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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives Center, National Museum of American History
Title:	Archives Center Brewing History Collection
Date:	1968-1997
Identifier:	NMAH.AC.1419
Creator:	Anchor Brewing Co. (Creator)
Extent:	3 Cubic feet (1 box, 1 map-folder)
Language:	English .
Summary:	A collection of ephemera and advertising materials relating to brewing and brewing companies.
Digital Content:	Image(s): Archives Center Brewing History Collection

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

Collection donated by the Anchor Brewing Company through David Burkhart in 2017.

Provenance

This collection is a repository for brewing-related archival materials from varied sources, including curatorial units, the public, and Smithsonian staff, which may be augmented periodically by new acquisitions.

Preferred Citation

Archives Center Brewing History Collection, 1968, Archives Center, National Museum of American History.

Restrictions

Collection is open for research.

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Accruals

Additional materials were donated by: Joseph Williams (2018); Louis P. Hutchins (2018); Michael J. Lewis (2018); Jeff Lebesch (2018); and Bill Owens (2018) and Buffalo Bill's Brewery through Geoff Harries (2018).

Scope and Contents

An artificial collection of archival materials relating to brewing in America. As accruals are received, the collection will be organized according to donor. Initial donation from the Anchor Brewing Co. is an original press sheet from the first printing of an Anchor Steam beer bottle label, 1968.

Arrangement

The collection is arranged into six series.

Series 1: Anchor Brewing Company

Series 2: Louis P. Hutchins

Series 3: Jeff Lebesch

Series 4: Michael J. Lewis

Series 5: Bill Owens (Buffalo Bill's Brewery)

Series 6: Joseph Williams

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

- Awards
- Beer
- Beverages
- Books
- Bottling
- Brewing
- Licenses
- Recipes

Types of Materials:

- Advertisements
- Clippings
- Color photographs
- Correspondence
- Diaries
- Handbooks
- Labels
- Legal records
- Menus
- Notes
- Press sheets

Container Listing

Series 1: Anchor Brewing Company, 1968-11-28

Map-folder 1

Anchor Steam beer labels, 1968-11-28

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Series 2: Louis P. Hutchins, 1988-1989

Box 1, Folder 1 Beer recipes, 1988-1989

Box 1, Folder 2 Ephemera, 1978, 1989

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Series 3: Jeff Lebesch, undated

Map-folder 1	Pumpkin Ale Ale a la Citrouille, undated
Box 1, Folder 3	Jeff Lebesch journal

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Series 4: Michael J. Lewis,, 1989-1993

Box 1, Folder 7	FS & T 105B, syllabus, 1989
Box 1, Folder 8	FS & T 102L, syllabus, 1990
Box 1, Folder 9	University of California Davis Extension Professional Brewing Programs, undated
Box 1, Folder 10	Institute of brewing, correspondence, 1992-1993
Box 1, Folder 4	Biographical materials, 1965, 1975, 1986, 1990
Box 1, Folder 5	Master Brewers Association of the Americas, 1992-1993
Box 1, Folder 6	Advanced Home Brewing, course outline, undated

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Series 5: Bill Owens (Buffalo Bill's Brewery), 1983-1997

Map-folder 1	Buffalo Bill's Brewery diagram of water tanks and kettle, 1983-03-24
Map-folder 1	American Brewer, # 68 (cover only), undated
Map-folder 1	American Brewer, 1997
Map-folder 1	American Brewer (cover only), 1995
Map-folder 1	Press Clippings, 1983-1987
Box 1, Folder 11	Brochures and permits, (bulk 1983-1984, 1988)
Box 1, Folder 12	Buffalo Bill's Brewery, 1983-1997

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Series 6: Joseph Williams, 1987-2009

Box 1, Folder 13	How-to-Build A Small Brewery by Bill Owens, 1987
Box 1, Folder 14	How To Build A Small Brewery by Bill Owens, 2009
Box 1, Folder 15	Home brew class materials, undated

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