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Following his graduation from Notre Dame, E.H. was a first lieutenant in the Army for two years and then joined New Penn Motor Express, Inc., as an assistant traffic manager. He moved up through the company, becoming President in 1974, a position he held until 1997, when he formed Arnold Industries. He is also former Chairman of Arnold Logistics.

E.H. has been a member of Notre Dame’s Advisory Council for the Hesburgh Libraries since 1991. He is also Vice Chairman of the board of trustees at Lebanon Valley College.

E.H.’s wife, Jeanne, retired as the Senior Vice President of patient care services at Good Samaritan Hospital in Lebanon, Ohio.

In addition to this collection, E.H. has also endowed the directorship of the Hesburgh Libraries and has established a Distinguished collection in science and engineering.

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