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Unit Date

1952-1962

Language

English

Creator

Milton, William H., Jr. (William Hammond), 1900-1984

Creator

Virginia Military Institute. Office of the Superintendent.

Extent

4 cubic feet

Physical Location

Archives stacks, Record Group 02, Superintendent

Repository

Virginia Military Institute Archives

Administrative Information

Conditions Governing Access

Some records are restricted. Access to certain categories of archival records is restricted because they contain material protected under federal or state statutes governing privacy and confidentiality. These include, but are not limited to, student records, personnel records, and medical records.

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Biographical / Historical

Major General William Hammond Milton, Jr. (b. 1900 d. 1984), graduated from VMI in 1920 with a degree in Electrical Engineering. He spent the majority of his career with the General Electric Company, in which he held a number of senior management positions before his retirement in 1952. Milton was the first VMI Superintendent to come to the job from an exclusively non-military background. Upon his appointment as Superintendent in August 1952 he was appointed a Major General in the Virginia Militia (Unorganized). He served until June 30, 1960 and died on June 12, 1984 at the age of 84.

Scope and Contents

Official records of the William H. Milton, Jr. administration, including correspondence, annual reports, and related records for the period 1952-1960.

Related Materials

Additional correspondence from this era is located in the Superintendents' Administrative Subject Files series.

Keywords

Virginia Military Institute—Administration

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Description of Subordinate Components

William H. Milton. Official Correspondence Files.

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Unit Date 1951-1960

Language English

Scope and Contents

Chronological official correspondence from the administration of William H. Milton, Jr.

William H. Milton, Jr. Biographical/Personal File

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Unit Date bulk 1920-1970

Language English

Extent 1 boxes

Scope and Contents

Biographical file/personal records, including VMI student record, correspondence, biographical and genealogical information.