

# Guide to the French Miscellaneous Manuscripts collection

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## Collection Overview

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**CALL NUMBER:** MS 224

**TITLE:** French Miscellaneous Manuscripts collection

**DATES:** 1115-1941

**PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:** 3 linear feet (10 boxes, 1 folio)

**LANGUAGE:** English

**SUMMARY:** An artificial collection of correspondence, manuscripts, volumes, and miscellanea relating to France, 1115-1941.

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Key to the container abbreviations used in the PDF finding aid:

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## Administrative Information

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### Conditions Governing Access

The materials are open for research.

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### Conditions Governing Use

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## **Preferred Citation**

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## **Scope and Contents**

An artificial collection of correspondence, manuscripts, volumes, and miscellanea relating to France, 1115-1941.

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## **General note**

Additions to this collection will consist of only materials printed or written in the French language, and pertaining to French life and culture. No items or portions of collections will be transferred from individual collections to this collection.

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## **Arrangement**

The papers are arranged in four sections: volumes, correspondence and loose papers, miscellaneous, and oversized. All items that are not listed individually in this register--and this is the vast majority of the papers in the collection--are filed as "correspondence and loose papers in boxes 7-8. Most items are cataloged individually in the manuscript catalog, the union catalog, and the inventory catalog.

## Collection Contents

### Original accession

#### Volumes

"Recueil de pieces diaboliques pour servir a l'histoire du temps"

b. 1	Vols. 1-3	1726-39
b. 2	Vol. 4	1726-39
b. 2	L'Orphelin de la Maison de Tehau" (French translation by Premare (d. 1735) from the Chinese)	1731
b. 2	Rolland, Adrian Nicolas: "Philosophia a Domino Rolland in Collegia Be11ovaco"	1742-43
b. 3	"Ceremonial des Ambassadeurs, et Ministres etrangeres a la Cour de France" English	1744
b. 4	'Demoiresur L'Etendue de l'ancienne Rome, o par MD'Anville" English	[1756?]
b. 4	Clement, Jean Marie Bernard (1742-1812): MS notes for his Du Genie de la langue francaise	[pre 1812]
b. 4	Delvincourt, Claude Etienne "Cours de Droit Francaiseft	(1762-1831):
b. 4	Vols. 1-2	1805-07
b. 5	Vol. 3	[1807?]
b. 5	Castille, Gabriel Joseph de Froment: "Catalogue de la bibliotheque"	1818
b. 5	Richer, [Edmond]: "Precis de l'histoire de Bretagne"	1821
b. 6	"Revolution de Juillet 1830": collection of 18 MSS and 3 printed items English	1829-30, 1860-65
b. 6	Bertrand, Arthur: MS concerning voyage on La Belle Poule	1840
b. 6	Naville, Ernest (1816-1909): Histoire de la Philosophie	1882
b. 6	Bruges, [Belgium]: Evenemens remarquables arrives pour la plupart a Bruges ano 621 jusqu'a 1477	
b. 6	Heemskerk, Jacob van: Voyage a la Nouvelle Zemble et au Spilzberg dan le 1596	
Correspondence and loose papers (see also Oversize)		
b. 7	1360, 1444-1627, 1755-1899	
b. 8	1902-1941, no date, unidentified	

#### Miscellaneous

## Miscellaneous (continued)

b. 9	Papers of several French corsairs forced to land or take refuge in New Orleans which document Franco American diplomatic relations, customs and habits of American maritime milieu, and slave trade of the period	Circa 1810
b. 10	Louis XV: signed document and engraved portrait in folio case	1763
b. 10	Napoleon I: signed document and engraving of ...le mariage de L.L.M.M.C et R. in folio case	1812
Oversize		
b. 11	Marie Antoinette: two documents pertaining to her household	1773, 1777
b. 11	Louis XVI: signed military commission and engraved portrait	1786
b. 11	Lambesc, Charles Eugene de Lorraine: signed certificate	1787
b. 11	Daubs, France (Dept.) Conseil: passport	1814
b. 11	Louis XVIII: signed certificate	1814
b. 11	Drouyn: diploma from Universite de France	1820
b. 11	Araga, F. signed document	1830
b. 11	College de France: reproduction of 1567 document with accompanying letter	1903
b. 11	Binns family tree (photostatic copy)	1700s-1900s
b. 11	Manuscript in Middle French	1115

## **Selected Search Terms**

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

### **Geographic Names**

Europe

France -- Description and travel

France -- History

France -- Intellectual life

France -- Politics and government

France -- Social life and customs

### **Names**

Bertrand, Arthur, 1841-

Castille, Joseph de Froment

Delvincourt, Claude Etienne, 1762-1831

Heemskerck, Jacob van

Naville, Ernest, 1816-1909

Rolland, Adrian Nicolas