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Lars E. Larson papers, 1776-2010

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"Norwegian Emigration to Canada, 1850-1874," a University of Wisconsin at Whitewater research paper, 71 pages. Added revised copy, 2010. Chapters include: Sketches of the Quebec Emigrant Receiving Station; Norwegian Emigration and Canadian Immigration Policy; Transporting the Emigrants; Protecting the Emigrants; A New Era: Trans-Shipments and the Steamship; and The Arrival at Quebec and the Inland Journey.

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| 1   | 1      | History, 1998-2010<br>"Norwegian Emigration to Canada, 1850-1874," a University of Wisconsin at Whitewater research paper, 71 pages. Author's note: "The first and principal theme of the present study is Norwegian emigration to and settlement in Canada during the years 1850- to 1874, placed in the context of the Canadian emigration policy which made it possible. The beginning year...is marked...by the first Norwegian emigration to Canada, and its final year by the cessation of emigration by sailing ship directly from Norway. A secondary but closely related theme is the ocean transportation of the emigrants and their protection during the voyage...This study is based on annual reports of the emigration agents at Quebec and other Canadian ports, and on other Canadian government documents; accounts by emigrants; and on secondary sources." |
| 1   | 2-8    | Migration - Miscellaneous Topics, 1912-1976                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                    |

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|   |       | Includes: Immigration and historiography articles; Immigrants and industry; Article by Bailey, W.B., "The Bird of Passage" (1912); Immigrants and ethnic organizations; Accommodation and assimilation of immigrants; Emigration from England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales & Women and emigration conditions.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |
| 1 | 9     | Regulation of Immigrant Transport, 1918-1969<br>Includes: Passenger acts of the United States and Great Britain.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| 1 | 10-17 | New York (N.Y.) State Commissioners of Emigration, 1819-1904<br>Includes: Reports and sources; Reports regarding Norwegian arrival from 1847 through 1869; Castle Garden Immigration Center; Newspaper and periodical sources; United States government sources regarding immigration; Ship passenger lists; Nativity and parentage of prisoners and paupers, 1890 census; Immigration in American history: Essays in honor of Blegen by Commager.                                                                                                                                                                                 |
| 1 | 18-25 | Norway and Scandinavia – Miscellaneous Materials, 1839-1961<br>Includes: Norwegians in the Civil War and Hans Christian Heg; Koshkonong prairie and church; Norwegian settlement in Milwaukee and Racine counties; Danish immigration; Finnish immigration and settlement; Icelanders; Swedish immigration articles & Scandinavians.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |
| 1 | 26-32 | Norway and Scandinavia – Bibliography and Sources, 1927-1986<br>Includes: Study guide by Haugen, "The Norwegians in America" (1967); Scandinavians in the United States; Bibliographies from Scandinavian studies; Norway articles; Paper by Einhorn and Logue, "A Selective Bibliography of Scandinavian Politics and Policy" (1984); Paper by Kvavik, "Scandinavian Government and Politics Bibliography" (1984) & Tables of content of NAHA studies.                                                                                                                                                                            |
| 2 | 1-10  | Immigration Law & Policy in the United States, 1815-1991<br>Includes: Racial classification of immigrants; Colonial immigration and protection laws; Immigration: peoples, periods and types; Paper by Eleanor H. and Carl D. Davis, "Norwegian Labor in Hawaii: The Norse Immigrants" (1962); Norwegian settlements and settlers in U.S.; Ole Rolvaag; Dorothy Skardal, "The Divided Heart"; Article from the Journal of American History, "The Pride of the Race Had Been Touched: The 1925 Norse-American Immigration Centennial and Ethnic Identity" (1991); Anderson Rasmus B. & Norwegian Americans assimilation and family. |
| 2 | 11    | Immigration - Bibliography and Articles, 1885-1986<br>Includes: Immigration sources, bibliographies, tables of contents, and articles.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |
| 2 | 12-20 | Immigration Statistics, 1818-1971                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |

- Includes: Guides to folders of statistical materials; Immigration statistics bibliography; Waves, fluctuations, and changes regarding immigration and emigration; Federal migration statistics, notes, definitions, and criticisms; Early immigration statistics; Immigration summary tables & Comparison of immigration statistics in the United States and foreign emigration statistics; Compilation sheet forms & Proofreading record forms.
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| 3 | 1-9   | <p>Immigrant Admittance by Categories, 1820-1931</p> <p>Includes: Country and continent of origin from 1820 to 1931; Place of birth from 1922 to 1931 under the 1921 and 1924 quota acts; Last permanent residence; Sex, age, and conjugal condition; Occupation; Occupation tabulations for 1820 through 1931; State of intended residence; Literacy condition &amp; Individual paying passage and persons joining them, such as relative or friends.</p>                                                                                                                                           |
| 3 | 10-12 | <p>Norwegian Emigration Statistics, 1820-1952</p> <p>Includes: Norwegian emigration statistics and sources; Scandinavian emigration statistics &amp; Scandinavian emigration statistics, notes, and text.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |
| 4 | 1-7   | <p>Norwegian Population Statistics, 1910-1984</p> <p>Includes: Study by Dr. Arne Skaug from 1937, "Fluctuations in Migration from Norway since 1900, Compared with other Countries, and Causes of these Fluctuations"; Norwegian population studies; Norwegian population sources; Paper by B. J. Hovde from 1934, "Notes on the Effects of Emigration upon Scandinavia"; Folketaellingen i Norge from 1910, 1920, 1940 and 1950; Publication by Walter F. Willcox from 1971, "Studies in American Demography" &amp; Sources on early Norwegian immigration and major early works on Norwegians.</p> |
| 4 | 8-11  | <p>Population – Sources &amp; Statistics, 1776-1987</p> <p>Includes: Population analysis sources and notes; Copies of census statistical tables; Federal and state census sources; Changes in the population of Norwegians and other Scandinavians related to immigration.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| 5 | 1-7   | <p>Perceptions of Norway, 1802-2007</p> <p>Includes: Articles on Norway from the 19th, early 20th and 21st centuries; Guide for poole index conversion and indices to pooles and readers; Story by Charles W. Wood found in the magazine Argosy, "Under Northern Skies"; Story by Charles W. Wood found in the magazine Argosy, "About Norway"; Story by Henry Bedford found in The Mont, "A Long Day in Norway"; Story by Charles W. Wood found in the magazine Argosy, "Letters from the North" &amp; Article by R. T. Pritchett from 1877 found in The Art Journal, "Norway".</p>                 |

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| 5 | 8-13  | Articles and Stories on Norway Categorized by Years, 1814-1868<br>(1810's-1860's). Includes: 1810's; 1820's; 1830's; 1840's; 1850's<br>& 1860's.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| 6 | 1-9   | Articles & Stories on Norway Categorized by Years, 1972-1910<br>(1870's-1910's). Includes: 1870's; 1880's part 1; 1880's part 2;<br>1890's part 1; 1890's part 2; 1890's part 3; 1900's part 1; 1900's<br>part 2 & 1910's.                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| 7 | 1-9   | Norwegian Emigration Law (Passenger Act), 1920-1980<br>Includes Subfiles: Jorgensen, The Emigration from Europe During<br>the Present Century... 1865; Harvard Encyclopedia of American<br>Ethnic Groups; Articles in Norway on Emigration; Immigration<br>Assistance Groups and Societies; Search of Decorah-Posten and<br>Scandinavian - racism, attitude toward immigration policy, etc.,<br>Among Norwegian Americans; Norwegian Emigration Debate,<br>Reports, Law; Semmingsen Nordic Research into Emigration;<br>Emigration Agents in Europe; Gaustad, Ingrid: Utvandringen Til<br>Amerika                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| 7 | 10-12 | Various, 1924-1986<br>Malmin Articles on Norwegian Emigration Decorah Posten,<br>1924-1925; Emigrant Ships, Replacement of Sail by Steam;<br>Braekhus, A. Regnveldt: "Restaurationen' Til "Stravangerfjord";                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| 7 | 13    | Identification of Norwegian Ships, 1850-1874                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
| 7 | 14-17 | Hull to Liverpool Transit, 1854-1929<br>Emigrant Routes and Ports of Departure; Norwegians Journey<br>Across and Inland; Conditions on board Vessels during Voyage,<br>Sickness, Mortality, Starvation; Emigrant Transport System                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| 8 | 1-2   | Norwegian Timber Trade; Maritime Aspects of Migration, 1939-1989                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |
| 8 | 3-15  | Research, 1783-1920<br>Norwegian Emigration to Canada; The Leaving of Liverpool;<br>immigration to Canada Reports 1876-1880; Norwegian<br>Immigration Through Quebec and other St. Lawrence Ports,<br>1881-1901; Canadian Immigration Policy Administrative<br>Arrangements; Canadian "En Fortfattet Skildring af dets<br>Geographiske Beliggenhed... C. O. Closter; Citation Records of<br>Canadain Emigration Reports; British House of Commons<br>Documents on Emigration to North America, 1783-1911;<br>Norwegian Immigration to Canada; Statistical Compilations from<br>Quebec; Statistics of Immigration to Canada, 1829; Scandinavian<br>Emigrants- Compilation of Data on Births and Deaths, Sex and<br>Age, and Assistance to Emigrants; Information Sources<br>Scandinavia; 1850 Emigration to Canada, Ship "Lyna", first ship of<br>Norwegian Immigrants to Canada; Gaspé Settlement; |
| 8 | 16-18 | Research, 1919-1931                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                |

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| 9  | 1-17 | <p>Research, 1820-1930</p> <p>Emigrants departed by: occupation; Emigrants departed by: race or peoples; Emigration summary: 1820-1907, 1908-1930; Emigrants Departed by: sex, age, conjugal condition; Emigrants Departed by: Intended Future residences; Emigrants Departed by: State of Last Residence; Emigrants Departed by: Length of Residence; Naturalized Citizens Departed by: Sex, age, conjugal state, Length of residence; Naturalized Citizens by: Occupation; Naturalized Citizens Departed by: state of last Permanent Residence; Naturalized Citizens departed by: Intended Future Residence; Nonimmigrant Aliens Admitted by: sex, age, etc.; Nonimmigrant Aliens Admitted by: Country; Nonemigrant Aliens Departed by: sex, age, etc.; Nonemigrant Aliens Departed by: countries; Immigration to Canada Reports, 1866-1870; Immigration to Canada; Quebec Statistical Tables, 1849-1875;</p>                             |
| 10 | 1-11 | <p>Research, 1861-1880</p> <p>Scandinavian Immigrants in Canada and the United States; Immigration to Canada Reports 1861-1865; Immigration to Canada reports 1871-1875; immigration to Canada Reports 1856-1860; Folkemaengdens Bevaegels, 1851-1870; Folkemaengdens Bevaegels 1866-1885; Folkemaengdens Bevaegels 1872-1873; Folkemaengdens Bevaegels 1871-1876; Folkemaengdens Bevaegels 1875; Folkemaengdens Bevaegels 1874; Folkemaengdens Bevaegels 1873;</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |
| 11 |      | <p>Folkemaengdens Bevaegels 1856-1865; Summariske Opgaver, 1856-1865; Detaillerede Opgaver 1856-1865; Ind-og Udflytning, 1856-1865</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |

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Two boxes containing the research cards and references regarding the research of Lars Erik Larson, 1960-1980