

Reference code: GB165-0055

Title: Sir Milne Cheetham Collection

Name of creator: Cheetham, Sir Milne (1869-1938) Knight

Dates of creation of material: 1910-1920

Level of description: Fonds

Extent: 1 box

Biographical history: CHEETHAM, Sir Milne (1869-1938) Knight

Born 9 July 1869, son of J.M. Cheetham. In 1894 entered Diplomatic Service; Secretary in Paris, 1896, Secretary in Berlin, 1901. Then 1st Secretary in Rome, 1905; chargé d'affaires at Rio de Janeiro, 1908-1909; Counsellor of Embassy, Cairo, 1911-19; Minister to Peru & Ecuador, 1919-1920; Minister in Paris, 1921-1922; Minister in Switzerland, 1922-1924; Minister in Athens, 1924-1926; Minister in Copenhagen, 1926-1928. Married 1st (1907) Anastasia, daughter of M.N. Mouravieff (div. 1923) - one son; 2nd. Cynthia, daughter of Sir Horace Seymour. KCMG 1912, CMG 1912. Died 6 January 1938.

Scope and content: Private letters and telegrams to Sir Arthur Nicolson, Sir Louis Mallet, Sir Eldon Gorst and Lord Kitchener on British policy in Egypt, 1910-1914; letters from R.S. Patterson, Sir R. Graham, Lords Allenby and Milner relating to Egypt, 1919-1920.

Access conditions: Open

Language of material: English

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Custodial history: In the possession of Sir Milne Cheetham until 1938, Lady Cheetham until 1968 and then in the possession of Sir Nicholas Cheetham

Immediate source of acquisition: Received as a gift from Sir Nicholas Cheetham, Nov 1975

Related Units of Description:

In MEC Archive

GB165-0005 Allenby Collection

GB165-0122 Sir Eldon Gorst Collection

GB165-0173 Kitchener Collection

Finding aids: In Guide; Handlist

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FILE LEVEL DESCRIPTION OF THE SIR MILNE CHEETHAM COLLECTION

File 1	Letters to Sir Eldon Gorst and Sir Louis Mallet	1910
File 2	Letters to Sir Eldon Gorst, Sir Arthur Nicolson etc	1911
File 3	Private letters and telegrams to and from Lord Kitchener	1912-1913
File 4	Private correspondence, mainly telegrams concerning the proclamation of a protectorate	1914
File 5	Letters from Lord Allenby, Sir R Graham, Lord Milner, R.S. Patterson	1919-1920