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## Philip W. Wolle Papers, 1883-1969

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## Collection Overview

Repository:	Smithsonian Institution Archives, Washington, D.C., <i>osiaref@si.edu</i>
Creator:	Wolle, Philip W, 1893-1969
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## Administrative Information

### Preferred Citation

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## Historical Note

Philip W. Wolle (1893-1969), a farmer from the Eastern Shore of Maryland, had an avocational interest in the study of algae. His paternal grandfather was the famous algologist, Rev. Francis Wolle.

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## Descriptive Entry

These papers consist mostly of materials documenting Wolle's studies on algae. Included is a series of notebooks containing observations and drawings from his research, as well as information on his family; correspondence with Paul S. Conger, Ruth Patrick, Francis Drouet, and other algologists concerning a wide range of research topics; photographs of Wolle, his family, and his farm in Princess Anne, Maryland; a small amount of correspondence of his grandfather, Rev. Francis Wolle, written between 1883 and 1888; and biographical information on Wolle compiled by Conger.

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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:  
Algology

Names:

Conger, Paul S. (Paul Sydney), 1897-1979  
Drouet, Francis, 1907-  
Patrick, Ruth.  
Wolle, Francis, 1817-1893

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## Container Listing

### Box 1

- Folder 1 Obituary by Paul S. Conger, 1971
- Folder 2 Sketches and Illustrations
- Folder 3 Diatoms Number 4
- Folder 4 Icelandic Diatoms
- Folder 5 Wolle Biography by Paul S. Conger
- Folder 6 Observations and Drawings, including some correspondence
- Folder 7 Biographical Material on Rev. Francis Wolle
- Folder 8 Notes, March 1958
- Folder 9 Panama Diatoms
- Folder 10 Diatomaceae, 1918-
- Folder 11 Mrs. Wolle, 1969
- Folder 12 Photograph of Wolle
- Folder 13 Wolle Biography by Paul S. Conger
- Folder 14 Correspondence with Francis Wolle, 1967-1979
- Folder 15 Family Photographs
- Folder 16 Correspondence with Luigi Provasoli, 1969-1970
- Folder 17 Miscellaneous Correspondence, 1938-1939
- Folder 18 Photocopies of Wolle Sketches
- Folder 19 The Food of Oysters
- Folder 20 Panama Diatoms Introduction, 1946
- Folder 21 Index Linnaeanum
- Folder 22 Observations and Drawings
- Folder 23 Beaufort, etc. Notebook
- Folder 24 Diatoms Genus-Nitzschia Notebook, 1938
- Folder 25 Maryland Diatoms Notebook, January 1944
- Folder 26 Diatomaceae Number 4 Notebook, May 1927

Folder 27 Diatomaceae Number 9 Notebook, September 1933-1947

Box 2

- Folder 1 Diatomaceae Number 2 Notebook, August 1925
- Folder 2 Diatomaceae Number 6 Notebook, July 1928
- Folder 3 Diatomaceae of North America - Biology III
- Folder 4 Diatomaceae of North American - Maryland Diatoms IV
- Folder 5 Diatomaceae of North America - Biology I
- Folder 6 Diatomaceae of North America - Biology II
- Folder 7 Diatomaceae Number 5 Notebook, September 1927
- Folder 8 Diatomaceae of North America - Index
- Folder 9 Diatomaceae Number 3 Notebook, August 1926
- Folder 10 Desnids-Diatoms Notebook, 1939
- Folder 11 Cell Structures, etc. Notebook, 1936
- Folder 12 Index Diatoms, Parts I-II
- Folder 13 Index Diatoms, Part III
- Folder 14 Maryland Diatomaceae Notebook, 1942
- Folder 15 Diatomaceae Plankton Notebook Number 8, October 1929
- Folder 16 Index Folia - System Naturae - Library List
- Folder 17 Diatom Notes
- Folder 18 Notes, 1953-1955

Box 3

- Folder 1 Rev. Francis Wolle Correspondence, 1883-1888
- Folder 2 Philip W. Wolle Correspondence with his mother
- Folder 3 Correspondence - A, circa 1938-1942
- Folder 4 Binney v. Hollingsworth, et. al.
- Folder 5 Paul Conger Correspondence, 1939-1950
- Folder 6 Correspondence - D, circa 1938-1942
- Folders 7-10 Francis Drouet Correspondence, circa 1938-1940
- Folder 11 Francis Drouet and Ruth Patrick Correspondence, 1939-1949

Folder 12 Correspondence - F, circa 1938-1942

Folder 13 Correspondence - M, circa 1938-1942

Folder 14 Correspondence - N, circa 1938-1942

Folders 15-16 Correspondence - P, circa 1938-1942

Folder 17 Correspondence - R, circa 1938-1942

Folder 18 Correspondence - S circa 1938-1942

Folder 19 Correspondence - T circa 1938-1942

Folder 20 Unidentified Correspondence

Folder 21 *Habershaw's Catalogue of the Diatomaceae* by H.H. Chase, 1885

Folders 22-23 Miscellaneous Publications