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## Collection Overview

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## Administrative Information

### Preferred Citation

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## Historical Note

Arnold B. Grobman (1918- ) was educated in the public schools of Newark, New Jersey, the University of Michigan (B.S., Zoology, 1939), and the University of Rochester (M.S., Zoology, 1941; Ph.D., Zoology, 1943). He stayed at Rochester as an Instructor in the Department of Zoology, 1943-1944, and as a Research Associate on the Manhattan Project, 1944-1946, before moving to the University of Florida in 1946. He stayed at the University of Florida until 1959, serving as Assistant Professor, and later Associate Professor of Biology, 1950-1952, and as Director of the Florida State Museum from 1952 to 1959. From 1959 to 1965 he was Director of the Biological Sciences Curriculum Study at the University of Colorado. In 1965 he moved to Rutgers University, where he served as Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, 1965-1967, and Dean of Rutgers College, 1967-1972. From 1972 to 1974 he was Vice Chancellor of Academic Affairs at the Chicago Circle campus of the University of Illinois, and Special Assistant to the President from 1974 to 1975. From 1975 to 1985 he was Chancellor and Professor of Biology at the University of Missouri-St. Louis. He was named Chancellor Emeritus and Research Professor in 1986. He retired from the professorship in 1988, but remains Chancellor Emeritus. Grobman's main scientific contributions have been in herpetology, but he has also published extensively on science education and academic administration. Grobman has held office in many professional organizations, including the American Association of Museums, the American Institute of Biological Sciences, and the American Society of Ichthyologists and Herpetologists (Secretary, 1952-1957, and President, 1964).

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## Descriptive Entry

These papers document the professional career of Arnold B. Grobman. Included are correspondence with colleagues on scientific topics, professional societies business, and files documenting his activities on numerous boards and committees. As a general rule, his files as an academic administrator are not in these papers, nor are some files from offices held in professional societies. For instance, his files as

Chancellor of the University of Missouri-St. Louis have remained at the University. His files as Secretary of the American Society of Ichthyologists and Herpetologists are in the society's records housed in the Smithsonian Archives.

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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:

Herpetology

Names:

American Association of Museums  
American Institute of Biological Sciences.  
American Society of Ichthyologists and Herpetologists  
Grobman, Arnold B. (Arnold Brams), 1918-

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## Container Listing

### Box 1

A (3 folders)

Abraham, Norm

Adams, C. C.

Adler, Kraig

Alexander, Edward P.

Allen, John S.

Allen, M. J.

Allen, Ross

Alpha Epsilon Delta

Amadon, Dean

American Association for the Advancement for Science (AAAS)

American Association of Museums (AAM)

American Association of State Colleges and Universities (AASCU)

American Council on Education (ACE)

American Immigrant Wall of Honor

American Institute of Biological Sciences (AIBS)

Association of American Medical Colleges (AAMC)

American Midland Naturalist

The American Scholar

American Society of Ichthyologists and Herpetologists (ASIH)

American Sociological Association Committee on Teaching of Undergraduate  
Sociology Meeting, Dec. 12, 1969 (Washington, D.C.)

A & R Catalogue

Anderson, Paul

Antevs, Ernst

Aquacenter

Arden, Hal

The Association of Southeastern Biologists

Auffenberg, Walter

Aulie, Richard

Australia/New Zealand

Auth, David

Avakian, Nancy

B (4 folders)

Babcock, Harold L.

Bader, Robert

Bailey, Joseph R.

Bailey, Reeve M.

Baker, Jeffrey W.

Baldauf, Richard

Balinky, A. & J.

Bao, You-Yu

Barbour, T.

Barker, Charles

Barnett, Marguerite

Barrington, Austin

Basnayake, V.

Baumel, J.

Beckner, Lucien

de Beer, G. R.

Behnke, J.

Behringer, M.

Bell, E. L.

Bell, L. Neil

Bell, Mae W.

Bennett, Charles

Bentwich, J. S.

Berra, Tim

Biological Abstracts

Biological Science Curriculum Study (BSCS)

Box 2

Biology Dept., UMSC (2 folders)

Bird, Jack

Birla, G. D.

Bishop, Alice

Bishop, Reginald

Bishop, S. C.

Blair, Henry

Blair, A. Pat & Frank

Blanchard, F. C.

Blanchard, F. N.

Bogert, Charles M.

Bohlke, James E. (ASIH)

Borhegyi, S.

Bowersox, Glen

Bowker, Robert W.

Boyden, Alan

Bradley, David

Bragg, Arthur N.

Brandwein, P.

Branson

Brazil trip

Breckenridge, W. J.

Brimley, C. S.

Brown, Bryce C.

Brown, Harrison  
Brown, Nevin  
Bruton, G. S.  
Bryant, Rhoda  
Buck, John B.  
Bullen, A. & R.  
Bunker, C. D.  
Burger, W. Leslie  
Burkett, T. A.  
Burkman, E.  
Burks, A.  
Burns, George W.  
Burns, Robert K.  
Burns, William  
Buros, Oscar  
Burt, Charles E.  
Byers, C. Francis  
C (3 folders)  
Cagle, Fred R.  
Cahn, A. R.  
Calendra, Alex  
Cameron, Edith McBride  
Camp, Charles L.  
Campbell, Frank  
Campbell, Robert  
Carleton, Robert  
Carr, Archie  
Carr, William H.  
Carter, Jack



Case, E. C.

Casebeer, Richard

Caspari, Ernst

Casper, Gary S.

Cass, James

Castle, W. E.

Cattell, Jacques

Chadwick, C. S.

Chamberlain, E. B.

Cheeseman, C. H.

Chermock, Ralph

Cheston, Warren

Chiowanich, Panee

Chrisp, Hugh P.

Churchill, E. P.

Clark, George

Clark, Hugh

Clausen, Robert T.

Clay, William M.

Cochran, Doris

Cohen, David

Cohen, Elias

Colbert, E. H.

Coliver, Edith

Collette, Bruce

Collins, Joe T.

Collins, LeRoy

Commission on Higher Education & The Adult Learner

Box 3

Commission on International Exchange

Conant, Roger (3 folders)

Conference on Education

Cook, F. A.

Cook, Francis R.

Cook, James

Coonfield, B. R.

Cooper, Byrum

Cooper, G. C.

Cooper, Kenneth

Copeia

Corbally, John E.

Cox, H. T.

Criddle, S.

Crouch, Phil

Culpepper, Frankie

D (3 folders)

Danforth, Jack

Daugherty, A.

Daugherty, Charles

Davis, D. Dwight

Davis, Dr. W. B.

Dayton Public Library Museum

Deckert, R. A.

Dell, Letha (see also Mrs. Arthur L. King)

Dellinger, S. C.

del Pointe, E.

Dent, J. N.

Deshpande, R. D.

Dickinson, J. C. (2 folders)  
Directors of Systematic Collections  
Ditmars, R. L.  
Dottrens, E.  
Dowling, Herndon, Jr.  
Dowling, Peggy P.  
Draft Board  
Dubash, D. J.  
Duellman, W. E.  
Duncan, R. J.  
Dundee, Harold A.  
Dunlap, Anne Slater  
Dunn, E. R.  
Dunn, L. C.  
Dury, Ralph  
Duvall, A. J.  
E  
Eaton, Theodore H.  
Eddy, Brayton  
Edgren, R. A.  
Education St. Louis  
Edwards, Guy D.  
Einstein, Albert  
Eldercare Center  
Elias, Hans, Dr.  
Eltinge, Elizabeth  
Emerson, Alfred  
Emporia State University  
Enarson, H.

Erickson, R. O.  
Erickson, T.  
Esiaba, Chinaka  
Etheridge, Richard  
Etzhorn, Peter  
Evangelides, Alice  
Evans, F. Gaynor  
Evans, Lester  
Evans, P. D.  
F (2 folders)  
Falk, Mort  
Fankhauser, G.  
Fanning, Mrs. R.  
Farrell, Blair & Kathy  
Fehrenbacher, D. A.  
Ferris, Lorna  
Fetting, Anna L.  
Fenton, William N.  
Fields, H. D.  
Field, Sally  
Finegau, Betty Chrisp  
Fink, Eli H.  
Finkel, Sidney  
Finnerman, L. C.  
Fishleder, Jack  
Fitch, Henry  
Flickinger, Reed

Box 4

Follett, W. I.

Force, E. R.  
Fordyce, Phil  
Foster, Marilyn  
Fouquett, M. J., Jr.  
Fowler, James A.  
Francis, (Rev.) P. H.  
Frankel, Albert  
Frankenberger  
Friedmann, Herbert  
Frolik, E. F.  
G (2 folders)  
Gaige, H. T.  
Gallalee, John M. (President of University of Alabama)  
Gamble, Dean  
Gamma Sigma  
Garth, R. E.  
General Biological Supply  
Genetics Society of America  
George, Ira D.  
George, Mel  
Gilbert, P. G. S.  
Gilreath, R.  
Glass, Bentley  
Glenny, Fred  
Goddard, D.  
Gloyd, H. K.  
Glucksman, N.  
Goellner, K. G.  
Goin, Coleman

Gomez-O, Humberto  
Goodpaster, W.  
Goodwin, R.C.  
Goodwin, Richard  
Gorbman, Aubrey  
Gordon, K. L.  
Gordon, Robert E.  
Gosline, William  
Gosner, Kenneth L.  
Graf, J. E.  
Granger, Charles  
Grant, Jordan W.  
Grant, M. C.  
Grants-in-aid  
Green, N. B.  
Greenhall, A.  
Gregg, C. C.  
Greywacz, (Mrs.) Kathryn B.  
Griffin, Mrs. John W.  
Gross, Betty Ann  
Gross, Mason  
Guild, William  
Gunter, Gordon  
Gunter, Ray  
Guthe, Carl  
H (4 folders)  
Hagan, Suzanne  
Haines, T. P.  
Hairston, Nelson G.

Hall, E. Raymond  
Hall, Fred T.  
Hall, Mark A.  
Halpin, Z.  
Hamilton, R. D.  
Hamilton, W. J., Jr.  
Hancock, Judith  
Harpe & Brothers  
Harley, James  
Harris, Morgan  
Harrison, Jack  
Hartley, F. A., Jr.  
Hartweg, Norman, Dr. (Museum of Zoology, University of Michigan)  
Hatt, Robert T.  
Hawbecker, Albert C.  
Hecht, Bessie M.  
Hecht, Max  
Hellman, Robert  
Hellyer, David  
Hemming, Francis  
Hernandez, Delores  
Hess, W. N.  
Heston, Beatrice  
Higgins, L.  
Highton, Richard (University of Maryland, College Park)  
Hillsborough County Herpetological Society  
Hodge, Jim  
Hoffman, R. L.  
Hoffmeister, Donald

Hollaender, Alexander

Holt, Glen

Hopper, Barbara

Horwitz, Bernard

Howell, Thelma

Hubbell, T. H.

Hubbs, Carl

Box 5

Hubricht, Leslie

Huheey, James

Hummel, J. L.

Humphries, Robert L.

Hunt, Helen (Mrs.)

Hunt, Jim

Huntington, E.

Hurd, Paul D.

Huxley, Julian

I

Indonesia trip

Inger, Robert F.

Israel Binational Science Foundation

Ivey, Dewitt

J (2 folders)

Jacksonville Women's Club

Jacobs, George J.

James, Harry

James, S. L. & D. S.

Jameson, Dave

Jarrett, Beverly



Johnsen, Sigurd  
Johnson, Alma  
Johnson, Fred  
Johnson, Helen  
Johnson, Ray  
John Wiley & Sons  
Johri, B. M.  
Jones, J. Knox, Jr.  
Jones, Thomas M.  
Jones, Vernon  
Jopson, Harry  
Journal of Heredity  
K (3 folders)  
Kafka, Mrs. Paula  
Kaston, B. J.  
Kauffeld, Carl F.  
Keck, David D.  
Keeler, Clyde E.  
Keig, Marshall  
Kelloff, Remington  
Kennedy, J. P.  
Kezer, James  
King, W.  
King, Mrs. Arthur L.  
King, Wayne  
Kinsey, A. C.  
Klauber, Laurence M.  
Kleinpeter, Hubert  
Klinge, Paul

Knopf, Alfred, A.  
Koh, T. P.  
Kothari, D. S.  
Kramer, Paul  
Krasilchik, Myriam  
Kraus, J. (Science Fair)  
Krumholz, L. A., Dr.  
Kuchler, A. W.  
Kullman, Paul  
Kumamoto, Junji  
L (3 folders)  
Lachner, Ernie  
Lam, Elizabeth  
Landgraf, John  
Larson, C. E.  
Lashley, K. S.  
Laurie, Mary Bishop  
Lederberg, Joshua  
Lee, Addison  
Leonard, A. B.  
Leonard, B. H.  
Levien, Roger  
Levin, Lou  
Levinson, Billey  
Lewy, Arieh  
Lightner, Jerry  
Linsdale, J. M.  
Lockett, Arnold  
Logier, E. B. S.

Lohr, L. R.

Lombard, John

Loomis, Richard

Loveridge, A.

Lowery, George

Lynch, G. A.

Box 6

M (5 folders)

McManeus, C. M.

McCauley, Robert H.

McClung, L. S.

McCormick, Richard

McCrary, Edward

McLane, William M.

MacCurdy, Robert D.

Mackinney, Arthur

Macy, Ralph

Magrath, Peter

Mahendra, Beni

Mahl, Mr. Alan R.

Manhattan Department

Manka, Joseph

Manville, Richard H.

Manziano, C. R.

Markezich, Alan

Marshall, Byron C.

Marshall, Hubert

Marshall, Nelson

Marshall, J. W.

Maslin, T. Paul  
Mason, Robert F.  
Masur, David  
Matalas, B.  
Mayer, William (3 folders)  
Mayor, John  
Mayr, Ernst  
Mecham, John S.  
Merriam, W. H.  
Mertens, Robert  
Metter, Dean  
Metz, C. W.  
Meyer, Gerald  
Meyer, S. L.  
Millar, John R.  
Miller, E. Morton  
Miller, Robert C.  
Miller, Robert R.  
Minton, Sherman  
Minx, Pat  
Mittleman, M.  
Missouri Business and Partnership Commission  
Missouri State Board of Education  
Mohican, Camp  
Montgomery, Charles F.  
Moore, John A. (2 folders)  
Morgan, Dennys  
Moslsi, Henry, Jr.  
Morrison, A. Cressy

Mounts, Mrs. Marvin

Muller, H. J.

Muchmore, William B. (University of Rochester)

Munitz, Barry

Murphree, Walter E.

Murray, Leo T.

Myers, George S.

N (2 folders)

Box 7

National Academy of Sciences - National Research Council, Division of  
Biology and Agriculture - General

National Association of Biology Teachers (NABT)

NABT meeting - San Diego, California, 1989

National Association of State Universities and Land-Grant Colleges  
(NASULGC)

National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE)

National Education Association

National Geographic Magazine

National Institute of Education

National Science Foundation

National Science Teachers Association (NSTA)

Neel, James V.

Neess, John C.

Neill, Wilfred T.

Nelson, T.

Netting, M. G. (2 folders)

Neitzel, Robert S. (Marksville Prehistoric Indian Park)

Newark Society of Natural History

New England Museum of Natural History

Newton, Quigg

New York Academy of Sciences

Nicholls, J. C., Jr.

Novitski, Ed.

O

Oak Ridge

Oak Ridge Institute

Ober, Lewis D. (M.S.) (Reptiles and Amphibians of Pensacola Florida)

Odell, Beth Bishop

Olive, John

Oliver, Dr. James A. (2 folders)

Olson, James C.

Ortenburger, A. I.

Orton, Grace

Osborn, F.

Over, W. H.

Overmire, Thomas

Owen, Malcolm

P (3 folders)

Pallrand, George

Palmer, William

Pane, Remigio

Park, Orlando

Parker, Malcolm V.

Parr, A. E.

Parrish, Hillary G.

Patch, C.

Patterson, Joseph A.

Paulson, Richard

Pearson, Jay F. W.

Pearson, Paul

Penn, George H.

Perkins, C. B.

Perkins, R. M.

Peters, Dr. J. A., 1964-1965

Perrott, Elizabeth

Peterson, Glen

Box 8

Peterson, Irving (Doctoral Candidate)

Phillippe, D.

Philippines Visit

Philobosian, Richard

Phi Sigma

Philadelphia Academy of Science BSCS Seminar, February 4-5, 1963

Pittsburgh Meeting

Poor, Russ

Pope, C.

Porter, J. R.

Post Office Department

Powell, Thomas E.

Praeger: Gemmell

Praeger: Harroo

Praeger: Majewski

Praeger: Perry

Praeger: Promotion

Praeger: Reviews and notices

Praeger: Rocheleau

Praeger: Zimmar

Prentice-Hall, Inc.

Prescott, Kenneth W.

Primm, Neal

Q

Quarterly Review of Biology

R (2 folders)

Rabb, George

Rainsey, Mrs. E. G.

Rainsford, Helen M.

Raney, Edward

Ratchford, B.

Raven, Peter

Reggio-M, Carmelina

Reiman, Irving

Reitz, J. Wayne

Rendler, Henry C.

Reynolds, B. D.

Reynolds, Lawrence

Rice, Captain H. P.

Rich, Jess

Richmond, Neil D.

Riemer, William

Riggs, Carl

RKO Radio Pictures, Inc.

Roberts, H. Radclyffe

Robins, C. Richard

Robbins, Frank E.

Rocky Mountain Guide

Rodeck. Dr. Hugo G. (University of Colorado Museum)

Rodgers, T. L.



Rogers, J. Speed  
Rollins, Reed C.  
Roper, Admiral J. W.  
Rossman, Douglas, A. (Southern Illinois University)  
Russell, W. L.  
Russell, L. S.  
Rutgers (General)  
Ruthven, A. G.  
S (5 folders)  
St. Louis Academy of Science  
St Louis Aquacenter  
St. Louis Herpetological Society  
St. Louis Post-Dispatch  
St. Louis Public Library  
Sanders, J. M.  
Sanderson, M. W.

Box 9

Saunders Co.  
Savage, Jay  
Schaeffer, Bobb  
Schlafly, Tom  
Schlatter, Richard  
Schmidt, K. P.  
Schoemehl, Vince  
Schultz, C. Bertrand  
Schultz, Leonard P.  
Schwardt, H. H.  
Schwartz, Dr. Albert  
Sci. Monthly

Scott, D. C.  
Scott, Gordon H.  
Scrimshaw, Nevin  
Scroggin, John B.  
Sethi, Ram Prakash (2 folders)  
Sexton, Owen J.  
Shelford V. E.  
Sherman, F.  
Shreve, B.  
Simpson, T. M.  
Sinoto, Dr. Yosito  
Sizer, Ted  
Slevin, Joseph R.  
Smathers, G. A.  
Smith, A. C.  
Smith, Albert  
Smith, Bertram  
Smith, Joel Ward  
Smith, Hobart M.  
Smith, Philip W.  
Snell, George D.  
Society for the Study of Amphibians and Reptiles (SSAR)  
Society of Systematic Zoology (SSZ)  
Society of Vertebrate Paleontology  
Soriano, Liceria  
Southeastern Museums Conference  
Spencer, Warren P.  
Spieler, Richard A.  
Stalker, H. D.

Stamm, (Mrs.) F. W.  
Stebbins, Robert C.  
Steere, William C.  
Steinbach, Burr  
Stejneger, Leonhard  
Stepke, Dr. William  
Sterling, Margaret  
Stern, C.  
Stewart, Ileen E. (Editor, AIBS Bulletin)  
Stewart, Thomas G.  
Stickel, W. H.  
Stikes, Scully  
Stockard, A. H.  
Stohler, R.  
Stone, Doris, Mrs.  
Stone, Fred  
Stoye, F. H.  
Strawn, R. Kirk  
Stuart, L. C.  
Stull, O. G.  
Stupka, A.  
Suzuki, Howard K.  
Swanson, Carl P.  
Swanson, Gustav  
T (2 folders)  
Tanner, Vasco, M.  
Tanner, Wilmer W.  
Targum  
Taylor, Charlotte

Taylor, Edward H., Dr.

Teachey, Mr. Jesse

Telford, Sam

Thompson, Crystal

Thurrow, Gordon

Thurston, H. E.

Tihen, J. A.

Tinkle, Donald W.

Tison, A. M.

Toby, Jackson

Tolman, Richard

Toner, G. C.

Touhill, Blanche

Trapido, Harold

Trautman, Milton B.

Treloar, A. E.

Trimm, H. Wayne

Turnham, Alice J. (McGill University Museums)

Twitty, V. C.

U

Uhler, F. M.

University of Florida

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (UICC)

University of Missouri-St. Louis (UMSL)

UMSL - Financial Affairs, 1986

UMSL - Financial Records, 1987

Urquhart, F. A.

Uzzell, Thomas M., Jr.

Box 10

V

Valentine, Alan

Valentine, Barry D.

Van Hying, T.

Van Name, W. G.

Viosca, Percy

Van Pelt, Arnold

Vermont, University of

Vonderlage, F. C.

Voter, Thomas W.

W (2 folders)

Wade, Charles

Walker, Charles F.

Wallace, H. K.

Ward, Carmon

Wardle, R. A.

Ward's Natural Science Establishment

Washbourn, J.

Watkins, James M.

Watterson, Ray L.

Watney, G. M.

Watumull Found

Weems, Sam P.

Weidner

Weigend, Guido

Weiss, C.

Weiss, Dr. Paul

Welborn, Catherine

Wells, J. Ralph

Went, W. F.

Wiche

Western Washington State College

Wetmore, Alexander

Wiebus, Wiljona

Wiggins, Ira L.

Wiland, Larry

Wilder, Charles G. (American Museum of Atomic Energy)

Wilhelmi, R. W.

Williams, Ernest

Williams, W. J.

Willier, B. H.

Wilson, H.

Wilson, Larry

Wilson, W. H.

Wilton Park

Winkler, Henry

Winters, H. H.

Rand Corp: John Wirt

Woods, Charles A.

Worcester, Donald

Wood, John T.

Woodbury, A. M.

Woodbury, Marian

Wright, A. H.

Wright, Gilbert

Wunderlich, Ray

Y

Yerger, Ralph W.

Yochelson, Ellis

Youmans, John B.

Younggren, Newell

Z

Zabel, Betty Lou

Zelle, Max R.

Zon, Raphael

Zoological Society of Philadelphia

Zeta Beta Tau (See also Eli H. Funk)

Zim, Herbert S.

Zug, George

Zweifel, Richard

Collected writings of Arnold B. Grobman (1930-1963) Vol. 1

Collected writings of Arnold B. Grobman (1964-1984) Vol. 2