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SUMMARY

Size.	2 linear ft., 57 v.
Geographic locations.	Louisiana, Ohio, Missouri, Wisconsin.
Inclusive dates.	1879-1959.
Bulk dates.	1900-1920.
Language.	English.
Summary.	Papers consist of correspondence, timber estimates, financial records, legal documents and maps relating to Florien Giauque's real estate operations in Louisiana.
Organization.	Arranged chronologically within series.
Restrictions on access.	None.
Related collections.	Louisiana Township Maps, Mss. 933, 1079, 1837.
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BIOGRAPHICAL/HISTORICAL NOTE

Florien Giaouque was born in Berlin, Ohio, May 11, 1843, to Augustus Giaouque and Sophia Guillaume Giaouque of Switzerland. He studied to become a teacher prior to the Civil War, but enlisted in the Union Army at its onset. Giaouque served in Ohio 102nd Infantry, Co. H., under generals Grant, Buell, Sherman, Rosecrans and Thomas. He resumed his studies in education at the end of the war and accepted a teaching position after graduation in 1869. While in this position, he studied law under Justice Stanley Matthews. In 1875, Giaouque opened a law office in Cincinnati, and soon went into partnership with Henry B. McClure. They maintained their partnership throughout Giaouque's legal career. Giaouque was a prolific writer and editor of legal works. He contributed articles to periodicals and occasionally delivered lectures on various scientific topics.

He first traveled to Louisiana on a business trip in 1879. Shortly thereafter, he began investing in Louisiana real estate. At one time, he was one of the largest individual landowners in Sabine Parish. He sold 32,700 acres of land in Sabine Parish to the promoters of the Kansas City Southern Railroad for its construction.

Giauque was married to Mary Miller, the daughter of William H. Miller, an Ohio lawyer, and the granddaughter of John Woods, an Ohio politician and U. S. congressional representative. They had no children. Florien Giaouque died in 1921.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

Florien Giauque papers pertain to his real estate operations in Louisiana. They consist of correspondence, accounts books, record books, bills, receipts, contracts, land conveyances and legal documents. Additionally, there are several plat maps and township maps, as well as state and parish maps. Papers document real estate transactions and provide detailed descriptions of land holdings and timber production in several central and northwestern Louisiana parishes, including Avoyelles, Calcasieu, DeSoto, Grant, Iberia, Iberville, Natchitoches, Rapides, Sabine, St. Landry, Vernon parishes. Papers also concern farming conditions and oil leases.

LIST OF SERIES AND SUBSERIES

- I. Correspondence, 1887-1916.**
 - Subseries 1. General Correspondence, 1887-1916.**
 - Subseries 2. Agents' Correspondence, 1901-1908.**

- II. Printed Material 1896-1959, undated.**
 - Subseries 1. Printed items, 1896-1915, undated.**
 - Subseries 2. Maps, 1898-1959, undated**

- III. Business Records, 1879-1930, undated.**
 - Subseries 1. Records, 1879-1930, undated.**
 - Subseries 2. Manuscript volumes, 1901-1920, undated.**

SERIES AND SUBSERIES DESCRIPTION

I. Correspondence, 1887-1916.

Subseries 1. General Correspondence, 1887-1916.

General correspondence discusses debts owed by tenant farmers, land value, land transfers and sales, land disputes, land claims, oil and gas, timber production and Giauque's sale of land for railroad (Aug. 11, 1894, 1896, April 3, 1897). Correspondents include representatives of the logging and railroad industries and officials of the federal and state land offices. Many letters identify specific tracts of land in several Louisiana parishes for the purposes of logging and oil leases.

Subseries 2. Agents' Correspondence, 1901-1908.

In their correspondence to Giauque, real estate agents and land managers report on real estate transactions, land claims, timber production estimates, and interested buyers and sellers of real estate. They also describe the soil and topography of land and its potential use and productivity.

II. Printed Material, 1896-1959, undated.

Subseries 1. Printed items, 1896-1915, undated.

Printed items include pamphlets written by Florien Giauque in which he describes topography, climate and natural resources in Sabine Parish in *Something about Sabine Parish, Louisiana* (Feb. 1896), and he offers his advice on buying land in Louisiana in *Circular Letter to Some Persons Proposing to Buy Louisiana Land* (Sept. 1907). The publication *Omnibus Book* (1915) provides the ownership history of specific tracts of land in Avoyelles, Calcasieu, DeSoto, Grant, Iberia, Iberville, Natchitoches, Rapides, Sabine, St. Landry, Vernon parishes between Jan. 1901 to Jan. 1915.

Subseries 2. Maps, 1898-1959, undated

Maps consists of parish maps of several central and northwestern parishes (1898-1914, undated), district and state maps (1898-1911, undated), railroad maps showing the Kansas City, Shreveport and Gulf Railroad lines in DeSoto and Vernon parishes (1898, undated), a map issued for the Railroad Commission of Louisiana (1907) and a another depicting the canal system of the Union Rice and Irrigation Company in Southwestern Louisiana (undated). Township maps and plat maps of DeSoto, Calcasieu, Sabine, Natchitoches and Red River parishes comprise the majority of this subseries. A copy of a map of the Northwestern District of Louisiana, that was originally drawn by the office of the Surveyor General, District of Louisiana, shows the land holdings Pierre Dolet's legal representative of (1911). Four bound volumes of township maps show land surveyed in DeSoto Parish, Natchitoches, Rapides parishes and southwestern Louisiana during early part of the 19th century (undated), v. 12-15. Later maps depict several points in Plaquemines Parish and the Mississippi Delta (1935-1959).

Note: For a complete list of printed maps, see appendix A.

III. Business Records, 1879-1930, undated.

Subseries 1. Records, 1879-1930, undated.

Business papers are comprised of legal documents, receipts for goods and services, monthly statements, accounts, timber reports, timber estimates, and hand drawn plat maps and diagrams. Legal documents include land conveyances and contracts. There are several bills and receipts for services rendered in the pursuance of civil cases concerning land claims. Plat maps and township maps show location, size and owner's name of each plat, others note the location of the railroad lines in the area. Memorandums for proctors' reports give financial accounts on land owned by Giauque (1902-1919, 1930) and estimates of timber give potential yield of timber on specified tracts of land (undated). Also included are court records issued in the United States Supreme Court in the case of the United States v. Perot et al (1879-1884). An attachment to an unsigned mineral rights agreement list Giauque's properties in Louisiana that were not under oil leases (April 1920).

Subseries 2. Manuscript volumes, 1901-1920, undated.

Plat books show location and size of tracts as well as timberland sold and leased (undated) v. 1-8, v. 50-56. Another shows tracts of land owned by Giauque in DeSoto Parish (undated) v. 9. There are also plat books of Calcasieu Parish (1915), v. 16 and old Sabine Parish (1895), v. 20. Record books keep an account of property purchased Giauque (1900-1901) v. 10 and land leases in Sabine Parish (1917), v. 17. Abstracts of real estate in Sabine, Natchitoches, DeSoto and Red River parishes include plats and copies of court documents (undated) v. 18-19. Account books record Giauque's real estate transactions in central and northwestern Louisiana (1901-1920), v. 21-25, index, v. 26. Timber estimates books include soil conditions and possible land use recommendations (undated), v. 27-46. Additional record books pertaining to Giauque's holdings in DeSoto Parish contain photocopies of contracts and conveyances (undated) v. 47-49. An abstract of land in the parishes of Sabine, DeSoto and Red River includes copies of court documents, and wills of Samuel Davenport and Thomas H. Patterson (undated).

Note: For a complete list of volumes, see appendix B.

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List of printed maps

- 1898 Map of Louisiana, 1898.
- 1898 Map of the Kansas City, Shreveport and Gulf Railroad lines in Vernon Parish, 1898.
- 1901 Calcasieu Parish map published by Lake Charles Printing Co. Ltd., 1901.
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- 1902 Rapides Parish, La., 1902.
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- 1902 De Soto Parish map showing township, range, section numbers and topographical features, 1902, by Florien Giaouque.
- 1902 Natchitoches Parish map showing township, range, section numbers and topographical features, 1902, by Florien Giaouque.
- 1902 Map of Rapides Parish and of parts of Avoyelles Parish, east of Rapides, and of St. Landry, south of Rapides, these parts of Avoyelles and St. Landry being drawn in fainter broken lines, 1902, by Florien Giaouque.
- 1903 Sabine Parish, La., 1903
- 1903 Sabine Parish map showing township, range, section numbers and topographical features, 1903, by Florien Giaouque.
- 1905 Iberia, St. Mary and Assumption parishes, La., 1905.
- 1907 Map of Louisiana issued for the Railroad Commission of Louisiana, 1907.
- 1908 Map of Grant Parish drawn for the school board by McKnight and Carver, March 1908.
- 1908 Many, Sabine Parish, La., 1908.
- 1908 Map of Many, Sabine Parish, Florien Giaouque's second addition. Surveyed by Daniel Vandegaer, Parish Surveyor, May 26, 1896.
- 1908-1911 Calcasieu Parish maps, showing wards, compiled by T. H. Mendel, Civil Engineer, Lake Charles, La., 1908, 1910, 1911.
- 1911 Texas Company. Township map of De Soto Parish, Aug. 1911.
- 1911 Printed copy of a Northwestern District of Louisiana map originally drawn by office of the Surveyor General, District of Louisiana in 1884.
- 1914 Sabine and Red River Parishes, La., 1914.
- 1914 Texas Company. Map of Red River Parish showing Townships 11-14, May 1, 1914. 2 sections.
- 1914 Texas Company. Map of Sabine Parish showing Townships 2-10, Apr. 17, 1914. 4 sections.
- 1935 Cubits Gap, La., 1935.
- 1935 Pass a Loutre East, La., 1935.
- 1935 Pass a Loutre West, La., 1935.
- 1935 South Pass, La., 1935.
- 1935 Southwest Past, La., 1935.
- 1935 Venice, La., 1935.

- 1937 Plaquemines Parish, south section, 1937.
- 1954 East Delta, La., 1954.
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- undated Sabine Parish, La., Twps. 9 & 10
- undated Red River Parish, La., Twps.13 & 14
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- undated Map of Iberville Parish and portions of St. Martin, Iberia, St. Mary and
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southwestern Louisiana, undated.
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La., undated.
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Appendix B

List of manuscript volumes

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- v. 2 Plat book. Avoyelles, Bossier, Caddo, Grant, Iberia, Iberville, Red River, St. Landry parishes timberland sold and leased between 1881-1914, undated.
- v. 3 Plat book. DeSoto Parish timberland sold and leased between 1901-1914, undated.
- v. 4 Plat book. Natchitoches Parish timberland sold and leased between 1902-1908, undated.
- v. 5 Plat book. Rapides Parish timberland sold and leased between 1902-1913, undated.
- v. 6 Plat book. Sabine Parish timberland sold and leased between 1895-1914, undated.
- v. 7 Plat book. Vernon Parish timberland sold and leased between 1902-1907, undated.
- v. 8 Record book - Louisiana maps distributed to individuals and businesses for 1902-1908, undated.
- v. 9 Record book of land and leases, Sabine Parish, 1917.
- v. 10 Abstracts of land in the parishes of Sabine, DeSoto and Red River include plats, copies of court documents, and wills of Samuel Davenport and Thomas H. Patterson, undated.
- v. 11 Abstracts of land in the parishes of Sabine, Natchitoches, DeSoto includes plats, copies of court documents, undated.
- v. 12 Account book. Account of sales of land owned by Florien Giauque in DeSoto, Caddo, Bossier and Red River parishes for 1901-1920, undated.
- v. 13 Account book. Account of sales of land owned by Florien Giauque in Calcasieu, Acadia, St. Martin, Iberville, Iberia parishes for 1902-1920, undated.
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- v. 15 Account book. Account of sales of land owned by Florien Giauque in Sabine, Grant parishes for 1902-1921, undated.
- v. 16 Account book. Account of sales of land owned by Florien Giauque in Natchitoches, Rapides parishes for 1901-1920, undated.
- v. 17 Account book. Account of sales of land owned by Florien Giauque in Old Sabine Parish, undated.
- v. 18 Timber estimates book - Rapides and Avoyelles parishes report on condition of land and timber estimates by Daniel Vandegaer, John H. Shattuck, J. B. Bice, undated.
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L:15		v. 46	Record book [v. 1], 1912.

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		51	v. 57. Cashbook/ newspaper clippings concerning oil leases, 1913-1919.