Stanley S. Siegfus papers, 1918-1972

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Abstract: The Stanley S. Siegfus papers consist of mining material related to Central California in the 20th century.

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Biography
Stanley S. Siegfus (1901-1986) was born in Salt Lake City, Utah. He was a mining consultant, geologist, and engineer. He worked for companies such as Shell Oil Company, Kettleman North Dome Association, Western States Gasoline Company, and Socony-Vacuum Oil Company.
He was married to Alice Elizabeth Rae.

Scope and Content
This collection documents the career of Stanley S. Siegfus from his early days at Elmer Oil Company in 1929 and later career at Socony-Vacuum Oil Company in 1939. The bulk of the collection consists of printed maps and diagrams related to mining and drilling in Central California. Maps and diagrams are also found in the subject files, which include, but not limited to correspondence, logs, memos, notes, notices, and photographs.
The bulk of the correspondence are faint carbon copies from Siegfus to a person named, “Mac”. These letters span from 1934 through 1939. Mac appears to be a colleague working in the same field as Siegfus.
Note: The specific subject of a folder, when provided by Siegfus’ original folder description, is provided.

Arrangement
Arranged by genre.

Personal Names
Siegfus, Stanley S., 1901-1986

Corporate Names
Shell Oil Company
Socony-Vacuum Oil Company

Subjects
Geologists -- California
Mines and mineral resources -- California
Mining engineers -- California
Petroleum -- California

Geographic Areas
Fresno County (Calif.)
Kern County (Calif.)
Kings County (Calif.)

Genre
Diagrams
Letters (correspondence)
Maps (documents)

Box 1
Folder 1  Agreements - Correspondence
Agreements -- Jacob Thomas, (1936, Apr.)
Relating to Mt. Diablo Meridian

Folder 2  Application forms -- Oil Umpire for Central Committee of California Oil Producers and California Department of Natural Resources, (1933)
Blank. Included: California Laws for Conservation of Petroleum and Gas

Folder 3  Bulletins -- California. Department of Natural Resources. Geologic Formations and Economic Development of the Oil and Gas Fields of California. Part Two Geology of California and the Occurrence of Oil and Gas, (1941, Aug.)
Bulletin No. 118

Folder 4  Correspondence -- American Association of Petroleum Geologists, (1938-1950)

Folder 5  Correspondence -- Associated Oil Company, (1932-1938)
C.C. Church and G.D. Hanna

Folder 6  Correspondence -- Geological Survey (U.S.), (1933-1938)

Folder 7  Correspondence -- Hendershot, N.W. to Stanley S. Siegfus, [undated]
Relating to SOCo No. 46-19-V

Folder 8  Correspondence -- J. Paul Getty Trust, (1963)
Relating to checking account

Folder 9  Correspondence -- Los Angeles Defense Rental Area. Office of Price Administration, (1946)
Relating to Stanley S. Siegfus eviction

Folder 10  Correspondence -- Luke, G.L. to Stanley S. Siegfus, (1921, Sep. 8)
Relating to University of Idaho

Folder 11  Correspondence -- McAdams Oil Company, (1934-1937)
Included: Notes
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Folder 12  Correspondence -- Roper, William N., (1942)

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Folder 7  Financial records -- Expenses, (1934-1939)

Folder 8  Financial records -- [Miscellaneous], (1938-1939)

Folder 9  Maps -- Belgian Anticline Field, (1953-1962)

Box 3  Maps - Reports
Folder 1  Maps -- [Leases], (1934)

Folder 2  Maps -- McKittrick-Temblor Range District, (1941)

Folder 3  Maps -- [Miscellaneous], (1934-1972)

Folder 4  Maps -- [Miscellaneous], (1934-1972)

Folder 5  Maps -- Professional Paper III, (1918)

Folder 6  Maps -- San Clemente (Calif.), [undated]

Folder 7  Photographs -- [Potential oil field?], [undated]

Folder 8  Reports -- California. Division of Mines. Geology of the Orchard Peak Area, (1960)

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  Company; Richfield Oil Company: Paleontological Report on Cores from Schrook No. 1;
  well logs; and Geological Report Kreyenhagen - Reef Ridge Area

Folder 4  Subject files -- Kreyenhagen Shallow, (1936-1938)
  Primarily correspondence

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  Included: Core Records, leased to Taft Well Drilling Company

Folder 6  Subject files -- Lake View Oil and Refining Company, (1938)

Folder 7  Subject files -- Marland Oil Company, (1937-1938)

Folder 8  Subject files -- [Miscellaneous], (1936-1937)
  Modern Methods of Formation and Cement Testing as Employed in California; Johnston
  Formation Testing Corporation, Ltd. Schedule of Prices; Return Receipt; Wells Drilled in
  1953 in California by Pacific Western Oil Company; and the front page of Bakersfield
  Californian, Friday, May 21, 1937

Folder 9  Subject files -- Ohio Oil Company, (1930-1941)
  Core record of oil or gas well and log of oil or gas well

Folder 10 Subject files -- Pan American Petroleum Company, (1939)
  Included: Milburn Trust Well #1

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  no. 14; correspondence; and notes

Folder 12 Subject files -- Richfield Oil Company, (1944)

Folder 13 Subject files -- Seaboard Oil Company, (1938-1939)
  Included: Material related to Ray Lobre, Plaintiff vs. Harry C. Clements, Stanley Siegfus
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          Intention to Abandon Well; Report on Proposed Operations

Folder 7  Subject files -- Tremblor Hills Area / Tremblor Range Area, (1963-1965)
          Maps, notes, and United States. Department of the Interior. Offer to Lease and Lease for
          Oil and Gas

Folder 8  Subject files -- Union Oil Company of California, (1937-1940)
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Folder 9  Subject files -- Water wells, (1935-1937)

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          Leases; Oils Incorporated of California; and notes

Folder 12 Subject files -- [Untitled], [undated]
          Reese Canyon; Canoas Creek; Reef Ridge; a photograph; Section B-B’; Section C-C’; and
          Section G-G’

Folder 13 Tables (documents) -- United States. Department of the Interior. Tables for
          Computing Oil Royalties by R.E. Spratt, (1941)
          Under the leasing act of February 25, 1920. As amended by the act of August 21, 1935

Folder 14 Tax records -- Siegfus, Stanley S. and Alice E., (1927-1941)