

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

Extent: 19 containers

Extent: 7.6 linear feet

Language: Collection material in English

Location: Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

LC Catalog record: <https://lccn.loc.gov/mm81044156>

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 LC Catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically.

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.

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The status of copyright in the unpublished writings of Adolph Law Voge is governed by the Copyright Law of the United States (Title 17, U.S.C.).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

Container List

Container	Contents
BOX 1	Genealogical charts and background
BOX 1	Correspondence
BOX 1	1933-1937 (4 folders)
BOX 2	1938-1940 (6 folders)
BOX 2	1941-1943 (5 folders)
BOX 4	Notes
BOX 4	1943-1944 (5 folders)
BOX 5	1944-1945 (3 folders)
BOX 6	1945-1951 (4 folders)
BOX 7	Transcripts and notes
BOX 7	1940-1941 (4 folders)
BOX 8	1942 (4 folders)
BOX 9	Notebooks (4 vols.)
BOX 10	(8 vols.)
BOX 11	(3 vols.)
BOX 12	(3 vols.)
BOX 13	(6 vols.)
BOX 14	(3 vols.)
BOX 15	(3 vols.)
BOX 16	(4 vols.)
BOX 17	(4 vols.)
BOX 18	Index cards
BOX 19	Index cards