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Collection Overview

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Administrative Information

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Descriptive Entry

This accession consists of registrar cards that document objects acquired in the Division of Mechanical Technology, United States National Museum prior to 1912, when that Division was known as the Division of Technology reporting to the Department of Anthropology. Some of the cards also date to when Mechanical Technology was a section of the Division of Engineering. The cards primarily include information on objects such as models of locomotives, vessels, and coal mining tools, with earlier dates spanning from 1888 to 1900. In addition there is a notebook of "boats sent to storage," from the year 1899.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

Mechanical technology
Museums -- Collection management
Technology -- History

Types of Materials:

Manuscripts

Names:

United States National Museum. Department of Anthropology
United States National Museum. Division of Engineering
United States National Museum. Division of Technology

Container Listing

Box 1

Box 1 of 1	Schedule of Boats Sent to Storage, 1899
Box 1 of 1	Key to Collections, ca. 1947
Box 1 of 1	Registrar's Cards, 1876-1908
Box 1 of 1	Registrar's Cards, 1882-1896
Box 1 of 1	Registrar's Cards, 1898, 1938