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TITLE: Grubstakers, Inc. Collection

COLLECTION NUMBER: B2019.011

OVERVIEW OF THE COLLECTION

Dates: 1956?

Extent: 20 items

Language and Scripts: The collection is in English.

Name of creator(s): unknown

Administrative/Biographical History:

According to the Territory of Alaska Department of Mines *Report of the Commissioner of Mines for the biennium ended December 31, 1956*, "an Anchorage group known as Grubstakers, Inc., staked the Canyon Creek molybdenum prospect in the Nizina District which has been abandoned for many years. They hope to interest a mining company in the property." (p. 32)

Scope and Content Description:

The collection consists of 19 black-and-white 8" x 10" photographs and one map showing the area of the prospect and proposed facilities and townsite. For more information, see Detailed Description of Collection.

Arrangement: Original order maintained.

CONDITIONS GOVERNING ACCESS AND USE

Restrictions on Access: The collection is open for research use.

Physical Access: Original items in good condition.

Technical Access: No special equipment is needed to access the materials.

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ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Acquisition and Appraisal Information

Transferred from the Anchorage Public Library Alaska Collection in July 2019.

Notes

The photograph originally numbered as "18" was not received at the time of transfer.

Map removed to map case.

SUBJECTS

Molybdenum mines and mining—Alaska

Detailed Description of the Collection

- .1 – 1. [rock face]
- .2 – 2. [rock face]
- .3 – 3. [rock face]
- .4 – 4. [rock face, tent in foreground]
- .5 – 5. North end of vein [rock face, tent in foreground]
- .6 – 6. North end of vein [rock face, survey equipment in foreground]
- .7 – 7. [rock face]
- .8 – 9. [rock face]
- .9 – 10. [rock face, glacier in foreground]
- .10 – 11. Malachita stain [rock face]
- .11 – 12. [rock face]

- .12 – 13. [rock face]
- .13 – 14. [rock face]
- .14 – 15. South end of vein [rock face]
- .15 – 16. [rock face]
- .16 – 17. [rock face]
- .17 – 18. [view down glacier]
- .18 – 19. [view across glacier, tent in distance]
- .19 – [two men posed with survey equipment in mountains]

Map: McCarthy, Alaska / mapped by the Geological Society and the International Boundary Commission ; edited and published by the Geological Survey. [Reston, Va.?] : The Survey ; Denver, Colo. ; Washington, D.C. : For sale by the Survey, 1951. Manuscript notations showing Canyon Creek Molybdenum Prospect, proposed tunnel, possible mill site, possible access road, possible airport and townsite.

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