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Collection Overview

Repository:	National Air and Space Museum Archives
Title:	Springfield Aircraft Corporation Photographs
Date:	1917-1921
Identifier:	NASM.1988.0004
Creator:	Springfield Aircraft Co.
Extent:	0.25 Cubic feet ((1 folder))
Language:	English .

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Henry Martin Rose, Gift, 1987, 1988-0004, NASM

Restrictions

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Biographical / Historical

In an effort to assist the war in 1917, J. G. White and Company of New York established the Springfield Aircraft Corporation, in Springfield, Massachusetts. Through the persistence of the corporation's vice-president and general manager, Willis M. Rose, and K. D. Owen, production manager, the corporation was awarded a contract to build more than 500 Curtiss JN-4D training aircraft.

Scope and Contents

This collection consists of 57 original photographs. They comprise some of the most detailed views of Curtiss JN-4's built under contract. Also included are rare photographs of the company's factory and a Liberty Bond drive parade.

General

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Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

- Aeronautics
- Aeronautics, Commercial
- Aeronautics, Commercial -- United States
- Aircraft industry
- Aircraft industry -- United States
- Springfield (Curtiss) JN-4D

Types of Materials:

- Photographs

Names:

- Owen, K. D.
- Rose, Willis M.
- Springfield Aircraft Co.