

## **Western Museum of Mining & Industry Museum Archives**

WMMI has custody of three major mining collections as well as numerous smaller collections ranging in size from one or two documents to several folders. Currently, the museum archives is located in a climate-controlled room in the museum's storage building, a mile from the main campus at 225 North Gate Boulevard. Thus, all researchers who want to examine specific collections must make an appointment with the museum curator to schedule a visit. The archives room is available during normal museum hours from Monday-Friday, 9am-4pm. If a Saturday visit is needed, please contact the curator to set up a time.

There are a few general rules and regulations all researchers must follow:

1. Pencils, not pens, will be used for notetaking.
2. Researchers may take photographs with smart phones at the discretion of the curator.
3. White gloves will be issued to researchers handling fragile or mildewed documents.
4. No flash photography is allowed.
5. Researchers will limit usage to one box at a time so that documents will not be inadvertently mixed.
6. Copying is available at the rate of ten cents per page. Researchers desiring copies of oversized documents and maps will be charged the museum's cost at a local copying store plus shipping. WMMI reserves the right to refuse the copying of fragile documents.
7. If the research will be published, WMMI will receive one copy for its files as well as the proper acknowledgment in the publication.

### **Finding aids for the following collections are available at present:**

1. Winfield Scott Stratton Collection
2. United Gold Mines Collection
3. Golden Cycle Corporation Collection
4. Broken Handle Mining Corporation Papers
5. Hills & Willis, Mining Engineers
6. Countryman and Parkinson Collection
7. Cripple Creek Assay Office Collection
8. Cripple Creek Miscellaneous Collection
9. Mining Stock Certificates
10. Golden Age Mine (Boulder County)
11. Microfilm Holdings

These finding aids are included on this page as PDF documents that can be printed.

### **Upcoming Finding Aids**

1. Periodical Holdings
2. General Archives Collection
3. Denver Equipment Company Collection
4. Mining Company Equipment Catalogs
5. Media Holdings