DESCRIPTION

This collection has photocopies of two diaries by Marshall Bond about his travels through Arizona, mostly for mining ventures. Some of the key areas he visited and described include Bouse, AZ; Gila Bend, AZ; Ajo, AZ; Yuma County, AZ; Vekol Mountains; Rincon Mountains; Gunsight Mine; Gunsight Hills; Papago Wells; Pinacate Mountains; and Tinajas Altas Mountains. Some of the key people mentioned include Count C. Karl Coudenhove, Rube Daniels, Charles Puffer, Thomas Childs, Mr. and Mrs. H. Rawley, and Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Davis. The first folder has a diary of Marshall Bond from November 12, 1913 to March 17, 1914. The second folder has a diary from February 22, 1915-April 18, 1915.

1 Box, .25 linear ft.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Marshall Bond was an adventurer who explored and sought business ventures on the West Coast from Alaska to Mexico. He kept many detailed diaries of his trips. A more complete biography can be found in Gold Hunter: The Adventures of Marshall Bond by Marshall Bond, Jr.

ACQUISITION

Donated by Marshall Bond, Jr. Original donation date is unknown.

ACCESS

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