DESCRIPTION

The collection consists of numerous land deeds, recorded cattle brands, insurance policies and San Xavier School records, mostly between the 1890s and the 1940s. The San Xavier School records include teacher contracts for 1912, 1916 and 1917, as well as some enrollment figures, annual reports and business transactions. The collection also includes records of cattle ear markings, land transactions, and life and auto insurance policies for Elijio Burruel. There are some personal family records, including baptismal records, Elijio Burruel’s 1917 draft card, and correspondence with the Special Mexican Claims Commission of the U.S. Treasury Department.

1 box, .1 linear ft.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

The Burruel Family owned and operated the Burruel Land and Cattle Company, and was involved with various mines in the Pima Mining District. Some family members included in this collection are Elijio Burruel, Joaquin Burruel, and Refugia Burruel de Ramirez. Elijio’s grandparents, Pedro and Jesus Burruel, donated land for the San Xavier School. The family was associated with Albert Steinfeld and the Quiroz family.

ACQUISITION

Unknown

ACCESS

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