

Guide to the Sidney R. Whitmore Photograph Album

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Summary Information

Repository: University of Nevada, Las Vegas. University Libraries. Special

Collections and Archives.

Contributor: Whitmore, Sidney R., 1921-2003

Title: Sidney R. Whitmore Photograph Album

ID: PH-00219

Date [inclusive]: approximately approximately 1920

Physical 1.0 Linear Feet (1 photograph album in 1 box)

Description:

Physical 0.2 Cubic Feet

Description:

Language of the English

Material:

Abstract: The Sidney R. Whitmore Photograph Album contains

photographs dating from approximately 1920 that document the

Colorado River and mining in El Dorado Canyon, Nevada.

Preferred Citation

Sidney R. Whitmore Photograph Album, 1920. PH-00219. Special Collections and Archives, University Libraries, University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Las Vegas, Nevada.

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Biographical Note

Sidney Roxton Whitmore is the son of Roxton and Adella Whitmore. He was born in St. Thomas, Nevada on December 31, 1921. He graduated from Overton High School and served in the Army during World War II. He met and married his wife, Suzette Fortune Ziza, in 1946 while stationed in Algeria. After the war, the couple returned to the United States and Whitmore earned his law degree at George Washington University. He practiced law in Las Vegas. The Las Vegas City Commission appointed him city attorney in 1960 and he was later reelected. He also worked in real estate and as a rancher. He died in Las Vegas on February 1, 2003.

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Scope and Contents Note

The Sidney R. Whitmore Photograph Album contains black-and-white photographs dating from approximately 1920 that document the Colorado River and the mining in El Dorado Canyon, Nevada.

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Arrangement

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Administrative Information

Access Note

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Acquisition Note

Materials were donated in 1979 by Sidney R. Whitmore; accession number 1979-205.

Processing Note

Materials were processed in 2017 by Angela Moor.

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Related Materials

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The following resources may provide additional information related to the materials in this collection:

Sidney R. Whitmore, 1846-1937. MS-00068. Special Collections and Archives, University Libraries, University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Las Vegas, Nevada.

Sidney R. Whitmore Paintings Collection. MS-00781. Special Collections and Archives, University Libraries, University of Nevada, Las Vegas. Las Vegas, Nevada.

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Names and Subjects

- · photographs
- El Dorado Canyon (Nev.) -- Pictorial works
- · Mines and mineral resources
- Colorado River (Colo.-Mexico)

Collection Inventory

Title/Description	Containers
El Dorado Cañon, Nevada, bound album, approximately approximately 1920	oversized box 01
Southwest to Colorado River from point west of mouth of Grand Wash, before Hoover Dam, loose photo, undated	
Mouth of Grand Wash and Colorado River, before Hoover Dam, loose photo, undated	
On the Colorado, undated	
El Dorado Cañon, from across the river, undated	
S.W.M. Co Quartz Mill, undated	
Near Savage Mine, undated	
In Techatticup Cañon, undated	
In El Dorado Wash, undated	

Colorado River, undated		
Techatticup Cañon, undated		
The Narrows, undated		
In Techatticup Cañon, undated		