

# A Guide to the Oron J. Hale Papers

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## Descriptive Summary

### Collection Number

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### Language

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### Collector

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### Extent

ca. 18,000 items

### Repository

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## Administrative Information

## Access Restrictions

There are no restrictions.

## Use Restrictions

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# Biographical Sketch

Oron James ("Pat") Hale, Corcoran Professor of History at the University of Virginia, was a member of the history department from 1929 until his retirement in 1972. He was born the second son of William Robert and Frances I. (Putnam) Hale on July 29, 1902 in Goldendale, Washington, and was called "Pat" throughout his life. He graduated *cum laude*, Phi Beta Kappa in 1925 from the University of Washington in Seattle and later earned an M.A. (1928) and a Ph.D. (1930) at the University of Pennsylvania in Philadelphia.

Hale's scholarly research in Europe on diplomacy and the press was pursued in the late 1920s and early 1930s in London, Paris, Berlin, and Munich where he, together with his wife Annette Van Winkle Hale whom he had married on August 7, 1929, experienced firsthand the rise of Hitler and the advent of National Socialism that drove Europe and eventually the United States to war. Hale, commissioned in the rank of Major in 1942, served with the Intelligence Division of the War Department General Staff in Washington and in 1945, with the end of hostilities, participated in a special mission of the War Department's Historical (Shuster) Commission in Germany interrogating the surviving political and military leaders of the defeated Third Reich, including such notables as Goering, Keitel, Doenitz, Ribbentrop, Rosenberg, Ley, Jodl, and von Papen.

Hale's return to Charlottesville in 1946 as Professor of European History was short-lived. In 1950, he was back in Germany to serve first as Deputy Commissioner (to George Shuster) and then as Commissioner for Bavaria under the U.S. High Commissioner for Germany, John J. McCloy, whose task it was to phase out the U.S. military occupation as Germany moved toward the restoration of its sovereignty.

Shortly after resuming his academic career at the University of Virginia (1952), Hale became chairman of the history department (1955-1962) and was instrumental in the development of a special fellowship program and history professorship that led to the appointment of his old friend and former University of Virginia colleague, Dumas Malone to serve as the first holder of the Thomas Jefferson Memorial Foundation chair. Also during this period, Hale helped organize and establish within the Southern Historical Association, the European History Section, which he chaired in 1958-1959 and, within the American Historical Association, the Committee on War Documents which he chaired in 1957 and again in 1964 when it incorporated into the Conference Group for Central European History. A highlight of Hale's involvement with the War Documents Committee was the leadership he provided in the committee's successful effort to have millions of captured Nazi government documents, then stored in the United States, declassified and microfilmed prior to their being returned to the German Federal Republic.

After resigning the department chairmanship in 1962, Hale was appointed to the Institute for Advanced Studies at Princeton, New Jersey (1963-1964) and then served as visiting summer professor at Harvard, Duke, and the Universities of Missouri and North Carolina. In 1965, he became William W. Corcoran Professor of History at the University of Virginia where he continued his work while caring for his wife, Anne, until her death in 1968.

Hale was the author of numerous articles, commentaries, and reviews on matters of German history. He was a regular contributor to *The Virginia Quarterly Review*, *The Journal of Modern History*, *The Annals of the American Academy of Political and Social Science*, *The Journal of Central European Affairs*, *The American Historical Review*, and *The Richmond Times-Dispatch*. His books include: *Germany and the Diplomatic Revolution, 1904-1906* (Awarded the "George Louis Beer" prize of the American Historical Association in 1931); *Publicity and Diplomacy, 1890-1914* (1940); *The Captive Press in the Third Reich* (Winner of the "Polk Award" in journalism in 1964); and *The Great Illusion, 1900-1914* (published as part of the William L. Langer, series, *Rise of Modern Europe*, 1971).

In recognition of his academic achievements and government service, Hale received the Outstanding Civilian Award from the U.S. Department of the Army, 1964; the Commander's Cross of the Order of Merit of the German Federal Republic, 1969; the Thomas Jefferson Award from the University of Virginia, 1969; an honorary Litt.D. from Hampden-Sydney College, 1958; and in 1986, a "Festschrift" of original essays published in his honor by his former graduate students.

In July 1970, Hale remarried to a long time friend, Virginia Zehmer. Despite a stroke suffered in 1973 and the implantation of a pacemaker, Hale kept busy in retirement traveling, hunting, playing golf, refurbishing ancestral gravesites, and being involved in the social activities at his residence community in Richmond. In his late years, he again devoted himself to the care of his wife, Virginia, who died in 1989--three years before he was to succumb on July 19, 1991. He is buried in the University of Virginia Cemetery in Charlottesville.

## Scope and Content

The collection contains ca. 18,000 items (15 shelf feet) and consists of personal letters, office correspondence, and records relating to Hale's academic activities and associations; declassified copies of intelligence reports and data, together with routine correspondence, memoranda, and administrative documents affiliated with his government service in Germany; manuscript drafts and copies of his published writings; genealogical data; photographs (ca. 2000 items) of family members, friends, and travel scenery; and personal miscellanea.

Interesting documents within the collection groupings include: (I) *Correspondence*: Hale's 1945 letters to his wife reporting on the aftermath of Germany's defeat in his vivid descriptions of the devastation of cities and towns they had lived in or had visited before the war and of the suffering being experienced by their old friends and colleagues. (II) *Academia*: A series of "Oral History" interviews that Hale gave to Charles Moran of the University of Virginia in 1976 that focus on his academic career and his government service and that reflect on the historically dramatic events with which he was involved. (III) *Government Service*: Copies of the U.S. War Department's 1945 interrogation reports of high-ranking former German officials (some 22 of whom Hale interviewed) who set forth, from their personal perspectives, fascinating accounts and analyses about the war, its conduct, Hitler's leadership, and the reasons for Germany's defeat; State (Land) Commissioner of Bavaria office documents of the period 1950-1952 that give some flavor of Hale's role in implementing the United States policy of introducing and nurturing democratic concepts among the defeated German populace. (IV) *Publications*: German documents that served as a basis for published articles by Hale that include a copy of an memorandum regarding the biological future of the German people written by Martin Bormann, Nazi leader and Hitler's private secretary; a 1923 copy of a letter of admonishment to Adolf Hitler from Gottfried Feder, Nazi Party economist; and photostatic copies of Hitler's tax returns which had been maintained in the Munich Finance Office from 1925-1935 and which were later part of the documents seized by the Allies during the war. (VII) *Miscellany*: Anne Hale's diary of pre-war Germany in which she records the attitudes and behavior of the German people in the period of rising Nazi power; memorabilia that include copies of Nazi SS documents pertaining to some of the security measures taken to protect Hitler following the assassination attempt on his life of July 20, 1940; a copy of a 1947 letter that Rudolph Hess wrote to his sister from his jail cell; and a variety of documents and letters bearing original and facsimile signatures, including those of Hitler, Ribbentrop, Albert Einstein, and Robert Oppenheimer .

## Container List

### Group I: Correspondence

#### **Correspondence**

**Unit Date** 1926-1949

**Container** Box 1

**Extent** (4 folders)

#### **Correspondence**

**Unit Date** 1950-1960

**Container** Box 1

**Extent** (1 of 4 folders)

#### **Correspondence**

**Unit Date** 1950-1960

**Container** Box 2

**Extent** (2-4 of 4 folders)

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**Unit Date** 1961-1964

**Container** Box 2

**Extent** (2 folders)

## **Correspondence**

**Unit Date** 1965-1987

**Container** Box 3

**Extent** (7 folders)

## **Correspondence**

**Unit Date** 1988-1991, n.d.

**Container** Box 4

**Extent** (5 folders)

## **Selected Correspondence--Alderman, Edwin A.**

**Unit Date** 1929

**Container** Box 5

## **Selected Correspondence--Biemiller, Andrew J.**

**Unit Date** 1929-1980, n.d.

**Container** Box 5

## **Selected Correspondence--Boyd, Julian and Grace**

**Unit Date** 1928-1986, n.d.

**Container** Box 5

## **Selected Correspondence--Bullack, Sarah Otis**

**Unit Date** 1927-1940, n.d.

**Container** Box 5

## **Selected Correspondence--Cadbury, George W.**

**Unit Date** 1939-1990, n.d.

**Container** Box 5

## **Selected Correspondence--Carruthers, E. I.**

**Unit Date** 1929

**Container** Box 5

## **Selected Correspondence--Darden, Colgate W.**

**Unit Date** 1950

**Container** Box 5

## **Selected Correspondence--deWitt, Thomas E. J.**

**Unit Date** 1970-1990

**Container** Box 5

## **Selected Correspondence--Donaghay, Marie**

**Unit Date** 1968, 1990

**Container** Box 5

## **Selected Correspondence--Edgar, James H.**

**Unit Date** 1967-1986, n.d.

**Container** Box 5

## **Selected Correspondence--Farnsworth, Robert**

**Unit Date** 1970-1978

**Container** Box 5

**Selected Correspondence--Geldard, Frank and Jeanette**

**Unit Date** 1984

**Container** Box 5

**Selected Correspondence--Hale, Anne**

**Unit Date** 1926-1962, n.d.

**Container** Box 5

**Extent** (2 folders)

**Selected Correspondence--Hale, Henry E., II**

**Unit Date** 1934-1946, n.d.

**Container** Box 5

**Selected Correspondence--Hale, Jean E.**

**Unit Date** 1984-1990, n.d.

**Container** Box 5

**Selected Correspondence--Hale, Nathan**

**Unit Date** 1981-1984

**Container** Box 5

**Selected Correspondence--Hale, Peter R.**

**Unit Date** 1983-1990, n.d.

**Container** Box 5

**Selected Correspondence--Halstead, Charles**

**Unit Date** 1959-1977

**Container** Box 6

**Selected Correspondence--Helm, David A.**

**Unit Date** 1966-1989, n.d.

**Container** Box 6

**Selected Correspondence--Heusinger, Adolf and family**

**Unit Date** 1947-1990, n.d.

**Container** Box 6

**Selected Correspondence--Hughes, Thomas**

**Unit Date** 1951-1989, n.d.

**Container** Box 6

**Selected Correspondence--Keen, George**

**Unit Date** 1983-1984

**Container** Box 6

**Selected Correspondence--Kennett, Lee**

**Unit Date** 1955-1971, n.d.

**Container** Box 6

**Selected Correspondence--Kraehe, Enno E.**

**Unit Date** 1979-1990

**Container** Box 6

**Selected Correspondence--Langer, William L.**

**Unit Date** 1961-1982, n.d.

**Container** Box 7

**Selected Correspondence--Layton, Roland V., Jr.**

**Unit Date** 1962-1989

**Container** Box 7

**Selected Correspondence--Lichtenberger, Vera**

**Unit Date** 1975-1991

**Container** Box 7

**Selected Correspondence--Lingelbach, William E.**

**Unit Date** 1950-1952

**Container** Box 7

**Selected Correspondence--Loewenstein, Hubertus Prince**

**Unit Date** 1937-1958

**Container** Box 7

**Selected Correspondence--Malone, Dumas**

**Unit Date** 1929

**Container** Box 7

**Selected Correspondence--McCloy, John J.**

**Unit Date** 1951-1986

**Container** Box 7

**Selected Correspondence--Nelson, Kenneth R. and family**

**Unit Date** 1963-1987

**Container** Box 7

**Selected Correspondence--Newcomb, John L.**

**Unit Date** 1932-1946

**Container** Box 7

**Selected Correspondence--Putnam family**

**Unit Date** 1912-1976, n.d.

**Container** Box 7

**Selected Correspondence--Ritsch, Frederick J., Jr.**

**Unit Date** 1957-1982

**Container** Box 7

**Selected Correspondence--Ritter, Harry**

**Unit Date** 1969-1988

**Container** Box 7

**Selected Correspondence--Rivlin, Alice M.**

**Unit Date** 1975-1984

**Container** Box 7

**Selected Correspondence--Shannon, Edgar F., Jr.**

**Unit Date** 1969  
**Container** Box 7

**Selected Correspondence--Shryock, Richard H. and family**

**Unit Date** 1950-1989  
**Container** Box 7

**Selected Correspondence--Shumate, Daniel**

**Unit Date** 1952, 1986-1990  
**Container** Box 7

**Selected Correspondence--Shuster, George N.**

**Unit Date** 1945-1952  
**Container** Box 7

**Selected Correspondence--Snead, Rayner V., Jr.**

**Unit Date** 1974-1986, n.d.  
**Container** Box 7

**Selected Correspondence--Spillner family**

**Unit Date** 1933-1949  
**Container** Box 7

**Selected Correspondence--Wilcox, Larry D.**

**Unit Date** 1968-1986, n.d.  
**Container** Box 7

## **Group II: Academia**

**American Historical Association--Bibliographical Services (Oron J. Hale, Chairman)**

**Unit Date** 1966-1967  
**Container** Box 8

**American Historical Association--Committee on War Documents--Correspondence and Operational Records**

**Unit Date** ca. 1955-1981, n.d.  
**Container** Box 8  
**Extent** (1-5 of 14 folders)

**American Historical Association--Committee on War Documents--Correspondence and Operational Records**

**Unit Date** ca. 1955-1981, n.d.  
**Container** Boxes 9-10  
**Extent** (6-14 of 14 folders)

**American Historical Association--Conference Group for Central European History-- Organization and "The First Two Years" (Oron J. Hale, Secretary-Treasurer)**

**Unit Date** 1957-1960  
**Container** Box 11

**American Historical Association--Conference Group for Central European History-- Records and Correspondence**

**Unit Date** 1957-1989

**Container** Box 11

**Extent** (3 folders)

**American Historical Association--Conference Group for Central European History-- Program Committee (Oron J. Hale, Chairman)--Correspondence and Miscellaneous Records**

**Unit Date** 1954-1956

**Container** Box 11

**American Historical Association--Conference Group for Central European History-- Program Committee (Oron J. Hale, Chairman)--Kennan Session**

**Unit Date** 1955

**Container** Box 11

**American Historical Association--Conference Group for Central European History-- Program Committee (Oron J. Hale, Chairman)--Stavrianos "Mess"**

**Unit Date** 1955

**Container** Box 11

**American Historical Association--Conference Group for Central European History-- Program Committee (Oron J. Hale, Chairman)--Toynbee Session**

**Unit Date** 1955

**Container** Box 11

**American Historical Association--Conference Group for Central European History-- Program Committee (Oron J. Hale, Chairman)--Committee Chairmanship Aftermath**

**Unit Date** 1955-1957

**Container** Box 11

**Army, Department of--Historical Advisory Committee--Oron J. Hale Membership**

**Unit Date** 1953-1972, n.d.

**Container** Box 12

**Extent** (2 folders)

**Conferences (Oron J. Hale Participation)--Civil-Military Relations Conference, Ohio State University**

**Unit Date** 1959

**Container** Box 12

**Conferences (Oron J. Hale Participation)--Faculty Christian Conference, Montreat, North Carolina**

**Unit Date** 1950, 1957-1958

**Container** Box 12

**Conferences (Oron J. Hale Participation)--George Marshall Library, Lexington, Virginia**

**Unit Date** 1975-1976

**Container** Box 12

**Conferences (Oron J. Hale Participation)--Georgetown History Forum, Washington, D.C.**

**Unit Date** 1975

**Container** Box 12

**Conferences (Oron J. Hale Participation)--National Archives Conferences, Washington, D.C.**

**Unit Date** 1968-1971

**Container** Box 12

**Conferences (Oron J. Hale Participation)--Research Conference, University of Kentucky**

**Unit Date** 1959

**Container** Box 12

**Conferences (Oron J. Hale Participation)--Truman Library Conference, Independence, Missouri**

**Unit Date** 1970

**Container** Box 12

**Institute for Advanced Study, Princeton**

**Unit Date** 1962-1980, n.d.

**Container** Box 12

**Southern Historical Association, European History Section--Meeting Reports and Miscellaneous Records**

**Unit Date** 1949, 1954-1973

**Container** Box 13

**Extent** (2 folders)

**University of Virginia--Abernathy Retirement Dinner**

**Unit Date** 1961

**Container** Box 13

**University of Virginia--Assembly of Professors--Darden Appointment and Resignation**

**Unit Date** 1947, 1959

**Container** Box 13

**University of Virginia--Book and Authors Club**

**Unit Date** 1983

**Container** Box 13

**University of Virginia--Centennial Committee of the Synod of Virginia**

**Unit Date** 1961

**Container** Box 13

**University of Virginia--Contract Relations**

**Unit Date** 1946-1970

**Container** Box 13

**University of Virginia--Corcoran Department of History--Departmental Records**

**Unit Date** 1948-1987

**Container** Box 13

**Extent** (2 folders)

**University of Virginia--Corcoran Department of History--Oron J. Hale's Chairmanship**

**Unit Date** 1955-1962, n.d.

**Container** Box 13

**University of Virginia--Deiches and Blazer Lectures (Oron J. Hale)**

**Unit Date** 1953-1954

**Container** Box 14

**University of Virginia--"Festschrift" (Oron J. Hale)**

**Unit Date** 1985-1987

**Container** Box 14

**University of Virginia--Heusinger Lecture**

**Unit Date** 1961-1962

**Container** Box 14

**University of Virginia--Institute of Public Affairs**

**Unit Date** 1940-1954

**Container** Box 14

**University of Virginia--Oral History Interview of Oron J. Hale by Charles Moran--Oron J. Hale's Notes**

**Unit Date** 1976

**Container** Box 14

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**Unit Date** 1958-1979

**Container** Box 14

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**Unit Date** 1972

**Container** Box 14

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**Unit Date** 1969-1970

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**Unit Date** 1959

**Container** Box 14

**University of Virginia--Senate of the University of Virginia**

**Unit Date** 1957, 1970-1971

**Container** Box 14

**University of Virginia--University of Virginia--Sesquicentennial Convocation Panel-- Shannon Inauguration**

**Unit Date** 1969

**Container** Box 14

**University of Virginia--Social Science Research Council Fellowship--Oron J. Hale's Notes and Interviews**

**Unit Date** 1932-1933

**Container** Box 14

**University of Virginia--Thomas Jefferson Award**

**Unit Date** 1970-1976

**Container** Box 14

**University of Virginia--Thomas Jefferson Foundation Fellowships**

**Unit Date** 1957-1960

**Container** Box 14

**University of Virginia--Toynbee Lectures**

**Unit Date** 1957-1958

**Container** Box 14

**University of Virginia--University Book Club**

**Unit Date** 1971-1973

**Container** Box 14

**Group III: Government Service**

**War Department General Staff, Intelligence Division--Records Pertaining to Germany's Wartime Activities**

**Unit Date** 1937-1960, n.d.

**Container** Box 15

**Extent** (4 folders)

**War Department General Staff, Intelligence Division--News Summaries of the Wartime European Press**

**Unit Date** 1943-1945

**Container** Box 16

**Extent** (1-6 of 8 folders)

**War Department General Staff, Intelligence Division--News Summaries of the Wartime European Press**

**Unit Date** 1943-1945

**Container** Box 17

**Extent** (7-8 of 8 folders)

**War Department, Historical (Shuster) Commission Interrogation of Former German Officials--Correspondence, Interview Notes, and Report Drafts [Interrogatee index in folders]**

**Unit Date** 1945

**Container** Box 17

**Extent** (1-3 of 8 folders)

**War Department, Historical (Shuster) Commission Interrogation of Former German Officials--Correspondence, Interview Notes, and Report Drafts [Interrogatee index in folders]**

**Unit Date** 1945

**Container** Box 18

**Extent** (4-8 of 8 folders)

**War Department, Historical (Shuster) Commission Interrogation of Former German Officials--Interrogation Reports Pertaining to Germany's Military, Political, Social, Economic, and Press Activities. Includes Oron J. Hale's "Final Report," December 20, 1945 [Interrogatee index in folders]**

**Unit Date** 1945

**Container** Box 19

**Extent** (2 folders)

**--U.S. High Commission for Germany--Office of the State (Land) Commissioner for Bavaria--Oron J. Hale's Office and Personal File Records**

**Unit Date** 1950-1952

**Container** Box 19

**Extent** (1-2 of 10 folders)

**U.S. High Commission for Germany--Office of the State (Land) Commissioner for Bavaria--Oron J. Hale's Office and Personal File Records**

**Unit Date** 1950-1952

**Container** Box 20

**Extent** (3-6 of 10 folders)

**U.S. High Commission for Germany--Office of the State (Land) Commissioner for Bavaria--Oron J. Hale's Office and Personal File Records**

**Unit Date** 1950-1952

**Container** Box 21

**Extent** (7-10 of 10 folders)

**U.S. High Commission for Germany--Oron J. Hale's Media Presentations and Interviews**

**Unit Date** 1950-1952

**Container** Box 22

**Extent** (2 folders)

**U.S. High Commission for Germany--Oron J. Hale's Cultural and Social Activities**

**Unit Date** 1950-1952, n.d.

**Container** Box 22

**Extent** (2 folders)

## **Group IV: Publications**

**Correspondence with Publishers**

**Unit Date** 1962-1980

**Container** Box 23

**Extent** (2 folders)

### **Writings--Manuscript Drafts and Background (Oron J. Hale)**

**Unit Date** 1928-1964, n.d.

**Container** Box 23

**Extent** (1-4 of 7 folders)

#### **Scope and Content**

Includes "Sicherung der Zukunft des Deutschen Volkes," by Martin Bormann.

### **Writings--Manuscript Drafts and Background (Oron J. Hale)**

**Unit Date** 1928-1964, n.d.

**Container** Box 24

**Extent** (5-7 of 7 folders)

### **Writings--Articles and Book Reviews (Oron J. Hale)**

**Unit Date** 1929,1935-1979, n.d.

**Container** Box 24

**Extent** (2 folders)

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**Unit Date** 1930-1984, n.d.

**Container** Box 25

**Extent** (2 folders)

### **Writings--Reviews and Correspondence (Oron J. Hale's Publications)**

**Unit Date** 1932-1971

**Container** Box 25

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**Unit Date** 1932-1972

**Container** Box 25

## **Group V: Genealogy**

### **Hale Family History--Missouri**

**Unit Date** 1822-1939, n.d.

**Container** Box 26

### **Hale Family History--Ancestral Records**

**Unit Date** 1891-1988, n.d.

**Container** Box 26

### **Hale Family History--Washington State**

**Unit Date** 1930s-1986, n.d.

**Container** Box 26

**Extent** (2 folders)

### **Hale Family History--Glastonbury, Connecticut**

**Unit Date** 1935-1990, n.d.

**Container** Box 26

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**Unit Date** 1979-1990, n.d.

**Container** Box 26

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**Unit Date** 1800s-1940s

**Container** Box 27

**Extent** (4 folders)

### **Miscellaneous**

**Unit Date** 1935-1990, n.d.

**Container** Box 27

**Extent** (1-2 of 4 folders)

### **Miscellaneous**

**Unit Date** 1935-1990, n.d.

**Container** Box 28

**Extent** (3-4 of 4 folders)

### **Land Commissioner (Bavaria) Period**

**Unit Date** 1950-1952

**Container** Box 28

**Extent** (1-3 of 6 folders)

### **Land Commissioner (Bavaria) Period**

**Unit Date** 1950-1952

**Container** Box 29

**Extent** (4-6 of 6 folders)

### **Academic Career Period**

**Unit Date** 1953-1970

**Container** Box 29

**Extent** (2 folders)

### **Senior Retirement Years**

**Unit Date** 1970s-1990

**Container** Box 30

**Extent** (4 folders)

## **Group VII: Miscellany**

### **Awards**

**Unit Date** 1952-1972

**Container** Box 31

**Extent** (3 folders)

### **Memorabilia--(Oron J. Hale)**

**Unit Date** 1927-1962, 1980, n.d.

**Container** Box 32

### **Memorabilia--(Anne Hale)**

**Unit Date** 1932-1933, 1950, n.d.

**Container** Box 32

## **Memorabilia--(Virginia Hale)**

**Unit Date** ca. 1970s, n.d.

**Container** Box 32

## **Newsclippings**

**Unit Date** 1929-1984, n.d.

**Container** Box 32

**Extent** (2 folders)

## **Personal Records--Academic (Oron J. Hale, Anne Hale)**

**Unit Date** 1915-1930

**Container** Box 32

## **Personal Records--Date Books (Oron J. Hale)**

**Unit Date** 1931-1985

**Container** Box 33

## **Personal Records--Diary (Anne Hale)**

**Unit Date** 1932-1933

**Container** Box 34

## **Personal Records--Guest Log**

**Unit Date** 1950-1969

**Container** Box 34

## **Personal Records--Military Service Records (Oron J. Hale)**

**Unit Date** 1942-1962, n.d.

**Container** Box 34

## **Personal Records--Miscellaneous**

**Unit Date** 1935, 1970s-1980s

**Container** Box 34

**Extent** (1 of 3 folders)

## **Personal Records--Miscellaneous**

**Unit Date** 1935, 1970s-1980s

**Container** Box 35

**Extent** (2-3 of 3 folders)

## **Personal Records--Professional, Social, and Recreational Activities**

**Unit Date** 1970s-1980s, n.d.

**Container** Box 35

**Extent** (3 folders)