Seeley Townsite Company records

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Abstract: This collection consists of records related to the Seeley Townsite Land Company.
Language of Material: The records are in English.
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Acquisition Information
Gift from Mr. and Mrs. A. Valentine, 1983 and 1984.
Biography
The Seeley Townsite Land Company was a land corporation located in the city of El Centro, in Imperial County, California. The directors and stockholders were W.F. Holt, founder of the city of Holtville in 1903, A.M. Seeley, R.R. Crabtree, W.G. Conley, and A.R. Ferguson.
Scope and Content
The Seeley Townsite Land Company records contain a certificate of incorporation, correspondence, financial records, invoices, receipts, newspaper clippings, photographs, plat maps, proxies, and stock certificates. There are also two volumes, bylaws and a minute book. There is also a manuscript, Immediate Step Toward Christian Union with no author.
Box 2 contains agreements, deeds, grants, leases, correspondence, promissory notes, and other records related to Seeley Townsite Land Company. These items were donated a year after the first gift in 1983.
Corporate Names
Seeley Townsite Company
Subjects
Real property--Imperial Valley (Calif. and Mexico)
Geographic Areas
California--Religious life and customs
El Centro (Calif.)
Imperial Valley (Calif. and Mexico)
Genre
Bylaws--United States--20th century
Financial records--United States--20th century
Letters (correspondence)--United States--20th century
Box 1
Folder 1  Bylaws (administrative records) [undated]
          1 item

Folder 2  Certificates of incorporation (1927, Apr.)
          1 item

Folder 3  Correspondence (1918-1919)
          8 items

Folder 4  Financial records (1912-1913)
          5 items

Folder 5  Financial records (1914-1916)
          11 items

Folder 6  Financial records (1917-1919)
          7 items

Folder 7  Financial records [undated]
          8 items

Folder 8  Invoices and receipts (1912-1919)
          8 items

Folder 9  Minute books (1912-1918)
          1 volume

Folder 10 Miscellaneous ephemera (1912-1919)
          3 items

Folder 11 Newspaper clippings (1944)
          3 items

Folder 12 Photographs [undated]
          3 items

Folder 13 Plats (maps) [undated]
          3 items

Folder 14 Proxies (1913)
          3 items

Folder 15 Stock certificates (1912-1917)
          8 items

Folder 16 ----- Immediate Steps Toward Christian Union: [manuscript] [undated]
          7 pages
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