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### Descriptive Summary

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**Creator:** New Almaden Mining Company

**Extent:** 9 boxes

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New Almaden Mines

### Contents

Correspondence, account books, production records, vouchers, receipts, invoices, canceled checks, bank statements

### History

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Discovered in 1845, the New Almaden was the first mine in California and was producing large amounts of quicksilver before gold was discovered. It was named after the famous Almaden Mines in Spain. After a dispute over title, in 1864 the holdings became the Quicksilver Mining Company with headquarters in New York. A company town thrived with its own store, scrip, doctor and deputies. The Quicksilver Mining Company closed operations in 1912.

Beekman, Menken & Griscom  
Bogue, Morton G.  
Braun-Knecht-Heimann Company.  
Burnett, D. M.  
California. Dept. of Motor Vehicles.  
Carr, Albert L.  
Fowler, Edward J.  
Frank, Charles A.  
Hamilton, T. B.  
Hercules Powder Company  
Kuster, John D.  
Lewis, J. W.  
MacDonald, Theodore H.  
Price, Waterhouse & Co.  
Smith, H. W. B.  
Young, E. M.  
A. Schilling and Company  
Abbett, William E.  
Ackerman, Fred E.  
Ackly, S. P.  
Adams, J. O.  
Aetna Indemnity Company  
Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Company  
American Bank Note Company  
Armbrose, W. N.  
Armstrong & Keith  
Armstrong, E. A.  
Arnerich, M. E.  
Ashman, M. A.  
Associated Oil Company  
Atchison, Topeka, and Santa Fe Railroad Company  
Atkins, G. H.  
Atlas Powder Company  
Baird, Dudley  
Baird, F.  
Baker & Hamilton  
Baker, Hamilton, & Pacific Company  
Baker, M. D.  
Bandler, Bernard, and Sons  
Bank of Italy  
The Bartlett Hayward Company  
Baum, Simon  
Beady, H. J.  
Becker, Chas.

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Beekman, Charles K.  
Behne, J. W.  
Bell, J. P.  
Perton, Griscom, & Co.  
Beyes, A. G.  
Bilodeau, L.  
Black, F. W.  
Blackston, J. W.  
Bolles, R. G.  
Borchers, G. W.  
Borland, Johns, & Robbins  
Bragg, I. H.  
Bratt, Elmer E.  
Braun, H.  
Bray, L.  
Brooke, J. F.  
Brooks, A. B.  
Burrows, Albert C. (A. C.)  
Butler & Brittain  
California Nursery Company Inc.  
Campbell, D. W.  
Campbell, Hardy W.  
Campbell, Thos. H.  
Carpenter & Pelton Insurance  
Castiglione, F. W.  
Chace, John R.  
Chapman, J.  
Chard, T. A.  
Charlie (last name unknown)  
Chase, J. A.  
Cheshire, C. C.  
Chism, J. J.  
Christopher, Darrington  
Clare, E. M.  
Clark, William M.  
Claw, Harry B., Jr.  
Clippinger, J. H.  
Cochran, W. B.  
Columbia Trust Company  
Conboy, Martin  
Confidence Gold Mines Corporation  
Corporation Trust Company  
Corsa, W. S.  
Cox, Walter S.  
Craig, Ross M.  
Craigie, W. H.  
Crawford, John, Jr.  
Crescent Towel Supply Co.

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Criglar, J. W.  
Crow, W.  
Crowe, L. F.  
deComeau, O., Company  
Dick & Simpson  
Dillingham, M. C.  
Doane, M. L.  
Duffy, James B.  
Dunham, Carrigan, & Hayden Company  
Dunlap, W. W.  
Dykman, Williams  
Edmondson, W. R.  
Edsall, W. C.  
Edwards, G. D.  
Eichelbergen, C. C.  
Elmer, L. D.  
Ely, C. L.  
Emery, A. C.  
Emmet, R. S.  
Engels Copper Mining Company  
The Engineering & Mining Journal  
Engineering & Mining Journal-Press  
Ensign, A.  
Eugsfe, Edward W.  
F.L. Smidth & Co.  
Fechter, R. T.  
Fitzhenry, J. J.  
Ford, W. D.  
Foss & Hicks Company  
Fox, E.  
Francis, Jos.  
Franklin Trust Company (Brooklyn, New York, N.Y.)  
French, H. A.  
Fry, Thomas C.  
Funk Hog Farm  
Furlong, J.  
Gage, Daniel N.  
Garlock Packing Company  
Garrett, B. F.  
Geashart, A. M.  
Gildersleeve, S. D.  
Goldschmidt, Marcus M.  
Goodrich, E. O.  
Gotham National Bank of New York  
Graves, T.  
Greenbaum, Louis  
Grubb, H.  
Hag, A.

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Hancock, John M.  
Hapgood, A. A.  
Harby, M. E.  
Hauck, Fred  
Hayward, C. G.  
Hazeltine, A. N.  
Heath, W. R.  
Heger, W. S., Jr.  
Heller, A. H. (Albert Henry), 1866-1906  
Hendy, J. H.  
Holbrook, Merrill, & Stetson  
Hanks, Abbot A.  
Holloway, C. E.  
Homer, Francis T.  
Hoosier Manufacturing Co.  
Hornblower, Miller, Potter, & Earle  
Howard, J. E.  
Hughes, Charles T.  
Hyland, J. R.  
Ihacee, H. B.  
Ingersoll-Rand Company  
International-Mack Corporation  
Jackson, Geo. A.  
Jacobson, H. P.  
Jaffa, M.. E.  
Jagger, A. B.  
James, C. S.  
Jansen, John J., Jr.  
Jefferies, F. S.  
Jenkins, James  
Jewett, G. S.  
Johnson & Higgins  
Johnson, E.  
Johnson, H. B.  
Johnson, O. R.  
Johnston, John G.  
Jones, A. H.  
Jordan's New York Carpet Cleaning Works Inc.  
Josselyn, L. P.  
Judd, O. R.  
Kahn, A.  
Keehner, Chas. G.  
Kendall, M. A.  
Kenville, W. W.  
King, G. L.  
Klink, Bean, & Company  
Klink, G. T.  
Knapp, J. E.

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Knight, Boland, & Riordan  
Koehler, W. F.  
Krause, C. A.  
Kugelberg, F. C.  
Kuns, Henry A.  
Lack, J. Hunter  
Lafee, M.  
Laine, Franck  
Lane, Sanford H.  
Langford, C. H.  
Lawrence, Benj. B.  
Lee, C. L.  
Lee, J.  
Levensale, M. M.  
Lexow, Morton  
Lindstrom, A. S.  
Lofgren, H. J.  
Lotz, Charles A.  
Lowe, W. H.  
Luce, G. W.  
Lyon, E. A.  
MacDonald, R. P.  
MacGovern & Company Inc.  
Madsen, Alfred  
Mallinckrodt Chemical Works (Saint Louis, Mo.)  
Mandlebaum, F.  
Mantz, B. S.  
Mapy, Frank E.  
Marchant, R. H.  
Marcus, Thomas  
Mark-Lally Company  
Marten, A. H. and Son  
Martin, Sam  
Martin, W. S.  
Mason, F. Howard  
Mason, J. W.  
Maynard, F. G.  
McCann, H. W.  
McCaskey, H. D.  
McCarty, E. C.  
McClintock, W. L.  
McCone, Alex  
McCotter, S. G., and Co.  
McGarraugh, Robert  
McGrath, R. P.  
McKeon, M.  
McLaughlin, E. E.  
McMath, M. H.

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McVean, A. J.  
Meadow, E. T.  
Meisterheim, C. L.  
Merchants National Bank  
Metcalf, Woodbridge, 1888-  
Meyer, W. P.  
Michel-Bilodeau Chemical Co. Inc.  
Michels, C.  
Miller, R. A.  
Miller, W. W.  
Milne, A.  
Mine and Smelter Supply Company  
Mining and Scientific Press  
Mining Manual Company  
Mitchell, F. C.  
Mitehem, W. A.  
Moonman, Charles L.  
Moore, Pierre C.  
Morgan and Brother  
Morrow, A. R.  
Morse, C. C. , and Co.  
Munford, Hunton, William, and Anderson  
Murphy, R. W.  
Murphy, W. J.  
Murray and Ready  
Murray, Arthur  
Murray, M. C.  
Myers, George W.  
Nash, L. R.  
Nason, R. N., and Co.  
National Biscuit Company  
Navy Department  
Neustadter Brothers  
Newell, A. R.  
New York Commercial  
New York Telephone Company  
Nones, Chas. A.  
O'Brien, Chas. M.  
O'Connor, M. A.  
O'Connors, L.  
O'Hair, P. E., and Co.  
O'Keefe, J. M.  
Oliver, E. L.  
O'Neill, Edward  
O'Neill, J. S.  
Osen-McFarland Auto Co.  
Ottenson, N. E.  
Overland Freight Transfer Co.



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Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company  
Painter, Arthur  
Parker, J. M.  
Parrah, Jim  
Pearman, Harry S.  
Pels, S.  
Peske, D. W.  
Phillips, R. W., Jr.  
Place, C. F.  
Plant, J. W.  
Potter, Choate, and Prentice  
Powell, George E.  
Power Equipment Co.  
Powers-Weightman-Rosengarten Co.  
Price, E. T.  
Priorities Committee  
Putnam, A.  
Quick, E. G.  
Quinn, D. W., Jr.  
Rankin, Wm.  
Ransome, Frederick Leslie, 1868-1935  
Ray, W. S., Mfg. Co.  
Reardon, P. H.  
Reliance Automobile Company  
Remington Typewriter Company  
Repetti, G. W.  
Repler, H. A.  
Reynolds, I. M.  
Reynolds, M.. P.  
Rice, J. B.  
Richardson, G. H.  
Rigby, B.  
Ringwood, W. E.  
Roach, H. C.  
Robertson, C. E.  
Robinson, A. H.  
Robinson, Marshall  
Rohrbeck, C. F.  
Rose, W. A.  
Rosenberg, Samuel  
Rosenfeld, D.  
Ruddy, E.  
Runyon, C. F.  
Russell, J. B.  
Sander, L. R.  
San Jose Foundry  
San Jose Safe Deposit Bank  
Santa Clara Valley Mill & Lumber Co.

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Schaefer, L. B.  
Schaeffer & Budenberg Mfg. Co.  
Schaw-Batcher Co. Pipe Works  
Schlick, Oscar K.  
Schmidt, A. A.  
Schmidt, Walter A.  
Schroeder, W.  
Schubeahy, F.  
Scott, A. W., Jr.  
Seaver, W. H.  
Seymer, E. P.  
Shattuck, W. W.  
Shauks, D. W.  
Shecter, P.  
Sherwood, R. C.  
Shung, Yee  
Silverman, P. H.  
Simpson, N. W.  
Slevin, L. S. (Louis Stanislas), 1878-1945  
Sloan, W. A.  
Smith, Bryant  
Smith, C. S.  
Smith, Emery, and Co.  
Smith, Geo. O.  
Smith, Herbert Wilson  
Somers, A. S.  
Somerville, J. E.  
Sommerville, A. G., Inc.  
Southern Pacific Company  
Stacy, Geo. B.  
Stalker, W. M.  
Stephens, L. S.  
Stephens-Adamson Mfg. Co.  
Stern, Fred M.  
Stevens, A. J.  
Stevens, R.  
Stevens, T. R.  
Stewart, C. A.  
Stickel, M.  
Stjehnstedt, J. W.  
Stone, E. B.  
Stone, F. E.  
Stonecipher & Ralston  
Sullivan, Thomas H.  
Sullivan, W. V.  
Sutter, J. P.  
Talhaus, J. F.  
Tausek, J.

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Taylor, Howard C.  
Techt, Chas.  
Thomas, V. C.  
Thompson, C. E.  
Thompson, H. G.  
Thompson, J. I.  
Thyle, Irvin S.  
Tinnemann, O.  
Togni, C.  
Towers and Stiles  
Tracy, C. F.  
Trulsen, C. T.  
Turner, Irving  
Tyson, B. E.  
Tyson, G. H.  
Une, George, Co.  
United States Railroad Administration  
VanBeeskirt, F. G.  
Volkman, M., Advertising Agency  
Voorheis, E. C.  
Waddell, Geo. B.  
Wahlheim, E. C.  
Walden, D. T.  
Waldie, Geo. A.  
Walker, R. G.  
Waltz, William L.  
Warren, f.  
Watt, Robert B.  
Webb City and Carterville Foundry & Machine Works  
Welch, J. J.  
Weld, C. W.  
Westinghouse Electric & Manufacturing Company.  
Wingrove, M.  
Whipple, M. B.  
White, Charles A.  
White, E. M.  
Wiggin, L. W.  
Wilkins Mercantile Agency  
Wilkins, H. L.  
Williams, Griffith P.  
Wills, I. H.  
Wilson, Frank L.  
Wilson, T. C.  
Wilster, Fred L.  
Winner, George I.  
Wolff, C. E.  
Wood, E. K., Lumber Company  
Wood, R. P.

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Wooll, Char. L.  
Wright, L. H.  
Wright, M. K.  
Young, E. E.  
Zeile, J. E.  
Zimmerman, F. F.  
57 charts  
5 maps  
1 broadside (textual file)  
1 photo

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Box 1570	<b>Incoming Correspondence: D - L</b>
Box 1571	<b>Incoming Correspondence: M - R</b>
Box 1572	<b>Incoming Correspondence: S - Z</b>
Box 1573	<b>Outgoing Correspondence: 1911-1918</b>
Box 1574	<b>Outgoing Correspondence: 1919-1941</b>
Box 1575-1576	<b>New Almaden Store Materials</b>
Box 1577	<b>Administration Records</b>
Box 1578	<b>General Accounts</b>
Box 1579	<b>General Accounts - Bank deposits, bank statements</b>
Box 1580	<b>General Accounts-canceled checks</b>
Box 1581	<b>General Accounts - electric schedules, insurance, rent, taxes, telephone</b>
Box 1582	<b>General Accounts - receipts, paid invoices</b>
Box 1583	<b>General Accounts and Production Records - oversize ledgers and pay roll records</b>
Box 1584	<b>Purchase and Receiving Records</b>
Box 1585	<b>Vouchers for Paid Bills: 1916-Jan. 1917</b>
Box 1586	<b>Vouchers for Paid Bills: Feb.-Mar. 1917</b>
Box 1587	<b>Vouchers for Paid Bills: April 1917</b>
Box 1588	<b>Vouchers for Paid Bills: May-June 1917</b>
Box 1589	<b>Vouchers for Paid Bills: July-Dec. 1917</b>
Box 1590	<b>Vouchers for Paid Bills: Jan.-June 1918</b>
Box 1591	<b>Vouchers for Paid Bills: July-Dec. 1918</b>
Box 1592	<b>Vouchers for Paid Bills: Jan.-Mar. 1919</b>
Box 1593	<b>Vouchers for Paid Bills: Apr.-Dec. 1919</b>
Box 1594	<b>Vouchers for Paid Bills: Jan.-July 1920</b>
Box 1595	<b>Vouchers for Paid Bills: Aug.-Dec. 1920</b>
Box 1596	<b>Vouchers for Paid Bills: 1921</b>
Box 1597	<b>Vouchers for Paid Bills: 1922</b>
Box 1598	<b>Vouchers for Paid Bills: 1923</b>
Box 1599	<b>Vouchers for Paid Bills: 1924-1928</b>
Box 1600	<b>Vouchers for Paid Bills: (store) 1917-1918</b>
Box 1601	<b>Vouchers for Paid Bills: (store) 1919</b>
Box 1602	<b>Vouchers for Paid Bills: (store) 1920-1922</b>
Box 1603	<b>Production Records</b>
Box 1604	<b>Legal Materials</b>
Box 1605	<b>Legal Materials</b>
Box 1606	<b>Various lists, advertisements, equipment specifications, etc.</b>