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L. D. Chillson
Scrapbook, 1874-1910 (bulk 1900-1905)

DESCRIPTION

This scrapbook is mostly of newspaper clippings, compiled by L. D. Chillson. Many of the clippings are related to national and international news, but also include mining, Indians and Arizona news. There are clippings about local people, many featuring Chillson and his family. The scrapbook also includes a proposed new map of Nogales from 1891, a poem written by Chillson in 1874, a stock certificate from Ventura Manufacturing Company from 1877, and a picture of the Pima County Court House, undated.

1 Scrapbook, .5 linear ft.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Lorenso D. Chillson was born in New York in approximately 1824. He moved west and worked as a mining engineer and Arizona surveyor. He discovered the Comstock Lode in Nevada (then the Utah territory) in 1859. He later became the U.S. Deputy Mineral Surveyor and lived in Tucson, Arizona. He spent the last years of his life in Los Angeles, California.

ACQUISITION

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