Finding Aid to the Daniel Ellis Conner Papers MS.521

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Abstract: The collection consists of two copies of a publication of D. E. Conner's account of the Walker Expedition in Arizona and typed copies of three letters to a Miss Hall in 1910.
creator: Conner, Daniel Ellis, 1837-1920
Scope and Contents
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Biographical note
Daniel Ellis Conner, prospector and civil engineer, was born on December 24, 1837 at Bardstown, Kentucky. He attended Hanover College in Kentucky from 1856 to 1858 and then relocated to Ridgeley, Missouri where he lived with relatives and sought employment as a civil engineer. From 1859 to 1861 Conner prospected in the gold fields of Colorado and in the fall of 1862 he joined the Walker Party in a mining exploration expedition in Arizona and New Mexico.
In later years Conner worked in civil engineering in his hometown of Bardstown, in Cincinnati, Ohio and in Wilmington and Riverside, California. He died at the Riverside County Hospital on June 19, 1920.
Source: Arizona State University.
Related Archival Materials note
Subjects and Indexing Terms
Walker, Joseph Reddeford, 1798-1876
Arizona -- Description and travel
Arizona -- History
Correspondence
Mines and mineral resources -- Arizona
Publications
Southwest, New -- Description and travel
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Walker Expedition