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BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

1891 May 13	Born, Kazan' , Russia
?	Studied in Kazan' University, Russia
1914?-1917	Served in the Imperial Russian Army
1918-1921	Participated in the Civil War
1923	Emigrated to the United States
1925-1927	Served in the National Guard of Washington State
1937 May 11	Promoted to the rank of Major-General by Kirill Vladimirovich, Grand Duke of Russia
1947	Graduated with the degree of Doctor of Psychology from the College of Divine Metaphysics, Indianapolis, Indiana
1951 October 12	Member, Les Chevaliers de la Croix de Lorraine et Compagnons de la Résistance
1971	Died, San Francisco, California

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

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Aleksandr Aleksandrovich Kurenkov (also known as Alexander A. Koor/Koorenkoff), was a Russian Major-General. After immigrating to the United States in 1923 he became an active member of different Russian émigré associations and the émigré monarchist movement. He expressed his views in the newspaper Vestnik pravdy (San Francisco) for which he was a publisher and editor (see OVERSIZE FILE). This collection mainly contains Kurenkov's writings, as well as background materials and printed matter, related to his interest in the pre-history of Russia and the Slavs, and in particular, the so-called "Vlesova Kniga" or "Doshchechki Izenbeka."

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