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Collection Overview

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Descriptive Entry

This accession consists of records documenting the renovation and modernization of geology-related exhibitions at the National Museum of Natural History. The majority of the records document individual units of *Our Restless Earth* in the Physical Geology Hall (Hall 20). Materials include correspondence, memoranda, scripts, specimen images, installation images, floor plans, architectural drawings, diagrams, notes, and related materials.

Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

- Geology
- Museum exhibits
- Natural history museums

Types of Materials:

- Architectural drawings
- Black-and-white photographs
- Black-and-white transparencies
- Color photographs
- Color transparencies

Floor plans
Manuscripts

Names:

National Museum of Natural History (U.S.). Physical Geology Hall
Our Restless Earth (Exhibition) (Washington, D.C.)

Container Listing

Box 1

- Box 1 of 1 Hall 20, Physical Geology, *Our Restless Earth*, Panel and Specimen Photographs, 1976-1984 (2 folders)
- Box 1 of 1 Draft of Text for Mount Saint Helens Slide Show (Current Events Case), 1981
- Box 1 of 1 Hall 20, Physical Geology, Correspondence, 1967-1978
- Box 1 of 1 Photographs of Early Geology Exhibitions
- Box 1 of 1 Exhibition Modernization, 1963-1985
- Box 1 of 1 Hall 20, Unit P-1, Rocks Form in Three Ways, 1973
- Box 1 of 1 Hall 20, Unit P-3 (formerly P-55), Geological Time
- Box 1 of 1 Hall 20, Unit P-4, Making Rocks and Minerals in the Laboratory, 1968
- Box 1 of 1 Hall 20, Unit P-5, Gold Ore, 1971
- Box 1 of 1 Hall 20, Unit P-6, Rock of Ages Quarry, 1971
- Box 1 of 1 Hall 20, Unit P-7, Stone - An Essential Raw Material, 1971
- Box 1 of 1 Hall 20, Unit P-8, Ancient Man's Use of Stone, 1971-1989
- Box 1 of 1 Hall 20, Unit P-10, Michigan Copper, 1971
- Box 1 of 1 Hall 20, Unit P-11, Gold, 1971
- Box 1 of 1 Hall 20, Unit P-12, Silver and Platinum, 1971
- Box 1 of 1 Hall 20, Unit P-13, Iron, 1971
- Box 1 of 1 Hall 20, Unit P-14, The Richest Hill on Earth (Butte, Montana), 1971
- Box 1 of 1 Hall 20, Unit P-18, Atomic Energy Raw Materials, 1971
- Box 1 of 1 Hall 20, Unit P-19, Metamorphic Rocks, 1973

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Box 1 of 1	Hall 20, Unit P-22, Geode, 1971
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Box 1 of 1	Hall 20, Unit P-42, Evaporation, 1971
Box 1 of 1	Hall 20, Unit P-43, Lead and Zinc, 1971
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Box 1 of 1	Hall 20, Unit P-45, Specimens of Igneous and Related Rocks, 1971
Box 1 of 1	Hall 20, Unit P-46, Identification of Eight Common Rocks, 1966-1971
Box 1 of 1	Hall 20, Unit P-47, Fragments of the Earth's Interior, 1968-1971
Box 1 of 1	Hall 20, Unit P-48, Giant Crystals, 1970
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Box 1 of 1	Hall 20, Unit P-51 (formerly P-42), Introduction to Igneous Rocks, 1966

Box 1 of 1	Hall 20, Unit P-52, Volcanoes
Box 1 of 1	Hall 20, Unit P-54, Globe, 1964-1971
Box 1 of 1	Hall 20, Unit P-56, The Rock Cycle, 1966
Box 1 of 1	Hall 20, Unit P-57 (formerly P-58), Materials of the Earth's Crust
Box 1 of 1	Hall 20, Unit P-58, Geology - The Science of the Earth, 1967
Box 1 of 1	Hall 20, Unit P-59, Geyser Cone