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ACQUISITION: Donated by Thomas A. Knowles in 2000.

ACCESS: Restricted access: materials fragile; access by request at Main Library archives only; material does not circulate.

VOLUME: 6 LF

SCOPE AND CONTENT: Thomas A. Knowles served in various executive capacities with Goodyear Aircraft, later Goodyear Aerospace until his retirement in 1965. Mr. Knowles possessed a love of early aeronautics and lighter-than-air, and collected books, artifacts and art related to these subjects. This collection includes 66 books and framed prints on this topic. The books are cataloged and can be identified by searching for a title of "Thomas Knowles Collection."

ARRANGEMENT: In original order received.

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