Descriptive Summary
Title: Imperial Valley Records, Water Resources Collection
creator: Imperial Valley.
Dates: 1900-1973
Abstract: The Imperial Valley Records contains documents from the Imperial Irrigation District, All-American Canal, and Imperial Water Company. In addition, the collection contains Charles N. Perry’s, an engineer from the Imperial Valley, papers. Finally, there are reports, maps, and articles about the Imperial Valley and Baja California, Mexico from 1900-1973.
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Scope and Contents of the Collection
This collection contains materials from the Imperial Irrigation District, the Imperial Irrigation Company, the Imperial Water Company, the papers of hydraulic engineer Charles N. Perry, as well as reports and articles about Imperial Valley water rights and water supply.
Series Arrangement
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Subseries 1.3 Imperial Water Company
Series 2 Charles N. Perry
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Subject Headings
The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection
Perry, Charles N.
Imperial Irrigation District (Calif.)
Water use--Imperial Valley
Water rights--Imperial Valley
Western Americana, 1900-2000
California
Imperial Valley (Calif. and Mexico)
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- Hydrograph of Salton Sea, 1914-1933
- Motor Map of Imperial Valley, 1930
- Epic of the Imperial Valley' an address by United States Senator Hiram W. Johnson of California, 1925
- Imperial Irrigation District " California vs. Arizona" by M. J. Dowd, 1916
- Imperial Irrigation District Table Showing Average Irrigated land. .. .", 1916
- Imperial Irrigation District--Correspondence, 1920
- Imperial Irrigation District RE: Future Levee Policy, 1920
- Imperial Irrigation District Pamphlets on water use, 1910-1929
- Imperial Irrigation District Warrant Retirement Plan, 1934
- Imperial Irrigation District Water Problems, Irrigation, 1915
- Imperial Irrigation District Comparative Data of Water for year 1919, 1919
- Imperial Irrigation District letters and publications
- Imperial Irrigation District "Information Letter", [Pamphlet] 1926
- Imperial Irrigation District "Information", [Pamphlet] 1926
- Imperial Irrigation District Comparative Financial Data for 1933-1934 and 1935, 1933-1935
- Imperial Irrigation District Advertisement on El Centro, Calif., 1916
- Imperial Irrigation District Report no 1 and no. 4, 1917 and 1921, 1917-1921
- Imperial Irrigation District Comparative Financial Data for 1933-1934 and 1935, 1933-1935
- Imperial Water Co., 1914-1933
- Imperial Water Co. "40 Acres for $50 in Imperial Water Co. No. 8"
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- All-American Canal Financing
- All-American Canal Financing
- "Boulder Dam-All-American Canal" [ Pamphlet]
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- El Centro, Calif. Water Projects, 1900-1929
- Article and map, Imperial Valley, 1900-1929
- Printed Newspaper items on Imperial Valley, 1900-1929
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- El Centro Progress, Imperial Valley, California--San Diego and Arizona Railway Edition, 1919
- Colorado River Land Co. vs. La Sociedad de Irrigation y Terrenos de La Baja California
- Newspaper Article about Imperial Valley
- Committee on Irrigation of and Lands, House of Representatives, 1919
box 3, folder 3  Congressional Record “the Boulder Canyon Bill and the Filibuster Against the Colorado River Development, 1927
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