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Donald Empson Collection, 1932-1984

Collection Description

- **Title:** Donald Empson Collection
- **Dates:** 1932-1984 [bulk 1975-1984]
- **Creator:** Donald Empson
- **Call Number:** MG 393
- **Language:** English
- **Extent:** 1 envelope

Conditions of Access

- **Restrictions:** These records are open to researchers for personal or scholarly research. Most of the records in the collection are available for photocopy, depending on the preservation needs of the material as well as other variables not specified here. Researchers, however, are responsible for obtaining copyright permission to use materials and documents. These records are part of the permanent collection in the archives of the Library & Research Center of the National Watch and Clock Museum and researchers are required to comply with the Archive Rules when using the collection.

Content & Structure

- **Scope & Content:** This collection includes research of the history of Minnesota clocks and watches, as compiled by Donald Empson while he was a research librarian at the Minnesota Historical Society during the 1970s and 1980s.

Additionally, this collection includes a short autobiography of Adler Clausen, who invented the Flying Pendulum Clock in Minneapolis.