

# Guide to the Charles Barton Neff Papers

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**CALL NUMBER:** MS 1190

**CREATOR:** Neff, Charles Barton

**TITLE:** Charles Barton Neff papers

**DATES:** 1960

**PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:** 2 linear feet

**LANGUAGE:** English

**SUMMARY:** A collection of questionnaires completed by 320 Americans before and after visits to the Soviet Union in the summer of 1960. These questionnaires were the basis of Charles Barton Neff's doctoral dissertation, "Attitude Change in American Travelers to the Soviet Union" (Yale University, 1961).

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## Administrative Information

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## **Preferred Citation**

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## **Biographical / Historical**

Charles Barton Neff graduated from Pomona College in 1954, receiving the degree of B.A. In 1959, he received an M.A. from Yale University and in 1961, he received his Ph.D., also from Yale.

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## **Scope and Contents**

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## Collection Contents

b. 1, f. 1 - 25	Questionnaires filled out before departure for the U.S.S.R.	1960
b. 2, f. 26 - 50	Questionnaires filled out upon return from the U.S.S.R.	1960

## **Selected Search Terms**

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

### **Subjects**

Public opinion polls

### **Geographic Names**

Europe

Soviet Union -- Description and travel

Soviet Union -- Public opinion

United States -- Foreign relations

### **Names**

Neff, Charles Barton

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