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Summary Information

Repository:	Rockefeller Archive Center
Creator:	Rockefeller Foundation
Creator - aut:	Knipe, Frederick W.
Title:	Frederick W. Knipe collection
ID:	FA029
Date [inclusive]:	1930-1951
Physical Description:	15 Cubic Feet 17 reels of film and photographs. 15 cubic feet is just a placeholder until extent can be determined.
Language of the Material:	English

Preferred Citation

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Biographical / Historical

Frederick W. Knipe was born in 1893 in Hughesville, Pennsylvania. Attending Penn State from 1913-1917 and Iowa State College from 1919-1920, he studied agricultural engineering and secured a license as a drainage and irrigation engineer. From 1920-1930, Mr. Knipe was Assistant Professor of Engineering at Connecticut Agricultural College and Consulting Engineer for the Raymond Keeler Contracting Company.

Joining the International Health Division in 1930, Mr. Knipe took part in the Rockefeller Foundation's anti-malaria campaigns. From 1930-1937, he worked in Bulgaria and Albania. Transferred to Madras State, India in 1937, he participated in the first area-wide campaigns using insecticide effectively against the adult female mosquito. He remained in India until 1942, when he was attached to the U. S. Army malaria control project in Florida. In Rome in 1944, he served as advisor on malaria control for the Army of Occupation; he then joined the Sardinian Project in 1946. Mr. Knipe was assigned to the Malaria Institute of India in 1952, where he taught the use of equipment for malaria control. He retired from the Rockefeller Foundation in 1958.

A major professional interest of Mr. Knipe's had always been an efficient and effective sprayer for the insecticide. While in Italy he designed and built sprayers and then in India worked on perfecting a portable sprayer. There they made their own equipment to manufacture the insecticide, made their own sprayers, and assembled their own power equipment to activate the sprayers.

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Scope and Contents

Important subjects in this collection include: malaria control, drainage of mosquito breeding, development and use of spraying equipment for insecticides.

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Administrative Information

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Immediate Source of Acquisition

Frederick W. Knipe deposited his collection with the Rockefeller Foundation Archives in June 1969.

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Controlled Access Headings

- Insecticides
- DDT (Insecticide)
- Technology
- Public health
- Malaria
- Rockefeller Foundation
- Knipe, Frederick W.

Physical Characteristics and Technical Requirements

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Collection Inventory

Photographs

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Title/Description	Instances	
Durazzo Lagoon Salinification, Albania Scope and Contents Lagoons, canals, construction.	box 7	folder 67
Durazzo Lagoon Salinification, Albania Scope and Contents Lagoons, bridges, construction, canals.	box 7	folder 68
Tirana River Project, Albania Scope and Contents Canals, irrigation, agriculture, dams, construction.	box 7	folder 69

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