

Ludwig Arnold recipes for dyes and dyeing

Ms. Codex 1804

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Summary Information

Repository	University of Pennsylvania: Kislak Center for Special Collections, Rare Books and Manuscripts
Creator	Arnold, Ludwig, active 1836-1860
Title	Ludwig Arnold recipes for dyes and dyeing
Call number	Ms. Codex 1804
Date [inclusive]	1836-1849
Extent	2 volumes (+ 8 leaves)
Language	German
Language Note	In German.
Abstract	Two paper-covered volumes containing recipes, instructions, and ingredients for dyeing fabrics, cloth, and yarns kept by Ludwig Arnold of Nuremberg, Germany spanning the years from 1836 to 1849.

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Scope and Contents

Two paper-covered volumes containing recipes, instructions, and ingredients for dyeing fabrics, cloth, and yarns kept by Ludwig Arnold of Nuremberg, Germany spanning the years from 1836 to 1849. The volumes are written in German and contain various recipes using plants, insects, and minerals. Volume 1 has instructions and recipes with notations regarding dyeing fabrics. There is a reference and notes at the beginning of volume 1 to 18th-century dyeing specialist Le Pileur d'Apligny. The recipes and instructions comprise a large variety of colors including various shades of blues, reds, yellows, and greens. Cotton yarn samples of various colors in volume 1 are affixed to pages either with red wax, or woven through the page. Volume 2 comprises lists of ingredients followed by recipes and notes. "Arnold" is written on the covers of both volumes. Volume 1 bears the date 1838. Eight leaves are laid in the volumes. A dried leaf is laid in volume 1.

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FORM/GENRE(S)

- Codices (bound manuscripts)
- Manuscripts, German--19th century
- Recipes

SUBJECT(S)

- Dyes and dyeing--Germany--19th century

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