11 Gloyd, Howard Kay, 1924, 1957-1960, 1972-1973
- Box 22 of 253 Folder 12 Go, general. Correspondents include Jose Royo y Gomez, 1941-1946, 1951-1952.
- Box 22 of 253 Folder 13 Godfrey, W. Earl, 1948-1949, 1952-1956, 1959-1962, 1966-1968, 1973
- Box 22 of 253 Folder 14 Goldman, Edward Alphonso, 1925, 1927, 1935-1936, 1938, 1946

Box 23

- Box 23 of 253 Folder 1 Gra, general. Correspondents include C. H. B. Grant, 1942-1943, 1946, 1949-1950, 1952; Ulysses S. Grant, III, 1929-1930, 1932-1933, 1949; William W. Grant, 1927, 1931, 1934, concerning Audubon prints owned by Grant.
- Box 23 of 253 Folders 2-3 Graf, John Enos, 1931-1948, and undated. Graf was Associate Director of the USNM, 1931-1945, and later an Assistant Secretary of the Smithsonian until 1957. The correspondence documents various aspects of USNM administration.
- Box 23 of 253 Folder 4 Graham, David Crockett, 1943-1944, 1949-1950, 1952, 1954-1955, 1959, 1968-1969, 1974. Graham was a missionary in West China. For many years he collected natural history specimens for the USNM. This correspondence post-dates his work in China and primarily concerns the preparation of manuscripts. The letters of 1968-1969, 1974 were exchanged between Wetmore and Graham's daughter, Margaret Graham.
- Box 23 of 253 Folder 5 Graham, Edward H., 1947, 1953-1954, 1961
- Box 23 of 253 Folder 6 Granger, Walter, 1933-1941
- Box 23 of 253 Folder 7 Grant, Chapman, 1930-1934, 1942-1946, 1950, 1956-1961, 1964, 1967-1975

Box 24

- Box 24 of 253 Folder 1 Gre, general. Correspondents include Clifford C. Gregg, 1945-1948, 1953; Herbert E. Gregory, 1923-1925, 1928, including several letters concerning the Tanager Expedition, 1923; John H. Grey, Jr., 1940, 1942, 1945, 1947-1950, 1971.
- Box 24 of 253 Folder 2 Greene, Earl R., 1944-1975. Includes correspondence concerning his work with the 600 club.
- Box 24 of 253 Folder 3 Greenwalt, Crawford H., 1953, 1958, 1960, 1963, 1969. Includes photographs of chickadees and nuthatches in flight.
- Box 24 of 253 Folder 4 Greenway, James C., Jr., 1952-1953, 1957-1958, 1960
- Box 24 of 253 Folder 5 Gri, general
- Box 24 of 253 Folders 6-8 Grinell, Joseph, 1906, 1913-1939. Grinell was Director of the Museum of Vertebrate Zoology, University of California, and for many years, Editor of The Condor, journal of the Cooper Ornithological Club. The correspondence concerns the publication of articles by Wetmore in The Condor; research interests; and professional issues.
- Box 24 of 253 Folder 9 \_\_\_\_\_. John Roy Pemberton Collection, 1921-1926. Correspondence concerning Wetmore's work describing Pemberton's collection of Patagonian birds in the Museum of Vertebrate Zoology.

#### Box 25

- Box 25 of 253 Folder 1 Griscom, Ludlow, 1926, 1932-1936, 1940-1961, 1973. Much of the correspondence concerns their mutual interest in the birds of Panama.
- Box 25 of 253 Folder 2 Gro-Gru, general. Correspondents include Owen J. Gromme, 1932, 1937, 1940-1942, 1961; Alfred Otto Gross, 1923, 1927, 1949, 1952-1953, 1959, 1966.
- Box 25 of 253 Folder 3 Grosvenor, Gilbert Hovey, 1924, 1934, 1950, 1953, 1966, and undated
- Box 25 of 253 Folder 4 Gu-Gy, general. Correspondents include Gordon Wright Gullion, 1945-1947, 1950, 1953, 1956; Nils Gyldenstolpe, 1926, 1930, 1934, 1938-1939, 1941, 1946, 1950-1951, 1955.
- Box 25 of 253 Folder 5 Guilday, John E., 1958, 1960-1962, 1964-1965, 1967-1968, 1971
- Box 25 of 253 Folder 6 Hac-Hal, general. Correspondents include Karl W. Haller, 1938-1941, 1953, concerning his discovery of a new species of Dendroica, 1939.

- Box 25 of 253 Folder 7 Hachisuka, Marquis, 1931-1937, 1946, 1948, 1953
- Box 25 of 253 Folder 8 Haffer, Jurgen H., 1960-1962, 1964, 1968-1971, 1974, 1976. The correspondence mostly concerns the birds of Colombia.
- Box 25 of 253 Folder 9 Hall, Eugene Raymond, 1923-1927, 1931-1932, 1939-1966, 1969-1971. Hall, Director of the Museum of Natural History, University of Kansas, maintained a voluminous correspondence with Wetmore. Several letters contain recollections of Wetmore's college days at Lawrence.
- Box 25 of 253 Folder 10 Hall, Patricia, 1955-1958, 1961-1966, 1969-1970
- Box 25 of 253 Folder 11 Hall, Robert A. E., 1955, 1958-1959, 1961, 1966
- Box 26
- Box 26 of 253 Folder 1 Ham-Han, general
- Box 26 of 253 Folder 2 Handley, Charles O., Jr., 1947-1949, 1952, 1960-1961, 1965-1966, and undated
- Box 26 of 253 Folder 3 Hanna, G. Dallas, 1911-1920, 1925-1926, 1930, 1933, 1966-1967, 1970, and undated. The correspondence of 1911-1917 concerns Hanna's field work in Alaska.
- Box 26 of 253 Folder 4 Hanson, Arthur B., 1957, 1968
- Box 26 of 253 Folder 5 Hard-Harm, general
- Box 26 of 253 Folder 6 Harding, R. Reid, 1934-1936, 1939-1943, 1946-1950
- Box 26 of 253 Folder 7 Hardy, John William, 1957, 1962-1966, 1968, 1971
- Box 26 of 253 Folders 8-9 Hargrave, Lyndon L., 1932-1939, 1943, 1955-1975, and undated. Correspondence concerning his research on avian paleontology.
- Box 26 of 253 Folder 10 Harllee, H. L., 1936-1938
- Box 27
- Box 27 of 253 Folder 1 Harp-Harper, general
- Box 27 of 253 Folder 2 Harper, Francis, 1916-1917, 1922, 1924-1925, 1928, 1932-1933, 1935, 1939, 1941-1960, 1964-1965, 1969-1971. Included is correspondence



concerning Harper's field work in Florida, 1917, and correspondence and a report concerning the Nueltin Lake (Canada) Expedition, 1947.

Box 27 of 253                      Folders 3-6 \_\_\_\_\_ . Report on Extinct and Vanishing Mammals, 1937-1947, and undated. In 1936, the American Committee for International Wild Life Protection commissioned Harper to undertake an investigation of extinct and endangered mammals. Wetmore, along with Harold J. Coolidge and Charles M. D. Cadwalder, served on a committee to supervise the project. The correspondence documents the preparation of Harper's monograph. A companion volume on new world mammals was published by Glover M. Allen. Correspondents include Harper, Coolidge, and Cadwalder.

Box 28

Box 28 of 253                      Folder 1 Harr-Haz, general. Correspondents include James M. Harrison, 1939, 1942, 1953-1954, 1967, 1971.

Box 28 of 253                      Folder 2 Harris, Harry, 1919, 1923-1926, 1928, 1932, 1934, 1936, and undated. Includes correspondence concerning Harris' research on John Xantus and Robert Ridgway.

Box 28 of 253                      Folder 3 Hartert, Ernst Johann Otto, 1921, 1924-1928, 1931-1933, and undated

Box 28 of 253                      Folder 4 Hartman, Frank Alexander, 1945, 1949-1965, 1972

Box 28 of 253                      Folder 5 Hay, Oliver Perry, 1924-1929, and undated

Box 28 of 253                      Folder 6 Hea-Hem, general. Correspondents include Edmund Heller, undated.

Box 28 of 253                      Folder 7 Hellmayr, C. E., 1922, 1924, 1926-1932

Box 28 of 253                      Folder 8 Hen-Hey, general. Correspondents include Henry Wetherbee Henshaw concerning Wetmore's field work in Alaska and Porto Rico, 1911; Samuel Henshaw, 1918, 1923-1926; F. Seymour Hersey, 1912-1926; Philip Hershkovitz, 1943-1945, 1948, 1950, 1952-1953, 1967, 1969, including letters written from Europe during his service with the Office of Strategic Services during World War II.

Box 28 of 253                      Folder 9 Henderson, Edward P., 1931-1932, 1935-1937, 1941-1945, and undated. Mostly concerns Henderson's activities as Associate Curator, Department of Geology, USNM. Included is correspondence documenting his field work in Utah, Colorado, and Montana, 1932; Arkansas, 1935; and Alaska, 1936. Also included are letters relating to his participation at the XVII International Geological Congress, Moscow, 1937.

- Box 28 of 253 Folder 10 Henderson, Walter Cleveland, 1924-1926, 1928, 1936-1937, 1943, and undated. Includes photographs of Henderson in Alaska, undated.
- Box 28 of 253 Folder 11 Hettmen, Fred, 1920-1921, 1923, 1956. Includes two photographs of Wetmore in Paraguay, 1920 (see letter of 29 November 1956 which also includes recollections of Wetmore's Paraguay field work).
- Box 28 of 253 Folder 12 Hi, general
- Box 28 of 253 Folder 13 Hibbard, Claude W., 1935, 1938, 1940, 1944-1946, 1949-1950, 1952-1953, 1956
- Box 28 of 253 Folder 14 Hicks, Lawrence E., 1935, 1937-1939, 1941-1944, 1946-1947. Much of the correspondence concerns business of the AOU.
- Box 28 of 253 Folder 15 Hinds, Rudolpho C., 1960-1965, 1968, 1971-1973

Box 29

- Box 29 of 253 Folder 1 Hoa-Hol, general. Correspondents include Ray P. Holland, 1931, 1934-1935; Ned Hollister, 1917, 1919, 1921-1923 (information on Hollister is also found in the correspondence of Mabel Hollister and W. D. Hollister); Walter W. Holmes, 1932-1933; William Henry Holmes, 1926, 1929, 1931-1932.
- Box 29 of 253 Folder 2 Hochbaum, Albert, 1942-1945
- Box 29 of 253 Folder 3 Holgersen, Holger, 1948, 1954, 1956-1959, 1961-1962, 1965-1966, 1972-1974
- Box 29 of 253 Folders 4-5 Holt, Ernest Golsan, 1913-1945, 1948, 1950-1959, 1961, 1972-1973, and undated. Holt, a Field Naturalist with the Bureau of Biological Survey from 1912 to 1917, was a close personal friend of Wetmore. Included are many letters documenting Holt's field work for the Biological Survey, the Standard Oil Company, and the National Geographic Society in Arizona, Texas, South Dakota, Brazil, Argentina, and Venezuela.
- Box 29 of 253 Folder 6 Hoo-Hov, general. Correspondents include Joseph Douglas Hood, 1915, 1919-1922, 1924-1928 and Charles B. Hornsburgh, 1930-1931, 1933, 1937.
- Box 29 of 253 Folder 7 Horvath, Lajos, 1955-1956, 1960, 1962-1963, 1974
- Box 29 of 253 Folder 8 Householder, Vic H., 1925, 1931, 1933, 1936-1938, 1941-1943, 1946, 1949-1952, 1956-1963. Includes photographs of Householder (see letter of 22 June 1952) and Charles D. Bunker (see letter of 5 September 1931).

Box 29 of 253 Folder 9 Houston, Clarence Stuart, 1958-1959

Box 30

Box 30 of 253 Folder 1 How-Hr, general. Correspondents include Leland Ossian Howard, 1917-1918, 1926, 1929-1930.

Box 30 of 253 Folders 2-3 Howard, Hildegard, 1927-1974. Consists primarily of correspondence concerning their research on avian paleontology.

Box 30 of 253 Folder 4 Howell, Alfred Brazier, 1924-1932, 1936, 1939, 1944-1946, 1952, 1960, 1967, and undated. The letter of 14 September 1930 concerns the American Society of Mammalogists' disapproval of the predatory mammal policies of the Bureau of Biological Survey; the letter of 28 September 1967 (Wetmore to Luther Little) includes Wetmore's recollections of Howell.

Box 30 of 253 Folder 5 Howell, Thomas Raymond, 1955-1961, 1964, 1966, 1968, 1971-1975. Correspondence concerning his research on avian paleontology.

Box 30 of 253 Folder 6 Hu-Hy, general. Correspondents include Archie V. Hull, 1930, 1932, 1934, 1948, 1953; Cyril Hurcomb, 1945-1950, 1958, 1969; Julian S. Huxley, 1925, 1927, 1935-1936.

Box 30 of 253 Folder 7 Hubbs, Carl Leavitt, 1932-1937, 1942-1944, 1953, 1957, 1961. The correspondence of 1932-1937 concerns George S. Myers, Leonard P. Schultz, and the Division of Fishes, USNM.

Box 30 of 253 Folder 8 Huey, Laurence M., 1933, 1935, 1942-1943, 1947-1948, 1950, 1958-1961

Box 30 of 253 Folder 9 Huff, Clay G., 1952-1955, 1967

Box 30 of 253 Folder 10 Hume, Edgar Erskine, 1941-1943, 1948. Mostly concerns his research on the ornithologists of the Army Medical Corps.

Box 30 of 253 Folder 11 Humphrey, Philip S., 1955, 1958-1962, 1964, 1968-1971

Box 31

Box 31 of 253 Folder 1 I, general. Correspondents include Lloyd G. Ingles, 1951-1953; Collingwood Ingram, 1950, 1954, 1956, 1970-1971; Laurence Irving, 1948-1953, 1961-1962.

Box 31 of 253 Folder 2 Ibarra, Jorge A., 1955-1956, 1959-1971, 1977

- Box 31 of 253 Folder 3 Ja, general. Correspondents include Hartley H. T. Jackson, 1925-1927, 1942-1944, 1946.
- Box 31 of 253 Folder 4 Je, general. Correspondents include Randolph Jenks, 1935, regarding a proposed expedition to Arizona.
- Box 31 of 253 Folder 5 Jewett, Stanley Gordon, 1925, 1927-1929, 1932, 1935, 1937, 1939, 1942-1943, 1953
- Box 31 of 253 Folder 6 Joh-Jon, general. Correspondents include Eldridge R. Fenimore Johnson, 1933, 1945-1946, 1954, 1960 and Malcolm Thomas Jollie, 1942, 1946-1949, 1953-1954, 1956, 1958.
- Box 31 of 253 Folder 7 Johnson, Alfred W., 1939-1940, 1945, 1952, 1955-1959, 1962-1974, and undated. Mostly concerns Johnson's research on the birds of Chile.
- Box 31 of 253 Folder 8 Johnson, Carl Milton, 1954-1965, 1969, 1973. Johnson was Director of the Gorgas Memorial Laboratory, Panama. The correspondence documents activities of the Laboratory and Wetmore's field work. Included are photographs of the Wetmore canopy bridge, Altos de Maje, Panama.
- Box 31 of 253 Folder 9 Johnson, David W., 1947, 1957-1959, 1961, 1964-1975
- Box 31 of 253 Folder 10 Jor-Ju, general. Correspondents include G. C. A. Junge, 1939, 1945, 1947, 1950, 1959.
- Box 31 of 253 Folder 11 Jordan, David Starr, 1925-1926
- Box 31 of 253 Folder 12 Jorgensen, Harriet I., 1938, 1940-1941, 1946-1951, 1955-1970, 1974. Includes letters concerning her work on a dictionary of European birds. Also included is a photograph of Jorgensen.
- Box 31 of 253 Folder 13 Jourdain, F. C. R., 1931-1939. Mostly concerns the VIII International Ornithological Congress, Oxford, 1934.

#### Box 32

- Box 32 of 253 Folder 1 Judd, Neil M., 1925-1939, 1942-1944, 1946, 1958. The correspondence concerns Judd's duties as Curator, Department of Anthropology, USNM. Included are letters documenting his activities as Smithsonian representative at the Seventh American Science Congress, Mexico City, 1935.
- Box 32 of 253 Folder 2 Ka, general
- Box 32 of 253 Folder 3 Kahl, M. Philip, 1959, 1967, 1969-1971, 1974-1975, and undated

- Box 32 of 253 Folder 4 Kalmbach, Edwin R., 1916-1921, 1928-1930, 1932, 1935-1941, 1944, 1947-1948, 1952-1953, 1962-1964, 1967-1969, 1971-1972, and undated. Kalmbach was a colleague of Wetmore in the Bureau of Biological Survey and later advanced to Director of the Denver Wildlife Research Laboratory, United States Fish and Wildlife Service. Letters written between 1916 and 1930 contain interesting discussions of Survey work and personnel, as well as Kalmbach's field work in Louisiana, California, and Oregon.
- Box 32 of 253 Folder 5 Ke-Kel, general. Correspondents include Peter Paul Kellogg, 1946, 1957-1958; Lewis B. Kellum, 1947, 1956-1958; Harlan P. Kelsey, 1940, 1946-1950.
- Box 32 of 253 Folder 6 Keenan, Charles Marvin, 1953, 1955, 1960-1963, 1967-1968, 1971, and undated
- Box 32 of 253 Folder 7 Keith, G. Stuart, 1956, 1958, 1962, 1969-1970
- Box 32 of 253 Folders 8-9 Kellogg, A. Remington, 1914-1917, 1926, 1928-1930, 1932-1933, 1937, 1939, 1941-1947, 1955, 1959, 1969-1973, 1975, and undated. A long-time colleague and friend of Wetmore, Kellogg was employed by both the Bureau of Biological Survey and the USNM, serving the latter as Curator, Division of Mammals, 1928-1948, and Director, 1948-1962. The correspondence concerns his work at the Biological Survey and USNM; his research on marine mammals; and his election to the National Academy of Sciences. Also included is a photograph of Kellogg conducting field work in Arizona, 1942, and correspondence, photographs, and printed materials relating to the dedication of the Kellogg Library of Marine Mammalogy, 1972.
- Box 32 of 253 Folder 10 Kelso, Leon J., 1935, 1962, 1964-1966, 1968-1969, 1972-1976
- Box 33
- Box 33 of 253 Folder 1 Kempton, James H., 1926, 1936, 1940, 1942-1945, 1947-1954, 1958-1959, 1961. Several letters contain information on Henri Pittier and William H. Phelps, Jr. and their ornithological activities in Venezuela. Also included are photographs of and taken by Kempton.
- Box 33 of 253 Folder 2 Kemsies, Emerson, 1953-1954, 1961-1964, 1968-1970
- Box 33 of 253 Folder 3 Ken-Key, general. Correspondents include Wyatt A. Kent, 1943-1951; Karl Walton Kenyon, 1938, 1961, 1973; Edwin H. Kerrison, Jr., 1941-1942, 1952, 1959-1960, 1965; Brina Kessel, 1949, 1952-1953, 1959, 1968-1969, 1973, 1975, including a photograph of Kessel.
- Box 33 of 253 Folder 4 Kennard, Frederic Hedge, 1925-1937, and undated

- Box 33 of 253 Folder 5 Kepler, Cameron B. and Kay, 1968-1971. Primarily concerns their research on the birds of Puerto Rico. Includes three pen and ink drawings of the Elfin Woods Warbler (*Dendroica angelae*), a new bird described by the Keplers and Kenneth C. Parkes in 1971.
- Box 33 of 253 Folder 6 Keve, Andrew, 1939, 1941-1942, 1945-1950, 1952, 1956-1962, 1965-1967, 1970, 1972. Mostly concerns his work on the birds of Hungary.
- Box 33 of 253 Folder 7 Ki, general
- Box 33 of 253 Folder 8 Kidder, Alfred Vincent, 1927-1935, 1938-1939, 1942-1949, and undated
- Box 33 of 253 Folder 9 Killip, Ellsworth Paine, 1929, 1931-1932, 1935-1936, 1939, 1942, 1944, 1946-1948, 1950-1952. Correspondence concerning Killip's work as Curator, Division of Plants, USNM. Includes letters documenting his field work in Peru, 1929; Colombia, 1939; Chile, 1948; and Florida, 1950. The correspondence of 1935 concerns a study trip to Europe.
- Box 33 of 253 Folder 10 King, Samuel Wilder, 1923-1924, 1926-1927, 1943. Includes letters concerning the Tanager Expedition, 1923.
- Box 33 of 253 Folder 11 Kinnear, Norman B., 1930, 1934-1935, 1938-1939, 1941-1947, 1949, 1952. The correspondence of 1941 contains information on the effect of World War II on the British Museum (Natural History) and British ornithologists.
- Box 34
- Box 34 of 253 Folder 1 Kl-Kn, general. Correspondents include Cecil Boden Kloss, 1926-1931; Charles Robert Knight, 1933-1934, 1938, 1945, 1949, concerning his proposal to paint murals in the exhibition halls of the USNM, 1934.
- Box 34 of 253 Folder 2 Ko, general. Correspondents include C. Haven Kolb, 1942-1947; W. H. W. Komp, 1944-1947; S. Koperberg, 1939-1940, 1948, 1952-1953.
- Box 34 of 253 Folder 3 Koepcke, Maria, 1959-1960, 1962, 1964, 1966, 1969-1970
- Box 34 of 253 Folder 4 Koford, Carl B., 1950, 1952, 1956-1959. Consists mostly of letters concerning the Canal Zone Biological Area where Koford served as Resident Naturalist from 1956 to 1957.
- Box 34 of 253 Folder 5 Kr-Ky, general

- Box 34 of 253 Folder 6 Krieger, Herbert W., 1927, 1929-1935, 1940-1945, 1947, 1950. Correspondence concerning Krieger's work as Curator of Ethnology, USNM. Included are letters concerning his field work in the Dominican Republic, 1929-1930; Haiti, 1931; and Cuba, 1932.
- Box 34 of 253 Folder 7 Kumerlove, Hans R., 1938, 1940, 1946-1951, 1953, 1962-1963, 1976
- Box 34 of 253 Folder 8 Kuroda, Nagamichi, 1920-1922, 1925-1932, 1939, 1949-1950, 1953, 1955, 1959, 1970, 1973, and undated
- Box 34 of 253 Folder 9 Laa-Lan, general. Correspondents include Wesley Edwin Lanyon, 1955, 1958, 1965, 1973-1974.
- Box 34 of 253 Folder 10 LaBastille, Anne, 1960, 1963, 1966-1974, and undated
- Box 34 of 253 Folder 11 Lack, David, 1941, 1943, 1950, 1954-1957, 1962, 1966-1967
- Box 34 of 253 Folder 12 Lambrecht, Koloman, 1921-1936, and undated. Correspondence concerning research on fossil birds.
- Box 34 of 253 Folder 13 Lantz, David Ernest, 1904, and undated. Includes a handwritten manuscript of Lantz's An Historical List of Kansas Birds.
- Box 35
- Box 35 of 253 Folder 1 Lar-Laz, general
- Box 35 of 253 Folder 2 Laubmann, Alfred, 1923-1924, 1930-1935, 1938-1940, 1947-1952, 1955-1965. Correspondence concerning the study of South American birds.
- Box 35 of 253 Folder 3 Law, John Eugene, 1917-1932, and undated. Law was a California businessman and an ornithologist by avocation. The correspondence documents his interest in the birds of the western United States; his work for the Cooper Ornithological Club; and his personal friendship with Wetmore.
- Box 35 of 253 Folder 4 \_\_\_\_\_. Will, 1924-1925, 1931. Concerns Law's designation of Wetmore as beneficiary (contingent) to his estate.
- Box 35 of 253 Folder 5 Law, Laura Beatty, 1932, 1934-1935, 1937. Mostly concerns John Eugene Law's estate and the disposition of his bird collections. See also under Laura Law Bailey, box 3, Folder 2.
- Box 35 of 253 Folder 6 Laycock, George, 1969-1970

- Box 35 of 253 Folder 7 Lea-Leg, general. Correspondents include E. Lee LeCompte, 1926-1932, 1941, 1945; John M. Legler, 1958-1959, 1971-1974.
- Box 35 of 253 Folder 8 Leakey, Louis S. B., 1960-1963, 1967-1968, 1972-1973, and undated. Includes correspondence concerning Wetmore's identification of bird fossils from Olduvai Gorge and other African localities.
- Box 35 of 253 Folder 9 Lehmann V., F. Carlos, 1940-1946, 1954-1960, 1964, 1966, 1968. Mostly concerns his research on the birds of Colombia.
- Box 36
- Box 36 of 253 Folder 1 Lel-Lew, general. Correspondents include Brother Hermano Leon, 1934, 1939, 1942-1943, 1945, 1947, 1949, 1951; Michael Lerner, 1938, 1940, 1943-1944, 1952, including photographs of Lerner; Wendell M. Levi, 1937-1938, 1965.
- Box 36 of 253 Folder 2 Lewton, Frederick L., 1929-1938, 1942, 1944. Correspondence concerning Lewton's duties as Curator, Division of Textiles, USNM.
- Box 36 of 253 Folder 3 Li, general. Correspondents include Jean M. Linsdale, 1924-1928, 1933, 1936-1939; C. B. Linton, 1907-1908.
- Box 36 of 253 Folder 4 Ligon, J. Stokely, 1917-1931, 1942, 1946-1947, 1951-1961. Correspondence mostly concerning Ligon's work on the birds of New Mexico.
- Box 36 of 253 Folder 5 Lincoln, Frederick C., 1912-1934, 1938-1955, and undated. Lincoln, a long-time colleague of Wetmore, served in various capacities in the Bureau of Biological Survey and U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service from 1920 to 1960. The correspondence concerns Lincoln's work as Curator of Ornithology at the Colorado Museum of Natural History, 1913-1920; his career in the Federal Service; and his research on bird migration.
- Box 36 of 253 Folder 6 Lincoln, Lulu (Mrs. Frederick C.), 1963-1964, 1974
- Box 36 of 253 Folder 7 Ll, general
- Box 36 of 253 Folder 8 Lloyd, Hoyes, 1923, 1927-1937, 1943-1954, 1957- 1959, 1963. Lloyd, a Canadian ornithologist, served as President of the AOU from 1945 to 1948. The correspondence concerns the AOU; his work with the International Committee for Bird Preservation; and his official duties with the Canadian Department of Interior. Included is a photograph of Lloyd, 1923, and a photograph of Wetmore's boyhood home in North Freedom, Wisconsin taken by Mrs. Hoyes Lloyd, 1950.
- Box 36 of 253 Folder 9 Lob-Lom, general



Box 36 of 253 Folder 10 Lodge, John Ellerton, 1926, 1929, 1931-1936, 1939, 1942-1943. Lodge was Director of the Freer Gallery of Art, 1920-1942. Most of the correspondence deals with routine administrative matters. Of special interest is a copy of a letter from Carl W. Bishop to Lodge (27 December 1926) concerning his work in China.

#### Box 37

Box 37 of 253 Folder 1 Loetscher, Frederick W., Jr., 1946-1950, 1953, 1955-1956, 1969-1970, 1972

Box 37 of 253 Folder 2 Loftin, Horace G., 1961, 1963, 1965-1971, 1973. Mostly concerns Loftin's work on the birds of Panama.

Box 37 of 253 Folder 3 Lon-Loz, general. Correspondents include Bernt Loppenthin, 1933, 1935, 1941, 1948-1949, 1953-1954, 1959, 1968.

Box 37 of 253 Folder 4 Lonnberg, Einar, 1921-1922, 1925-1926, 1928-1931, 1933, 1935-1941

Box 37 of 253 Folder 5 Lovejoy, Thomas E., III, 1960-1961, 1967, 1970-1972, 1974-1975

Box 37 of 253 Folder 6 Low, Percy Roycroft, 1927-1929, 1932, 1934, 1939-1941, 1944, 1946-1947. Several letters during the 1940s contain descriptions of World War II England and the effect of the war on British museums and ornithologists.

Box 37 of 253 Folders 7-9 Lowery, George Hines, Jr., 1937, 1940-1976, and undated. Lowery, Professor of Zoology at Louisiana State University, Director of the University Museum, and President of the AOU, 1959-1963, maintained a constant correspondence with Wetmore for nearly forty years. The letters document his ornithological research and AOU business.

#### Box 38

Box 38 of 253 Folder 1 Lu, general. Correspondents include Richard S. Lull, 1923, 1925, 1928-1929, 1936, 1938; Bertha Lutz, 1932, 1940-1941, 1944-1945, 1947.

Box 38 of 253 Folder 2 Ly, general. Correspondents include Marcus Ward Lyon, Jr., 1918, 1920, 1923-1924, 1926, 1931, 1936, 1938, 1940-1941; Averil Lysaght, 1954-1955, 1957, 1959, 1965-1966.

Box 38 of 253 Folder 3 Maa-Mac, general. Correspondents include Frank Mace MacFarland, 1935-1938, 1945, including letters of 1935 concerning the suitability of Waldo L. Schmitt for the position of Director of the Museum and Steinhart Aquarium of the California Academy of Sciences.

- Box 38 of 253 Folder 4 Mabbott, Douglas C., 1913, 1918-1919, 1921, and undated. Mabbott was a boyhood friend of Wetmore and later worked for the Bureau of Biological Survey. He was killed in action in France in 1919. Included are copies of letters detailing his service in the U. S. Marine Corps during World War I and his death.
- Box 38 of 253 Folder 5 MacDonald, J. D., 1943-1944, 1947, 1951, 1954-1959, 1962, and undated
- Box 38 of 253 Folder 6 Mad-Maq, general. Correspondents include Henry M. Madden, 1941, 1943, 1947-1948, 1952, concerning his research on John Xantus; Harry Malleis, 1924-1925, concerning his field work in Guatemala; and Stuart Maples, 1907-1908, concerning the exchange of bird skins with Wetmore.
- Box 38 of 253 Folder 7 Manning, Catherine L., 1937-1938, 1941, 1943, 1946-1947. Correspondence concerning her duties as Philatelist, Division of History, USNM.
- Box 38 of 253 Folder 8 Mar, general. Correspondents include Hermano Niceforo Maria, 1943-1945, 1947-1949, 1952; and Joseph Truesdell Marshall, Jr., 1942, 1949, 1952-1953, 1957, 1962, 1965, 1967.
- Box 38 of 253 Folder 9 Marelli, Carlos A., 1933-1935, 1941, 1943
- Box 38 of 253 Folder 10 Markus, Miles B., 1961, 1963, 1966-1967
- Box 38 of 253 Folder 11 Marshall, Henry Ridgway, 1929-1935. Mostly concerns the birds of North Carolina.
- Box 38 of 253 Folder 12 Martin, Handel T., 1918-1921, 1925-1926, 1928-1929, 1931
- Box 39
- Box 39 of 253 Folder 1 Mas-May, general. Correspondents include William D. Matthew, 1919-1924; and Noel Mayaud, 1938-1941, 1944-1946, 1948-1949, 1951, 1963-1964.
- Box 39 of 253 Folder 2 Mathews, Gregory Macalister, 1925-1939, 1943, 1948-1949, and undated. Many of the letters concern the birds of Polynesia.
- Box 39 of 253 Folder 3 Mayfield, Harold Ford, 1950, 1953-1957, 1960, 1963-1966, 1973. Correspondence mostly concerning AOU business.
- Box 39 of 253 Folders 4-5 Mayr, Ernst, 1930-1934, 1937-1941, 1944-1968, and undated. Mayr, an ornithologist and evolutionary biologist, was Curator of Birds at the American Museum of Natural History, 1932-1953, before moving to Harvard University where he served as Alexander Agassiz Professor of

Zoology and Director of the Museum of Comparative Zoology. He maintained a voluminous correspondence with Wetmore concerning ornithological research, professional issues (including AOU business), and nomenclatural questions.

- Box 39 of 253 Folder 6 McA-McF, general. Correspondents include L. McCormick-Goodhart, 1929, 1935, 1940, 1945-1950, 1957; and Irene A. McCulloch, 1934, concerning Waldo L. Schmitt and the Hancock Pacific Expedition.
- Box 39 of 253 Folders 7-8 McAtee, Waldo Lee, 1914-1946. McAtee served in various capacities with the Bureau of Biological Survey from 1903 to 1940. The correspondence concerns the work of the Biological Survey and its personnel, professional matters, and the Washington Biologists' Field Club.
- Box 39 of 253 Folder 9 McClung, Clarence Erwin, 1908, 1920, 1925, 1939-1941, 1943, and undated
- Box 40
- Box 40 of 253 Folder 1 McG-McW, general
- Box 40 of 253 Folder 2 McGregor, Richard Crittenden, 1916-1935, and undated. Mostly concerns the birds of the Philippines.
- Box 40 of 253 Folder 3 Mea-Mend, general. Correspondents include Lillian H. Mearns, 1934, 1940-1947 (daughter of Edgar Alexander Mearns); Armando Mencia, 1954, 1968-1973, and undated; Howard L. Mendell, 1936, 1939, 1944, 1958.
- Box 40 of 253 Folder 4 Mearns, Edgar Alexander, 1881, 1909, and undated. Includes a copy of a letter from Charles W. Richmond to Mearns, 5 December 1909, and a letter from Mearns to Ruthven Deane, 13 April 1881.
- Box 40 of 253 Folder 5 Meinertzhagen, Richard, 1938-1946, 1950, 1952, 1957, and undated. Includes a fascinating exchange of correspondence during the World War II era detailing the effect of the war on British ornithologists, museums, and society. Also includes a manuscript copy of Meinertzhagen's *Conquisitio Mea*. A Record of My Ornithological Activities and Collections.
- Box 40 of 253 Folder 6 Meise, Wilhelm, 1930, 1958, 1962, 1966, 1968-1970, 1976
- Box 40 of 253 Folders 7-8 Memoranda, 1941, 1953-1976. Mostly routine communications with Smithsonian and USNM officials and staff.
- Box 40 of 253 Folder 9 Mendez P., Alejandro, 1948-1966, 1969. Several letters concern Wetmore's field work in Panama.

Box 40 of 253 Folder 10 Mendez, Eustorgio, 1959-1975. Much of the correspondence concerns Wetmore's research on the birds of Panama.

Box 41

Box 41 of 253 Folder 1 Mengel, Robert M. and Marion J., 1948, 1952-1953, 1957, 1959, 1961-1969, 1972-1975. Includes correspondence concerning Robert Mengel's research on the birds of Kentucky and his work as Editor of *The Auk*.

Box 41 of 253 Folder 2 Menn-Mey, general. Correspondents include Clinton Hart Merriam, 1910, 1924, 1928, 1930, 1932-1933; Elmer Drew Merrill, 1937, 1943-1946, 1952; Oliver Meylan, 1926, 1933-1935, 1937, 1942, 1944.

Box 41 of 253 Folder 3 Merrill, George P., 1925-1929, 1935. Concerns his work as Head Curator, Department of Geology, USNM. Included are letters concerning his participation as Smithsonian representative at the International Geological Congress, Madrid, 1930.

Box 41 of 253 Folder 4 Mic-Miller, general. Correspondents include Gerrit Smith Miller, Jr., 1917, 1931, 1937, 1939-1940.

Box 41 of 253 Folders 5-6 Miller, Alden Holmes, 1930-1936, 1940-1965. Much of the correspondence documents the work of Wetmore and Miller as members of the AOU Committee on Classification and Nomenclature of North American Birds.

Box 42

Box 42 of 253 Folders 1-3 Miller, Loye Holmes, 1914, 1921-1945, 1948-1959, 1962-1970, and undated. Correspondence regarding Miller's research on avian paleontology, especially his work on the fossil birds of California. Included are typescript copies of Miller's diaries documenting a 1904 cruise of the *Albatross*, and field trips to Hawaii, 1900 and the Gulf of California, 1939. Also included is a photograph of Miller, 1969, and comments on his son, Alden Holmes Miller (see correspondence of 1966).

Box 42 of 253 Folder 4 Miller, Waldron Dewitt, 1915-1917, 1920, 1922, 1924-1929. Includes correspondence concerning the work of Wetmore and Miller on the 4th edition of the AOU Check-list of North American Birds, 1925-1928.

Box 42 of 253 Folder 5 Milli-Mit, general

Box 42 of 253 Folder 6 Mindte, Richard W., 1956-1961

Box 42 of 253 Folder 7 Mitman, Carl W., 1927-1947, 1952. Mitman held several curatorial positions in the USNM from 1918 until 1952, culminating with his

appointment as Assistant to the Secretary for the National Air Museum. The correspondence documents his duties at the USNM, including his work at the Century of Progress Exposition in Chicago, 1933, and the California Pacific International Exposition in San Diego, 1935.

#### Box 43

- Box 43 of 253 Folder 1 Moc-Moo, general. Correspondents include Henry Allen Moe, 1952, 1964-1965, 1967; Edgardo Moltoni, 1929-1930, 1937, 1946-1947; John Percy Moore, 1926, 1937, 1939, 1949.
- Box 43 of 253 Folder 2 Moffitt, James, 1934-1936, 1939-1942
- Box 43 of 253 Folder 3 Monroe, Burt L., Jr., 1938, 1940, 1949, 1954, 1958-1959, 1961, 1963, 1967-1968, 1971, 1973. Mostly concerns Monroe's research on the birds of Honduras. Also includes correspondence of Burt L. Monroe, Sr.
- Box 43 of 253 Folders 4-5 Moore, Robert Thomas, 1929-1947, 1950, 1953, and undated. Includes correspondence concerning the Donald R. Dickey collection and the proposed vertebrate zoology project at the California Institute of Technology.
- Box 43 of 253 Folder 6 Mor, general. Correspondents include R. E. Moreau, 1950-1952, 1963-1967; James Bruce Morehead, 1936-1939, and undated; Brent M. Morgan, 1924-1928, 1934; Theodor Mortensen, 1926-1928, 1933, 1941, 1945, 1948; Conrad Vernon Morton, 1933, 1945-1947.
- Box 43 of 253 Folders 7-8 Moreno Bonilla, Abelardo, 1948-1959, 1962-1963, 1968-1971, and undated. Mostly concerns his research on the birds of Cuba.

#### Box 44

- Box 44 of 253 Folder 1 Mos-Moz, general. Correspondents include R. Allyn Moser, 1946-1951, mostly concerning AOU business; Alan Mozley, 1931-1936, concerning his work on the mollusks of Siberia as recipient of the Walter Rathbone Bacon Traveling Scholarship.
- Box 44 of 253 Folder 2 Mountford, Charles Percy, 1948, 1953-1960, 1964-1965, 1968-1973, 1976. Much of the correspondence concerns the Arnhem Land Expedition, 1948, and the publication of the scientific results.
- Box 44 of 253 Folder 3 Mud-Murp, general. Correspondents include Carlos Munoz, 1940-1943, 1946, 1950, 1965, 1975-1976; J. A. Munro, 1927, 1937, 1940, 1944, 1948, 1951-1952; Olaus Johan Murie, 1927, 1937, 1945-1946, 1949, 1952.
- Box 44 of 253 Folder 4 Mumford, Edward Philpott, 1934, 1936. Includes a typescript copy of his report "Fauna of the Marquesas Islands - Birds."

Box 44 of 253 Folders 5-7 Murphy, Robert Cushman, 1918, 1921-1956, 1961-1962, 1968. Murphy, noted American Museum of Natural History ornithologist and explorer, exchanged letters with Wetmore for over fifty years. The correspondence documents activities of their respective museums; research interests; field work; and professional issues (especially the National Association of Audubon Societies).

#### Box 45

Box 45 of 253 Folder 1 Murr-My, general. Correspondents include T. E. Musselman, 1942, 1951-1952, 1955-1956, 1965-1969; Charles W. Myers, 1966-1967, 1970, 1973; George Sprague Myers, 1932-1933, 1945, 1968, 1971.

Box 45 of 253 Folders 2-4 Murray, Joseph James, 1928, 1935-1971. Murray, a clergyman and amateur ornithologist, was for many years involved with the Virginia Society of Ornithology and served as Editor of its journal *The Raven*. The correspondence documents activities of the VSO; Murray's research on the birds of Virginia; and Wetmore's field work in Shenandoah National Park.

Box 45 of 253 Folder 5 Na-Ne, general. Correspondents include Arnold Lars Nelson, 1931, 1940, 1944-1946, 1963; Oscar Rudolph Neumann, 1930, 1932-1933, 1941-1943.

Box 45 of 253 Folder 6 Nelson, Edward William, 1920, 1923-1934, and undated. A famed naturalist and explorer, Nelson was Chief of the Bureau of Biological Survey from 1916 to 1926. Included is correspondence concerning Wetmore's appointment as Superintendent of the National Zoological Park, November 1924.

#### Box 46

Box 46 of 253 Folder 1 Nic, general. Correspondents include John Treadwell Nichols, 1914, 1916, 1918-1922, 1927, 1929; Rachel H. Nichols, 1938, 1943, 1947, 1949, 1953, 1958; E. M. Nicholson, 1946-1947, 1955, 1957, 1959.

Box 46 of 253 Folder 2 Nice, Margaret Morse, 1928-1929, 1933, 1935, 1937-1938, 1945-1953, 1957, 1965

Box 46 of 253 Folders 3-5 Nicholson, Donald John, 1929, 1931-1932, 1937, 1941-1963. Correspondence concerning the birds of Florida.

Box 46 of 253 Folder 6 Nie-Nol, general. Correspondents include Harvey Harlow Nininger, 1934, 1936, 1939; G. Kingsley Noble, 1917-1918, 1927-1929, 1935, 1938, 1941; Hans Noll, 1939-1941, 1945-1947, 1949-1950, 1955.

Box 46 of 253 Folder 7 Nor-Ny, general. Correspondents include Jesse L. Nusbaum, 1932-1933, 1942, 1945, 1955, 1969.

## Box 47

- Box 47 of 253 Folder 1 Ob-OI, general. Correspondents include Harry Church Oberholser, 1947-1948, 1951; Georges Olivier, 1935-1936, 1940, 1946, 1949; Arthur J. Olmstead, 1928, 1934-1937, 1939-1940, including several photographs of the Smithsonian Castle and the Washington Monument.
- Box 47 of 253 Folder 2 Oehser, Paul Harry, 1931-1944, 1946, 1961, 1969, and undated. Correspondence concerning his duties as Editor, USNM.
- Box 47 of 253 Folder 3 Olivares, Antonio, 1949, 1952, 1958, 1960-1961, 1963, 1966-1967, 1969-1970. Correspondence concerning his work on the birds of Colombia.
- Box 47 of 253 Folder 4 Oliver, Lawrence L., 1931, 1934-1948. Correspondence and memoranda concerning his service as Property Officer, and later, Superintendent of Buildings and Labor, USNM.
- Box 47 of 253 Folder 5 Olsen, Stanley J., 1955, 1957, 1959-1961, 1964-1975. Correspondence concerning his research on avian paleontology.
- Box 47 of 253 Folder 6 Olson, Storrs L., 1966-1975, and undated. Correspondence concerning his research on fossil birds.
- Box 47 of 253 Folder 7 On-Ow, general. Correspondents include Oscar Theodore Owre, 1955, 1959, 1963, 1967, 1969, 1972-1974.
- Box 47 of 253 Folder 8 Oppenheim, Victor, 1941-1945, 1950. Includes correspondence concerning Wetmore's field work in Colombia, 1941.
- Box 47 of 253 Folder 9 Osborn, Henry Fairfield, 1923, 1926-1929, 1931, 1934, 1940-1951
- Box 47 of 253 Folder 10 Osgood, Wilfred Hudson, 1921-1925, 1928-1929, 1933-1934, 1937-1946, and undated. Includes correspondence documenting the administration and activities of the Field Museum of Natural History. The letters of December 1921 concern an offer to Wetmore to become Curator of Ornithology at the museum.

## Box 48

- Box 48 of 253 Folder 1 Pac-Pal, general. Correspondents include Fred M. Packard, 1942, 1945-1946, 1951-1952 and Harold S. Palmer, 1923-1927, 1935.
- Box 48 of 253 Folder 2 Palmer, Ralph S., 1940-1942, 1945, 1949-1972, 1975-1976. Includes correspondence concerning Palmer's work as Editor of the AOU Handbook of North American Birds.

- Box 48 of 253 Folder 3 Palmer, Theodore Sherman, 1901, 1911, 1926, 1929-1936, 1938, 1945, 1947, 1950, 1952-1959, and undated. The correspondence of 1955-1959 concerns the transfer of Palmer's papers to the Library of Congress.
- Box 48 of 253 Folder 4 Pan-Par, general. Correspondents include Albert Eide Parr, 1930, 1932, 1943.
- Box 48 of 253 Folder 5 Parish, Lee H., 1929-1930. Mostly concerns zoological collections made on the Parish-Smithsonian Expedition to Haiti, 1930.
- Box 48 of 253 Folders 6-7 Parish, Semmes W. and Katherine, 1930-1950, 1954, and undated. S. W. Parish financed and participated on the Parish-Smithsonian Expedition to Haiti, 1930, thus beginning a long-term friendship with Wetmore. Many of the letters contain information on USNM expeditions and field work during the 1930s.
- Box 48 of 253 Folder 8 Parkes, Kenneth Carroll, 1951-1969, 1972, 1974. Correspondence concerning Parkes' research on Central and South American birds; joint publications by Wetmore and Parkes; and various professional issues, especially dealing with the AOU and the Wilson Ornithological Society.
- Box 48 of 253 Folder 9 Parmalee, Paul Woodburn, 1954-1962, 1964-1969, 1972-1974. Correspondence concerning his research on avian paleontology.
- Box 48 of 253 Folder 10 Partridge, William H., 1954-1956, 1964
- Box 49
- Box 49 of 253 Folder 1 Pat-Pay, general
- Box 49 of 253 Folder 2 Patterson, Bryan, 1937-1938, 1941-1942, 1959-1960
- Box 49 of 253 Folder 3 Paynter, Raymond Andrew, Jr., 1946-1947, 1951-1952, 1955-1975, and undated
- Box 49 of 253 Folder 4 Pea-Pee, general. Correspondents include Arthur Sperry Pearse, 1929-1934, 1936, 1947, 1949; Oliver P. Pearson, 1946, 1955, 1965, 1971; Max Minor Peet, 1936, 1938, 1940-1942, 1944, 1946-1948.
- Box 49 of 253 Folder 5 Pearse, Theed, 1954, 1956, 1958-1959, 1961, 1969
- Box 49 of 253 Folder 6 Pel-Peters, J. A., general. Correspondents include Harold S. Peters, 1924, 1936, 1943, 1951-1953.



- Box 49 of 253 Folder 7 Pemberton, John Roy, 1922, 1924-1925, 1959. Mostly concerns Wetmore's work on the Pemberton Collection of Patagonian Birds in the Museum of Vertebrate Zoology. See also box 24, Folder 9.
- Box 49 of 253 Folder 8 Perrygo, Watson M., 1930, 1936-1939, 1969, and undated. A taxidermist at the USNM from 1927 to 1964, Perrygo often accompanied Wetmore on collecting trips. The correspondence documents Perrygo's field work in Haiti, 1930; West Virginia, 1936; Tennessee, 1937; and Kentucky, 1938.
- Box 49 of 253 Folders 9-11 Peters, James Lee, 1915-1934. Peters, an ornithologist at the Museum of Comparative Zoology, was a close associate and friend of Wetmore. The correspondence documents field work in Argentina by both men, 1921; Peters' service in Germany and France during World War I; and joint publications on the birds of Argentina. Of special interest is a letter from Peters to Wetmore (20 Jan 1921) which contains a discussion of the possibility of Wetmore joining the Roy Chapman Andrews China Expedition.

#### Box 50

- Box 50 of 253 Folders 1-4 Peters, James Lee, 1935-1953, 1957. Correspondence concerning ornithological research, especially his publication, Check-List of the Birds of the World, vols. I-VIII; and professional activities, including his work as President of the AOU, and as President of the International Commission on Zoological Nomenclature. Correspondence post-dating Peters' death in 1952 concerns the preparation of a biographical sketch by Wetmore for publication in *The Auk*.
- Box 50 of 253 Folder 5 Peters, W. G.-Pey, general. Correspondents include George A. Petrides, 1942-1947.
- Box 50 of 253 Folder 6 Peterson, Roger Tory, 1943-1952, 1955, 1957, 1960, 1963-1970, 1973-1975, and undated
- Box 50 of 253 Folder 7 Pettingill, Olin Sewall, Jr., 1943-1944, 1947-1953, 1956, 1962-1971. Much of the correspondence concerns Pettingill's duties as Secretary of the AOU.

#### Box 51

- Box 51 of 253 Folder 1 Pf, general
- Box 51 of 253 Folders 2-7 Phelps, William H., and William H., Jr., 1938-1976. Phelps, an American businessman residing in Venezuela, was a noted ornithologist who established the Phelps Ornithological Collection in Caracas. A mutual interest in the birds of the American tropics resulted in a close association between Phelps and his son, William, Jr., and Wetmore. The correspondence documents joint publications; research projects; and field expeditions,

including Wetmore's participation on the 1954 expedition to the Territory of Amazonas.

#### Box 52

- Box 52 of 253 Folder 1 Phi-Pin, general
- Box 52 of 253 Folder 2 Philippi B., Rudulfo A., 1937-1946, 1949, 1953, 1957, 1966-1969. Mostly concerns the birds of Chile.
- Box 52 of 253 Folder 3 Phillips, Allan Robert, 1938-1940, 1943-1947, 1950-1976. Mostly concerns his research on the birds of Arizona and Mexico.
- Box 52 of 253 Folders 4-5 Phillips, John Charles, 1917, 1920-1938, 1965, and undated. Much of the correspondence relates to Phillip's activities as Chairman of the American Committee for International Wild Life Protection. The correspondence of 1965 concerns the John C. Phillips Memorial Medal.
- Box 52 of 253 Folder 6 Pierce, Fred John, 1952, 1957, 1962-1963, 1968-1976. Includes a photograph of Pierce.
- Box 52 of 253 Folder 7 Pinchot, Gifford, 1919, 1929-1932, 1935-1946, and undated. Includes correspondence concerning the Pinchot South Seas Expedition, 1929.
- Box 52 of 253 Folder 8 Pinto, Oliverio M. de, 1935, 1938-1948, 1955, 1965-1966, 1969, 1973. Correspondence concerning the birds of Brazil.

#### Box 53

- Box 53 of 253 Folder 1 Pip-Piz, general. Correspondents include Grover C. Pitts, 1937-1941.
- Box 53 of 253 Folder 2 Pitelka, Frank Alois, 1943, 1945, 1950-1957, 1962. Includes correspondence concerning Pitelka's work on the fifth edition of the AOU Check-List of North American Birds.
- Box 53 of 253 Folder 3 Pittier, Henri, 1937-1939, 1942-1950
- Box 53 of 253 Folder 4 PI-Pop, general
- Box 53 of 253 Folder 5 Podtiaguin, Boris, 1943-1945, 1948
- Box 53 of 253 Folder 6 Popenoe, William Wilson, 1937-1942, 1945-1949, 1951, 1957

- Box 53 of 253 Folder 7 Por-Pow, general. Correspondents include Frederick A. Potts, 1919-1922, 1927-1929, 1932, 1936, 1939, 1941, 1949 and Jens Poulsen, 1964-1969, 1974.
- Box 53 of 253 Folder 8 Pough, Richard H., 1940, 1945-1959
- Box 53 of 253 Folder 9 Pra-Pren, general. Correspondents include Wallace E. Pratt, 1923, 1936, 1942, 1953, 1965-1966, 1970, 1972 and Edward Alexander Preble, 1911, 1925, 1927, 1930-1931, and undated.
- Box 53 of 253 Folder 10 Prentice, Sydney C., 1925-1944. Mostly concerns Prentice's work illustrating papers and articles by Wetmore.

#### Box 54

- Box 54 of 253 Folder 1 Pres-Py, general
- Box 54 of 253 Folder 2 Preston, Frank W., 1956, 1958-1959, 1965-1969, 1975
- Box 54 of 253 Folder 3 Publications, mailing lists, 1958-1960, 1966, 1968, 1970, 1972, and undated
- Box 54 of 253 Folders 4-6 Publications, requests, A-Z, 1953-1976, and undated
- Box 54 of 253 Folder 7 Q, general
- Box 54 of 253 Folder 8 Raa-Ran, general
- Box 54 of 253 Folder 9 Rand, Austin Loomer, 1943-1944, 1947, 1950, 1955, 1957-1958, 1961-1963, 1966, 1968, 1970

#### Box 55

- Box 55 of 253 Folder 1 Rap-Raz, general. Correspondents include William F. Rapp, Jr., 1943, 1945, 1949-1952, 1958-1959 and William deC. Ravenel, 1916-1918, 1922-1925.
- Box 55 of 253 Folder 2 Rea-Reh, general. Correspondents include Amadeo M. Rea, 1966-1972; Chester A. Reeds, 1926-1928, 1933; Harald A. Rehder, 1936, 1944, 1946, 1957, 1976.
- Box 55 of 253 Folder 3 Redington, Paul G., 1927-1933
- Box 55 of 253 Folder 4 Reed, Edwyn P., 1926, 1928, 1930, 1932-1933, 1940, 1946-1947

- Box 55 of 253 Folder 5 Rehn, James Abram Garfield, 1921, 1941, 1943-1944, 1948, 1953, 1957
- Box 55 of 253 Folder 6 Rei-Rey, general
- Box 55 of 253 Folder 7 Reilly, Edgar Morton, Jr., 1948-1957, 1962, 1966, 1968.  
Correspondence primarily concerning Reilly's work assembling range data for the AOU Check-List of North American Birds.
- Box 55 of 253 Folder 8 Rennie, Robert G., 1950-1951, 1957-1960, 1962-1966, 1969
- Box 55 of 253 Folder 9 Rh-Ric, general. Correspondents include Willis Horton Rich, 1928, 1930, 1932-1933, 1935, 1941; Horace C. Richards, 1932; Horace Gardiner Richards, 1931-1932, 1948-1949, 1962.
- Box 55 of 253 Folder 10 Rich, Patricia Vickers, 1968-1974
- Box 55 of 253 Folder 11 Richmond, Charles Wallace, 1914-1928, 1945, and undated.  
Richmond was a Curator in the Division of Birds, USNM from 1895 to 1932. Consists mostly of correspondence written by Richmond to Wetmore in the field. Included are many letters documenting daily activities in the USNM and containing information on the Washington scientific community.
- Box 56
- Box 56 of 253 Folder 1 Rid-Riv, general. Correspondents include Elmer S. Riggs, 1926, 1930, 1934-1935, concerning the Field Museum of Natural History Paleontological Expedition to Argentina, 1926.
- Box 56 of 253 Folder 2 Ridgely, Robert S., 1972-1974. Correspondence mostly concerning the birds of Panama.
- Box 56 of 253 Folder 3 Ridgway, Robert, 1918, 1924, 1926-1929, 1931-1932, and undated.  
Correspondence post-dating Ridgway's death in 1929 is with John L. Ridgway.
- Box 56 of 253 Folder 4 Riley, Joseph Harvey, 1914-1916, 1918-1923. Riley worked as an Aid, and later Curator, in the Division of Birds, USNM, from 1898 to 1941. These letters were written to Wetmore while he was on field trips for the U. S. Biological Survey.
- Box 56 of 253 Folders 5-6 Ripley, S. Dillon, 1939-1966, 1969, 1972, 1976, and undated.  
A noted ornithologist and eighth Secretary of the Smithsonian, Ripley also served as Assistant Curator in the Division of Birds, USNM from 1942 to 1943. The correspondence concerns his appointment at the USNM, 1942; his work with the Office of Strategic Services during World War II; field work

in India, 1950; ornithological research; and his election as Secretary of the Smithsonian.

- Box 56 of 253 Folder 7 Roa-Robe, general. Correspondents include Chandler S. Robbins, 1936, 1946-1951, 1959, 1967-1968, 1973; Frank H. H. Roberts, Jr., 1929, 1936, 1943; H. Radclyffe Roberts, 1934, 1942-1943, 1955; Leo B. Roberts, 1928, 1930, 1935-1937, 1940, 1948-1949; Thomas S. Roberts, 1926, 1930, 1932, 1935, 1937, 1941.
- Box 56 of 253 Folder 8 Robb, Wallace Havelock, 1926-1930, 1936, 1938-1939, 1943-1944, 1948, 1963-1964, and undated
- Box 56 of 253 Folder 9 Robi, general. Correspondents include Joseph Robinson, 1942-1944, 1951-1952.

#### Box 57

- Box 57 of 253 Folder 1 Roc-Roe, general. Correspondents include Juvenal Valerio Rodriguez, 1935, 1940-1943, 1948.
- Box 57 of 253 Folder 2 Rockwell, Robert B., 1913-1921, 1924, 1928, and undated. Mostly concerns his collaboration with Wetmore on a list of birds in the vicinity of Golden, Colorado.
- Box 57 of 253 Folder 3 Rog-Roo, general. Correspondents include Charles Henry Rogers, 1922, 1934, 1944, 1954, 1958-1959, 1965, 1970, 1972-1973; Sievert Allen Rohwer, 1924, 1927, 1932, 1934; Kermit Roosevelt, 1933-1934, 1943.
- Box 57 of 253 Folder 4 Romer, Alfred S., 1935-1936, 1942-1963, 1974. Much of the correspondence concerns Wetmore's service as a member of the Committee of the Overseers to Visit the Museum of Comparative Zoology, 1947-1961.
- Box 57 of 253 Folder 5 Ronne, Finn, 1947-1948, 1951, 1955, 1963, 1967. Includes correspondence concerning the Ronne Antarctic Research Expedition, 1946-1948.
- Box 57 of 253 Folder 6 Ror-Roz, general. Correspondents include Charles A. Ross, 31 December 1966, with a photograph of Margaret Wetmore (1934); William Rowan, 1933, 1940, 1947-1948.
- Box 57 of 253 Folder 7 Rowe, Leo S., 1926, 1933-1946
- Box 57 of 253 Folder 8 Rub-Rus, general
- Box 57 of 253 Folder 9 Ruschi, Augusto, 1958-1962, 1964, 1968

Box 57 of 253 Folder 10 Russell, James Townsend, Jr., 1928-1935, 1943, 1946, and undated. Correspondence concerning Russell's work as Collaborator in Old World Archaeology, USNM.

Box 58

Box 58 of 253 Folder 1 Rut-Ry, general. Correspondents include Alexander Grant Ruthven, 1922, 1926, 1928-1929, 1932, 1935; John A. Ruthven, 1968, 1974; Knowles A. Ryerson, 1931, 1934-1946, 1951, 1975.

Box 58 of 253 Folder 2 Ruzic, Raiko H., 1948-1950, 1953, 1956, 1963-1968, 1971-1972, 1974, and undated

Box 58 of 253 Folder 3 Rydzewski, W., 1953-1965, 1970, 1973-1974, and undated. Correspondence mostly concerning The Ring, an international bulletin devoted to bird banding and bird migration studies.

Box 58 of 253 Folder 4 Sac-Sal, general. Correspondents include E. M. Sackett, 1916-1921, 1925-1926, 1932-1933, concerning Bear River Marsh, Utah; Dean Sage, Jr., 1939, concerning David Crockett Graham.

Box 58 of 253 Folder 5 Salomonsen, Finn, 1935-1936, 1945-1947, 1953, 1955-1956

Box 58 of 253 Folder 6 Sam-Say, general. Correspondents include Colin Campbell Sanborn, 1922, 1926-1927, 1945-1947; E. G. Franz Sauer, 1967-1968, 1971, 1976.

Box 58 of 253 Folder 7 Scarlett, Ron J., 1955-1959, 1962-1963, 1968-1969, 1972

Box 58 of 253 Folder 8 Scha-Schl, general. Correspondents include Samuel Schaub, 1938, 1945-1951, 1954-1955; Otto H. Schindewolf, 1936-1939.

Box 59

Box 59 of 253 Folder 1 Schm-Schw, general. Correspondents include Ralph W. Schreiber, 1969-1972, including letters concerning Wetmore's investigation of Brown Pelicans in Florida, 1919; Charles Schuchert, 1931, 1937-1938, 1941.

Box 59 of 253 Folder 2 Schmidt, Karl Patterson, 1926-1927, 1929, 1941-1948, 1951, 1955-1956, 1958

Box 59 of 253 Folders 3-4 Schmitt, Waldo LaSalle, 1926-1948, 1957, and undated. Schmitt, an invertebrate zoologist, served in various curatorial and administrative positions in the USNM from 1910 to 1957. Included is correspondence documenting Schmitt's participation on scientific expeditions to the Galapagos Islands, 1933-1935, 1938.

- Box 59 of 253 Folder 5 Schorger, Arlie William, 1936, 1942-1963, 1966-1967
- Box 59 of 253 Folder 6 Schultz, Leonard Peter, 1936-1948. Schultz served as Curator, Division of Fishes, USNM, from 1936 to 1965. Included is correspondence documenting his appointment at the USNM, and a report on his participation on the U. S. Navy Surveying Expedition to the Phoenix Islands, 1939.
- Box 59 of 253 Folder 7 Schwarz, Herbert Ferlando, 1926-1928, 1932, 1946, 1948. Much of the correspondence concerns the publication of Wetmore's *The Birds of Porto Rico and the Virgin Islands*, 1927.
- Box 60
- Box 60 of 253 Folder 1 Sclater, W. L., 1914, 1925, 1928-1929, 1931, 1933, 1940-1942, and undated. Includes correspondence concerning the publication of *A Collection of Birds from the Fiji Islands*, co-authored by Wetmore and Casey A. Wood, 1926.
- Box 60 of 253 Folder 2 Sco-Se, general. Correspondents include W. E. D. Scott, 1906, including letters giving advice to Wetmore on becoming a professional ornithologist; William Berryman Scott, 1927-1928, 1930, 1938-1939, 1945-1946; George A. Seaman, 1962-1967, 1973-1974; Ernest Thompson Seton, 1919, 1934, 1945.
- Box 60 of 253 Folder 3 Scott, Frederic R., 1947-1951, 1953, 1957-1960, 1963-1964, 1967, 1969-1971. Correspondence concerning the Virginia Society of Ornithology; the birds of Virginia; and Wetmore's research on the birds of Shenandoah National Park.
- Box 60 of 253 Folder 4 Seeley, James W., 1917, 1937, 1942, 1946, 1948, 1951-1954, 1957, and undated. Seeley was a boyhood friend of Wetmore and their correspondence contains reminiscences of growing up in North Freedom, Wisconsin.
- Box 60 of 253 Folder 5 Segura Paguaga, Alfonso, 1942-1947, 1969, and undated. Correspondence mostly concerning his participation on a paleontological field expedition to Wyoming for the USNM in 1942.
- Box 60 of 253 Folder 6 Serventy, D. L., 1938-1942, 1946, 1949, 1952, 1962. Correspondence mostly concerning the birds of Australia.
- Box 60 of 253 Folder 7 Setzler, Frank M., 1931-1948. Correspondence concerning Setzler's career as Head Curator, Department of Anthropology, USNM. Also includes letters documenting his field work in Texas, 1932-1933, 1938, and Illinois, 1940.
- Box 60 of 253 Folder 8 Sha, general

- Box 60 of 253 Folder 9 Shannon, Earl V., 1926-1929, 1933-1936, 1940-1942, and undated
- Box 61
- Box 61 of 253 Folder 1 She-Shu, general. Correspondents include William Gulliver Sheldon, 1932, 1938, 1942, 1945-1946; M. C. Shelesnyak, 1951, and undated; T. Vaughn Sherrin, 1914-1915, 1918-1919, 1921, 1926.
- Box 61 of 253 Folder 2 Short, Lester Leroy, Jr., 1958, 1963, 1965, 1968-1969, 1971-1974
- Box 61 of 253 Folder 3 Shufeldt, Percy W., 1932-1935, 1937, 1939, 1941-1943, 1946
- Box 61 of 253 Folder 4 Shufeldt, Robert Wilson, 1897, 1915-1916, 1920-1922, 1926-1927. Shufeldt was an army surgeon, ornithologist, and founding member of the AOU. Included are copies of letters documenting an attempt by Elliott Coues to remove Shufeldt from the AOU due to the publication of his "On the Medico-Legal Aspect of Impotency in Women," 1897.
- Box 61 of 253 Folder 5 Shufeldt, Robert Wilson, 1940, 1949-1950. Grandson of Robert Wilson Shufeldt, and son of Percy W. Shufeldt. The correspondence mostly concerns his father's collection of South American birds at the University of Michigan.
- Box 61 of 253 Folder 6 Sib-Simo, general. Correspondents include C. L. Sibley, 1936-1937, 1940-1942, 1944; George Finlay Simmons, 1926-1928, 1935, 1938-1939; Stephen Chapman Simms, 1928, 1931-1932, 1935-1936.
- Box 61 of 253 Folder 7 Sibley, Charles Gald, 1944-1945, 1949-1962, 1965, 1967-1968, 1971, 1973-1974. Includes correspondence concerning the AOU; his research to establish a new method of bird classification based on the protein make-up of egg albumen; and a controversy between Sibley and the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service over the illegal importation of birds eggs.
- Box 61 of 253 Folder 8 Siemel, Sasha A., 1937, 1939-1940, 1943-1946, 1949-1955, 1965, and undated. Includes photographs of Siemel on big game hunting trips to Brazil.
- Box 61 of 253 Folder 9 Simonetta, Alberto M., 1960-1961, 1963, 1968
- Box 61 of 253 Folder 10 Simp-Siw, general. Correspondents include William J. Sinclair, 1922, 1928-1929, 1931-1932.
- Box 61 of 253 Folder 11 Simpson, George Gaylord, 1928-1937, 1940, 1942, 1945, 1960, 1967. Mostly concerns Simpson's work on the Fort Union vertebrate paleontology collection in the USNM. Included is a photograph of Simpson and his family.



## Box 62

- Box 62 of 253 Folder 1 Sirovich, William I., 1935. Correspondence concerning proposed legislation (H. J. Res. 220) to establish a United States Department of Science, Art, and Literature, 1935. Also includes a draft copy of "A Partial Report on Government-Supported and Government-Aided Scientific Activities in Foreign Countries," undated, author unknown.
- Box 62 of 253 Folder 2 Sj-Sl, general. Correspondents include H. Jermain Slocum, 1933, 1936-1939, 1943-1946, and undated.
- Box 62 of 253 Folder 3 Skutch, Alexander F., 1967-1970, 1973, 1975. Correspondence concerning neo-tropical ornithology.
- Box 62 of 253 Folder 4 Sladen, William Joseph Lambert, 1961, 1973. The 1961 letters concern Sladen's field work in Alaska.
- Box 62 of 253 Folder 5 Slud, Paul, 1953, 1958-1964, and undated. Correspondence primarily concerning his research on the birds of Costa Rica.
- Box 62 of 253 Folder 6 Sm, general. Correspondents include Franklin W. Smith, 1937, 1967, including a photograph of Wetmore aboard the S.S. Stuyvesant, October 1937.
- Box 62 of 253 Folder 7 Smith, Hobart Muir, 1940-1946, 1950, 1962-1963, and undated. Includes correspondence documenting Smith's field work investigating Mexican reptiles and amphibians as the recipient of the Walter Rathbone Bacon Traveling Scholarship, 1940-1941.
- Box 62 of 253 Folder 8 Smith, Hugh McCormick, 1919-1920, 1922, 1925-1937, and undated. Most of the correspondence concerns Smith's collecting work for the USNM in Siam.
- Box 62 of 253 Folder 9 Smithers, Reay H. N., 1957-1975, and undated. Much of the correspondence concerns Smithers work collecting fossil birds for Wetmore.

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- Box 71 of 253 Folders 5-7 Van Tyne, Josselyn, 1929-1936, 1939-1959, 1968. Van Tyne, a prominent ornithologist, spent his entire career at the University of Michigan Museum of Zoology. His correspondence with Wetmore concerns the AOU; zoological nomenclature; and the preparation of research publications.

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- Box 84 of 253 Folder 7 John Burroughs Association, 1961
- Box 84 of 253 Folder 8 C, general
- Box 84 of 253 Folder 9 California Academy of Sciences, 1929-1931, 1945-1946, 1957-1959, 1965-1974. Mostly concerns the loan of study specimens to Wetmore. Correspondents include Laurence Charles Binford.
- Box 84 of 253 Folder 10 Central Intelligence Agency, 1947, 1949, 1951-1952, and undated

Box 85

- Box 85 of 253 Folder 1 Centre College, 1947-1949. Correspondence concerning the honorary D. Sc. degree awarded to Wetmore in 1947.
- Box 85 of 253 Folders 2-3 Children's Museum of Washington, 1943-1952, 1964. Includes correspondence concerning his service on the Board of Trustees.
- Box 85 of 253 Folder 4 Conference on Avifauna of Northern Latin America, 1965-1966
- Box 85 of 253 Folder 5 Congresso Cientifico General Chileno, 1944
- Box 85 of 253 Folders 6-7 Conservation Foundation, 1946-1952. Includes correspondence concerning Wetmore's work as a member of the Advisory Council. Correspondents include Henry Fairfield Osborn.
- Box 85 of 253 Folder 8 Cooper Ornithological Society, 1907, 1921, 1924-1932, 1936, 1947, 1951, 1956-1975
- Box 85 of 253 Folder 9 Cornell University Laboratory of Ornithology, 1955-1957, 1962, 1972, 1974-1975, and undated

Box 86

- Box 86 of 253 Folder 1 Cosmos Club. General correspondence, 1933, 1935-1951, 1967, 1970-1974, and undated. Includes correspondence documenting Wetmore's tenure as President, 1938, as well as his service on various committees.
- Box 86 of 253 Folder 2 \_\_\_\_\_. Advisory Committee of Eleven, 1932, 1938-1940, 1944-1945, 1948-1949, and undated.
- Box 86 of 253 Folder 3 \_\_\_\_\_. Annual reports, 1937-1938, 1944.

- Box 86 of 253 Folder 4 \_\_\_\_\_. Articles concerning the Club, 1964, 1973.
- Box 86 of 253 Folder 5 Cosmos Club. Awards, 1962-1969, 1973-1976. Includes correspondence concerning Wetmore's service on the Canvassing Committee to select recipients for awards.
- Box 86 of 253 Folder 6 \_\_\_\_\_. Board of Management, 1933, 1937-1941, 1945, 1949, 1955, 1960, 1963, 1974. Includes records documenting Wetmore's tenure as a member of the Board, 1933-1936, as well as his service as Vice President, 1937, and President, 1938.
- Box 86 of 253 Folder 7 \_\_\_\_\_. Budget Committee, 1934, 1938-1939.
- Box 86 of 253 Folder 8 \_\_\_\_\_. Building-Finance and Construction Committee, 1944, 1948.
- Box 86 of 253 Folder 9 \_\_\_\_\_. By-laws, 1938, 1973.
- Box 86 of 253 Folders 10-11 \_\_\_\_\_. Committee on Admissions, 1925-1948, and undated. Correspondence concerning the nomination of candidates for admission.
- Box 87
- Box 87 of 253 Folder 1 Cosmos Club. Committee on Admissions, 1949-1974, and undated.
- Box 87 of 253 Folder 2 \_\_\_\_\_. Committee to Promote Membership, 1938.
- Box 87 of 253 Folder 3 \_\_\_\_\_. Employees, 1938, and undated.
- Box 87 of 253 Folder 4 \_\_\_\_\_. Finance Committee, 1939-1943, and undated. Correspondence concerning Wetmore's work as a member, and later, as chairman of the committee.
- Box 87 of 253 Folder 5 \_\_\_\_\_. Financial statements, 1938-1939, 1968.
- Box 87 of 253 Folder 6 \_\_\_\_\_. House Committee, 1933, 1937-1940, 1946, 1952, 1973-1974.
- Box 87 of 253 Folder 7 \_\_\_\_\_. Special Committee on Admissions Policies and Procedures, 1947, 1949, 1953-1954, and undated.
- Box 87 of 253 Folder 8 D, general
- Box 87 of 253 Folder 9 Darling National Wildlife Refuge, 1967, 1974, 1976

Box 88

- Box 88 of 253 Folder 1 E, general
- Box 88 of 253 Folders 2-3 Eighth American Scientific Congress, 1940. General correspondence, 1939-1948. Wetmore served as Secretary-General, as well as a United States Delegate, to the Congress which was held in Washington, D. C., in May, 1940. This correspondence primarily concerns the publication and distribution of the proceedings of the Congress.
- Box 88 of 253 Folder 4 \_\_\_\_\_. Finances, 1940, 1942-1944.
- Box 88 of 253 Folder 5 \_\_\_\_\_. Invitations, 1938-1939.
- Box 88 of 253 Folder 6 \_\_\_\_\_. Local arrangement, 1939.
- Box 88 of 253 Folder 7 \_\_\_\_\_. Miscellaneous, 1939-1940.
- Box 88 of 253 Folder 8 \_\_\_\_\_. Organizing Committee, 1939-1940.
- Box 88 of 253 Folder 9 \_\_\_\_\_. Presidential address, 1940. Copy of Franklin D. Roosevelt's speech to the Congress in Spanish.
- Box 88 of 253 Folder 10 \_\_\_\_\_. Section on Agriculture and Conservation, 1939-1941.
- Box 88 of 253 Folder 11 \_\_\_\_\_. Section on Anthropological Sciences, 1939-1941. Correspondents include Herbert J. Spinden.
- Box 88 of 253 Folder 12 \_\_\_\_\_. Section on Biological Sciences, 1939-1942. Correspondents include Edwin Grant Conklin and James Abram Garfield Rehn.
- Box 88 of 253 Folder 13 \_\_\_\_\_. Section on Economics and Sociology, 1939.
- Box 88 of 253 Folder 14 \_\_\_\_\_. Section on Education, 1939.
- Box 88 of 253 Folder 15 \_\_\_\_\_. Section on Geological Sciences, 1939, 1943-1944.
- Box 88 of 253 Folder 16 Eighth American Scientific Congress. Section on History and Geography, 1940.

- Box 88 of 253 Folder 17 \_\_\_\_\_. Section on International Law, Public Law, and Jurisprudence, 1939.
- Box 88 of 253 Folder 18 \_\_\_\_\_. Section on Physical and Chemical Sciences, 1939-1940.
- Box 88 of 253 Folder 19 \_\_\_\_\_. Section on Public Health and Medicine, 1939-1941, 1943.

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- Box 89 of 253 Folder 1 Emergency Conservation Committee, 1931-1936
- Box 89 of 253 Folders 2-3 Encyclopedia Britannica, 1927-1929, 1939, 1944-1948, 1956-1963, 1967-1970. Correspondence mostly concerning the preparation of articles on ornithology by Wetmore. Correspondents include Frank Michler Chapman and Julian S. Huxley.
- Box 89 of 253 Folder 4 Ends of the Earth Club, 1935, 1938-1943, 1946, 1948, 1952, 1957
- Box 89 of 253 Folders 5-6 Everglades National Park Association, 1928-1937, 1942-1944, 1947. Reports, correspondence, and publications documenting the effort to have the Everglades designated a National Park. Correspondents include Ernest F. Coe.

Box 90

- Box 90 of 253 Folders 1-4 Explorers Club. General correspondence, 1929, 1932, 1936-1975, and undated. Wetmore became a member of the Explorers Club in 1927, and served as its President from 1944 to 1946. He was also a member of various committees. This correspondence documents Wetmore's service to the Club and many of its activities. Frequent correspondents include Horace Marden Albright, Carlin L. Brinkley, the Chief of Clannfhearghuis, James Paul Chapin, Wendell Phillips Dodge, Serge Alexander Korff, Ward Randol, Joseph Robinson, Erich M. Schlaikjer, Daniel D. Streeter, Harry S. Talley, John Tee-Van, Lowell Thomas, Donald B. Upham, and Edward M. Weyer, Jr. Of special interest is correspondence concerning a controversy involving the Chief of Clannfhearghuis, Wetmore, and Richard O. Marsh, 1949
- Box 90 of 253 Folder 5 Explorers Club. Annual dinners, 1937-1939, 1943-1944.
- Box 90 of 253 Folder 6 \_\_\_\_\_. Board of Directors, 1931-1932, 1942, 1944-1948, 1950, 1952, 1975.
- Box 90 of 253 Folder 7 \_\_\_\_\_. By-laws, 1933, 1969.

Box 90 of 253 Folder 8 \_\_\_\_\_ . Endowment fund, undated.

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Box 91 of 253 Folder 1 Explorers Club. Exploration Fund Committee, 1952-1964.

Box 91 of 253 Folder 2 \_\_\_\_\_ . Explorers Holding Corporation, 1928, 1930-1932. Correspondents include Arthur Cleveland Bent.

Box 91 of 253 Folder 3 \_\_\_\_\_ . Explorers Journal, 1931, 1959, 1961-1962.

Box 91 of 253 Folder 4 \_\_\_\_\_ . Financial reports, 1961, 1972.

Box 91 of 253 Folder 5 \_\_\_\_\_ . Flag, 1943-1950, 1962-1964, 1975. Correspondence primarily concerning requests by Wetmore to carry the Explorers Club flag on field expeditions.

Box 91 of 253 Folder 6 \_\_\_\_\_ . Grolier Society, 1948-1951.

Box 91 of 253 Folder 7 \_\_\_\_\_ . Library Committee, 1929, 1935, 1943-1946.

Box 91 of 253 Folder 8 \_\_\_\_\_ . Medal, 1962, 1967, 1973-1974. Includes correspondence concerning Wetmore's selection as recipient of the medal in 1962.

Box 91 of 253 Folders 9-10 \_\_\_\_\_ . Membership, 1928-1957, 1960-1964, 1967, 1970-1976. Correspondence mostly concerning the nomination of new members. Correspondents include Herbert Ferlando Schwarz.

Box 91 of 253 Folder 11 \_\_\_\_\_ . News clippings and brochures, 1929, 1935, 1944, 1954, and undated.

Box 91 of 253 Folder 12 Explorers Club. Science Committee, 1942-1943, 1945, 1949, 1952-1954, 1958-1959, 1962-1964, 1973. Correspondence concerning Wetmore's work as a member and chairman of the committee.

Box 91 of 253 Folder 13 \_\_\_\_\_ . Washington Group, 1938-1946, 1950-1951, 1961, 1968, 1972, 1975, and undated. Correspondents include Herford Tynes Cowling.

Box 91 of 253 Folder 14 \_\_\_\_\_ . World Center for Exploration, 1965, 1967-1969.

Box 92

Box 92 of 253 Folder 1 F, general

- Box 92 of 253 Folder 2 Fitzpatrick Institute of African Ornithology, 1959-1961. Correspondents include Cecily Niven.
- Box 92 of 253 Folder 3 Florida Audubon Society, 1954, 1957-1966, 1969-1974. Correspondents include C. Russell Mason.
- Box 92 of 253 Folder 4 Friends of the National Zoo, 1959, 1965-1968
- Box 92 of 253 Folder 5 G, general
- Box 92 of 253 Folders 6-7 Galapagos Islands Biological Laboratory, 1941-1942. Correspondence concerning the proposed establishment of a Smithsonian laboratory on the Islands. The project was canceled due to World War II. Included are several letters documenting reconnaissance trips to the Galapagos by Waldo LaSalle Schmitt.
- Box 92 of 253 Folder 8 General Council on Zoological Nomenclature, 1942-1943. Correspondence concerning the establishment of an American group to replace the International Commission on Zoological Nomenclature while it was not functioning during World War II. Correspondents include Wilfred Hudson Osgood.
- Box 93
- Box 93 of 253 Folder 1 Geological Society of America, 1933, 1941-1942, 1946
- Box 93 of 253 Folders 2-6 George Washington University, 1932, 1944-1950. Correspondence concerning Wetmore's selection to receive the honorary Doctor of Science degree; his service on the Board of Trustees, 1945-1962 (service from 1951 to 1962 is in box 94); his selection as the recipient of the Alumni Achievement Award, 1945; and his work on various committees.
- Box 94
- Box 94 of 253 Folders 1-5 George Washington University, 1951-1962, 1967-1970, 1974-1976. Similar correspondence as found in box 93.
- Box 94 of 253 Folder 6 Gorgas Memorial Institute of Tropical and Preventive Medicine. General correspondence, 1944, 1947-1959. This correspondence, and records found in boxes 95 and 96, documents Wetmore's service on the Executive Committee, 1949-1973, as well as various other committees. Correspondents include Joseph F. Siler and Herbert C. Clark.
- Box 95

Box 95 of 253                      Folders 1-3 Gorgas Memorial Institute of Tropical and Preventive Medicine. General correspondence, 1960-1976. Correspondents include Martin D. Young.

Box 95 of 253                      Folder 4 \_\_\_\_\_. Advisory Scientific Board, 1972.

Box 95 of 253                      Folder 5 \_\_\_\_\_. Annual reports, 1929-1934, 1936-1943, 1945-1947, 1950, 1952-1958, 1960, 1964, 1966-1968.

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Box 96 of 253                      Folder 1 Gorgas Memorial Institute of Tropical and Preventive Medicine. Annual reports, 1970, 1972-1973, 1975.

Box 96 of 253                      Folder 2 \_\_\_\_\_. Certificate of Incorporation and by-laws, 1954, 1964, 1969, 1973.

Box 96 of 253                      Folder 3 \_\_\_\_\_. Contracts, 1953, 1973.

Box 96 of 253                      Folder 4 Gorgas Memorial Institute of Tropical and Preventive Medicine. History/Organization, 1925, 1950, 1958, 1964, 1966, 1969, 1973, and undated.

Box 96 of 253                      Folder 5 \_\_\_\_\_. Legislation, 1928, 1948, 1953-1954, 1957-1959, 1969.

Box 96 of 253                      Folder 6 \_\_\_\_\_. Personnel, 1952-1953, 1955, 1957-1958, 1960, 1973.

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Box 96 of 253                      Folder 8 \_\_\_\_\_. Research projects, 1950, 1958-1962, 1964, 1970, 1973.

Box 97

Box 97 of 253                      Folder 1 Grzimeks Tierleben, 1966-1970. Correspondence concerning Wetmore's preparation of an article on the family Dulidae for the German zoological encyclopedia.

Box 97 of 253                      Folders 2-5 Guggenheim Memorial Foundation, John Simon, 1925-1950, and undated. This correspondence documents Wetmore's work as a member and Chairman of the Committee of Selection for Latin American Fellowships. Correspondents include Henry Allen Moe, Henri Pittier, William Wilson Popenoe, Alexander F. Skutch, and George Sprague Myers.

Box 98

Box 98 of 253                    Folders 1-4 Guggenheim Memorial Foundation, John Simon, 1951-1963, 1969, 1971. Correspondents include Henry Allen Moe and James F. Mathias.

Box 99

Box 99 of 253                    Folder 1 H, general

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Box 99 of 253                    Folder 3 Institute for Aleutian Research, 1949

Box 99 of 253                    Folder 4 Inter-American Committee of Experts on Nature Protection and Wild Life Preservation. Advisory Committee to U. S. Representative, 1939-1940. Correspondence concerning Wetmore's role as United States Representative on the IACENP and his work drafting the "Inter-American Convention on Nature Protection and Wild Life Preservation in the Western Hemisphere."

Box 99 of 253                    Folder 5 \_\_\_\_\_. Correspondence with Harold Jefferson Coolidge, 1939-1940.

Box 99 of 253                    Folder 6 \_\_\_\_\_. First Secretary of Ecuador, 1940.

Box 99 of 253                    Folder 7 \_\_\_\_\_. Pan American Union, 1939-1946. Correspondents include J. L. Colum.

Box 99 of 253                    Folders 8-9 \_\_\_\_\_. United States Department of State, 1933, 1935-1942.

Box 99 of 253                    Folder 10 \_\_\_\_\_. Minutes and notes, 1939-1942.

Box 100

Box 100 of 253                    Folders 1-3 Inter-American Committee of Experts on Nature Protection and Wild Life Preservation. Reports, 1937-1942.

Box 100 of 253                    Folder 4 Inter-American Conference for the Maintenance of Peace, 1938

Box 100 of 253                    Folders 5-6 Inter-American Conference on the Conservation of Renewable Natural Resources, 1946-1949. Correspondence documenting Wetmore's service on the Organizing Committee of the conference which was held in Denver, September 1948.

Box 101



- Box 101 of 253            Folders 1-2 Interdepartmental Committee on Scientific Research and Development, 1947-1952. Correspondence concerning Wetmore's work as Chairman of the Committee, 1947-1948.
- Box 101 of 253            Folder 3 International Commission on Zoological Nomenclature, 1926-1927, 1940, 1942-1944, 1946-1950, 1953, 1956-1963, 1972-1973. Correspondents include Francis Hemming.
- Box 101 of 253            Folder 4 International Committee for Bird Preservation, 1943-1947, 1950. Correspondence concerning his service as Chairman of the American Section of the Committee. Correspondents include Thomas Gilbert Pearson and Jean Theodore Delacour.
- Box 101 of 253            Folder 5 International Committee for Ornithological Nomenclature, 1934. Correspondents include Erwin Stresemann.
- Box 101 of 253            Folder 6 Xth International Congress of Zoology, Budapest, 1927
- Box 101 of 253            Folder 7 XVI International Congress of Zoology, Washington, D. C., 1963. Correspondence concerning Wetmore's duties as Treasurer.
- Box 101 of 253            Folder 8 International Game Fish Association, 1944, 1949, 1952
- Box 101 of 253            Folder 9 VII International Ornithological Congress, Amsterdam (1930), 1929, 1932
- Box 101 of 253            Folder 10 VIII International Ornithological Congress, Oxford (1934), 1934. Correspondence concerning his work as United States delegate.
- Box 101 of 253            Folder 11 IX International Ornithological Congress, Rouen, France (1938), 1937-1939. Correspondence concerning Wetmore's duties as Chairman of the American delegation. Correspondents include Jean Theodore Delacour and Thomas Gilbert Pearson.
- Box 101 of 253            Folder 12 X International Ornithological Congress (postponed). This Congress was planned to be convened in Philadelphia in 1942 with Wetmore as President. The Congress was postponed due to World War II. Correspondents include Thomas Barbour, Jean Theodore Delacour, and Ludlow Griscom.
- Box 102
- Box 102 of 253            Folders 1-2 X International Ornithological Congress, Uppsala, Sweden (1950), 1946-1950. Correspondence documenting Wetmore's work as President of the Congress and Chairman of the United States delegation. Correspondents include Jean Theodore Delacour and Sven Horstadius.

- Box 102 of 253 Folder 3 XI International Ornithological Congress, Basel, Switzerland (1954), 1953-1954
- Box 102 of 253 Folder 4 XII International Ornithological Congress, Helsinki, Finland (1958), 1960
- Box 102 of 253 Folder 5 XIII International Ornithological Congress, Ithaca, NY (1962), 1958-1962, 1964. Correspondents include Charles Gald Sibley.
- Box 102 of 253 Folder 6 XIV International Ornithological Congress, Oxford (1966), 1965-1966
- Box 102 of 253 Folder 7 XV International Ornithological Congress, Amsterdam (1970), 1967
- Box 102 of 253 Folder 8 XVI International Ornithological Congress, Canberra, Australia (1974), 1971-1974
- Box 102 of 253 Folder 9 International Union of Biological Sciences, 1955-1956
- Box 102 of 253 Folder 10 International Union of Geodesy and Geophysics, 1938-1939
- Box 103
- Box 103 of 253 Folder 1 J, general
- Box 103 of 253 Folder 2 Thomas Jefferson Bicentenary, 1943-1944. Correspondence documenting Wetmore's membership on the National Jefferson Bicentenary Committee, representing the American Philosophical Society.
- Box 103 of 253 Folder 3 Jewish Theological Seminary of America, 1944, 1947. Correspondence documenting his service on the Jewish Museum Advisory Committee.
- Box 103 of 253 Folder 4 Joint Committee on Latin American Studies, 1945-1947
- Box 103 of 253 Folder 5 Joint Research and Development Board, 1946-1952. Correspondence primarily concerning Wetmore's activities as a member of the Committee on Geographical Exploration, 1946-1948, and the Committee on Geophysics and Geography, 1948-1952.
- Box 103 of 253 Folder 6 K, general
- Box 103 of 253 Folder 7 Kansas Academy of Science, 1936-1937, 1945, 1975

- Box 103 of 253                    Folder 8 Kansas Ornithological Society, 1949-1950, 1959-1960, 1965, 1968-1969, 1974-1975
- Box 103 of 253                    Folders 9-10 Kansas, University of, 1926, 1930-1931, 1935-1952, 1955, 1963-1964, 1967, 1971-1972, 1974, 1976
- Box 103 of 253                    Folder 11 L, general
- Box 104
- Box 104 of 253                    Folder 1 La Jauga Hunting Club, 1960, 1969
- Box 104 of 253                    Folder 2 Library of Congress, 1954, 1956. Correspondence concerning the solicitation of Wetmore's personal papers in 1954.
- Box 104 of 253                    Folder 3 Linnaean Society of New York, 1932, 1948, 1954, 1957, 1972-1974
- Box 104 of 253                    Folder 4 Los Angeles County Museum of Natural History, 1941-1942, 1945-1946, 1971-1972
- Box 104 of 253                    Folder 5 M, general
- Box 104 of 253                    Folder 6 Maryland Academy of Sciences, 1930-1937, 1951
- Box 104 of 253                    Folder 7 Maryland Ornithological Society, 1948-1951, 1954, 1956, and undated
- Box 104 of 253                    Folder 8 McGraw-Hill Book Company, Inc., 1958-1961, 1965, 1967-1969, 1971. Correspondence mostly concerning Wetmore's preparation of an article on fossil birds for the McGraw-Hill Encyclopedia of Science and Technology.
- Box 104 of 253                    Folder 9 Middle America Research Unit, 1961-1962. Includes correspondence of Conrad E. Yunker.
- Box 104 of 253                    Folder 10 Museum of Comparative Zoology, 1946-1947, 1954-1959, 1961. Correspondence concerning Wetmore's service on the Committee of the Overseers to Visit the Museum of Comparative Zoology, 1947-1961.
- Box 104 of 253                    Folder 11 Na, general
- Box 105
- Box 105 of 253                    Folders 1-3 National Academy of Sciences. General correspondence, 1930-1932, 1940, 1944-1952, 1954, 1957-1964, 1967-1976. Includes

correspondence concerning Wetmore's tenure as NAS Home Secretary, 1951-1955, and his service as a member of various committees.

- Box 105 of 253 Folder 4 \_\_\_\_\_. Audubon Elephant Folios, 1946, 1962, 1968, 1970-1971, and undated.
- Box 105 of 253 Folder 5 \_\_\_\_\_. Awards, fellowships, and grants, 1928, 1933, 1935, 1945-1948, 1952, 1955, 1957-1961, 1963, 1966, 1969, 1975.
- Box 105 of 253 Folder 6 \_\_\_\_\_. Centennial, 1963.
- Box 105 of 253 Folder 7 \_\_\_\_\_. Conference on the Antarctic (September 1948), 1948-1949.
- Box 105 of 253 Folder 8 \_\_\_\_\_. Constitution and by-laws, 1959-1960, 1962, 1965, 1967, 1973, 1975-1976.
- Box 105 of 253 Folder 9 \_\_\_\_\_. Foreign Secretary, 1975.
- Box 105 of 253 Folder 10 \_\_\_\_\_. Membership records, 1946-1948, 1950, 1964, 1967-1970, 1973-1974.

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- Box 106 of 253 Folder 1 National Academy of Sciences. Membership records, 1975-1976.
- Box 106 of 253 Folder 2 \_\_\_\_\_. Publications, 1952, 1971.
- Box 106 of 253 Folder 3 \_\_\_\_\_. Section of Applied Biology, 1963-1966.
- Box 106 of 253 Folders 4-7 National Academy of Sciences. Section of Zoology (before 1968, known as the Section of Zoology and Anatomy), 1946, 1948-1949, 1951-1952, 1964-1975.
- Box 106 of 253 Folder 8 \_\_\_\_\_. Treasurer's report, 1975.

#### Box 107

- Box 107 of 253 Folders 1-7 National Association of Audubon Societies, 1927, 1929-1940, and undated. Created in 1904 "for the protection of wild birds and animals," the Association's name was changed to the National Audubon Society in 1940. Much of the correspondence relates to Wetmore's work on the Board of Directors, 1929-1935. Correspondents include Thomas Gilbert Pearson, John H. Bailey, Frank Michler Chapman, and Robert Cushman Murphy. See box 108, Folders 1-2 for correspondence concerning the National Audubon Society.

Box 108

- Box 108 of 253            Folders 1-2 National Audubon Society, 1941-1959, 1964-1965, 1968-1970, 1973, and undated. Correspondents include T. Gilbert Pearson, John K. Terres, and John H. Baker.
- Box 108 of 253            Folder 3 National Capital Canary Club, 1949
- Box 108 of 253            Folder 4 National Firearms Act, 1934-1936
- Box 108 of 253            Folders 5-7 National Geographic Society. Board of Trustees and Executive Committee, 1933-1969, 1972-1976, and undated. Wetmore served as a Life Trustee, 1933-1976, and as a member of the Executive Committee, 1937-1976. These records document his activities in both capacities.
- Box 108 of 253            Folder 8 \_\_\_\_\_. The Book of Birds, 1937-1938, 1957, 1959.
- Box 108 of 253            Folder 9 \_\_\_\_\_. Committee for Research and Exploration, 1947, 1950-1952, 1955, 1959-1960, 1963-1965. Correspondence, research proposals, research and annual reports, minutes of meetings, and related materials documenting Wetmore's service as Vice Chairman, Acting Chairman, and Chairman Emeritus, 1937-1978.

Box 109

- Box 109 of 253            Folders 1-6 National Geographic Society. Committee for Research and Exploration, 1966-1974.

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- Box 110 of 253            Folder 1 National Geographic Society. Committee for Research and Exploration, 1975-1976.
- Box 110 of 253            Folder 2 \_\_\_\_\_. Committee lists, 1947, 1952, and undated.
- Box 110 of 253            Folder 3 \_\_\_\_\_. Correspondence with Leo A. Borah, 1937-1939.
- Box 110 of 253            Folders 4-5 \_\_\_\_\_. Correspondence with Franklin L. Fisher, 1925, 1931-1953.
- Box 110 of 253            Folders 6-8 \_\_\_\_\_. Correspondence with Gilbert Hovey Grosvenor, 1925-1956, 1966.

Box 110 of 253                      Folder 9 \_\_\_\_\_. Correspondence with Melville Bell Grosvenor, 1935-1947, 1949, 1952-1958, 1961-1962, 1967-1968, 1970, 1974. Includes a copy of Grosvenor's remarks made at a dinner observing Wetmore's thirty-five years of service as a Trustee of the National Geographic Society, 28 June 1968.

Box 111

Box 111 of 253                      Folder 1 National Geographic Society. Correspondence with J. R. Hildebrand, 1937-1938, 1941, 1943-1944, 1946-1950.

Box 111 of 253                      Folder 2 \_\_\_\_\_. Correspondence with Gerard Hubbard, 1934, 1936-1937.

Box 111 of 253                      Folder 3 \_\_\_\_\_. Correspondence with George W. Hutchinson, 1936-1938, 1940, 1942-1945.

Box 111 of 253                      Folder 4 \_\_\_\_\_. Correspondence with John Oliver LaGorce, 1933-1965.

Box 111 of 253                      Folder 5 \_\_\_\_\_. Correspondence with Thomas W. McKnew, 1939-1954, 1963, 1965.

Box 111 of 253                      Folder 6 \_\_\_\_\_. Correspondence with Frederick Simpich, 1933-1934, 1939-1940, 1942-1946, 1949.

Box 111 of 253                      Folder 7 National Geographic Society. Correspondence with Frederick G. Vosburgh, 1934, 1936-1937, 1940-1941, 1948-1970.

Box 111 of 253                      Folder 8 \_\_\_\_\_. Correspondence with Helen J. Waldron, 1935-1944.

Box 111 of 253                      Folder 9 \_\_\_\_\_. Correspondence with Walter A. Weber, 1937, 1946, 1950, 1952, 1967.

Box 111 of 253                      Folder 10 \_\_\_\_\_. Miscellaneous correspondence with NGS staff, 1925, 1927-1929, 1934-1955.

Box 112

Box 112 of 253                      Folders 1-4 National Geographic Society. Miscellaneous correspondence with NGS staff, 1956-1976.

Box 112 of 253                      Folders 5-6 \_\_\_\_\_. Correspondence with NGS members, A-N, 1932-1933, 1936-1947. Consists mostly of Wetmore's responses to questions concerning birds.

Box 113

- Box 113 of 253 Folder 1 National Geographic Society. Correspondence with NGS members, O-Y, 1936-1947, 1967.
- Box 113 of 253 Folder 2 \_\_\_\_\_. Financial and membership reports, 1933-1944.
- Box 113 of 253 Folder 3 \_\_\_\_\_. Invitations, 1926-1952, 1963-1964, 1967-1968, 1970.
- Box 113 of 253 Folder 4 \_\_\_\_\_. Miscellany, 1935, 1944, 1951, 1955, 1958, 1964-1967, 1974, and undated.
- Box 113 of 253 Folder 5 \_\_\_\_\_. Research projects - Arnhem Land Expedition, 1957, 1959-1960. Mostly concerns the publication of the report on fishes collected by the Expedition. Correspondents include Charles Percy Mountford. See also series 1, box 44, Folder 2 for related materials.
- Box 113 of 253 Folder 6 \_\_\_\_\_. Research projects - Atlantis cruises, 1940, 1948.
- Box 113 of 253 Folder 7 National Geographic Society. Research projects - Biotelemetry research of Frank C. and John J. Craighead, 1961, 1963-1966, 1968.
- Box 113 of 253 Folder 8 \_\_\_\_\_. Research projects - Calico Mountains (CA) Excavations, 1965-1968, 1971, and undated. Reports, articles, and correspondence concerning investigations of evidence of early man in California by Louis S. B. Leakey and others.
- Box 113 of 253 Folder 9 \_\_\_\_\_. Research projects - California Condor, 1960, 1963-1964. Copies of reports and correspondence documenting a joint project of NGS, the National Audubon Society, and the University of California to study the population and status of the bird.

Box 114

- Box 114 of 253 Folder 1 National Geographic Society. Research projects - Coral Reef Ecology, 1962-1963. Correspondence and related materials concerning Wetmore's participation on a NGS trip to inspect the University of Miami Marine Laboratory.
- Box 114 of 253 Folder 2 \_\_\_\_\_. Research projects - Cosmic Radiation, 1947.
- Box 114 of 253 Folder 3 \_\_\_\_\_. Research projects - Eclipse Expeditions, 1937, 1940-1941, 1944-1947, 1951. Copies of reports and correspondence

documenting several NGS sponsored expeditions to study solar eclipses and auroral displays.

- Box 114 of 253 Folder 4 \_\_\_\_\_. Research projects - Everglades National Park, 1963-1964, 1966-1967.
- Box 114 of 253 Folder 5 \_\_\_\_\_. Research projects - Hippotragine Antelope Study, circa 1970.
- Box 114 of 253 Folder 6 \_\_\_\_\_. Research projects - Olduvai Gorge, 1959-1961, 1964-1965, 1967-1968, 1970. Correspondence, copies of correspondence, and reports concerning NGS supported excavations directed by Louis S. B. Leakey.
- Box 114 of 253 Folder 7 National Geographic Society. Research projects - Pueblo Bonito (NM) Archaeological Excavations, 1935, 1953, 1955, 1957, 1959, 1961-1963. Correspondence concerning the publication of Neil M. Judd's reports on his field research at Pueblo Bonito.
- Box 114 of 253 Folder 8 \_\_\_\_\_. Research Projects - Weherill Mesa, undated.
- Box 114 of 253 Folder 9 \_\_\_\_\_. Song and Garden Birds and Water, Prey, and Game Birds, 1960, 1962-1974. Correspondence concerning the publication of the two books edited and co-authored by Wetmore. Also included is correspondence with readers of the volumes.
- Box 115
- Box 115 of 253 Folder 1 National Photographic Society, 1958, 1960, 1963
- Box 115 of 253 Folder 2 National Science Foundation, 1953-1954, 1957-1963, 1969, 1973, 1976. Wetmore's reviews of research proposals.
- Box 115 of 253 Folder 3 National Speleological Society, 1941, 1943, 1946-1947, 1951, 1958-1962, 1967-1968, 1970-1971, 1974
- Box 115 of 253 Folder 4 Natural History Society of Maryland, 1934, 1936, 1951-1952
- Box 115 of 253 Folder 5 Ne-Nu, general
- Box 115 of 253 Folder 6 O, general
- Box 115 of 253 Folder 7 Office of Scientific Research and Development, 1941, 1945-1947. Correspondence concerning his work on the Council of Scientific Personnel.
- Box 115 of 253 Folder 8 P, general



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Most of the records consist of routine correspondence inquiring about employment at the USNM. Of particular importance are files concerning a proposed National Museum of History, 1926-1932; records concerning the selection of Wetmore's successor as Secretary, 1951-1952; and correspondence relating to the USNM Nomenclatural Discussion Group, 1946-1949.

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Also included is a smaller amount of material concerning Wetmore's professional career which consists mostly of personnel notifications from the Bureau of Biological Survey and the Smithsonian. Of particular importance is a memorandum from Wetmore to Charles D. Walcott (13 March 1925) containing his thoughts on the future of the USNM. This memorandum was the basis for Wetmore's selection as Assistant Secretary.

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## Series 8: Field Work and Official Travel Files, 1910-1974.

This series provides comprehensive documentation of Alexander Wetmore's extensive field work and travel during his service in the federal government. Included are records documenting field trips undertaken for the Bureau of Biological Survey and the Smithsonian Institution; his attendance at scientific conferences and professional meetings, especially of the American Ornithologists' Union and the International Ornithological Congress; inspection trips for the National Geographic Society; and study trips to foreign and domestic museums.

The records include correspondence, field notes, field diaries, expense records, reports, itineraries, photographs and photographic data, newsclippings, reference materials, maps, publications, and memorabilia.

Records concerning Wetmore's Panama field work are found in series 9. Researchers interested in his field work and other travel should also consult series 1, general correspondence, and series 13, photographic materials.

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Digital Content: Florida, 1919. To obtain information on the feeding habits of pelicans; lead poisoning of swans and other species of birds; and reported damage to sugar cane crops by rodents. Includes a field diary, 16 January-4 March 1919, correspondence, reports, expense book, and reference materials. [Image nos. SIA2017-013840 to SIA2017-014007]

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Folder 7 South America, 1920-1921. To investigate the distribution of life zones of North American migrant birds in southern South America. On this trip, Wetmore was designated a temporary disbursing agent for the Department of Treasury. Includes correspondence concerning his work for the Department of Treasury and other fiscal matters, receipts, bank statements, canceled checks, and expense books.

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Folders 1-2 South America, 1920-1921. Includes correspondence (in English and Spanish), photographic data, newsclippings, memorabilia, and reference materials. Of special interest is a letter from Edward William Nelson (22 November 1920) concerning an offer to Wetmore to join the Third Asiatic Expedition of the American Museum of Natural History.

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Folder 1 Georgia, 1921. To testify for government prosecution of violators of the Migratory Bird Treaty Act. Includes correspondence, diary, expense books, court rulings, and reference materials.

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Folder 2 South Carolina, 1922. To investigate the possible use of Buzzard Island as a federal bird reservation. Includes field notes, 18-19 July 1922, correspondence, reports, maps, and an expense book.

- Box 141 of 253 Folder 3 Minnesota and North Dakota, 1922. To investigate the possibility of creating a game refuge on Island Lake, Minnesota, and collect specimens of Canada Geese and obtain information on their distribution and occurrence in North Dakota. Includes field notes, circa 25 August-25 September 1922, correspondence, reports, and an expense book.
- Box 141 of 253 Folder 4 Pennsylvania, 1922. To investigate the condition of quail introduced from northeastern Mexico. Includes field notes, 31 October-4 November 1922, reports, correspondence, reference materials, and an expense book.
- Box 141 of 253 Folder 5 Maryland, 1922. To investigate the condition of quail introduced from northeastern Mexico. Includes field notes, 12-17 November 1922, reports, correspondence, and an expense book.
- Box 141 of 253 Folders 6-7 Hawaii, 1923 (Tanager Expedition). To examine and secure information on the islands in the Hawaii bird reservation. Correspondence, 1923-1925, 1931, 1937, and undated. Includes itineraries, personnel rosters, bird data, reports, and related materials.
- Box 141 of 253 Folder 8 \_\_\_\_\_. Fiscal records, including correspondence, bank statements, canceled checks, expense books, receipts, and vouchers.

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- Box 142 of 253 Folder 4 \_\_\_\_\_. Field notes, circa 10 April-20 August 1923.
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- Box 143 of 253 Folder 1 Massachusetts, 1923. To attend the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union in Cambridge. Includes correspondence and a report.
- Box 143 of 253 Folder 2 Pennsylvania, 1924. To attend the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union in Pittsburgh. Includes correspondence and a report.
- Box 143 of 253 Folder 3 Haiti and Dominican Republic, 1927. To make natural history collections for the USNM. Includes field notes, circa 23 March-3 June 1927, correspondence, expense records, and reference materials.
- Box 143 of 253 Folder 4 Western United States, 1928. To examine bird collections in western museums. Consists of a letter of instruction from Charles G. Abbot, 10 April 1928.
- Box 143 of 253 Folder 5 Europe, 1930. To collect specimens of birds for the USNM in Spain, and attend the VII International Ornithological Congress in Amsterdam. Correspondence, itineraries, and expense records.
- Box 143 of 253 Folder 6 \_\_\_\_\_. Field notes, circa 3 May-21 June 1930, passport, collected business cards, memorabilia, and maps.
- Box 143 of 253 Folder 7 \_\_\_\_\_. Photographs of Spain.
- Box 143 of 253 Folder 8 Haiti, 1931. To collect natural history specimens for the USNM. Accompanied by Frederick C. Lincoln. Field notes, circa 12 March-1 June 1931; correspondence with John Enos Graf, Charles Wallace Richmond, and others; expense records; and reference materials.
- Box 143 of 253 Folder 9 Western United States, 1932. To conduct field research and collect natural history specimens, particularly in Arizona. Correspondence with John Enos Graf and others; notes; expense records; and memorabilia.

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- Box 144 of 253 Folder 1 England, 1934. To attend VIII International Ornithological Congress at Oxford. Correspondence, field and travel notes, expense records, programs, and memorabilia.
- Box 144 of 253 Folder 2 \_\_\_\_\_. Tourist guides, timetables, and maps.
- Box 144 of 253 Folder 3 Guatemala, 1936. To conduct ornithological investigations and collect specimens for the USNM. Correspondence, 1936-1937. Correspondents include John Enos Graf, William Wilson Popenoe, and Thomas Barbour.

- Box 144 of 253 Folder 4 \_\_\_\_\_. Travel notes, expense records, photographs, reference materials, and memorabilia.
- Box 144 of 253 Folder 5 \_\_\_\_\_. Maps and city plans.
- Box 144 of 253 Folder 6 Virginia, 1937. To collect bird specimens on Mount Rogers for the USNM. Accompanied by Joseph James Murray. Correspondence, especially with Murray; expense records; and a report on the winter wren in Virginia.
- Box 144 of 253 Folder 7 Venezuela, 1937. To collect bird specimens for the USNM. Correspondence with John Enos Graf, Charles G. Abbot, William Wilson Popenoe, and others; expense records; travel notes; memorabilia; and photographs of Wetmore, Popenoe, Henri Pittier, and Ventura Barnes, Jr.
- Box 144 of 253 Folder 8 France, 1938. To attend IX International Ornithological Congress and meeting of the International Committee for Bird Preservation in Rouen. Correspondence, programs, travel and field notes, expense records, maps, and memorabilia. Correspondents include Jean Theodore Delacour.
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- Box 145 of 253 Folder 1 Mexico, 1939. To collect bird specimens for the USNM. Correspondence, expense records, permits, film notes, memorabilia, and reference materials. Correspondents include John Enos Graf, Louise M. Pearson, and Matthew Williams Stirling. Of special interest is correspondence with Stirling concerning his anthropological field work at Tres Zapotes, Veracruz.
- Box 145 of 253 Folder 2 Costa Rica, 1940. To collect bird specimens for the USNM, and examine the biological laboratory on Barro Colorado Island and an archaeological site in Guatemala. Correspondence, expense records, field notes, photographs and photographic records, and reference materials. Correspondents include Charles G. Abbot, John Enos Graf, Frank M. Setzler, and Louise M. Pearson.
- Box 145 of 253 Folder 3 \_\_\_\_\_. Maps, tourist guides, and timetables.
- Box 145 of 253 Folder 4 Colombia, 1941. To collect bird specimens for the USNM. Accompanied by Melbourne Armstrong Carriker, Jr. Correspondence, film notes, reference materials, and a field report. Correspondents include Carriker, Ventura Barnes, Jr., Armando Dugand, F. Carlos Lehmann V., William H. Phelps, William Wilson Popenoe, and James Zetek.
- Box 145 of 253 Folder 5 \_\_\_\_\_. Expense records.
- Box 145 of 253 Folder 6 California, 1948. To attend the executive committee meeting of the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics. Correspondence, itinerary, memorabilia, and a photograph.

- Box 145 of 253 Folder 7 Nebraska, 1948. To attend the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union at Omaha. Correspondence and itinerary. Correspondents include Olin Sewell Pettingill, Jr., and Frederick C. Lincoln.
- Box 145 of 253 Folder 8 Sweden, 1950. To attend the X International Ornithological Congress at Uppsala. Correspondence, travel and film notes, expense records, maps, and memorabilia.
- Box 145 of 253 Folder 9 Michigan, 1951. To observe the Kirtland Warbler. Correspondence, travel notes, and a map. Correspondents include Josselyn Van Tyne.
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- Box 146 of 253 Folder 1 California, 1952. To attend the executive committee meeting of the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics. Correspondence, expense records, and reference materials.
- Box 146 of 253 Folder 2 Venezuela, 1952. To attend the Third General Assembly of the International Union for the Protection of Nature held in Caracas. Correspondence, programs, list of participants, speeches, and reports. Correspondents include James H. Kempton and William H. Phelps, Jr.
- Box 146 of 253 Folder 3 \_\_\_\_\_. Expense records, travel and film notes, photographs, and memorabilia.
- Box 146 of 253 Folder 4 \_\_\_\_\_. Newsclippings.
- Box 146 of 253 Folder 5 California, 1953. To attend the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union in Los Angeles. Correspondence, expense records, programs, and memorabilia.
- Box 146 of 253 Folder 6 Venezuela, 1954. To take part in a ornithological expedition sponsored by William H. Phelps. Correspondence, travel notes, expense records, itineraries, provisions lists, maps, reports, and reference materials. Correspondents include James H. Kempton, William H. Phelps, Jr., and Helena M. Weiss.
- Box 146 of 253 Folder 7 \_\_\_\_\_. Newsclippings.
- Box 146 of 253 Folder 8 Europe, 1954. To attend the XI International Ornithological Congress in Basel, Switzerland, and conduct research in Vienna and London. Correspondence, expense records, programs, and newsclippings.
- Box 146 of 253 Folder 9 \_\_\_\_\_. Travel and film notes, memorabilia, and maps.

Box 146 of 253 Folder 10 Wisconsin, 1954. To attend the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union in Madison. Correspondence, expense records, travel notes, programs, abstracts of papers, and memorabilia.

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Box 147 of 253 Folder 1 Massachusetts, 1955. To attend the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union in Boston. Correspondence, expense records, reports, and meeting records.

Box 147 of 253 Folder 2 Nebraska and South Dakota, 1955. To attend Twentieth Anniversary Observance of the World Record Stratosphere Flight as a representative of the National Geographic Society. Correspondence, itineraries, newsclippings, and memorabilia.

Box 147 of 253 Folder 3 Colorado, 1956. To attend the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union in Denver and Boulder. Correspondence, expense records, travel notes, and meeting records.

Box 147 of 253 Folder 4 Illinois, 1957. To address the Centennial Meeting of the Chicago Academy of Sciences. Correspondence, expense records, reference materials, and his speech, "The Standing of the Natural Sciences in the Atomic Age."

Box 147 of 253 Folder 5 Africa, 1957. To attend the Pan-Africa Ornithological Congress in Livingstone, Rhodesia. Correspondence, expense records, itineraries, meeting records, and a group photograph of the Congress.

Box 147 of 253 Folder 6 \_\_\_\_\_. Maps and memorabilia.

Box 147 of 253 Folder 7 New Jersey, 1957. To attend the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union in Cape May. Correspondence, expense records, travel notes, meeting materials, and memorabilia.

Box 147 of 253 Folder 8 Finland and England, 1958. To attend the XII International Ornithological Congress in Helsinki and the XV International Congress of Zoology in London. Correspondence, travel notes, meeting materials, maps, and memorabilia.

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Box 148 of 253 Folder 1 New York, 1958. To attend the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union in New York City. Programs and memorabilia.

Box 148 of 253 Folder 2 Jamaica, 1959. Official travel for the National Geographic Society. Itinerary, travel and film notes, receipts, and memorabilia.

- Box 148 of 253 Folder 3 Saskatchewan, 1959. To attend the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union in Regina and visit in North Freedom, Wisconsin, on return. Correspondence, expense records, film notes, itineraries, meeting materials, reports, and memorabilia.
- Box 148 of 253 Folder 4 Michigan, 1960. To attend the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union in Ann Arbor. Correspondence, receipts, reports, meeting materials, newsclippings, and memorabilia.
- Box 148 of 253 Folder 5 Virginia, 1961. To attend the Virginia Society of Ornithology meeting in Abingdon. Program, receipts, map, and memorabilia.
- Box 148 of 253 Folder 6 Colorado, 1961. To inspect the National Geographic Society's Wetherill Mesa Archaeological Project, Mesa Verde National Park. Correspondence, itinerary, program, and memorabilia.
- Box 148 of 253 Folder 7 Utah, 1962. To attend the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union in Salt Lake City. Correspondence, reports, meeting materials, receipts, and memorabilia.
- Box 148 of 253 Folder 8 Florida, 1963. To attend the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union in Gainesville. Correspondence, expense records, meeting materials, and memorabilia.
- Box 148 of 253 Folder 9 Colorado, 1964. To inspect the National Geographic Society's Wetherill Mesa Archaeological Project, Mesa Verde National Park. Correspondence, agendas, and memorabilia.
- Box 148 of 253 Folder 10 Kansas, 1964. To attend the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union in Lawrence. Correspondence, reports, receipts, meeting materials, and memorabilia.
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- Box 149 of 253 Folder 1 England, 1964. To study the bird collections at the British Museum (Natural History). Correspondence, travel notes, receipts, and memorabilia.
- Box 149 of 253 Folder 2 East Africa and Monaco, 1965. To participate in an inspection tour of projects supported by the National Geographic Society, including projects conducted by Louis S. B. Leakey and Jacques Cousteau. Correspondence, reports, itineraries, travel notes, expense records, agendas, newsclippings, and photographs.
- Box 149 of 253 Folder 3 \_\_\_\_\_ . Maps and memorabilia.

- Box 149 of 253 Folder 4 Ohio, 1965. To attend the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union in Columbus. Correspondence, meeting materials, and memorabilia.
- Box 149 of 253 Folder 5 Illinois, 1966. To attend a meeting of the National Geographic Society's Board of Trustees in Chicago and study the bird collections at the Chicago Natural History Museum. Correspondence, itinerary, and memorabilia.
- Box 149 of 253 Folder 6 England, 1966. To attend the XIV International Ornithological Congress at Oxford and study birds at the British Museum (Natural History). Correspondence and meeting materials.
- Box 149 of 253 Folder 7 \_\_\_\_\_. Travel notes, maps, and memorabilia.
- Box 149 of 253 Folder 8 Minnesota, 1966. To attend the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union in Duluth. Correspondence, meeting materials, and memorabilia. Of special interest is a copy of pileated woodpecker observations by Fred Kent Truslow.

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- Box 150 of 253 Folder 1 Florida, 1967. To review National Geographic Society research projects at the Institute of Marine Science, University of Miami. Correspondence, itinerary, and memorabilia.
- Box 150 of 253 Folder 2 California, 1967. To inspect the National Geographic Society - San Bernadino County Museum sponsored archaeological excavation at Calico Hill led by Louis S. B. Leakey. Correspondence, itinerary, reports, and memorabilia.
- Box 150 of 253 Folder 3 Virginia, 1967. To attend the meeting of the Virginia Ornithological Society in Richmond. Correspondence, meeting materials, and memorabilia.
- Box 150 of 253 Folder 4 Ontario, 1967. To attend the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union in Toronto. Correspondence, meeting materials, and memorabilia.
- Box 150 of 253 Folder 5 Connecticut, 1967. To attend the Society of Vertebrate Paleontology meeting in New Haven. Correspondence, meeting materials, and memorabilia.
- Box 150 of 253 Folder 6 Virginia, 1968. To attend the Virginia Society of Ornithology meeting in Charlottesville. Correspondence and meeting materials.
- Box 150 of 253 Folder 7 Alaska, 1968. To attend the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union in Fairbanks. Correspondence, expense records,

itinerary, meeting materials, and a newsclipping which includes a photograph of Wetmore celebrating his eighty-second birthday.

Box 150 of 253 Folder 8 Netherlands Antilles, 1969. To study bird populations on the island of Bonaire. Correspondence, reports, newsclippings, permits, travel notes, expense records, memorabilia, and photographs and photographic records.

Box 150 of 253 Folder 9 Virginia, 1969. To attend the joint meeting of the Virginia Society of Ornithology and the Wilson Ornithological Society in Williamsburg. Correspondence, meeting materials, and memorabilia.

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Box 151 of 253 Folder 1 Turkey, Cyprus, and England, 1969. To review archaeological research projects sponsored by the National Geographic Society in Turkey and Cyprus and to study the bird collections at the British Museum (Natural History). Correspondence, itineraries, reports, travel notes, and memorabilia.

Box 151 of 253 Folder 2 \_\_\_\_\_. Reference materials and maps.

Box 151 of 253 Folder 3 Arkansas, 1969. To attend the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union in Fayetteville. Correspondence, meeting materials, and memorabilia.

Box 151 of 253 Folder 4 Pennsylvania, 1970. To attend a dinner honoring Leonard Carmichael as recipient of the Henry Grier Bryant Gold Medal of the Geological Society of Philadelphia. Correspondence, expense records, and memorabilia.

Box 151 of 253 Folder 5 Illinois, 1970. To attend a meeting of the National Geographic Society's Board of Trustees and to study the bird collections at the Field Museum of Natural History. Correspondence, receipts, and meeting materials.

Box 151 of 253 Folder 6 Netherlands and England, 1970. To attend the XV International Ornithological Congress at the Hague and study the bird collections at the British Museum (Natural History). Correspondence; meeting materials; notes on birds studied; expense records; travel records; photographs of Wetmore, Guy Mountfort, A. Landsborough Thompson, and Erwin Stresseman; and memorabilia.

Box 151 of 253 Folder 7 \_\_\_\_\_. Abstracts of papers given at XV International Ornithological Congress.

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- Box 152 of 253 Folder 1 New York, 1970. To visit the Eastman Kodak Company in Rochester, with the Board of Trustees of the National Geographic Society. Correspondence, itineraries, and reference materials.
- Box 152 of 253 Folder 2 New York, 1970. To accept the Cornell Laboratory of Ornithology Arthur A. Allen Award in Ithaca. Correspondence, biographical notes, and memorabilia. Correspondents include Ernst Mayr and Olin Sewall Pettingill, Jr.
- Box 152 of 253 Folder 3 Virginia, 1971. To attend the Virginia Society of Ornithology meeting in Staunton. Correspondence, meeting materials, and memorabilia.
- Box 152 of 253 Folder 4 Washington, 1971. To attend the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union in Seattle. Correspondence and meeting materials.
- Box 152 of 253 Folder 5 Virginia, 1972. To attend the Virginia Society of Ornithology meeting in Fredericksburg. Correspondence, meeting materials, and a handwritten draft of his paper, "Ancient Records from the Coastal Area."
- Box 152 of 253 Folder 6 North Dakota, 1972. To attend the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union in Grand Forks. Correspondence, travel notes, expense records, meeting materials, and memorabilia.
- Box 152 of 253 Folder 7 \_\_\_\_\_. Abstracts of papers given at the 1972 AOU meeting.
- Box 152 of 253 Folder 8 Massachusetts, 1973. To attend the annual meeting of the American Ornithologists' Union in Provincetown and study the bird collections at the Museum of Comparative Zoology. Correspondence, itineraries, and meeting materials.
- Box 152 of 253 Folder 9 \_\_\_\_\_. Memorabilia.
- Box 152 of 253 Folder 10 Virginia, 1974. To attend the Virginia Society of Ornithology meeting in Virginia Beach. Correspondence, checklist of birds, receipts, and meeting materials.

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## Series 9: Panama Field Work Files, 1944-1966.

This series contains records documenting Alexander Wetmore's field work in Panama in 1944 and from 1946 to 1966. Wetmore made a detailed and exhaustive survey of Panama's birds, covering the entire isthmus with his explorations. The culmination of this extensive work was the publication of *The Birds of the Republic of Panama*.

The records include correspondence, field reports, itineraries, photographs and photographic data, expense records, permits, notes, newsclippings, reference materials, and memorabilia. The correspondence, which is mostly with Smithsonian officials and staff, not only documents Wetmore's work, but also provides useful information on day-to-day activities at the Institution during the late 1940s and early 1950s. Letters written by John Enos Graf are of particular importance.

Researchers should also see series 13 for photographs relating to Wetmore's field explorations in Panama.

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- Box 153 of 253      Folder 2 \_\_\_\_\_. Reference materials, addresses of contacts, passport photographs, newsclippings, and memorabilia.
- Box 153 of 253      Folder 3 Panama, 1946. To visit the Canal Zone Biological Area, inspect the San Jose Project of 1944, and collect bird specimens in Darien. Assisted by Watson M. Perrygo. Correspondence, photographs and photographic notes, expense records, travel notes, reference materials, and memorabilia. Correspondents include John Enos Graf and Louise M. Pearson.
- Box 153 of 253      Folder 4 Panama, 1947. To visit the Canal Zone Biological Area, inspect the San Jose Project of 1944, and collect bird specimens in Darien. Assisted by Watson M. Perrygo. Correspondence, expense records, travel notes, newsclippings, and film notes. Correspondents include John Enos Graf. Of special interest is a letter from Wetmore to H. R. Harmon (12 June 1947) which contains a report on the expedition.
- Box 153 of 253      Folder 5 Panama, 1948. To visit the Canal Zone Biological Area and to collect bird specimens in Herrera and Los Santos. Assisted by Watson M. Perrygo. Correspondence, newsclippings, expense records, film notes, travel notes, and memorabilia. Correspondents include John Enos Graf, Louise M. Pearson, and James Zetek. Of special interest is a letter from Wetmore to Willis H. Hale (6 May 1948) which contains a report on the expedition.

- Box 153 of 253 Folder 6 Panama, 1949. To visit the Canal Zone Biological Area and to collect bird specimens in Chepo and other parts of Panama. Assisted by Watson M. Perrygo. Correspondence, reference materials, expense records, travel notes, and film notes. Correspondents include John Enos Graf, Louise M. Pearson, James Zetek, Ratibor Hartmann, Matthew Williams and Marion Illg Stirling, and Karl P. Curtis. Of special interest is correspondence with the Stirlings concerning their archaeological field work in Panama, and a letter from Wetmore to Willis H. Hale (8 June 1949) which contains a report on the expedition.
- Box 153 of 253 Folder 7 Panama, 1950. To visit the Canal Zone Biological Area and to collect bird specimens in Chiman and along Rio Maje in Darien. Assisted by Watson M. Perrygo. Correspondence, reference materials, expense records, travel notes, film notes, and memorabilia. Correspondents include John Enos Graf, Louise M. Pearson, Herbert C. Clark, Karl P. Curtis, Charles Lewis Gazin, and Ratibor Hartmann.
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- Box 154 of 253 Folder 1 Panama, 1951. To visit the Canal Zone Biological Area and to collect bird specimens in Cerro Campana and other points in Panama. Assisted by Watson M. Perrygo. Correspondence, permits, newsclippings, expense records, travel notes, itinerary, film notes, and memorabilia. Correspondents include John Enos Graf, Ratibor Hartmann, John L. Keddy, Louise M. Pearson, Matthew Williams and Marion Illg Stirling, and James Zetek. Of special interest is correspondence from the Stirlings documenting archaeological field work in Panama.
- Box 154 of 253 Folder 2 Panama, 1952. To visit the Canal Zone Biological Area and collect bird specimens along the Rio Indio and on Taboga Island. Correspondence, expense records, newsclippings, reference materials, travel notes, film notes, itinerary, and memorabilia. Correspondents include John Enos Graf, Louise M. Pearson, Eugene Eisenmann, Matthew Williams and Marion Illg Stirling, and James Zetek.
- Box 154 of 253 Folder 3 Panama, 1953. To visit the Canal Zone Biological Area and the Museo Nacional and collect bird specimens in Sona, Veraguas. Assisted by Watson M. Perrygo. Correspondence, permits, photographs and photographic notes, expense records, itinerary, and memorabilia. Correspondents include John Enos Graf, Louise M. Pearson, Matthew Williams and Marion Illg Stirling, Margaret Wetmore Harlan, James Zetek, Eugene Eisenmann, and Karl P. Curtis.
- Box 154 of 253 Folder 4 Panama, 1954. To visit the Canal Zone Biological Area and collect bird specimens in Chiriqui. Assisted by Beatrice Thielen Wetmore. The Netherlands Antilles and Venezuela were also visited. Correspondence, newsclippings, reference materials, permits, itinerary, film notes, travel notes, expense records, field report, and memorabilia. Correspondents include John Enos Graf, Watson M. Perrygo, James Zetek, and Adela Gomez.

- Box 154 of 253 Folder 5 Panama, 1955. To visit the Canal Zone Biological Area and the Gorgas Memorial Laboratory, and to collect bird specimens in the Canal Zone and Chiriqui. Assisted by Beatrice Thielen Wetmore. Correspondence, permits, newsclippings, film notes, travel notes, expense records, and memorabilia. Correspondents include John Enos Graf, A. Remington Kellogg, and James Zetek.
- Box 154 of 253 Folder 6 Panama, 1956. To visit the Canal Zone Biological Area, and collect bird specimens in the Canal Zone and on Isla Coiba. Correspondence, film notes, travel notes, newsclippings, expense records, and memorabilia. Correspondents include John Enos Graf, A. Remington Kellogg, James Zetek, and Margaret Wetmore Harlan.
- Box 154 of 253 Folder 7 Panama, 1957. To visit the Canal Zone Biological Area, the Museo Nacional, and the Gorgas Memorial Laboratory; and to collect bird specimens in the Tonosi Valley, Los Santos, San Blas Islands, and the Azuero Peninsula. Assisted by Beatrice Thielen Wetmore. Correspondence, newsclippings, reference materials, travel notes, film notes, expense records, and memorabilia. Correspondents include John Enos Graf, Herbert Friedmann, Herbert Girton Deignan, Henry Allen Moe, and Margaret Harlan Wetmore.
- Box 155
- Box 155 of 253 Folder 1 Panama, 1958. To visit the Canal Zone Biological Area and to collect bird specimens in the Canal Zone, Bocas del Toro, Cocle, La Jagua, and on Isla Escudo de Veraguas. Assisted by Beatrice Thielen Wetmore. Correspondence, reference materials, expense records, travel notes, photographs and photographic records, field report, and memorabilia. Correspondents include Herbert Friedmann and Louise M. Pearson.
- Box 155 of 253 Folder 2 Panama, 1959. To visit the Canal Zone Biological Area, and collect bird specimens in the Canal Zone and Darien. Assisted by Beatrice Thielen Wetmore. Correspondence, expense records, newsclippings, travel notes, film notes, field report, and memorabilia. Correspondents include Herbert Friedmann and Charles O. Handley, Jr. Of special interest are Handley's letters documenting his field work in Panama.
- Box 155 of 253 Folder 3 Panama, 1960. To visit the Canal Zone Biological Area and collect bird specimens in the Canal Zone and on various Pacific islands. Assisted by Beatrice Thielen Wetmore. Correspondence, newsclippings, expense records, film notes, travel notes, and memorabilia. Correspondents include Carl Milton Johnson and Pedro Galindo.
- Box 155 of 253 Folder 4 Panama, 1961. To visit the Canal Zone Biological Area and collect bird specimens in the Canal Zone and Darien. Assisted by Beatrice Thielen Wetmore. Correspondence, newsclippings, expense records, travel notes, film notes, and memorabilia. Correspondents include Adela Gomez and Richard H. Stewart.

- Box 155 of 253 Folder 5 Panama, 1962. To visit the Canal Zone Biological Area, and collect bird specimens in the Canal Zone and the Bay of Panama. Assisted by Beatrice Thielen Wetmore. Correspondence, permits, newsclippings, itinerary, expense records, travel notes, photographs and photographic records, and memorabilia. Correspondents include Richard H. Stewart.
- Box 155 of 253 Folder 6 Panama, 1963. To visit the Canal Zone Biological Area, and collect birds in the Canal Zone, Cocle, Darien, the San Blas Islands, and the islands off the coast of Chiriqui. Assisted by Beatrice Thielen Wetmore. Correspondence, permits, travel notes, film notes, field report, and memorabilia. Correspondents include Harvey R. Bullis, Jr.
- Box 155 of 253 Folder 7 Panama, 1964. To visit the Canal Zone Biological Area and Gorgas Memorial Laboratory, and collect bird specimens in El Real and on Cerro Mali. Correspondence, newsclippings, permits, maps, film notes, travel notes, expense records, and memorabilia. Correspondents include Pedro Galindo, Charles O. Handley, Jr., and Beatrice Thielen Wetmore.
- Box 155 of 253 Folder 8 Panama, 1965. To visit the Canal Zone Biological Area and the Gorgas Memorial Laboratory, and to collect bird specimens on Isla Cebaco and other points in Panama. Assisted by Beatrice Thielen Wetmore. Correspondence, newsclippings, photographs and photographic data, travel notes, and memorabilia. Correspondents include Beatrice Thielen Wetmore.
- Box 155 of 253 Folder 9 Panama, 1966. To visit the Canal Zone Biological Area, and collect bird specimens in the Canal Zone and Chiriqui. Assisted by Beatrice Thielen Wetmore. Correspondence, newsclippings, travel notes, photographs and photographic data, permits, and memorabilia.

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## Series 10: Birds of the Republic of Panama Manuscripts, Proofs, Correspondence, and Related Materials, 1968-1969 and undated.

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- Box 156 of 253            Folder 4 \_\_\_\_\_. Part 1. Abstract in Spanish by J. F. Lopez.  
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- Box 156 of 253            Folder 5 \_\_\_\_\_. Part 1. Corrigenda.
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## Series 11: Drawings of Fossil Birds, 1918-1956.

This series consists of a sample of the original illustrations used in many of Alexander Wetmore's papers on fossil birds. Most of the illustrations were executed by Sydney C. Prentice, to whom Wetmore dedicated a new species of rail in 1944. Also included are a few photographs of fossil bird bones.

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- Box 162 of 253 Folder 28 *Gymnogyps californianus*. Figures 4-5 and plate IV, "The Avifauna of the Pleistocene in Florida," 1931.
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- Box 162 of 253 Folder 54 *Querquedula floridana*. Figures 2-3, "The Avi fauna of the Pleistocene in Florida," 1931.
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## Series 12: Desk Diaries and Appointment Books, 1917-1956.

This series consists of desk diaries and appointment books kept by Alexander Wetmore from 1917 to 1956, not inclusive. The volumes for 1917, 1919-1920, 1923, 1926-1930, and 1953-1956 contain brief accounts of daily activities, research interests, field work, and social events. The volumes for the years 1932-1950 are primarily appointment books kept by Wetmore's secretary.

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## Series 13: Photographic Materials, 1901-1974 and undated, with Related Materials from 1868.

This series provides extensive photographic documentation of all aspects of Wetmore's professional career. Included are voluminous photographs taken by Wetmore on field trips and scientific expeditions; photographs documenting his attendance at scientific meetings, official functions, and social gatherings; photographs from his boyhood in North Freedom, Wisconsin; photographs of events in which he participated during his Smithsonian career; portraits of Wetmore; photographs of Wetmore with family, friends, and colleagues; and photographs of professional colleagues collected by Wetmore.

Many of the photographs are found in albums maintained by Wetmore from 1901 to 1969. The albums are organized in two categories - "field work and travel" and "miscellaneous." Albums in the first category contain photographs of Wetmore in the field, expedition colleagues, field operations, and native people, fauna, flora, and physiography of regions visited. Also included are photographs taken by Wetmore at meetings of the International Ornithological Congress in Europe. The "miscellaneous" albums are more personal in nature, but also depict field work and travel, especially to attend meetings of the American Ornithologists' Union. They also provide many photographs of annual outings of the Washington Biologists' Field Club.

Other photographic media represented in the series include lantern slides, 35mm color slides, motion pictures (including a National Geographic Society film on Barro Colorado Island), and negatives.

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#### **Photograph Albums - Field Work and Travel**

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- Box 169 of 253      Albums 2-3 "A Summer in Wyoming - 1910." Consists mostly of duplicates of photographs found in album 1.
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Album 2 Panama, Costa Rica and Guatemala, 1940; Panama, 1944. Includes photographs of Wetmore and Joseph P. E. Morrison.

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Album 1 Colombia, Curacao, Venezuela, and Bermuda, 1941. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Armando Dugand, F. Carlos Lehmann V., Hermano Apolinar Maria, Jose Cuatrecasas, Melbourne Armstrong Carriker, Jr., and Raymond E. Crist.

[Digital Content: Album 1 Colombia, Curacao, Venezuela, and Bermuda, 1941. \[Image nos. SIA2016-005993 to SIA2016-006092\]](#)

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Album 1 Panama (Darien), 1946. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Watson M. Perrygo, T. C. Schneirla, and James Zetek. Also included are photographs of the Barro Colorado Island Laboratory.

[Digital Content: Album 1 Panama \(Darien\), 1946. \[Image nos. SIA2016-006093 to SIA2016-006230\]](#)

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[Digital Content: Album 1 Panama \(Darien\), 1947. \[Image nos. SIA2016-006231 to SIA2016-006326\]](#)

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[Digital Content: Album 1 Panama, 1948. \[Image nos. SIA2016-006811 to SIA2016-006928\]](#)

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Box 179 of 253                      Album 1 Panama, 1949. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Watson M. Perrygo, Richard H. Stewart, Matthew Williams Stirling, Marion Illg Stirling, and James Zetek.

[Digital Content: Album 1 Panama, 1949. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Watson M. Perrygo, Richard H. Stewart, Matthew Williams Stirling, Marion Illg Stirling, and James Zetek. \[Image nos. SIA2016-006929 to SIA2016-007056\]](#)

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[Digital Content: Album 1 Panama, 1950. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Watson M. Perrygo, and Ratibor Hartmann. Also includes photographs of the Canal Zone Biological Area. \[Image nos. SIA2016-007057 to SIA2016-007188\]](#)

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[Digital Content: Album 1 Panama, 1951. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Watson M. Perrygo, Harold Trapido, Shirley Gage, Graham Bell Fairchild, Marshall Hertig, James Zetek, Marion Illg Stirling, Matthew Williams Stirling, and Richard H. Stewart. Also includes photographs of the Canal Zone Biological Area. \[Image nos. SIA2016-007189 to SIA2016-007266\]](#)

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Box 182 of 253                      Album 1 Panama, 1952. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Watson M. Perrygo, Harold Trapido, and James Zetek. Also includes photographs of the Canal Zone Biological Area.  
[Digital Content: Album 1 Panama, 1952. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Watson M. Perrygo, Harold Trapido, and James Zetek. Also includes photographs of the Canal Zone Biological Area. \[Image nos. SIA2016-007267 to SIA2016-007384\]](#)

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Box 183 of 253                      Album 1 Venezuela, 1952. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Jean Theodore Delacour, Ernst Schaefer, William H. Phelps, John T. Zimmer, and James H. Kempton.  
[Digital Content: Album 1 Venezuela, 1952. \[Image nos. SIA2016-007477 to SIA2016-007521\]](#)

Box 183 of 253                      Album 2 Panama, 1953. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Watson M. Perrygo, James Zetek, and Karl P. Curtis.  
[Digital Content: Album 2 Panama, 1953. \[Image nos. SIA2016-007385 to SIA2016-007476\]](#)

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Box 184 of 253                      Album 1 Panama, 1954. Includes photographs of Wetmore and Beatrice Thielen Wetmore.  
[Digital Content: Album 1 Panama, 1954. \[Image nos. \]](#)

Box 184 of 253                      Album 2 Curacao and Venezuela, 1954. Volume 1. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Beatrice Thielen Wetmore, James H. Kempton, Kathleen D. Phelps, and William H. Phelps, Jr.  
[Digital Content: Album 2 Curacao and Venezuela, 1954. \[Image nos. SIA2016-007522 to SIA2016-007593\]](#)

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[Digital Content: Album 1 Venezuela, 1954. \[Image nos. SIA2016-007594 to SIA2016-007651\]](#)

Box 185 of 253                      Album 2 Europe, 1954. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Beatrice Thielen Wetmore, Collingwood Ingram, George Hines Lowery, Jr., Charles Gald Sibley, Robert Winthrop Storer, Ernst Mayr, Sven Horstadius, and A. Landsborough Thomson.

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[Digital Content: Album 1 Panama and Coiba Island, 1956. \[Image nos. SIA2016-007652 to SIA2016-007716\]](#)

Box 187 of 253                      Album 2 Africa, 1957. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Jean Theodore Delacour, Hoyes Lloyd, and Roger Tory Peterson.  
[Digital Content: Album 2 Africa, 1957. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Jean Theodore Delacour, Hoyes Lloyd, and Roger Tory Peterson. \[Image nos. SIA2016-007717 to SIA2016-007767\]](#)

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[Digital Content: Album 1 Panama, 1957. Volume 1. \[Image nos. SIA2016-007768 to SIA2016-007815\]](#)

Box 188 of 253                      Album 2 Panama, 1957. Volume 2. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Beatrice Thielen Wetmore, Carl B. Koford, and Graham Bell Fairchild. Also includes photographs of the Canal Zone Biological Area.  
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Digital Content: Album 1 Finland and England, 1958. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Beatrice Thielen Wetmore, Erwin Stresemann, Dean Amadon, and Robert Winthrop Storer. [Image nos. SIA2016-007871 to SIA2016-007931]

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Album 2 Panama, 1959. Volume 1. Includes photographs of Wetmore and Beatrice Thielen Wetmore.

Digital Content: Album 2 Panama, 1959. Volume 1. Includes photographs of Wetmore and Beatrice Thielen Wetmore. [Image nos. SIA2016-007932 to SIA2016-007989]

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Album 1 Panama, 1959. Volume 2. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Beatrice Thielen Wetmore, and Martin Humphrey Moynihan.

Digital Content: Album 1 Panama, 1959. Volume 2. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Beatrice Thielen Wetmore, and Martin Humphrey Moynihan. [Image nos. SIA2016-007990 to SIA2016-008041]

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Album 1 Panama, 1960. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Beatrice Thielen Wetmore, and Frank Alexander Hartman.

Digital Content: Album 1 Panama, 1960. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Beatrice Thielen Wetmore, and Frank Alexander Hartman. [Image nos. SIA2016-008042 to SIA2016-008127]

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Album 2 Panama, 1961. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Beatrice Thielen Wetmore, Conrad E. Yunker, and Charles M. Keenan.

Digital Content: Album 2 Panama, 1961. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Beatrice Thielen Wetmore, Conrad E. Yunker, and Charles M. Keenan. [Image nos. SIA2016-008128 to SIA2016-008178]

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Album 1 Panama, 1962. Volume 1. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Beatrice Thielen Wetmore, Charles O. Handley, Jr., Helena M. Weiss, and Francis Greenwell.

Digital Content: Album 1 Panama, 1962. Volume 1. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Beatrice Thielen Wetmore, Charles O. Handley, Jr., Helena M. Weiss, and Francis Greenwell. [Image nos. SIA2016-008179 to SIA2016-008229]

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Album 2 Panama, 1962. Volume 2. Includes photographs of Wetmore and Beatrice Thielen Wetmore.

[Digital Content: Album 2 Panama, 1962. Volume 2. Includes photographs of Wetmore and Beatrice Thielen Wetmore. \[Image nos. SIA2016-008230 to SIA2016-008275\]](#)

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Album 3 Panama, 1963. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Beatrice Thielen Wetmore, Harvey R. Bullis, Jr., Charles O. Handley, Jr., and Francis Greenwell.

[Digital Content: Album 3 Panama, 1963. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Beatrice Thielen Wetmore, Harvey R. Bullis, Jr., Charles O. Handley, Jr., and Francis Greenwell. \[Image nos. SIA2016-008276 to SIA2016-008330\]](#)

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Album 1 Panama, 1964. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Charles O. Handley, Jr., William E. Duellman, and Carl Milton Johnson.

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Album 2 Africa, 1965. Includes photographs of Wetmore, Leonard Carmichael, Thomas Dale Stewart, Melvin M. Payne, Matthew Williams Stirling, Louis S. B. Leakey, Mary Leakey, and Richard Leakey. Also includes photographs of archaeological sites at Olduvai Gorge, Tanzania and Ft. Ternan, Kenya.

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Album 3 Panama, 1965-1966. Includes photographs of Wetmore and Beatrice Thielen Wetmore.

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Album 1 Bonaire and Curacao, Netherlands Antilles, 1969. Includes photographs of Wetmore and Beatrice Thielen Wetmore.

[Digital Content: Album 1 Bonaire and Curacao, Netherlands Antilles, 1969. Includes photographs of Wetmore and Beatrice Thielen Wetmore. \[Image nos. SIA2016-008331 to SIA2016-008386\]](#)

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Album 2 1901-1922. Includes photographs documenting Wetmore's early natural history field work in Wisconsin, Kansas, and Colorado, 1901-1909; his work as a taxidermist at the University of Kansas Museum and the Colorado Museum of Natural History; and outings of the Washington Biologists' Field Club. Also included are photographs of Wetmore, his family, and home. Other individuals represented by photographs include Charles Dean Bunker, Ernest John Oslar, Edward Alexander Preble, and Waldo Lee McAtee.

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Album 3 1926-1932. Consists mostly of photographs taken on field and official trips to New Jersey, 1926; Ohio, 1926; Maryland, 1926-1930; Virginia, 1927-1929; the western United States, 1928 and 1932; New York, 1929; and Illinois, 1932. Included are photographs of Wetmore, his family, and home. Other individuals represented by photographs include Donald Ryder Dickey,

Casey Albert Wood, Loye Holmes Miller, Laurence M. Huey, Charles Dean Bunker, Harold S. Colton, Lyndon L. Hargrave, Albert Kenrick Fisher, Witmer Stone, Lee H. Parish, Samuel Charles Kendeigh, Rudyerd Boulton, Samuel Prentiss Baldwin, William Louis Abbott, Ernest Pillsbury Walker, Florence Merriam Bailey, Adriaan Joseph van Rossem, Ernest Golsan Holt, James Henry Fleming, Gregory Macalister Mathews, Walter Kenrick Fisher, Joseph Harvey Riley, Frederick C. Lincoln, and Edward Alexander Preble.

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Album 1 1933-1943. Consists mostly of photographs documenting field and official trips to Virginia, 1933-1937, 1939-1943; West Virginia, 1936; Tennessee, 1937; Kentucky, 1938; North Carolina, 1939; and Maryland, 1941. Also included are photographs of Wetmore; outings of the Washington Biologists' Field Club; an excursion to Williamsburg, Virginia, by the VIII American Scientific Congress, 1940; and the Smithsonian World War II storage facilities at Shenandoah National Park. Individuals represented by photographs include Herbert Friedmann, Austin Roberts, John Enos Graf, Watson M. Perrygo, John Carleton Lingeback, Austin H. Clark, Joseph James Murray, Albert Kenrick Fisher, Herbert Girton Deignan, Gregor Rohwer, Adriaan Joseph van Rossem, Abelardo Moreno Bonilla, John Southgate Hoyt, Edward Alphonso Goldman, Frank M. Setzler, Carl W. Mitman, Robert Cushman Murphy, and John Warren Aldrich.

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Album 2 1944-1948. Includes photographs documenting field and official trips to Virginia, 1945-1948; Maryland, 1946-1948; Illinois, 1946; Maine and Massachusetts, 1946; Toronto, 1947; and California, 1948. Also includes photographs of Wetmore; the Patuxent (MD) Wildlife Refuge; and Washington Biologists' Field Club outings. Individuals represented by photographs include Ellsworth Paine Killip, Ira N. Gabrielson, Jay N. Darling, Francis Morey Uhler, Joseph James Murray, John Enos Graf, John Warren Aldrich, Herbert Friedmann, Adriaan Joseph van Rossem, Leverett A. Adams, Albert Kenrick Fisher, James Lee Peters, William M. Mann, William D. Hassett, Roger Tory Peterson, Walter Kenrick Fisher, Edward Albert Chapin, Hoyes Lloyd, Paul Bartsch, and Edward Alexander Preble.

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Album 1 1949-1952. Includes photographs of Wetmore; field trips to Virginia, 1949-1952; Washington Biologists' Field Club outings; American Ornithologists' Union meetings; and the X International Ornithological Congress, Stockholm, 1950. Individuals represented by photographs include Francis Morey Uhler, Jason Richard Swallen, Herbert Spencer Barber, John Enos Graf, Frederick C. Lincoln, Clarence Cottam, Joseph P. E. Morrison, Arthur A. Allen, Dean Amadon, George Hines Lowery, Jr., Sidney Fay Blake, James Lee Peters, Arthur Cleveland Bent, Andrew John Berger, Josselyn Van Tyne, Hoyes Lloyd, and Eugene Eisenmann.

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Album 2 1953-1958. Includes photographs of Wetmore and his family; field trips to Virginia, 1953-1958; American Ornithologists' Union meetings; and Washington Biologists' Field Club outings. Individuals represented by

photographs include William H. Phelps, Jean Theodore Delacour, Clarence Cottam, Ellsworth Paine Killip, Kenneth Carroll Parkes, Horace G. Smith, Melbourne Armstrong Carriker, Jr., and Watson M. Perrygo.

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- Box 198 of 253 Album 1 1959-1962. Includes photographs of Wetmore and his family; field trips to Virginia, 1959-1961; the XIII International Ornithological Congress, Ithaca, New York, 1962; American Ornithologists' Union meetings; and a National Geographical Society trip to Jamaica, 1959. Individuals represented by photographs include A. Remington Kellogg, Eugene Eisenmann, L. Irby Davis, Joseph James Murray, Chandler S. Robbins, and C. Lynn Hayward.
- Box 198 of 253 Album 2 "Twentieth Anniversary of the Flight of the Stratosphere Balloon Explorer II, Rapid City, South Dakota," 1955

#### Box 199

##### **Photographs - Alexander Wetmore**

- Box 199 of 253 Folders 1-2 Alexander Wetmore. Portraits, 1936, 1943-1944, 1947, 1966, 1970, and undated.
- Box 199 of 253 Folder 3 \_\_\_\_\_. In taxidermy shop, University of Kansas, circa 1907.
- Box 199 of 253 Folder 4 \_\_\_\_\_. Field work, 1910, 1918, 1923, 1926, 1932, 1944, 1950, and undated.
- Box 199 of 253 Folder 5 \_\_\_\_\_. Social occasions, 1944, 1970.
- Box 199 of 253 Folder 6 \_\_\_\_\_. At Ripon College to receive Honorary Doctor of Science degree, 6 June 1959.
- Box 199 of 253 Folder 7 \_\_\_\_\_. Working in the Division of Birds, 1969, and undated.
- Box 199 of 253 Folder 8 \_\_\_\_\_. Birding, undated.
- Box 199 of 253 Folder 9 \_\_\_\_\_. With Beatrice Thielen Wetmore, 1959.
- Box 199 of 253 Folder 10 \_\_\_\_\_. With Beatrice Thielen Wetmore and Carl Milton Johnson, undated.
- Box 199 of 253 Folder 11 \_\_\_\_\_. With Stewart Anderson, 1944.

Box 199 of 253 Folder 12 \_\_\_\_\_ . With Lyman J. Briggs and Gilbert Hovey  
Grosvenor, 1956.

Box 199 of 253 Folder 13 \_\_\_\_\_ . With Herbert Friedmann, Herbert Girton  
Deignan, Jane Love, and Samuel A. Army, 1951.

Box 199 of 253 Folder 14 \_\_\_\_\_ . With William D. Hassett, 1951.

Box 199 of 253 Folder 15 \_\_\_\_\_ . With Carl Milton Johnson, undated.

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Box 199 of 253 Folder 20 \_\_\_\_\_ . With Jose Manuel Ortega, 1950.

Box 199 of 253 Folder 21 \_\_\_\_\_ . With Harold S. Palmer, 1923.

Box 199 of 253 Folder 22 \_\_\_\_\_ . With William H. Phelps, Jr., and S. Dillon  
Ripley, 1952.

Box 199 of 253 Folder 23 \_\_\_\_\_ . With Charles E. Reno, 1923.

Box 199 of 253 Folder 24 \_\_\_\_\_ . With Sievert Allen Rohwer, 1928.

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- Box 200 of 253 Folder 52 Ridgway, Robert, 1884, and undated  
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- Box 201 of 253 Folder 10 Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station. 75th Anniversary Celebration, 29 September 1950.
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- Box 202 of 253 Folder 19 \_\_\_\_\_. Examining birds, circa 1960.
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**Lantern Slides - Field Work**

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### **Lantern Slides - Miscellaneous**

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This series documents Alexander Wetmore's service as Chairman of the National Academy of Sciences' Daniel Giraud Elliot Fund Award Committee from 1947 to 1963. The records primarily consist of correspondence with committee members concerning the nomination and selection of candidates for the award. Also included are files created by Wetmore's predecessor, William King Gregory.

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## Series 15: Research Files, circa 1911-1972, and undated.

This series consists primarily of field records; specimen lists; published materials; maps; manuscripts of published and unpublished papers; notes; and related materials created and collected by Alexander Wetmore that document his research on recent and fossil birds. Also included are smaller amounts of correspondence, photographs, and drawings.

Of particular interest is a large file of unpublished manuscripts, speeches, and radio talks; a journal, correspondence, specimen lists, and notes documenting William Louis Abbott's field work in Haiti, 1916-1928; a journal kept by Watson M. Perrygo on a field expedition to Haiti in 1928-1929; diaries and photographs concerning the Parish-Smithsonian Expedition to Haiti, 1930; and correspondence concerning Wetmore's study of avian fossils discovered by Louis S. B. Leakey.

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## Series 17: Typescript Copies of John Xantus Correspondence, circa 1930s.

This series consists of typescript copies of correspondence written by John Xantus to Spencer F. Baird detailing his collecting activities in Lower California, 1857-1861. The typescripts were prepared by Wetmore's secretary, Louise M. Pearson in the late 1930s.

The original Xantus letters can be found in the Smithsonian Archives, Record Unit 7212.

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"Best Wishes to Alexander Wetmore." An autograph book given to Wetmore for his 28 years at the Smithsonian upon his retirement in 1952.

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