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Scope and Content

Floyd Greenleaf was born on October 23, 1931, in Braintree, Vermont, in the northeast of the United States of America. After graduating from Forest Lake Academy, he attended Southern Missionary College, now Southern Adventist University, where he graduated in 1955 with a double major in history and religion. Thereafter, he completed an M.A. at George Peabody College of Vanderbilt University, and a Ph.D. in history at the University of Tennessee. His doctoral studies centered on Latin America.

Dr Greenleaf’s entire teaching career was at Adventist educational institutions. He taught history at Southern Adventist University, where he also served as a Vice President for Academic Administration.

In 1992 his two-volume work set, The Seventh-day Adventist Church in Latin America and the Caribbean, was published by Andrews University Press. He also revised and updated Richard W. Schwarz’s Light Bearers to the Remnant, published in 2000 as Light Bearers: A History of the Seventh-day Adventist Church.

The materials in this collection were gathered by the author for the purpose of writing the Latin America books. They consist of correspondence, transcribed interviews, photocopied articles and statistics from Adventist periodicals and General Conference Archives (GCA) about the work of the Seventh-day Adventist church in Latin America. Much of the materials, such as denominational statistics and Review & Herald articles, are now available online.

This collection also consists of annotations of his research on 3 by 5 inch cards which are organized alphabetically in eight card file cabinets, four for the Inter-American Division (IAD) and four for the South American Division (SAD). The annotations are about the Adventist work in the South America and Inter-America divisions.

Arrangement

The collection is as it was arranged by Floyd Greenleaf. No effort was made to sort the materials by writer/recipient or by date.

Provenance

This collection was given by Floyd Greenleaf to the Center for Adventist Research at Andrews University in April of 2005.

Use

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INVENTORY

Correspondence (correspondence and papers)

Box 1 Fld 1  
Aitken, Lames L.  
Special Dictation for Dr Floyd Greenleaf, July 1981

Box 1 Fld 2  
Allen, A. N.  
Diary “among Indians”, photocopies from the GC archives

Box 1 Fld 3  
Baasch, David H.  
Interview of Henry Baasch by Floyd Greenleaf, 6 pp, 3 sets  
“Report on Cuba”, 1979

Box 1 Fld 4  
Baasch, Henry  
Interview, July 16, 1980, 5 pp  
Message by H. Baasch to Floyd Greenleaf, in Spanish, 5 pp  
Interview of Henry Baasch by Floyd Greenleaf, 6 pp, 3 sets

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Bay Islands  
References to Bay islands in the R&H, 2 pp

Box 1 Fld 6  
Brazil

Box 1 Fld 7  
Broken Stone Mission  
Notes in 3 by 5 inch cards

Box 1 Fld 8  
Caviness, Mrs George, wife of Dr George Caviness  
Memoirs, handwritten (48 pp) and typed (15 pp)

Box 1 Fld 9  
Cumbres, Antillian College magazine  
Vol. 1, Nº 4, Marzo 1983

Box 1 Fld 10  
Davis, O. E., President of the British Guiana Conference  
Diary and related materials

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Dyer, Mercedes  
Establishing River Plate Sanitarium, article in  
Adventist Heritage, vol. VI, 1979

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Emmerson, Kenneth H.
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Box 1 Fld 17  General Conference Archives
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Box 1 Fld 19  Home Missionary Magazine, photocopies of articles
Box 2 Fld 1  Hutchins, Herald
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Box 4 Fld 2  *Review & Herald* articles about *Seventh-day Adventist World Services* (SAWS)
Box 4 Fld 3  Roth, Arthur H., interview, July 21, 1980
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Oversized Items Metal and paper boxes for 3 by 5 inch cards, organized alphabetically in eight card file cabinets, four for the Inter-American Division (IAD) and four for the South American Division (SAD). The annotations are about the Adventist work in the South America and Inter-America divisions and are sub-divided first according to Unions, and second according to countries.

Oversize Box#1-2 Metal, two drawers each: annotations mostly from the R&H, GC Archives on the South America Division, its Unions, and various countries

Oversize Box#3-6 paper, four single draws: annotations mostly from the R&H, GC Archives on the Inter-American Division, its Unions, and various countries

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