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## Gardner (Wofford) Papers

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	Raymond H. Fogler Library University Archives
<b>Creator:</b>	Gardner, Wofford G., 1914-1997
<b>Title:</b>	Faculty Records (University Of Maine). Gardner (Wofford) Papers
<b>ID:</b>	UA RG 0011.068
<b>ID [aspace_uri]:</b>	/repositories/3/resources/3602
<b>Date [inclusive]:</b>	1931-1979
<b>Physical Description:</b>	1 box Half size box
<b>Language of the Material:</b>	English .
<b>Note:</b>	Open to Collaborate Notice



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## Biographical / Historical

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Wofford G. Gardner was born March 29, 1914, in Bangor, Maine. He graduated from Southwestern College, Winfield, Kansas, with a B.A. degree and from Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill., with an M.A. and Ph.D. He joined the faculty of the University of Maine in 1946 and was chair of the Department of Speech from 1948-1975. During those years he was director of Debate and Forensics for 25 years. He directed the University of Maine High School Debate Workshop and Debate Tournament for 25 years. He was parliamentarian for many organizations in the area. He died in Orono on Aug. 30, 1997

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## Scope and Contents

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The record group contain a history of debating at the University of Maine from 1931-1979. Included are newspaper clippings, photographs, debate schedules, and correspondence.

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## Arrangement

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The materials are arranged chronologically.

### Box numbers have changed:

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## Administrative Information

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### Publication Statement

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## Conditions Governing Access

Kept at Fogler Library's offsite storage facility. One week's notice required for retrieval.

## Conditions Governing Use

Information on literary rights available in the repository.

## Processing Information

Processed by Matthew Revitt and volunteer Marian Dressler, July 2024, Raymond H. Fogler Library Special Collections Department. Processing involved a collection survey and rehousing material into appropriate archival folders and the boxes and folders numbered and titled using information from ArchivesSpace. Processing also involved the creation of this finding aid.

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## Controlled Access Headings

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- Debates and debating -- Maine -- Orono
- Clippings
- Black-and-white photographs
- Schedules
- University of Maine. Department of Speech
- Maine Debating Council

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## General

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Formerly SpC MS 196.

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## Collection Inventory

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Title/Description	Instances	
Gardner -- Debate Forensics, 1931-1948 <u>Physical Description:</u> 1 folder	Box 1	Folder 1
Gardner -- Debate Forensics, 1948-1957 <u>Physical Description:</u> 1 folder	Box 1	Folder 2
Gardner -- Debate Forensics, 1958-1965 <u>Physical Description:</u> 1 folder	Box 1	Folder 3
Gardner -- Debate Forensics, 1965-1979 <u>Physical Description:</u> 1 folder	Box 1	Folder 4