

TITLE: Golden Star Mining Company Collection (North Star Mine)

DATE RANGE 1908-1911

CALL NUMBER: Y-MS 32

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: 3 linear feet (4 boxes)

PROVENANCE: In 1965 Jean Provence of Scottsdale, Arizona donated this collection to the Arizona State College (now Northern Arizona University) Library. It was processed in 1972 and reprocessed again in 1990. Before 2012 it was transferred from the Northern Arizona University Library's Special Collections and Archives Department to the Arizona Historical Society-Rio Colorado Division in Yuma. To this was added a small quantity of similar material that had been donated to the Yuma County Historical Society at various times.

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HISTORICAL NOTE: The Golden Star Mining Company was located in the Polaris-Kofa mining area, Yuma County, Arizona. In 1896 Felix Mayhew discovered a gold vein near the King of Arizona Mine, and in 1907 he sold his claim, the North Star Mine, to the Golden Star Mining Company (David M. Hyman, New York City). Operation was profitable, producing \$1,000,000, but by 1911 the vein had been forced down to its economic limits. For information on this mine see Dunning, Charles H., *Rock to Riches*, Phoenix: Southwest Publishing Company, 1959, p. 152. This mining company had no relation to the Golden Star Mine located thirty miles north of Phoenix which was mentioned in Hinton's *Handbook of Arizona*, 1878, p. 144.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE: The collection is divided into five series. **Series I: Operating Records; Series II: Operating Costs; Series III: Business Correspondence; Series IV: Receipts and Requisitions; Series V: Miscellaneous**

CONTAINER LIST:

Box	Folder	Title	Dates
1	1	Operating Records: Filter Press Schedules	1909
	2	Operating Records: Filter Press Schedules	1910
	3	Operating Records: Filter Press Schedules	1910
	4	Operating Records: Certificates of Assay	1908-1910
	5	Operating Records: Certificates of Assay	1909-1910
2	6	Operating Records: Gold Tank Records	1909-1910
	7	Operating Costs: Pay Vouchers	1909-1910

	8	Operating Costs: Pay Vouchers	1909-1911
	9	Operating Costs: Pay Vouchers	1909-1911
	10	Operating Costs: Pay Vouchers	1909-1911
	11	Business Correspondence: Sanguinetti Correspondence (fragile)	1909-1910
	12	Business Correspondence: Pacific Hardware and Steel Business Correspondence and Receipts	1910-1911
	13	Business Correspondence: Fulton Engine Works	1909-1911
	14	Business Correspondence: Pacific Lumber Company	1909-1910
	15	Business Correspondence: Abbe Engineering Company	1909
	16	Business Correspondence: Braun Corporation	1909-1911
	17	Business Correspondence: Harron, Rickard and McCone Machinery	1909-1910
	18	Business Correspondence: Locomotive Company of America	1910
	19	Business Correspondence: Standard Oil Company	1909-1910
3	20	Business Correspondence: Meese and Gottfried Company	1909-1910
	21	Business Correspondence: Railroad Freight	1909-1911
	22	Business Correspondence: Bauch Brothers	1909-1910
	23	Business Correspondence: General Managers	1909-1911
	24	Business Correspondence: Employee-Employer	1909-1910
	25	Business Correspondence: Miscellaneous	1909-1911
	26	Receipts and Requisitions: 1 of 2	1909-1911
	27	Receipts and Requisitions: 2 of 2.	1908-1911
	28	Miscellaneous: Reports	1908-1911
	29	Miscellaneous: History	1909-1982
4		Oversize: Payroll and Financial Statements	1908-1911