Adolph Law Voge Papers

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Collection Summary
Title: Adolph Law Voge Papers
Span Dates: 1915-1939
ID No.: MSS44156
Creator: Voge, Adolph Law
Extent: 1,300 items ; 19 containers ; 7.6 linear feet
Language: Collection material in English
Location: Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.
Summary: Chemical engineer, bibliographer, and genealogist. Correspondence, writings, and genealogical notes relating to Roger Barton and the Barton family, the family of John Law (1636-1708), the Reeve family, and the Serine family.

Selected Search Terms
The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

People
Barton family--Genealogy.
Barton family.
Barton, Roger, approximately 1628-1688--Family.
Barton, Roger, approximately 1628-1688.
Law family--Genealogy.
Law family.
Law, John, 1636-1708--Family.
Law, John, 1636-1708.
Reeve family--Genealogy.
Reeve family.
Serine family--Genealogy.
Serine family.
Voge, Adolph Law, 1875-1945.

Subjects
Genealogy.

Places
Atlantic Coast (Middle Atlantic States)--Genealogy.
New England--Genealogy.
United States--Genealogy.

Occupations
Bibliographers.
Chemical engineers.
Genealogists.

Administrative Information
Provenance
The papers of Adolph Law Voge were given to the Library of Congress by Voge in 1940 and by his wife, Margaret Law Voge, in 1946.

Processing History
The papers of Adolph Law Voge were processed after its receipt and rehoused in 1989. The finding aid was revised in 2011.
Copyright Status

The status of copyright in the unpublished writings of Adolph Law Voge is governed by the Copyright Law of the United States (Title 17, U.S.C.).

Access and Restrictions

The papers of Adolph Law Voge are open to research. Researchers are advised to contact the Manuscript Reading Room prior to visiting. Many collections are stored off-site and advance notice is needed to retrieve these items for research use.

Preferred Citation

Researchers wishing to cite this collection should include the following information: Container number, Adolph Law Voge Papers, Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

Biographical Note

Adolf Law Voge (1875-1945) was a chemical engineer and bibliographer who published several works concerning the bibliographic classification of technological publications in the United States and internationally between 1905 and 1944. Voge was also a genealogist. He published *Roger Barton and His Kinsmen* (Cold Spring, N.Y., 1937) and *The Kinsmen of John Law* (1635-1708) of Acton, Massachusetts (Washington, D.C., 1942), and read a paper on Roger Barton at the organizational meeting of the Roger Barton's Kinsmen in 1937. He was married to Margaret Law Voge and a resident of Westchester, New York, in 1930.

Scope and Content Note

The papers of Adolph Law Voge span the years 1915-1939. The collection consists of correspondence, writings, and genealogical notes relating to Roger Barton, presumably born in England, and the Barton family, the family of John Law (1636-1708), the Reeve family, and the Serine family. The focus is on New England and the mid-Atlantic region.

Arrangement of the Papers

This collection is arranged by type of material
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