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NAME OF COLLECTION: Dmitrii Nikolaevich FEDOTOFF-WHITE Papers

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DESCRIPTION: Correspondence, manuscripts, photographs, subject files and printed materials of Dmitrii N. Fedotoff-White (1889-1950), Imperial Russian naval officer and historian. The correspondence includes letters from Michael Florinsky, Mikhail Karpovich, Bernard Pares, Geroid Robinson and George Vernadsky as well as one each from Lidia Lopukhova, Lewis Mumford and George Orwell. There is abundant correspondence relating to the Cunard Whitestar Line, notably from Anthony Cunard. The manuscripts include drafts of several of Fedotoff-White's books as well as copious notes and book reviews. There are subject files relating to his curriculum vitae, financial affairs, and his university studies. Among the printed materials are books (including several of his own),  clippings, and  pamphlets and brochures.

For biographical sketch and box list see register.

## BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

Dmitri Nikolaevich Fedotoff-White (a.k.a. Daniel D. Fedotoff-White; 1889-1950) graduated from the Naval College (Morskoi Korpus) in St. Petersburg and served as an officer in the Russian Navy during World War I. From 1915 to 1918 he was the assistant Naval Attaché at the Imperial Russian Embassy in Washington and London. He served in the Royal British Navy from 1918 to 1919 when he re-entered Russian service to join Kolchak's troops. After a brief period of imprisonment, he and his wife (née Ekaterina de Campo Scipio) emigrated to the United States where he joined the staff of the Cunard Steamship company. He managed both the Washington and the Philadelphia offices, including after the company merged with Whitestar. Fedotoff-White served as chairman of the British Ministry of War Transport, Philadelphia Committee, and was associated with the Russian War Relief. In 1944 Fedotoff-White received a Ph. D. degree from Columbia University and from 1947 to 1948 he was a senior fellow at Columbia's Russian Institute. Among his many books are Survival (1939), Growth of the Red Army (1944), and The Russian Navy in Trieste (1947).

## FEDOTTOFF-WHITE BOX LIST

### Boxes 1-2. Cataloged Correspondence

1. Adams, J. Donald  
Armstrong, Hamilton Fish  
Bakhmeteff, Boris  
Biddle, Francis  
Blackwood, George W.  
Blaisdell, Thomas G.  
Bourke-White, Margaret  
Bowen, Catherine Drinker  
Burt, Struthers  
Caldwell, Taylor  
Chamberlin, William Henry  
Cooke, James Francis  
Cournos, John  
Cousins, Norman  
Culbertson, Ely  
Curti, Merle  
Dickinson, John  
Dobzhansky, Theodosius  
Du Pont, Pierre S.  
Fedorov, Mikhail Mikhailovich  
Finkelstein, Louis  
Fisher, Harold H.  
Florinsky, Michael T.  
Gottschalk, Louis

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1. continued  
Hall, (Sir) Reginald  
Hayes, Carlton J.H.  
Kaltenborn, Hans V.  
Karpovich, Mikhail Mikhailovich  
Kent, A.Atwater  
Knopf, Alfred A.  
Lopukhova, Lidia  
Losskii, Nikolai Onufrievich  
MacIver, Robert M.  
Menchen, Henry L.  
Montagu, Ashley  
Moon, Parker Thomas  
Mosely, Philip E..  
Mumford, Lewis  
Nabokov, Konstantine Dmitrievich
2. Orwell, George  
Pares, Bernard  
Perkins, Francis  
Read, Conyers  
Ripley, Robert  
Robeson, Paul  
Robinson, Geroid Tanquary
3. Salisbury, Harrison E.  
Senn, Alfred  
Simmons, Ernest J.  
Sorin, Savelii Abramovich  
Tolstaia, Aleksandra L'vovna  
Toynbee, Arnold Joseph  
Vernadsky, George  
Vishniak, Mark Veniaminovich  
Von Morenschildt, Dimitri Sergius  
Weinbaum, Mark Efimovich  
Westermann, William Linn  
Yakobson, Sergius  
Zenzinov, Vladimir Mikhailovich  
Zworykin, Vladimir

Boxes 4-38. Arranged Correspondence

4. Unidentified  
A (three folders)  
Ananieff, Vladimir Pavlovich  
Annals, The  
Archer Family  
Association of Former Russian Naval Officers  
Atheneum of Philadelphia  
Atkins, Florence  
Avinoff, Andrei Nikolaevich
5. B (five folders)  
Baarslag, Karl  
Baldwin, Hanson W.  
Barlöwen, Eugenie Karlovna  
de Beausset, Anna  
de Beausset, Michael  
Bernays, Lewis  
Bogdanovich, Vladislav Leonardovich
6. Bonn, Mr. and Mrs. Moritz J.  
Booth, Walter B.  
Boutourline, Serge  
Boyd, Julian P.  
Bristol, Warren E.  
British Luncheon Club  
British Ministry of Shipping (three folders)  
British Ministry of War Transport  
British Officers' Club  
British organizations (miscellaneous)  
British War Relief Society  
Burgess, W. Starling and Nannie (two folders)
7. C (four folders)  
Chamberlain, Edmund and Mary-Stuaxt (three folders)  
Chapman, M. Alan and Edith  
Chavchavadze, Paul  
Chew, Oswald  
Christoforoff, Boris I.
8. Cline, Thomas L.  
Columbia University

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8. continued  
Cooke, Delos W.  
condolence letters  
Cooper, B. Hubert  
Corfino, George  
Crosely, Walter S., Pauline & Paul  
Cunard Family
- 9.. Cunard, Anthony (four folders)
10. Cunard Whitestar, 1922-1934
11. Cunard Whitestar, 1935
12. Cunard Whitestar, 1936
13. Cunard Whitestar, 1937
14. Cunard Whitestar, 1938-1947
15. D (three folders)  
Davison, Viola  
Demidov, Aleksandr Petrovich  
Devereux, Alvin  
Dmitriev, Vladimir Ivanovich  
Dordick, Isadore  
Dourdov, Admiral B.P.
16. E  
Erlich, Aleksandr  
F (three folders)  
Fedotov, Nikolai  
Ferson, Vladik  
Fields, David (two folders)  
Flavin, Flavia L.  
Foreign Affairs
17. G (four Folders)
18. Gabrilovich (three folders)  
Galitzine Family  
de Ghika, George  
Gibbs, Leonard  
Glad, Serge V. (two folders)  
Glidden, Mrs. Arthur Boynton (Burgess)  
Gray, Austen K. and Christine C.  
Griffith, Charles and Bee (two folders)  
Gurian, Waldemar

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19. H (four folders)  
Hamilton, Michael  
Hamilton, Milton
20. Harlow, Emma F.  
Harris, Thomas (two folders)  
Hillyer, Reginald A.N.  
Huene, Nikolai and Tamara (two folders)  
Hwoschinsky, Basil (two folders)
21. I  
Ives, Mabel Lorenz  
J
22. K (three folders)  
Keener, Ruth  
Keppie, P. Ronald  
Kinter, William R.  
Klein, Philip and Henry  
Komaroff, Theodore  
Krukoff, Boris A.
23. L (three folders)  
Laird, E. Cassatt (three folders)  
Legion for American Unity  
Lewis, John F.  
Lewis, Father Leicester  
Library of Congress  
Lingelbach, William
24. M (three folders)  
McIntosh & Otis, Inc.  
MacMillan Co.  
McMillan, Dr. Thomas M.  
Macy's  
Magill, James  
Makarov, Vadim
25. Malcomson, James  
Mallery, Otto T.  
Malozemov, Maria A. (three folders)  
Margolin, Arnold D.  
Marks, Dr. Henry E.  
Marsh, John C.  
Mathews, George N.  
Mazurova, Aleksandra & family  
Meyer, Tatiana and George  
Mishtowt, Illarion V.  
Mitcheson, John  
Modern Investment and Loan Co.  
Moran, W.A.

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26. N (three folders)  
New York Times  
Novossiltzev, Georgii  
Nowinski, Edward  
O
27. P (five folders)  
Pantukhov, Oleg  
Parris, Gladys  
Peacey, Howard  
Pilkin, Vladimir and Aleksis  
Polchaninov, Nikolai  
Polushkin, Aleksandr Sergeevich  
Polydorov, Vladimir Ivanovich  
Powers, Edith
28. Prasalov, Oleg Vladimirovich  
Princeton University Press  
Princeton University Press, Datus Smith (four folders)  
R (four folders)
29. Randles, Arthur (two folders)  
Ransom, Walter C.  
Ravitz, Filia  
Redman, Walter Beresford  
Reed, Homer and Nancy  
Riasanovskii, Valentin Aleksandrovich  
Riasonov, Sergei and Ekaterina  
Roberts, Hope le Bar  
Rogers, Joel A.  
Roginskii, Sophia  
Rose, Donald  
Russian War Relief, Inc. (two folders)  
Ruxton, W.H.
30. S (nine folders)  
Salza, Günther  
Schevelev, Klavdi Valentinovich  
Scholz, Karl  
Scott, Harold W.
31. Seaman's Church Institute  
Seeger, Elizabeth  
Sellers, Alexander  
Sellin, Thorsten  
Semenov -Tian Shanskii, N.  
Sergievskii, Nikolai and Helen  
Sévier, André(Andrew)  
Shisko, Paul  
Shnitnifov, Boris Aleksandrovich  
Shvetzov, Tatiana Andreevna

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Shyrock, Richard H.  
Soloviev, Iurii Vsevolodovich  
Sparks, Sir Ashley  
Spellissy, Fred  
Squier, Arthur A. and Adeline  
Stankievicz, Mamert  
Staples, Phillip C.  
Stogov, Mr. P.E.  
Strandbert, Nina  
Swan, Oliver G.
32. T (two folders)  
Taube, George (four folders)  
Tarsaidze, Aleksandr G.  
Templeman, T.S.  
Thesis Topic-"Russian Expansion in Central Asia"
33. Thirty Club (three folders)  
Timofeev, Nikolai  
Tiufiaev, Aleksandr  
Tolmachov, Eugenia A.  
Troube, Dimitri S.
34. U  
Ughet, Serge A.  
University of Pennsylvania  
University of Pennsylvania Press, Ruth D. Keener (three folders)  
University of Pennsylvania Press, Phelps Soule  
Utgov, Mrs. Lydia V.
35. V  
Vakar, Nikolai P.  
Vassilieve, Nikolai V.  
Vernadsky, Nina  
Voice of America  
Vukovich, Stanislav M.
36. W (three folders)  
Walsh, James  
Washburn, Stanley  
Watson, Frederick  
Weymarn, Paul  
White, William C.  
Wildes, Harry E.  
Williams, General Seth and Mary  
Winter, Mamie (Mrs. F.A.)  
Wistar, J. Morris  
Wolkov-Mouromtsev, Vavara P.



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Z

Letters to and from Ekaterina M. Fedotoff-White (A-Z; seven folders)  
Ekaterina M. Fedotoff-White to her husband  
Dmitrii N. Fedotoff-White to his wife  
Ekaterina M. Fedotoff-White (letter drafts and notes)

Boxes 39-83. Manuscripts by Fedotoff-White; Manuscripts by Others

Manuscripts by D.N. Fedotoff-White

39. Diary
40. "Growth of the Red Army" (folders 1-8)
41. "Growth of the Red Army" (folders 9-14)
42. "Growth of the Red Army" (folders 15-22)
43. "The Ideal Type of Soviet Man" (six folders)
44. "Imperial Russian and Early Bolshevnik Treatment of Nationalities" (nine folders)
45. "Journey into the Future" (five folders)
46. "Kepler, Soviet Seaman" (folders 1-5)
47. "Kepler, Soviet Seaman" (folders 6-12)
48. "Lenin on the Bourgeois Revolution" (three folders)
49. Memoirs (folders 1-6)
50. Memoirs (folders 7-15)
51. "Soviet Philosophy of Primitive Society" (folders 1-7)
52. "Soviet Philosophy of Primitive Society" (folders 8-14)
53. "Survival"
54. Book Reviews (folders 1-11)
55. Book Reviews (folders 12-15)
56. Bibliographies (three folders) & Speeches (six folders)
57. Minor Manuscripts  
"Admiral F.F.Ushakov"  
"Baille"

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57. continued  
"The Boatswain's Death"  
"Certain Outcomes of Lenin's Philosophy"  
"Conferences, diplomats and weddings"  
"A Herald of America's Greatness--P. P. Svin'in"  
"A March on Naples in 1799"  
"Memorandum on Bolshakoff's Russian Nonconformity"  
"Na Fomu"  
"On my Own"  
"Razgovor s admiralom I. K. Grigorovichem"  
"The Riddle of the Baltic-Soviet..."  
"Seniavin Novel" (two folders)  
"Soviet Naval Doctrine"  
"Soviet Philosophy of War"  
"The Training Ship"
58. Short Manuscripts  
Titled (five folders)  
Untitled (one folder)
- 59-69. Miscellaneous Notes (82 folders)
70. Miscellaneous Notes (Home File; five folders)
71. Miscellaneous Notes (arranged by subject)  
Carola Oman's Nelson  
Central Asia (four folders)  
Early English Socialists  
East India Company  
Noble Views on the Land Commune  
Numerical Strength of the Dvorianstvo, 1851-1897  
Pareto, Wilfredo
72. Party Statistics, 1925-31  
Pokrovskii, M. N. (two folders)  
Pravda Vostoka  
Proletarska Pravda, 1926  
Russian Discoveries in the Pacific  
Soviet Railroads  
Struggle for Central Asia
- 73-79. Notes and Cards
- 80-82. Card Files
83. Manuscripts by Others  
Misc. Reviews of Fedotoff-White's Books  
Anon., Miscellaneous short articles  
Ackerman, Frederick L., "The Technologist Looks at the Depression"  
Erickson, N., "A Few Remarks about my own Experiences during the  
Russian Revolution"

83. continued  
Jones, Paul, "Candid Shots"  
Krasnoff, P.N., "Russia, Her Past, Present, and Future" (Notes)  
Mikhailov, D.N., "O Kasnoi Armii"  
Murrow, Edward R., transcript of a radio broadcast  
Prentis, H.W., "The Cult of Competency"  
Serebrenikov, G. and Taube, G., "To the Memory of D.N. Fedotoff-White"  
Miscellaneous manuscript fragments

Boxes 84-87. Photographs; Subject Files

84. Photographs  
Subject Files  
Biographical Materials (two folders)  
British Coronations  
British Merchant Navy Club (seven folders)
85. Financial Materials (two folders)  
History of the Peyote Cult
86. Serebrenikov, George (seven folders)
87. de Stoeckl Family History  
Tate, Georgii & Family  
University Committee on Post-War International Problems

Boxes 88-94. Printed Materials

88. Clippings
89. Clippings
90. Galleys
91. Journals
92. Journals
93. Pamphlets and Brochures
94. Pamphlets and Brouchures  
Miscellaneous Printed Materials  
Miscellaneous