

**Title:** Mueller Climatrol Division of Worthington Corporation

**Reference Code:** Mss-2357

**Inclusive Dates:** ca. 1892 – 1960s

**Bulk:** 2.42 cu. ft. total

**Location:** HH, Sh. 020 (2.0 cu. ft.)  
MV, M-148 (000.4 cu. ft.)  
LS, Sh. 077 (000.1 cu. ft.)  
OS LG “M” (1 item)

**Abstract:** Louis J. Mueller, Sr. began manufacturing furnaces in 1857 in a small hardware and tin smith shop. By the 1880’s he had developed the first patterns for warm air units, and in 1890, L.J. Mueller Furnace Company was producing steam and hot water boilers. On August 1, 1954, L.J. Mueller Furnace Company merged with Worthington Corporation to become Mueller Climatrol Division of Worthington Corporation.

**Scope and Content:** The collection consists of product bulletins/literature, company publications, memos, historical information, photos and other ephemera.

**Access and Use:** No restrictions

**Language:** English

**Administrative Note:** The collection was processed on July 11, 1996 by Steve Daily. Material was added to the collection on Sept. 13, 2000, and was processed by Kevin Abing.

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Binder of letters soliciting experiences with Mueller Gas Era Furnaces, 1932	1	Loose in box
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<i>L.J. Mueller Furnace Co.: Its Organization, Facilities and Personnel, 1940?</i>		
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Binder of product literature and specifications, 1930-1950s	2	Loose in box
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<i>Mueller's Contribution to the War Effort</i> 1943	2	Loose in box
<i>The Third Greatest Convenience for the Home</i> 1929	2	Loose in box
<b>Oversize Items</b>		<b>Location</b>
Mueller News," 1929		OS LG "M"
<b>Slides</b>		<b>Location</b>
Unprocessed box of Mueller Climatrol product slides		LS Sh. 77
<b>Photos: See M-148</b>		