

P034 Canadian Mining Journal fonds
1914-1984 (predominant dates: 1931-1957)
16 cm of textual records and photographs

Administrative history: The Canadian Mining Journal is a bi-monthly publication with the self-professed aim to provide “Articles and information of practical use to those in the technical, administrative and supervisory aspects of exploration, mining and processing in the Canadian mineral exploration and mining industry.” The journal was founded in 1879 by a small group of individuals in Ottawa who published the fledging paper at irregular intervals. However, R.T.A. Bell took over the journal in 1883 and under the name Canadian Mining Review, consolidated it as the national journal of the mining industry. After the death of Bell in 1907, new ownership renamed the paper The Canadian Mining Journal, the name it has retained since that time. As of 1993, the journal is published six times annually and is a member of the Southam Magazine Group.

Scope and content: The Canadian Mining Journal fonds consists of speeches, original articles, note transcriptions, office memoranda, correspondence, mine claim abstracts, exploration diaries, printed material and photographs.

These materials relate the history of mineral exploration, mining and processing in Canada, particularly in Northern Ontario and Quebec. More specifically, there are texts on the activities at Hewey Gold Mines, Hollinger Mine, Long Lac and Magnet Lake, as well as other sites. The photographs are of miners, mining equipment, mine structures and landscape at Lamaque Mine, Buckingham, McIntyre Mine, Siscoe Mine. There is also an autobiography of a mining engineer.

There are gaps along the time line, where only a few documents represent a large period of time.

Note: Immediate source of acquisition: No information is available regarding the acquisition of this fonds.

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1. LUSKA, JOHN 2H
Undated; 1934-1982
3.5 cm of textual documents and 1 photograph

Speeches, note transcriptions, articles, office memoranda and advertisement copies pertaining to mining activities in Northern Ontario and Quebec during late 19th and early 20th centuries.
2. BLUNDON, DAVE J.
1934-1956
3 cm of textual documents

Personal correspondence pertaining to the history of Hewey Gold Mines and a manuscript related to Canadian mining before 1900.
3. Sixty Years of Canadian Mining
1939
0.4 cm of textual documents

Publication on the topic of Canadian mining from 1879-1939.
4. Marie
1935-1957
1 cm of textual documents

Articles, tables and publications pertaining to the Canadian Oil and Gas Industry and mining in British Columbia. The autobiography of a mining engineer
5. History-Mining: Hollinger, Long Lac, B.C.
Undated; 1931-1984
2.5 cm of textual documents and 1 map

Abstracts of mine claims, exploration diaries and agreements pertaining to mining activities in the Long Lac and Magnet Lake Areas. A blueprint of the Little Long Lake Area
6. CMJ Anniversary Issue
Undated; 1937-1951
1 cm of textual documents

Articles on gold and alchemy, the gold rush of 1849, rock drills and photocopies of the 50th and 60th Anniversary Editions of the Canadian Mining Journal

7. MACMILLAN, Marion 2H
 Undated; 1917-197?
 0.5 cm of textual documents and 31 photographs

 A copy of the Daily Nugget and 31 photographs of mines both open pit and underground, in Northern Ontario and Quebec.

8. OIL-HISTORICAL MATERIAL
 1948-1962
 0.1 cm of textual documents and 20 photographs

 Documents and photographs relating to oil drilling and refining in the early 20th century.

9. CMJ [Lamaque, McIntyre and Siscoe]
 Undated; 1936-1950
 58 photographs

 Photographs of mining equipment and structures at Lamaque, McIntyre and Siscoe mines during the first half of the 20th century.

10. [Canadian Mining Journal Historical Photographs]
 Undated; 1914-1984
 5.5 cm of photographs and 1 letter

 Photographs of people, equipment and buildings pertaining to mining throughout the world but particularly in Canada.

11. GIUSTI, Mary Lou 1
 Undated; 1942-1967
 5 cm of photographs, 0.1 cm of textual documents

 Photographs of people, equipment and landscape pertaining to mining activities in Buckingham, Quebec. A photocopy of promotional material for the Canadian Mining Journal

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