
Guide to the Imperial Valley Records, Water Resources Collection

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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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Accruals

No additions to the collection is anticipated.

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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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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