

Title: A. Geo. Schulz & Co. Collection

Call Number: Mss-2937

Inclusive Dates: 1877 – 1966

Bulk: 2.8 cu. ft.

Location: WHS, Sh. D088

Historical Note: August George Schulz and George Weinhagen formed the A. Geo. Schulz Company in 1877. Initially, they manufactured boxes in Schulz's house on Market Street, but the company soon outgrew its modest quarters and moved into a building on E. Water Street. August Schulz died in 1896, and Weinhagen assumed control of the company's operations. The firm continued to prosper and moved into a new six-story plant at 433 Clybourn in 1908. (This plant was demolished in 1966 for the freeway extension.) Ten years later, another plant on Oregon Street was acquired. George Weinhagen passed away in 1934, but the company continued expanding. A new 200,000 square foot plant at 1900 West Cornell Street was completed in 1947, and the Oregon Street facility was closed. Eventually the general offices moved to the Cornell Street site. In 1951, the A. Geo. Schulz Company became an operating division of the Waldorf Paper Products Company of St. Paul, Minnesota. In the 1960s, another merger changed the name of the company to the Hoerner Waldorf Corporation.

Abstract: The records consist of ledgers, clippings, photos, historical information, and other ephemera.

Administrative Note: The collection was processed on July 10, 2003 by Kevin Abing.

See Also: Photos M-187

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Historical Information	1	1
"A to Z In the News" (Employee Newsletter), 1946, 1948, 1950-1953 (not inclusive)	1	2
A. Geo. Schulz Credit Union, 1944-1947	1	3
Miscellaneous	1	4
4 binders containing historical information, clippings, photos, etc.	1	Loose in box
Account Ledger, 1879-1880	1	Loose in box
Account Ledger/Journal, 1884-1886	1	Loose in box
Account Ledger, 1885-1894	1	Loose in box
Account Ledger, 1887-1888	1	Loose in box
Account Ledger, 1903-1907	1	Loose in box
Business Statements, 1894-1902	1	Loose in box
Cash Book?, 1883-1888	1	Loose in box
Expense? Ledger, 1885-1894	1	Loose in box
Expense? Ledger, 1905-1907	1	Loose in box
Joint Stock Ledger, 1903-1928	1	Loose in box
Journal, 1879-1880	1	Loose in box
Mail & City Orders, 1882-1884/Miscellaneous, 1892-1894	1	Loose in box

Purchasing Dept. Sample Paper Book	1	Loose in box
Account Ledger, 1880-1888		Loose on shelf
Account Ledger, 1889-1893		Loose on shelf
Account Ledger, 1894-1898		Loose on shelf
Cash Book, 1894-1898		Loose on shelf
Volume of Invoices, 1898		Loose on shelf
Volume of Invoices, 1899		Loose on shelf
Volume of Invoices, 1900		Loose on shelf
Journal, 1877-1878		Loose on shelf
Order Specifications, n.d.		Loose on shelf
OVERSIZE ITEMS		LOCATION
Certificate of Naturalization for August G. Schulz, 1876		OS SM "S"