# **Preliminary Guide to the Leigh Page Papers**

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#### Collection Overview

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CREATOR: Page, Leigh, 1884-

TITLE: Leigh Page papers

**DATES:** 1884-1962

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**SUMMARY:** The bulk of the papers consist of a bound volume of reprints of scientific

articles by Leigh Page published between 1884 and 1952. The remaining items are: clippings on his work, three obituary articles, four photographs, including one with Niels Bohr and John Zeleny, and two letters (carbon copies) from his son, Thornton Leigh Page, to W. James King, director of the American Institute of Physics, giving a biographical sketch of his father's life.

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#### Biographical / Historical

Leigh Page: physicist and professor at Yale University from 1916-; active in several professional societies; author of books and articles on physics.

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## **Collection Contents**

b. 1	Bound volume of reprints	1884-1952
b. <b>1,</b> f. <b>1</b>	Two TLS (carbon copies) to W. James King from Thornton Leigh Page with biographical information on his father	1962
b. 1, f. 2	Clippings; obituaries	1936, 1945, 1952-1953
b. 1, f. 3	Photographs	1904-1952

#### **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.

#### **Subjects**

Science

#### **Occupations**

**Physicists** 

#### **Names**

Page, Leigh, 1884-Page, Thornton Leigh

#### **Corporate Bodies**

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