

Department of Agricultural Economics fonds

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Fonds Description

Department of Agricultural Economics fonds. – 1949-1963.

6.5 cm of textual records.

Administrative History

The Department of Agricultural Economics was established within the Faculty of Agriculture in 1940 to deal with the economic and social problems of agriculture which arose primarily in the adaption of the industry to technological progress and population growth. Dean F.M. Clement, who had offered courses in the field of agricultural economics for over fifteen years, became the first head of the department. In 1949, W.J. Anderson succeeded Clement, and he served as head until 1964.

Scope and Content

The fonds consists of two bound sets of records kept by W.J. Anderson who served as department head from 1949 to 1964. The first binder is composed of departmental administrative records including memos, correspondence, personnel information and committee reports. The second set of material includes correspondence, memos and reports pertaining to Graduate Studies from 1951 to 1963.

Notes

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