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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives Center, National Museum of American History
Title:	Leslie Company Photograph Albums
Date:	circa 1890-1900
Identifier:	NMAH.AC.1182
Source:	National Museum of American History (U.S.). Division of History of Technology (Collector) National Museum of American History (U.S.). Division of Transportation (Collector) National Museum of American History (U.S.). Division of Work and Industry (Collector)
Creator:	Leslie Company (Donor)
Extent:	1 Cubic foot (2 volumes)
Language:	English .

Administrative Information

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Collection donated by the Leslie Company, 1968.

Provenance

Donated to the Division of Transportation (now Division of Work and Industry), National Museum of History and Technology (now the National Museum of American History) by the Leslie Company in 1968. Transferred to the Archives Center in 2009 by the Division of Work and Industry.

Processing Information

Collection unprocessed.

Preferred Citation

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Restrictions on Access

Collection open for research on site by appointment. Unprotected photographs must be handled with gloves.

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Biographical / Historical

Started near the turn of the twentieth century by John Leslie, the Leslie Company was established to automate the removal of snow in railroads through the production of steam powered rotary plows, as well as other types of steam equipment.

Scope and Contents

Two albums of photographs depicting rotary snow plows for railroads.

Arrangement

1 series.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

- Railroads -- Equipment and facilities
- Snow plows
- Snow protection
- Snow removal
- Steam engineering
- Steam engineers
- Steam-engines

Names:

- National Museum of American History (U.S.). Division of Transportation
- National Museum of American History (U.S.). Division of History of Technology
- National Museum of American History (U.S.). Division of Work and Industry