



Guide to the Richard W. Sulloway Papers, 1859-1952

Administrative Information

Title and Dates:

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Sulloway, Richard W., 1876-1966

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Abstract:

Papers of Richard W. Sulloway of Franklin, NH dated 1859 to 1952. Most of the materials, including some correspondence, relate to Sulloway's profession as a manufacturer of hosiery at the Sulloway Mills.

Access and Use

Acquisition Information and Provenance:

The Richard W. Sulloway Papers are a gift of Richard W. Sulloway, Jr. on March 9, 1966.

Processing Information:

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Access Restrictions:

Available for research.

Location:

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Collection Overview

Biographical Information/ Administrative Information:

Richard W. Sulloway was born on February 15, 1876 in Franklin, NH. He worked as a manufacturer of hosiery at Sulloway Mills also in Franklin. He worked both as treasurer and manager of the Sulloway Mills Corporation, where his father, Alvah, also worked. Sulloway was educated at St. Paul's School and Harvard University from which he graduated in 1898. He was a member of the Unitarian Church and the Democratic Party. For six years, Sulloway was a member of the Franklin City Council. He was a trustee of New Hampshire State College for nine years. Sulloway also served as vice president of the Franklin National Bank. He married Bertha Batchellor of Littleton, NH. They had one daughter, Mary Jeanette, who was born in 1917. He died in 1966.

Collection Scope and Content Note:

The Richard W. Sulloway Papers date from 1859 to 1952. Items in the collection include correspondence, trademarks, tariffs, and printed material. The correspondence is with

Israel Sulloway and discusses orders for knitting machines including compliments on how well it works. The trademarks are mostly from the United States Patent Office and document Sulloway Mills. There is much information on the history of knitting, especially in New England.

Arrangement:

The Richard W. Sulloway Papers are organized into folders based on type of material.

Contents List

- Folder 1 Correspondence with Israel Sulloway, 1859-1960
- Folder 2 Trademarks, documents from United States Patent Office and papers documenting Sulloway Mills, 1929-1949
- Folder 3 Trademarks, documents from United States Patent Office and papers documenting Sulloway Mills, 1929-1949
- Folder 4 Tariff, Fordney Bill includes letter to the Chariman of the Finance Committee and prices per pound for knit underwear, 1921
- Folder 5 Printed material, most on research in New England, 1940's
- Folder 6 Material on the development of the knitting machine
- Folder 7 Material on the history of knitting
- Folder 8 Data on knitting machines

Subject Terms

People:

- Aiken, Herrick
- Sulloway, Israel
- Sulloway, Richard W., 1876-1966

Organizations:

- Sulloway Mills

Subjects:

- Knitting machines
- Mills
- Patents
- Tariffs

Locations:

- Franklin, NH

Occupations:

- Inventors
- Manufacturers

Related Materials

Archival collections at the New Hampshire Historical Society:

Sulloway Family Account Books, 2002.014