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CALL NUMBER: WA MSS S-259

CREATOR: Hill, Thomas R.

TITLE: Thomas R. Hill papers

DATES: 1898-1900

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: 0.5 linear feet (1 box)

LANGUAGE: English

SUMMARY: The papers consist of correspondence between Thomas R. Hill, Jennie M. Hill, Angelo Heilprin, and others, Thomas Hill's journal and drawings of gold mining in Alaska, and papers of the Philadelphia Exploration and Mining Company, which organized to mine in Alaska.

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f. folder

Administrative Information

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Unspecified; please consult the appropriate curator.

Conditions Governing Access

The materials are open for research.

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Preferred Citation

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CORRESPONDENCE

The correspondence is arranged alphabetically by author.

b. 1, f. 1	Barstow, Lorene. ALS to Thomas R. Hill. Philadelphia?	1898 Apr 20
b. 1, f. 1	Beaman, George Bunham. ALS to Thomas R. Hill. Philadelphia?	1898 Apr 16
b. 1, f. 1	Beaman, Polly. ALS to Jennie Hill. Philadelphia?	1898 Apr 16
b. 1, f. 1	Blakiston, Mary. ALS to Thomas R. Hill. Philadelphia	1898 Apr 7
	Heilprin, Angelo	
b. 1, f. 1	ALS to Mrs. Thomas R. Hill. Philadelphia	1898 Apr 6
b. 1, f. 1	10 ALS to Thomas R. Hill. Philadelphia 1898 Apr 7, 20, 24, 27(2), 28(2), 29, 30, May 9.	1898 Apr-May
	Hill, Jennie M.	
b. 1, f. 1	ALS to Angelo Heilprin. West Creek	[1899?] Aug 12
b. 1, f. 1	ALS to Thomas R. Hill. Philadelphia	1900 Jun 29
	Hill, Thomas R.	
b. 1, f. 1	ALS to "Dear John." Tenana, Alaska	1900 Jul 20
b. 1, f. 1	ALS to Jennie Hill. Tanana, Alaska	1900 Jul 2

DIARIES AND JOURNALS

b. 1, f. 2	Notebook containing pencil sketches of Alaska scenery and notes on Alaska geology	n.d.
b. 1, f. 3	Sketch of his Alaska experiences Partly narrative, partly journal form. With: Miscellaneous unsorted papers, including newspaper clippings and a typed receipt for bank books, safe deposit keys, insurance commissions, etc.	1898 May-Oct
b. 1, f. 4	Journal In bound Excelsior journal. Entries for many dates omitted.	1899 Apr-Nov

MISCELLANEOUS PAPERS

b. 1, f. 5	Philadelphia exploration and mining company. Miscellaneous unsorted papers, inc.: [1898?] Lists of supplies, notices to stockholders, etc. Includes: Instructions to the leader of the expeditionary party ... [Philadelphia? 1898?]. Typescript. With this is bound "Exploration memorandum", Nos. 2-4. Also includes: Exploration Memorandum No. 2-4. Philadelphia, 1898. Typescript, part carbon.	
b. 1, f. 6	Miscellaneous maps	n.d.

Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

Subjects

Gold mines and mining -- Alaska
Mines and mineral resources -- Alaska

Geographic Names

Alaska -- Gold discoveries
Alaska -- Pictorial works

Genres / Formats

Diaries -- United States
Drawings -- Pennsylvania

Occupations

Gold miners -- Alaska

Names

Heilprin, Angelo, 1853-1907
Hill, Jennie M.
Hill, Thomas R.

Corporate Body

Philadelphia Exploration and Mining Company