

## Cripple Creek Miscellaneous Collection

This collection consists of miscellaneous documents pertaining to the Cripple Creek Mining District. The collection has been formed by combining a large number of donations to the museum over a period of many years. Included are documents pertaining to several mining companies, deeds and abstracts of title, court records, correspondence, and other items all relating to Cripple Creek.

The full name of the Stratton Cripple Creek Mining & Development Company is abbreviated as SCCM&DCo.

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