

Julius Goebel Papers

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Collection Summary

Title: Julius Goebel Papers

Span Dates: 1873-1930

ID No.: MSS22996

Creator: Goebel, Julius, 1857-1931

Extent: 3,000 items

Extent: 8 containers

Extent: 3 linear feet

Language: Collection material in English and German

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

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Summary: Lawyer and educator. Correspondence, subject files, printed matter relating mainly to career as a professor of German language and literature, his removal from the Stanford University faculty, and German-American affairs. Also includes Goebel family correspondence

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

Goebel family--Correspondence.

Goebel, Julius, 1857-1931.

Organizations

Stanford University--Faculty.

Subjects

German Americans.

German language--Study and teaching.

German literature--Study and teaching.

Germans--United States.

Occupations

Educators.

Lawyers.

Provenance

The papers of Julius Goebel, lawyer and educator, were given to the Library of Congress by Marie Kimball in 1938.

Processing History

The papers of Julius Goebel were housed and listed circa 1975. The finding aid was revised in 2012.

Copyright Status

The status of copyright in the unpublished writings of Julius Goebel is governed by the Copyright Law of the United States (Title 17, U.S.C.).

Access and Restrictions

The papers of Julius Goebel 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, Julius Goebel Papers, Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

Biographical Note

Date	Event
1857, 23 May	Born, Frankfort-on-the Main, Germany
1879-1881	Attended University of Leipzig, Leipzig, Germany
1882	Ph.D., University of Tübingen, Tübingen, Germany
1882	Immigrated to the United States
1883	Published <i>Über Die Zukunft Unseres Volkes in Amerika</i> . New York: Buchdruckerei von cherouny
1884	Published <i>Über Tragische Schuld und Sühn</i> . Berlin: C. Duncker
1885-1888	Instructor in German, John Hopkins University, Baltimore, Md.
1886-1889	Editor, German part of <i>Modern Language Notes</i>
1888	Married K. L. Vreeland
1888-1892	Editor, <i>Balletristisches Journal</i>
1892-1905	Taught Germanic philology and literature, Leland Stanford University, Stanford, Calif.
1901	Edited <i>Goethe's Poems</i> . New York: H. Holt and Co.
1904	Published <i>Das Deutschtum in den Vereinigten Staaten von Nord-Amerika</i> . München: J. F. Lehmann
1905-1908	Lecturer, Germanic philology, Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.
1907	Edited <i>Goethe's Faust</i> . New York: H. Holt and Co.
1908-1926	Professor of Germanic languages, University of Illinois, Champagne-Urbana, Ill.
1909	General editor, German Classics, Oxford Press
1909-1926	Managing editor, <i>Journal of English and German Philology</i>
1912	Editor, <i>Yearbook of German American Historical Society</i>
1914	Published <i>Der Kampf um Deutsche Kultur im Amerika</i> . Leipzig: Dürr
1920	Translated with Vincent H. Todd <i>Chrisoph von Graffenreid's Account of the Founding of New Bern, N.C.</i> Raleigh: Edwards & Broughton Printing
1931, 28 Mar.	Died

Scope and Content Note

The papers of Julius Goebel (1857-1931) span the years 1873-1930. The collection consists of correspondence, subject files, printed matter, and miscellaneous material relating mainly to Goebel's career as a professor of German language and literature, his removal from the Stanford University faculty, and German-American affairs. The papers include family correspondence and the material is in German and English.

Arrangement of the Papers

This collection is organized by type of material.

Container List

Container	Contents
BOX 1	Family correspondence
BOX 1	Letters to parents, 1873-1899 (4 folders)
BOX 1	Goebel, Ludwig, to Julius Goebel, 1875-1899 (3 folders)
BOX 2	General correspondence, 1880-1905 (7 folders)
BOX 3	Subject file
BOX 3	Biedermann, Karl
BOX 3	California earthquake
BOX 3	Gilbert, Charles Henry, affair
BOX 3	Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass.
BOX 3	Hildebrand, Rudolf
BOX 3	Removal from Stanford University, Stanford, Calif., Fight for academic freedom
BOX 3	1903-1906 (4 folders)
BOX 4	1907-1911 (3 folders)
BOX 4	Stanford University, Stanford, Calif.
BOX 4	Statements, 1904-1905
BOX 4	German-American affairs, 1892-1905
BOX 4	Academic affairs, 1908-1926
BOX 4	Academic freedom, 1909-1913
BOX 5	University of Illinois, Champagne-Urbana, Ill.
BOX 5	American affairs, 1920-1930 (6 folders)
BOX 5	German-American affairs
BOX 5	1911-1914 (4 folders)
BOX 6	1915-1917 (3 folders)
BOX 6	General, 1909-1910
BOX 6	War hysteria, 1915-1919 (6 folders)
BOX 7	Newspaper clippings
BOX 7	California earthquake, 1906
BOX 7	German-American affairs, circa 1895-1908
BOX 8	General, 1884-1931 (3 folders)
BOX 8	Stanford University, Stanford, Calif., removal from, circa 1905-1908 (2 folders)