



Smithsonian  
*National Museum of American History*  
*Kenneth E. Behring Center*

## Guide to the Emile Bachelet Collection

NMAH.AC.0302

Robert Harding

1990



Archives Center, National Museum of American History  
P.O. Box 37012  
Suite 1100, MRC 601  
Washington, D.C. 20013-7012  
archivescenter@si.edu  
<http://americanhistory.si.edu/archives>

# Table of Contents

Collection Overview .....	1
Administrative Information .....	1
Scope and Contents.....	2
Arrangement.....	3
Biographical / Historical.....	2
Names and Subjects .....	3
Container Listing .....	4
Series 1: Biographical Materials, 1890 - 1956.....	4
Series 2: Correspondence, 1915 - 1959.....	5
Series 3: Patents, 1903 - 1929.....	6
Series 4: Photographs, 1929 - 1945.....	7
Series 5: Newspaper Clippings and Scrapbook, 1912 - 1973.....	19
Series 6: Miscellaneous, 1915 - 1917.....	20

---

## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	Archives Center, National Museum of American History
<b>Title:</b>	Emile Bachelet Collection
<b>Identifier:</b>	NMAH.AC.0302
<b>Date:</b>	1890 - 1973
<b>Extent:</b>	0.3 Cubic feet (3 boxes)
<b>Creator:</b>	Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946 Bachelet, Albert E.
<b>Language:</b>	English .
<b>Summary:</b>	The collection documents Emile Bachelet, inventor of electro-magnetic therapeutic devices for the treatment of rheumatism.

---

## Administrative Information

### Acquisition Information

The collection was donated by Albert E. Bachelet, son of the inventor.

### Provenance

The collection was transferred to the Archives Center from the Division of Electricity (now the Division of Medicine and Science) in April 1988.

### Processing Information

Processed by Robert S. Harding, archivist and Don Darroch, volunteer, May 1990; revised Alison Oswald, archivist, March 2003.

### Processing Information

Processed by Grace M. Angle (volunteer) June, 1988; supervised by Robert Harding, archivist. Revised by David Haberstich, March 21, 2005.

### Preferred Citation

Emile Bachelet Collection, Archives Center, National Museum of American History

### Restrictions

Collection is open for research. Gloves must be worn when handling unprotected photographs and negatives.

## Conditions Governing Use

Collection items available for reproduction, but the Archives Center makes no guarantees concerning copyright restrictions. Other intellectual property rights may apply. Archives Center cost-recovery and use fees may apply when requesting reproductions.

---

## Biographical / Historical

Emile Bachelet (1863-1946) was born in Nanterre, France, a village outside Paris and emigrated to the U.S. in the 1880s. He began his career in Boston as an electrician on the building staff of the Boston Institute (now known as Massachusetts Institute of Technology). He was naturalized a United States citizen in 1888, moved to California in 1889 and then to Tacoma, Washington where he worked as an electrician for the city government and later as an inventor of electro-magnetic therapeutic devices for the treatment of rheumatism. Bachelet discovered that arthritic pain disappeared when he was near huge generators and thus began his experimentation with electromagnets. In the 1890s he conceived the idea of magnetic levitation and worked for twenty years on its application to a train. A model was exhibited in London in 1914 and it received worldwide notice and some financial support. In the early 1900s, Bachelet moved to New York City and formed three companies, Bachelet General Magnet Co., Inc., Bachelet Magnetic Wave Company, and Bachelet Medical Apparatus Company to continue his invention work. However, his interest shifted often from one device to another and he later moved to Poughkeepsie, NY where he continued his invention efforts in a small workshop until his death in 1946.

---

## Scope and Contents

The collection consists of approximately .66 cubic feet of biographical materials, correspondence, clippings, patents, photographs, newspaper clippings, and a scrapbook relating to Emile Bachelet's invention of a device for magnetically levitating trains and other devices.

**Series 1: Biographical Materials, 1890-1956**, consists of Bachelet's passports, citizenship papers, some genealogical notes, clippings, a certificate from the Masonic Grand Lodge of Massachusetts, and an undated interview with Albert Bachelet, Emile's son. Documentation on Albert Bachelet's work with the Lincoln stereoscopic pairs is also here.

**Series 2: Correspondence, 1915-1959**, includes letters from Emile Bachelet's former secretary, Suzanne Stokvis-Simpson, to Albert Bachelet from 1948 to 1959.

**Series 3: Patents, 1903-1929**, contains both United States and foreign issued patents for Bachelet's inventions. Also included in this series is information on Bachelet's Wave Generator Machine that was used to treat individuals suffering from rheumatism and other pains by "increasing the vital energies of the blood and creating a vibratory magnetic field in which is placed the patients or patients."

**Series 4: Photographs, 1929-1945**, include Bachelet's "Magnetically Levitated Railway" device, his "Free Energy Machine", models, equipment, and other devices being demonstrated and portraits of Emile Bachelet.

**Series 5: Newspaper Clippings and Scrapbook, 1912-1973**, document accounts of the public presentation of Bachelet's model of a magnetically levitated train in London in 1914 and other projects.

**Series 6: Miscellaneous, 1915-1917**, contains a visitor's book to Bachelet's laboratory, brochures on the Bachelet Wave Generator machine and drawings.

---

## Arrangement

The collection is divided into six series.

**Series 1: Biographical Materials, 1890-1956**

**Series 2: Correspondence, 1915-1959**

**Series 3: Patents, 1903-1929**

**Series 4: Photographs, circa 1880s-1945**

**Series 5: Newspaper Clippings and Scrapbook, 1912-1973**

**Series 6: Miscellaneous, 1915-1917**

---

## Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

- Electromagnetism
- Electromagnetism in medicine
- Inventions -- 1910-1920
- Inventors
- Magnetic levitation vehicles -- 1910-1920
- Magnetic suspension -- 1910-1920
- Medicine
- Patents
- Railroads -- Trains -- 1910-1920 -- England

Types of Materials:

- Clippings
- Contracts
- Photographs -- Black-and-white photoprints -- Silver gelatin -- 19th-20th century
- Scrapbooks

Names:

- Churchill, Winston, Sir, 1874-1965

---

## Container Listing

### Series 1: Biographical Materials, 1890 - 1956

- |                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| Box 1, Folder 1 | Miscellaneous biographical materials , 1914 - 1946<br><a href="#">Image(s)</a> |
| Box 1, Folder 2 | <i>Tacoma Illustrated</i> (page 80) , 1890                                     |
| Box 1, Folder 3 | Albert Bachelet , 1956   |
| Box 3, Folder 1 | Passports and citizenship papers , 1916 - 1918                                 |

*[Return to Table of Contents](#)*

## Series 2: Correspondence, 1915 - 1959

Box 1, Folder 4	Correspondence , 1915 - 1932
Box 1, Folder 5	Correspondence , 1916 - 1945
Box 1, Folder 6	Suzanne Stokvis-Simpson , 1948 - 1949
Box 1, Folder 7	Suzanne Stokvis-Simpson , 1950 - 1953
Box 1, Folder 8	Suzanne Stokvis-Simpson , 1954 - 1959

*[Return to Table of Contents](#)*

## Series 3: Patents, 1903 - 1929

### Subseries 3.1: United States Patents, 1903 - 1929

- |                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| Box 1, Folder 9 | US #743,372, Magnetic Medical Apparatus , 1903   |
| Box 1, Folder 9 | US #743,373, Electromagnetic Therapeutic Apparatus , 1903                                    |
| Box 1, Folder 9 | US #847,877, Electric Current Interrupting and Varying Apparatus , 1907                      |
| Box 1, Folder 9 | US #849,653, Electro Magnetic Apparatus , 1907   |
| Box 1, Folder 9 | US #946,193, Electromagnet , 1910  |
| Box 1, Folder 9 | US #986,039, Synchronizing Interrupter for Electric Currents , 1911                          |
| Box 1, Folder 9 | US #1,001,236 Electromagnetic Sound-Wave Therapeutic Machine , 1911                          |
| Box 1, Folder 9 | US #1,020,942, Levitating Transmitting Apparatus , 1912                                      |
| Box 1, Folder 9 | US #1,020,943, Levitating Transmitting Apparatus , 1912                                      |
| Box 1, Folder 9 | US #1,051,056, Levitating Apparatus for Conveying Ammunition , 1913                          |
| Box 1, Folder 9 | US #1,088,511, Levitating Apparatus for Starting and Stopping Aeroplanes and the Like , 1914 |
| Box 1, Folder 9 | US #1,232,174, Electromagnetic Engine , 1917   |
| Box 1, Folder 9 | US #1,738,981, Mechanical Movement , 1929  |

### Subseries 3.2: Foreign Patents, 1905 - 1915

- |                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| Box 1, Folder 10 | British #10726, Improvements in and relating to Electro-Magnetic Levitating Devices , 1915 |
| Box 1, Folder 11 | Bachelet Wave Generator Machine, 1907, 1905  |

*[Return to Table of Contents](#)*



## Series 4: Photographs, 1929 - 1945

Box 1, Folder 12      Photographs , undated  
[Image\(s\)](#)

Box 1, Folder 12      Probably the earliest photograph of Bachelet's working model of his magnetically levitated railway in Mt. Vernon, New York (1910) [black and white photoprint], 1910  
*1 Item (unmounted; Silver gelatin on paper.; 5.2" x 8.0")*  
[Image\(s\): Probably the earliest photograph of Bachelet's working model of his magnetically levitated railway in Mt. Vernon, New York \(1910\) \[black and white photoprint\].](#)  
Levick, Edwin, Photographer  
English.  
"Edwin Levick / New York" blind-stamp at lower right.  
  
Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by sleeves.

## Local Numbers

AC0302-0000014.tif (AC Scan)

Names:            Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946  
Topic:            Engineering models  
                      Magnetic suspension -- 1910-1920  
                      Railways  
Genre/            Photographs -- 1910-1920 -- Black-and-white photoprints  
Form:             -- Silver gelatin

Box 1, Folder 12      Winston Churchill at demonstration of the magnetically levitated railway at Bachelet Works [black and white photoprint,], 1914  
*1 Item (Silver gelatin on paper.; 6.6" x 8.7")*  
[Image\(s\): Winston Churchill at demonstration of the magnetically levitated railway at Bachelet Works \[black and white photoprint,\] 1914.](#)  
Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946, Collector  
English.  
Photographer unidentified, but possibly by Brown Bros. Churchill is shown in profile, slightly to the right of the center of the image.  
  
Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by sleeves.

## Local Numbers

AC0302-0000026.tif (AC Scan)

Names:            Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946  
                      Churchill, Winston, Sir, 1874-1965  
Topic:            Engineering models

Magnetic suspension -- 1910-1920

Genre/ Photographs -- 1910-1920 -- Black-and-white photoprints  
Form: -- Silver gelatin

Box 1, Folder 12

[Emile Bachelet : black-and-white photoprint.], Circa 1908-1910  
*1 Item (Silver gelatin on paper.; 6.2 x 4.8 in.)*[Image\(s\)](#)

Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946, Collector

Bachelet, Albert E., Donor

English.

Photographer unknown. Emile Bachelet in his laboratory standing next to his working model of the magnetically levitated railway.

Local Numbers

AC0302-0000001.tif (AC Scan)

Topic: Engineering  
Inventors  
Laboratories  
Railroads  
ScientistsGenre/ Photographs -- 1900-1910 -- Black-and-white photoprints  
Form: Portraits -- Men

Box 1, Folder 12

[Emile Bachelet] [Portrait], Circa 1908-1910  
*1 Item (Silver gelatin on paper.; 6.0 x 4.7 in.)*[Image\(s\)](#)

Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946, Inventor

English.

Photographer unknown. Emile Bachelet in the Bachelet-Bracewell lab holding up the first experimental model of the levitated railroad.

Local Numbers

AC0302-0000002.tif (AC Scan)

Names: Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946

Topic: Engineering  
Inventors  
Laboratories  
Portrait  
Railroads  
ScientistsGenre/ Photographs  
Form: Portrait prints

Box 1, Folder 12

[Magnetic Devices in Emile Bachelet's Laboratory] [Portrait], Circa 1908

*1 Item (Silver gelatin on paper.; 6.1 x 4.7 in.)*

[Image\(s\)](#)

Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946

English.

Photographer unknown. A view of the table top in Emile Bachelet's laboratory which has several items on it including the electric magnetic interrupter and other magnetic levitational devices.

Local Numbers

AC0302-0000003.tif (AC Scan)

Names: Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946

Topic: Engineering  
Inventors  
Laboratories  
Magnetic devices  
Scientists

Genre/  
Form: Photographs

Box 1, Folder 12

[Street View of Emile Bachelet's Laboratory in London] [Photograph], Circa 1971

*1 Item (Silver gelatin on paper.; 3.5 x 2.6 in.)*

[Image\(s\)](#)

Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946

English.

Photographer unknown. Outside of Bachelet's Laboratory in Great Saffron Hill, London, 1913. Taken in 1971. A corner building on a narrow street with the name "Mansell litho" on it. Few cars and people surrounding.

Local Numbers

AC0302-0000004.tif (AC Scan)

Names: Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946

Topic: Engineering  
Inventors  
Laboratories  
Magnetic devices  
Scientists

Genre/  
Form: Photographs

Box 1, Folder 12

[Emile Bachelet] [Portrait], Circa 1900-1915

*1 Item (Silver gelatin on paper.; 6.5 x 4.8 in.)*

[Image\(s\)](#)

Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946

English.

Photographer unknown. Emile Bachelet posing for the camera in a suit.

## Local Numbers

AC0302-0000005.tif (AC Scan)

Names: Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946  
 Topic: Engineering  
 Inventors  
 Laboratories  
 Magnetic devices  
 Scientists  
 Genre/  
 Form: Photographs  
 Portraits

Box 1, Folder 12

[Emile Bachelet] [Portrait], Circa 1945  
 1 Item (Silver gelatin on paper.; 7.0 x 5.0 in.)

[Image\(s\)](#)

AEB, Photographer

English.

Portrait of Emile Bachelet at the end of his life. He is looking away from the camera and in a suit.

## Local Numbers

AC0302-0000006.tif (AC Scan)

Names: Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946  
 Topic: Engineering  
 Inventors  
 Laboratories  
 Magnetic devices  
 Scientists  
 Genre/  
 Form: Photographs  
 Portraits

Box 1, Folder 12

[Study Model for Free Energy] [Photograph], Circa 1922  
 1 Item (Silver gelatin on paper.; 7.6 x 9.3in.)

[Image\(s\)](#)

Merillat, Lou, Photographer

English.

A contraption invented by Emile Bachelet that demonstrates free energy.

## Local Numbers

AC0302-0000007.tif (AC Scan)

Names: Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946  
 Topic: Energy  
 Engineering  
 Inventors  
 Laboratories  
 Magnetic devices

Scientists

Genre/  
Form: Photographs

Box 1, Folder 12

[Demonstration of Magnetically Levitated Railway] [Photograph], Circa 1914  
*1 Item (Silver gelatin on paper.; 6.5 x 8.6 in.)*[Image\(s\)](#)Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946, Inventor  
English.

Emile Bachelet (center with his arms elongated), demonstrates and explains to visitors how his magnetically levitated railway works. This takes place at his laboratory in Great Saffron Hall, Hobborn Circus, London.

Local Numbers

AC0302-0000008.tif (AC Scan)

Names: Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946

Topic: Energy  
Engineering  
Inventors  
Laboratories  
Magnetic devices  
Railroads  
Scientists

Place: London (England)

Genre/  
Form: Photographs

Box 1, Folder 12

[Woman operating switchboard of model railway] [Photograph], Circa 1915  
*1 Item (Silver gelatin on paper.; 6.5 x 4.7 in.)*[Image\(s\)](#)Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946, Inventor  
English.

Mrs. Stokvis-Simpson (taken by Flashlight) Assistant and Secretary to Emile Bachelet; operating the switchboard of Model "Bachelet" Railway

Local Numbers

AC0302-0000009.tif (AC Scan)

Names: Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946

Topic: Engineering  
Inventors  
Laboratories  
Magnetic devices  
Railroads  
Scientists

Place: Mount Vernon (Westchester County, N.Y.)

Genre/ Photographs  
Form:

Box 1, Folder 12

[Boy riding magnetic railway] [Photograph], Circa 1900-1920  
*1 Item (Silver gelatin on paper.; 6.6 x 8.6 in.)*

[Image\(s\)](#)

Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946, Inventor  
English.

Keith Alderton riding the magnetically levitated railway at Bachelet laboratory to demonstrate the power of the railway.

Local Numbers

AC0302-0000010.tif (AC Scan)

Names: Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946

Topic: Engineering  
Inventors  
Laboratories  
Magnetic devices  
Railroads  
Scientists

Genre/ Photographs  
Form:

Box 1, Folder 12

[Hyman Maxim testing magnetic railway] [Photograph], Circa 1914  
*1 Item (Silver gelatin on paper.; 6.6 x 8.5 in.)*

[Image\(s\)](#)

Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946, Inventor  
English.

Sir Hyman Maxim testing the lifting power of the proposed passenger car of the Bachelet levitated railway.

Local Numbers

AC0302-0000011.tif (AC Scan)

Names: Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946

Topic: Engineering  
Inventors  
Laboratories  
Magnetic devices  
Railroads  
Scientists

Genre/ Photographs  
Form:

Box 1, Folder 12

[Bust of Emile Bachelet] [Photograph], Circa 1913

*1 Item (Silver gelatin on paper.; 10.0 x 8.1 in.)*

[Image\(s\)](#)

Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946, Inventor

English.

Sideview of a bust of Emile Bachelet.

Local Numbers

AC0302-0000013.tif (AC Scan)

Names: Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946

Topic: Busts  
Engineering  
Inventors  
Laboratories  
Scientists  
Sculpture

Genre/  
Form: Photographs

Box 1, Folder 12

[Working Model of Magnetically Levitated Railway] [Photograph], Circa 1908-1910

*1 Item (Silver gelatin on paper.; 7.1 x 9.0 in.)*

[Image\(s\)](#)

Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946, Inventor

English.

The machine that demonstrates magnetically levitated railways.

Local Numbers

AC0302-0000015.tif (AC Scan)

Names: Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946

Topic: Engineering  
Inventions  
Inventors  
Laboratories  
Railroads  
Scientists

Genre/  
Form: Photographs

Box 1, Folder 12

[Men with the working model of the magnetic levitated railway] [Photograph], Circa 1900-1920

*1 Item (Silver gelatin on paper.; 6.9 x 8.8 in.)*

[Image\(s\)](#)

Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946, Inventor

English.

First model of levitated railroad with Pumphrey, Miles Bracewell, Emile Bachelet, and Bracewell's chauffeur (pictured left to right)

## Local Numbers

AC0302-0000016.tif (AC Scan)

Names: Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946  
 Topic: Engineering  
 Inventions  
 Inventors  
 Laboratories  
 Railroads  
 Scientists  
 Genre/  
 Form: Photographs

Box 1, Folder 12

[Emile Bachelet at the switchboard for the magnetic levitated railway]  
 [Photograph], Circa 1908-1910  
 1 Item (Silver gelatin on paper.; 6.7 x 8.7 in.)

[Image\(s\)](#)

Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946, Inventor  
 English.

Emile Bachelet at the switching control patron that levitated the train in one switch and applied power to magnets in another.

## Local Numbers

AC0302-0000017.tif (AC Scan)

Names: Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946  
 Topic: Engineering  
 Inventions  
 Inventors  
 Laboratories  
 Magnets  
 Railroads  
 Scientists  
 Genre/  
 Form: Photographs

Box 1, Folder 12

[Woman and men at a demonstration of magnetic levitated railway : black-and-white photoprint.], 1914  
 1 Item (Silver gelatin on paper.; 6.7 x 8.7 in.)

[Image\(s\)](#)

Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946, Inventor  
 English.

"The Most Beautiful Woman in London" at a demonstration of the magnetically levitated railway at Bachelet Works, the laboratory in London.

## Local Numbers

AC0302-0000018.tif (AC Scan)

Names: Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946



Topic: Demonstrations  
Engineering  
Inventions  
Inventors  
Laboratories  
Magnets  
Railroads  
Scientists

Genre/  
Form: Photographs -- 1900-1910 -- Black-and-white photoprints

Box 1, Folder 12

[Duke and Duchess of Teck come for a demonstration : black-and-white photoprint.], Circa 1914

*1 Item (Silver gelatin on paper.; 6.6 x 8.5 in.)*

[Image\(s\)](#)

Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946, Inventor

Bachelet, Albert E., Donor

English.

Apparently this duke was born Prince Adolphus of Teck, and later became the second Duke of Tech, later Adolphus Cambridge, first Marquess of Cambridge, 1868-1927. See [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Adolphus\\_Cambridge,\\_1st\\_Marquess\\_of\\_Cambridge](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Adolphus_Cambridge,_1st_Marquess_of_Cambridge).

The Duke and Duchess of Teck come for a demonstration of the Bachelet magnetically-levitated railway of the London laboratory; from the Daily Graphic. Some men wear top hats.

Local Numbers

AC0302-0000019.tif (AC Scan)

Names: Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946

Topic: Demonstrations  
Engineering  
Inventions  
Inventors  
Laboratories  
Magnets  
Railroads  
Scientists  
top hats

Place: London (England)

Genre/  
Form: Photographs -- 1900-1910 -- Black-and-white photoprints

Box 1, Folder 12

[Lord Mayor of London comes for a demonstration : black-and-white photoprint.], Circa 1914

*1 Item (Silver gelatin on paper.; 6.5 x 8.6 in.)*

[Image\(s\)](#)

Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946, Collector

Bachelet, Albert E., Donor

English.

Emile Bachelet and the Lord Mayor of London, Sir T. Vansittart Bowater, wearing a top hat, come for a demonstration of the magnetic levitated railway at Bachelet Works in London.

#### Local Numbers

AC0302-0000020.tif (AC Scan)

Names: Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946

Topic: Demonstrations  
Engineering  
Inventions  
Inventors  
Laboratories  
Magnets  
Mayors  
Railroads  
Scientists

Place: London (England)

Genre/ Photographs -- 1910-1920 -- Black-and-white photoprints

Form: -- Silver gelatin

Box 1, Folder 12

[First experimental model of equipment for magnetic levitation : black-and-white photoprint.], Circa 1908

*1 Item (Silver gelatin on paper.; 6.5 x 8.6 in.)*

[Image\(s\)](#)

Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946, Inventor

Bachelet, Albert E., Donor

English.

The equipment used to create a model for a magnetic levitation railway.

#### Local Numbers

AC0302-0000021.tif (AC Scan)

Names: Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946

Topic: Demonstrations  
Engineering  
Inventions  
Inventors  
Laboratories  
Magnets  
Railroads  
Scientists

Genre/ Photographs -- 1900-1910 -- Black-and-white photoprints  
Form:

- Box 3, Folder 2 Mechanical Movement, 1929  
[Image\(s\)](#)
- Box 3, Folder 2 [Emile Bachelet and his brother on the platform : black-and-white photoprint.],  
Circa 1900-1920  
*1 Item (mounted.; Silver gelatin on paper; 9.1 x 11.1 in.)*  
[Image\(s\)](#)  
Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946, Collector  
Bachelet, Albert E., Donor  
English.  
Six men, including Emile Bachelet and his brother, working in a factory with a large machine in the middle.  
Mount board brittle, with losses.  
Local Numbers  
AC0302-0000022.tif (AC Scan)  
Names: Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946  
Topic: Demonstrations  
Engineering  
Inventions  
Inventors  
Laboratories  
Magnets  
Railroads  
Scientists
- Box 3, Folder 2 [Emile Bachelet and his men worked the switchboard for the Victoria  
Theater : black-and-white photoprint.], Circa 1895  
*1 Item (Silver albumen? on paper, mounted.; 9.0 x 13.9 in.)*  
[Image\(s\)](#)  
Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946, Collector  
Bachelet, Albert E., Donor  
English.  
Eight men, including Emile Bachelet, in front of a store with a large switchboard.  
Mount board severely damaged and deteriorating, causing cracks in the photograph.  
Local Numbers  
AC0302-0000023.tif (AC Scan)  
Names: Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946  
Topic: Demonstrations

Engineering  
Inventions  
Inventors  
Laboratories  
Magnets  
Railroads  
Scientists  
Theaters

Place: Washington

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1890-1900 -- Black-and-white photoprints  
-- Silver albumen

Box 3, Folder 2

[Emile Bachelet's free energy model on the shelf : black-and-white photoprint.], Circa 1945

*1 Item (Silver gelatin on paper.; 10.2 x 13.2 in.)*

[Image\(s\)](#)

Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946, Collector

Bachelet, Albert E., Donor

English.

Emile Bachelet's model for free energy machines on shelf with other study models, and a bust of Emile Bachelet above the machines.

Local Numbers

AC0302-0000024.tif (AC Scan)

Names: Bachelet, Emile, 1863-1946

Topic: Demonstrations  
Engineering  
Inventions  
Inventors  
Laboratories  
Magnets  
Railroads  
Scientists

Place: Poughkeepsie (N.Y.)

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white photoprints  
-- Silver gelatin

Box 3, Folder 2

Free Energy Machine, 1945

*[Return to Table of Contents](#)*

## Series 5: Newspaper Clippings and Scrapbook, 1912 - 1973

Box 3, Folder 4          Newspaper clippings , 1912 - 1973

Box 3, Folder 5          Scrapbook , 1914

*[Return to Table of Contents](#)*

## Series 6: Miscellaneous, 1915 - 1917

- |                 |  |
|-----------------|--|
| Box 2, Folder 1 | Visitors Book to Bachelet Lab , 1915 - 1916  |
| Box 2, Folder 2 | Brochures about Bachelet's Wave Generator Machine , undated  |
| Box 2, Folder 3 | Notes of S. Stokvis on the Electro Magnetic Shuttle Driving Apparatus , 1915<br><a href="#">Image(s)</a> |
| Box 3, Folder 3 | Drawings for Means of Harnessing the Force of Gravitational Energy , 1917                                |

*[Return to Table of Contents](#)*