Information Sheet

R Leggett and Platt Spring Bed and Manufacturing Company. 250 Records, 1896-1932.

Twenty-four volumes and one folder.

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Leggett & Platt was founded in 1883 at Carthage, Missouri, by J. P. Leggett and C. B. Platt. The company first produced bedsprings and later began to manufacture box springs. As Leggett & Platt, Inc., the firm supplies components to manufacturers of furniture and bedding, and produces a line of sleep-related furniture. Carthage is still the corporate headquarters of Leggett & Platt, including the administrative offices, technical center, wire mill, machine shop, and manufacturing plant. Specialized production facilities and distribution points are located across the country.

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Volumes 1-3: Sales and shipping records, 1896-1932.
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Volume 1: Order list, 1896-1897 (172 pages).

Volume 2: Shipping record, 1919-1928 (146 pages).

Volume 3: Sales record, 1931-1932 (75 pages).

Volumes 4-6: Journals, 1901-1929.

Volume 4: Journal, 1901 (149 pages).

Volume 5: Journal, 1902-1903 (251 pages).

Volume 6: Journal, 1926-1929 (approximately 200 pages).

Volumes 7-10: Treasurer's records of expenditures, 1901-1914 (William Caffee, Treasurer).

Volume 7: Ledger, 1901-1904 (183 pages).

Volume 8: Ledger, 1904-1907 (199 pages).

Volume 9: Ledger, 1907-1912 (299 pages).

Volume 10: Ledger, 1912-1914 (129 pages).

Volumes 11-14: Expense records, 1901-1918.

Volume 11: Expense account, 1901-1911 (100 pages).

Volume 12: Expense account, 1911-1918 (183 pages).

Volume 13: Expense, Philadelphia office, 1913-1914 (30 pages).

Volume 14: Payroll record, 1904-1906 (381 pages, indexed).

Volumes 15-17: Balance sheets, 1906-1926.

Volume 15: Balance sheets, 1906-1912 (252 pages).

Volume 16: Balance sheets, 1909-1912 (approximately 372 pages).

Volume 17: Balance sheets, 1912-1926 (approximately 500 pages).

Volumes 18-24: Account ledgers, 1898-1928.

Volume 18: Account ledger, 1898-1901 (471 pages, indexed).

Volume 19: Account ledger, 1899-1902 (135 pages, indexed).

Volume 20: Account ledger, 1907-1909 (261 pages, indexed).

Volume 21: Account ledger, 1910-1917 (447 pages, indexed).

Volume 22: Account ledger, A-L, 1901-1910 (approximately 1000 pages).

Volume 23: Account ledger, M-Z, 1901-1910 (approximately 1000 pages).

Volume 24: Account ledger, Fr-K, 1911-1928 (approximately 1000 pages).

Folder 1: Miscellaneous items removed from volumes, 1900-1928 (7 items).

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