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Collection Overview

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Descriptive Entry

This collection consists of accession catalogs maintained by the Department of Geology, 1900-1910, and by the Division of Mineralogy of the Department of Geology (prior to 1897, the Department of Minerals), 1894-1910; catalogs, specimen lists, and an alphabetic index of the Frederick A. Canfield Mineral Collection which was bequeathed to the United States National Museum in 1926; and outgoing correspondence concerning the Petrographic Reference Collection of the Department of Geology, 1896-1906.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

Geology
Mineralogy

Types of Materials:

Manuscripts

Names:

Frederick A. Canfield Mineral Collection

Petrographic Reference Collection

United States National Museum. Department of Geology

United States National Museum. Division of Mineralogy and Petrology

Container Listing

Box 1

- Box 1 of 2 Folder 1 Department of Geology. Accession Catalogue, August 1900-June 1910.
- Box 1 of 2 Folder 2 Department of Geology, Division of Minerals (prior to 1897, the Department of Minerals). Accession Catalogue, February 1894-June 1901.
- Box 1 of 2 Folder 3 Department of Geology, Division of Mineralogy. Accession Catalogue, July 1901-July 1910.
- Box 1 of 2 Folders 4-5 Catalogue of the Frederick A. Canfield Collection, undated, specimens nos. 1-7394.
- Box 1 of 2 Folder 6 Alphabetic index to specimens in the Frederick A. Canfield collection, undated.
- Box 1 of 2 Folder 7 Frederick A. Canfield Collection. Miscellaneous specimen lists, undated.

Box 2

- Box 2 of 2 Folder 1 Department of Geology. Outgoing correspondence concerning the Petrographic Reference Collection, 1896-1906.