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Introduction
Papers of a journalist and member of the United States Information Agency, consisting of copies of news stories, articles and other writings, correspondence, notes, background and research material, and miscellaneous personal records related to Allen's coverage of U.S. foreign policy activities in central and south America, Europe, and Asia, 1950s-1960s.

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Inter-American conferences, meetings, and summits.
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