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Biographical Sketch

Born in Frankfort, Kentucky, on September 25, 1915, Carl E. Moore received his bachelor's degree from Eastern Kentucky State University in 1939. During World War II, he was a chemist for an explosives plant of E.I. duPont de Nemours & Co. He received his master's degree in organic chemistry from the University of Louisville in 1947, then worked for the American Filter Corporation and became an instructor at the University of Louisville. In 1952, after receiving his Ph.D. from Ohio State University, he joined the Chemistry Department of Loyola University of Chicago, where he remained until his retirement in 1986.

During the 1976-77 academic year, Dr. Moore was appointed chairman of the Department of Chemistry. He served in this position until 1981. After retiring from teaching in 1986, Dr. Moore's plans were to continue his research and writing. His research interests include trace elements, organic reagents, synthesis of new reagents, and alkali and alkaline earth metals. He is presently writing a history of the Chemistry Department.

Aside from being the author of numerous professional publications in the area of analytical chemistry, Dr. Moore is also a notable authority in the area of air pollution and environmental problems. His research has made possible the development of an analytical methodology for routine air and water analysis. Furthermore, he has served as chairman of the Morton Grove Air Pollution Control Commission, and was an American Chemical Society science counselor to Congressman Abner Mikva.

Dr. Moore has been an active member of the American Chemical Society, the Society for Applied Spectroscopy, the American Association for the Advancement of Science, Kappa Delta Pi, Sigma Xi, the Midwestern University Analytical Chemistry Professors, the Audubon Society, and the National Geographic Society.

Scope and Content

The following correspondence of Carl E. Moore, Professor of Chemistry, was donated to the University Archives by Shirley Grohe, Administrative Secretary to the Chemistry Department, on August 8, 1985. Because this correspondence relates to the period before Dr. Moore became Chairperson of the Chemistry Department, it has been separated from the records with which it was sent - those of the Chairperson of the Chemistry Department (Accession Number UA1985.33). Records from Accession Number UA1988.38 (files 1-11 through 2-5) were later added to the inventory. The arrangement of this correspondence is chronological.

Two more items were added to the collection to update it. A list of Chemistry department graduates from 1924-1990, which is similar to an appendix in Carl and Mary Moore's History of the Chemistry Department. Also added to the collection is a folder of miscellaneous correspondence (Acc. No. UA1988.56).

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