

Frank Crowley mining records, 1879-2000

Overview of the Collection

Title	Frank Crowley mining records
Dates	1879-2000 (inclusive) 1879 2000 1965-1988 (bulk) 1965 1988
Quantity	3 cubic feet
Collection Number	MG 488
Summary	The Frank Crowley mining records consist of mining claim deeds, leasing agreements, maps, photographs and reports regarding various mines throughout Idaho.
Repository	University of Idaho Library, Special Collections and Archives Special Collections and Archives University of Idaho Library 875 Perimeter Drive MS 2350 Moscow, ID 83844-2350 Telephone: 208-885-0845 libspec@uidaho.edu
Access Restrictions	Collection is open for research.
Languages	English

Content Description

This collection consists of the mining files of Frank Crowley relating to various mines and mining corporations in Idaho spanning 1879-2000 with the bulk from 1965-1988. Materials include claim deeds, leasing agreements, maps, and reports regarding various mines throughout Idaho. Also included, are a series of aerial photographs of Challis, Idaho and some topographic photographs of various regions in Idaho and Montana.

Major mining corporations and mines represented in the collection include: Atlantis Mining and Manufacturing Co., Bunker Hill Mining Co., Hercules Group, Golden Gate Mine, Thunder Mountain-Sunnyside Mine, Dewey Mine, and Robinson Dike Mine.

Use of the Collection

Preferred Citation

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Administrative Information

Arrangement

The Frank Crowley mining records have been arranged into three series: General Mining Records , Mining Records by District, and Mining Records by County. Folders were rearranged to create these series. Original folder titles were kept, in some cases the formatting was changed to remain consistent and easier to read. If loose papers were found, a new folder was created with a new title. In a few cases, loose papers were added to existing folders when it was apparent they fit with the topic and material type.

Found with the materials was an index of mining records from the Idaho Geological Survey. This index includes a property number, property name, and district, as well as other information. Information from this index was used to create the determine what mines belonged to what districts. The index was foldered and is the first folder in the first series.

Series I contains materials pertaining to mining in general. It includes information on mining prospects in both Idaho and other states. There are also materials pertaining to mining processes in general.

Series II is divided into five sub-series, one for each mining district. These sub-series contain files relating to mines found in each mining district according to the Idaho Geological Survey Mining Prospects Index found within the collection.

Series III is divided into nine sub-series for the counties that the mining files pertain to. Each sub-series contains files containing either general information pertaining to the area or mines found within the county.

Acquisition Information

Materials donated by the Idaho Geological Survey in 2012 and 2014 (MA 2012-29, MA 2014-50).

Detailed Description of the Collection

Series I: General Mining Records

Container(s)		Description	Dates
Box	Folder		
1	1	Idaho Geological Survey Mining Prospects Index	undated
1	2	Idaho Prospects	undated
1	3	Topography Photographs	1966-1973
1	4	Waterpower Resources Geological Survey	September 1965

Container(s)		Description	Dates
1	5	Origin of Uranium Deposits, Donald Everhart, Chief Advisor of Raw Materials, US Atomic Energy	1954
1	6	LaPrarie Mining Limited Reorganization Plan	1985-1986
1	7	Daisy Mining Lease Agreement	1981
1	8	Nevada Bureau of Mines and Geology Publications	1968-1975
1	9	Nevada Bureau of Mines and Geology Publications	1976-1977

Series II: Mining Records by Mining District

Container(s)		Description	Dates
Sub-Series A: Bunker Hill Mining District			
Box	Folder		
1	10	SP0145 Bunker Hill Mine: Production Report Comparison	March-April 1989
1	11	Historical Record of Industrial Engineering at Bunker Hill Mine (1 of 2)	1956-1959
1	12	Historical Record of Industrial Engineering at Bunker Hill Mine (2 of 2)	1956-1959
1	13	Caetani	1906-1911
Sub-Series B: Dixie Mining District			
Robinson Dike Mine			
Box	Folder		
1	14	EC0202 Robinson Dike	1987
1	15	EC0202 Robinson Dike: Phone numbers	undated
1	16	EC0202 Robinson Dike: Assignments of Mining Agreements and Options and Exploration Agreement	1981-1982

Container(s)		Description	Dates
1	17	EC0202 Robinson Dike: Miscellaneous	1983
1	18	EC0202 Robinson Dike: Legal, Sunderbolt Group to Sansing Group	1981-1993
1	19	EC0202-EC0126 Robinson Dike, Nevex Agreement	1981-1984
1	20	EC0202 Robinson Dike, Nevex Agreement	1985-1987
1	21	EC0202? Atlantis Mining and Manufacturing Co. Inc.: Frank Crowley Retainer, Contracts, Receipts	1984
1	22	Atlantis Mining and Manufacturing Co.: Stock Info, no prospect number, use EC0202 (Robinson Dike)	1984-1988
Sub-Series C: Heath Mining District			
Hercules Group			
Box	Folder		
1	23	BA0024 Hercules: Water Rights Protests, Anglo-Bomarc near Cambridge, Idaho	1984
1	24	BA0024 Hercules Mine: Water Needs Evaluation	1975-1984
1	25	BA0024 Ore Reserve Calculations, Hercules Adit (hard calculations)	undated
1	26	BA0024 Assessment	1978
1	27	BA0024 Hercules Project: USFS Plan of Operation	1981
1	28	BA0024 USFS Plan of Operation	1983
1	29	BA0024 Hercules: US BLM Plan of Operations	1981
1	30	BA0024 Hercules Project: Anglo-Bomarc, State of Idaho	1984
1	31	BA0024 Hercules: Anglo-Bomarc - Hand and Beggs, 1-13 Claims	1966

Container(s)		Description	Dates
1	32	BA0020 or BA0024? Anglo-Bomarc: Legal - Land, Legal Summary	1983
1	33	BA0020 (Thor)? Or BA0024 (Hercules)?: Drill Bills	1981
1	34	BA0024 Hercules: Drill Reports	1981
1	35	BA0024 Hercules: US Department of Agriculture, Forest Service	1978
1	36	BA0024 Hercules Project, Washington County, Idaho: J.M. Montgomery Engineers	1980-1983
1	37	BA0024 Hercules Prospect, Washington County, Idaho: Grand & Runk - Research Department	1983
1	38	BA0024 Hercules Project: Idaho Department of Lands	1983
1	39	BA0024? Unknown prospect: Geo Botany	1983
1	40	Probably BA0024? Unknown prospect number, Anglo-Bomarc, State of Idaho Lease	1983
1	41	BA0024 Anglo-Bomarc: Land Status by J. Cook	1976
1	42	Maybe BA0020? Or 24? Unknown: Legal - Deeds, Nixon - Hells Canyon, Boyd - Hillman	1969, undated
1	43	Maybe Hercules, BA0024 or 20, unknown prospect: Anglo-Bomarc/Hillman Bond	1983

Miscellaneous Mines

Box	Folder		
1	44	BA0017 Keystone, Galena, Lead Zone, B&H, Report on BH Mineral Claims, Taylor, Bert	1978
1	45	BA0064 Silver Bell Claims, NSFS Plan of Operations	1984

Sub-Series D: Stibnite Mining District

West End/Stibnite

Container(s)		Description	Dates
Box	Folder		
1	46	CH0126 Stibnite Mining District	1943, 1976
1	47	CH0126 Review of State and Federal Regulations, Stibnite Project Canadian Superio Mining, U.S. LDT (1 of 2)	1973-1978
1	48	CH0126 Review of State and Federal Regulations, Stibnite Project Canadian Superio Mining, U.S. LDT (2 of 2)	1973-1978
1	49	CH0126 Ranchers - Sup Letter	1978
1	50	CH0126 Legal - Bradley - Ranchers	1 July 1978
1	51	CH0126 New Minex Annual Report; CH0771 Golden Gate Claims, Duplicates	1982
1	52	CH0126 New Minex: Annual Report	1982-1983
1	53	CH0126 (West End) New Minex: MX-45 Loc Notices and BLM forms and lists	1982-1985
Golden Gate Occurrence			
Box	Folder		
1	54	CH0771 Golden Gate Mine: -002 1980, Oberllig Report	1982-1983
1	55	CH0771 Golden Gate Mine: Letter of Intent, Idaho Mineral Co. Claim, Valley County, Idaho	6 October-10 November 1982
1	56	Golden Gate: Annual Assessment	1983-1984
1	57	CH0771 Golden Gate Mine: US Forest Service Plan of Operations	1983
2	58	Claims	1980
2	59	Golden Gate: Miscellaneous Unsigned Mill Leases	1978-1981
2	60	Golden Gate: Agreement - Electronic Metals and Real Commerz-Anstalt	1970, 6 May 1977

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2	61	CH0771 Golden Gate Mine: Sublease - Electronic Metals and Golden Gate Corp - Goldent Gate Claims, Antimony Ridge Claims, and Antimony Camp	1970-1978
2	62	Golden Gate Tungsten Property, Valley County, Idaho: Report	1980
2	63	CH0771 Golden Gate Mine: Claim Maps, Oberllig Estate	1979-1982
Miscellaneous			
Box	Folder		
2	64	1978 Idaho Reconnaissance Stibnite Region, Valley County, Idaho by R. Wayne Peterson	February 1979
2	65	CH0124 Homestake - Econ Analysis	undated
Sub-Series E: Thunder Mountain Mining District			
Dewey Mine			
Box	Folder		
2	66	CH0050 Dewey Mine: Lease Agreement	1987
2	67	CH0050 Dewey: 1980 Assays and Truck Courts	1980
2	68	CH0050 Dewey: Bills - Cost	1980-1981
2	69	CH0050 Dewey: J.M. Montgomery Assessment of Permitting	1967, 1980
2	70	CH0050 Dewey: Claims - Surface Rights, Black Pine Campsite	1980-1982
2	71	CH0050 Dewey Mine: Legal	1968-1988
2	72	Deposition of Arthur D. Zierold, Volume I	2 March 1988
2	73	Deposition of Arthur D. Zierold, Volume II	8 March 1988
2	74	A. Zierold Deposition, Ex. 1 (1 of 2)	2 March 1988

Container(s)		Description	Dates
2	75	A. Zierold Deposition, Ex. 1 (2 of 2)	2 March 1988
2	76	CH0050 Dewey Mine: Miscellaneous	1982
2	77	CH0050 Dewey Mine: Deposition of Milton Zink, Case #74238	1988
2	78	CH0050 Dewey: Legal Documents	1980
2	79	HA0050 Dewey Mine, Valley County, Idaho: Claim Info	1904-1968, undated

Thunder Mountain-Sunnyside

Box	Folder		
2	80	CH0069 Thunder Mountain Sunnyside Costs by Doug Jayne	1981
2	81	CH0069 Thunder Mountain: Correspondence, Lessor/Lessee	1984-1987
2	82	CH0069 Thunder Mountain Sunnyside: Correspondence, Claim Info, Quit Claim Deeds, Assessment Plans of Operations vis a vis, Forest Service	1934-1979
2	83	CH0069 Thunder Mountain: Lease Agreements	1978, 1987
2	84	CH0069 Thunder Mountain: Phillips Petroleum Agreements	1983

Series III: Mining Records by County

Container(s)		Description	Dates
Sub-Series A: Blaine County			
Box	Folder		
2	85	BO0153 Atlantis Mining: Financials and Billing (Colorado Gulch)	1982-1988

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2	86	Atlantis Mining and Manufacturing Co.: Milling and Leaching Recovery Plant	1987
2	87	Atlantis Mining Prospectus and Sunshine Mining Co. Memo; MA0311 Colorado Gulch; IF0108 Muldoon	1985-1988
2	88	HA1144 Yancy, Blaine County, Idaho	1973
Sub-Series B: Boise and Lemhi Counties			
Box	Folder		
2	89	BO0415 Twin Peaks Group: Southern Idaho, Claim Data	1971
2	90	DV0184 Portland Mine, Lemhi County, Idaho: Report with map, merrit, Allen C.	1920, 1924
2	91	Bailey Place Group, Centerville, Idaho: Lease Option Agreements	1963
2	92	Original Mining Deeds	1911-1936, 2001
Sub-Series C: Bonner County			
Box	Folder		
3	93	Bonner County - General	1979-1984
3	94	SA0323 Frezkat Claims, Bonner County, Idaho	1970
3	95	SA0324 Iron Capp	1970-1971
3	96	SA0324 Iron Capp Prospect, Bonner County, Idaho: Lease Agreements	1970
3	97	SA0324 Iron Capp Claims, Bonner County, Idaho	1970
3	98	SH0304 Cabinet Claims, Claim Deeds, Maintenance, Bonner County, Idaho	1951-1971
3	99	SP0018 Conjecture Mine, Bonner County, Idaho	1961-1975

Container(s)		Description	Dates
Sub-Series D: Camas, Cassia, Clark, and Clearwater Counties			
Box	Folder		
3	100	HA0938 Little Smoky and Willow Creek District, Camas County, Idaho: Duplicates	1942-1987
3	101	HM0125 Orogrande Creek Placer, Clearwater County, Idaho	1979
3	102	Camas County, Idaho: General	1986
3	103	Clark County, Idaho: Mitchell Claims	1980
3	104	Original Claim Notices, Cassia County	1904
Sub-Series E: Custer County			
Box	Folder		
3	105	CH1189 Cash Creek Prospect, Custer County, Idaho: Geological Report, Norman Eastmoore Jr.	17 March 1952
3	106	CH0436_002 Silver Queen Group, Yankee Fork District, Custer County, Idaho: Ed C. Salomon	1952
3	107	CH0489 Big Copper Claims, Custer County, Idaho	circa 1986
3	108	CH0592 and CH0589 Deer Trail Mine, Custer County, Idaho	1954-1956
3	109	CH1042 Yankee Fork, Custer County, Idaho, Sunbeam, US Antimony - Preacher's Cove "The Miner's News"	undated
3	110	Air Photo Index and Photographs, Challis, Idaho	1973-1979
Sub-Series F: Idaho and Owyhee Counties			
Box	Folder		
3	111	B0010 DeLamar: Ore Reserve and Cash Flow Study	1973

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3 114	EC0101 Orogrande District: Unpatented Mining Claims	1979
3 115	EC0101 Orogrande: Claim Map	undated
3 116	EC0101 Orogrande-Frisco Mine: Northwest Mining Periodical, V.4, No. 4	17 February 1938
3 117	EC0240_002 Warren Creek	1988
3 118	EC0671 Golden Anchor Mines, Marshall Lake Mining District, Idaho County, Idaho	1973
3 119	EC0671 Golden Anchor Mines, French Creek, Idaho	1975
3 120	Agreement of Limited Partnership with Golden Anchor Mine	1965-1973
3 121	Correspondence regarding prospective prospect areas	1974-1975
3 122	HA0331 Bullion (aka, Ophir) Mine	undated
3 123	JV0034 Davis-Flint Mines, Owyhee County, Idaho: Property Agreements	1965-1967
3 112	JV0036 Flint Mine, Owyhee County, Idaho	1886-1969
3 113	Copies of GLO Plats: Leviathon, Rising Star, Perseverance, Extension Rising Star	1879, 1970
3 124	Buffalo Hump Unpatented Claims: Claims (near Dixie, Idaho)	1979
3 125	Hoosier Leasing Co. Stock Certificate	1929
3 126	Desperation Mining Co.: Claim Notices and Proof of Labor (donated by Montana Bureau of Mines)	1982-1985
3 127	Idaho-Owyhee County, Regan Property	1974
3 128	Idaho-Owyhee County, Sidney Mining Co.	1972
3 129	Warren-Marshall (Idaho), Unpatented Mining Claims	undated

Container(s)		Description	Dates
3	130	Unpatented Mining Claim	undated
Sub-Series G: Shoshone County			
Box	Folder		
3	131	Alhambra Mining Co. Correspondence (1 of 2)	1916-1937
3	132	Alhambra Mining Co. Correspondence (2 of 2)	1916-1937
3	133	Coeur d'Alene Mines and Stocks, James F. Howarth Co. Broker Correspondence	1915
3	134	Seven Devils Joint Venture Between Sunshine Mining Co. and Rosario Exploration: Proof of Labor Documents	1971-1977
3	135	Sunshine Mining Company Board Minutes	7 December 1992
3	136	HM0221 Wood Rat Kyanite Project: Lease Agreements - Sunshine Mining Co.	1965-1969
3	137	Sunshine Mining Co. - Rejects	1979-1990
Box			
OS		Street Blocks and Lots Maps of Mullan, Idaho 2 items; 36 x 74 inches	21 August 1914
Sub-Series H: Valley County			
Box	Folder		
3	138	Corleone Claims (no prospect number), Valley County, Idaho: Clyde W. Sickler Narrative	1908, 1999-2000
3	139	Yellowpine Legal	1981
3	140	Yellowpine Progress - Moneca Mine Development	1980
3	141	Yeller Dog Mill Sites cfm, Valley County Yellow Pine, no prospect number	1973, 1983

Container(s)		Description	Dates
3	142	Yeller Dog Mill Sites, Yellow Pine, Idaho, no prospect number; Yeller Dog Claims: No Geology, Quit Claim Deeds, Claim Maps	1983-1984
3	143	CH0693 Bear Valley Places, Valley County, Idaho	1958
3	144	CH0932 Franklin D Mine Data	circa 1974
3	145	CH0932 Franklin D Mine, including CH0931, Ch0933, CH0934, and CH0930 (KW Prospect, Coleman Mine, Lucky Lad, Cougar Mine): Lease Agreements	1974-1976
Sub-Series I: Washington County			
Box	Folder		
3	146	History of Washington County, Idaho by Judge Frank Harris	undated
3	147	Washington County Miscellaneous	1989
3	148	Anglo Bomarc: Kismet-Nixon Ranch, Quit Claim Deeds, Nixon Ranch (no prospect number)	1968-1980
3	149	BA0024 Anglo-Bomarc: Cash Flow	1978, 1983
3	150	BA0020 Jugor or Thor Gp.: Annual Assessment, Anglo-Bomarc/Thor/Marc V/Magma/Mundee	1984
3	151	BA0020 Anglo-Bomarc, Thor, Mark V, Magma, Annual Assessment, Rick and Bart Claims	1982
3	152	BA0020 Jug or Thor Group, Anglo-Bomarc Annual Assessment	1979
3	153	BA0020 Art and Newport Claims, Annual Assessment Thor, Mark V, and Mundee	1983
3	154	BA0027 Anglo-Bomarc Et. Al Cos Legal Correspondence	1983
3	155	CH0064? Reclamation - Cost Analysis - Billing, Cambridge, Idaho	Fall 1984

Names and Subjects

Subject Terms :

Gold Mines and Mining
Mining Corporations
Silver Mines and Mining
Tungsten Mines and Mining

Corporate Names :

Alhambra Mining Company
Atlantis Mining and Manufacturing Company
Bunker Hill Company

Geographical Names :

Blaine County (Idaho)
Boise County (Idaho)
Bonner County (Idaho)
Bunker Hill Mine (Idaho)
Custer County (Idaho)
Dewey Mine (Idaho County, Idaho)
Dixie (Idaho)
Idaho
Idaho County (Idaho)
Lemhi County (Idaho)
Owyhee County (Idaho)
Shoshone County (Idaho)
Stibnite (Idaho)
Valley County (Idaho)
Washington County (Idaho)

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