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## Collection Overview

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## Administrative Information

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## Historical Note

Lee L. Buchanan (1893-1958) was an entomologist specializing in Coleoptera taxonomy. From 1917 to 1929 he was Assistant Biologist with the Bureau of Biological Survey, United States Department of Agriculture (USDA). In 1929 he was appointed Entomologist with the Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine, USDA. He remained in the position until his retirement in 1949. Buchanan also served as honorary Specialist for the Casey Collection of Coleoptera, United States National Museum, 1926-1958.

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## Descriptive Entry

This collection consists of field notes taken by Buchanan during a collecting trip in Iowa, 1917; an unpublished manuscript on West Indian Apion; and notes, correspondence, and related materials concerning his research on Coleoptera.

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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:

Entomology

### Types of Materials:

Field notes  
Manuscripts

Names:

Buchanan, Lee L. (Lee La Forest), 1893-  
United States National Museum. Division of Insects  
United States. Bureau of Biological Survey  
United States. Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine  
United States. Department of Agriculture

## Container Listing

Box 1	
Box 1 of 1	Folder 1 Collecting Notes - Iowa
Box 1 of 1	Folder 2 Apion Manuscript, undated
Box 1 of 1	Folder 3 Miscellaneous Correspondence, Notes and Related Materials on Coleoptera, 1943-1948.