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Accession # **\*83 M 17** Location **ANNEX  
5-G-5**  
Title **FORSTER, Henry A.  
Papers.**  
Approximate inclusive dates **1916-1932**  
Date of receipt \_\_\_\_\_ Received from \_\_\_\_\_  
Volume on arrival \_\_\_\_\_  
Number of boxes (after reboxing) **11 boxes, 1 pkg.**  
Condition **Good**  
Restrictions **none**

Description Henry A. Forster was an American lawyer based in New York City. His papers relate to the First World War <sup>AND</sup> including relevant matters such as espionage in the U.S., confiscation of enemy alien property, the payment of allied war debts, the peace diplomacy of Woodrow Wilson, America's entry into the war and the financial situation of the U.S. after the war when it was still a debtor country.

The Collection consists of his correspondence with prominent American and foreign lawyers, journalist, politicians and scholars (1916-1932). Some notable correspondents were William Howard Taft, Theodore Roosevelt, Herbert Hoover and William Jennings Bryan. There are also many letters from patriotic American organizations in New York City namely The American Defense Society, The American Rights League and The National Security League Inc.. There is material such as questionnaires (1914-1917) by the N.Y. State Bar Association on the judicial power over legislation. A scrapbook of newspaper clippings is included in the collection.

Special Formats  Photographs  Maps  Audio Tapes  Films  Graphics  
 Artifacts  Machine-readable records  
 Other (list) \_\_\_\_\_

Temporary catalog card added entries

United States--History--European War, 1914-1918  
United States--Economic conditions--1918-1945

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Date Mar. 1983

HENRY A. FORSTER PAPERS

Box Listings

Boxes 1 & 2	Correspondence, 1916-1921, <del>March</del> MARCH
Box 3	Correspondence, 1921 ( A-Z )
Box 4	Correspondence, 1922 ( A-Z )
Box 5	Correspondence, 1923 ( A-Z )
Box 6	Correspondence, 1924 ( A-Z )
Box 7	Correspondence, 1925-1926 ( A-Z )
Box 8	Correspondence, 1927-1928 ( A-Z )
Box 9	Correspondence, 1929-1932 ( A-Z )
Box 10	N.Y. State Bar Assoc., Questionnaires, 1914-15
Box 11	N.Y. State Bar Assoc., Questionnaires, 1916 Letters, 1916-1917. Re: 2nd & 3d reports
1 Pkg.	Scrapbook