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PC 155 Wister, Owen, 1860-1938 Southeastern Arizona photographs, ca. 1893-1894

DESCRIPTION

Photographs of Jim Hancock Ranch, Fort Bowie, San Carlos and Fort Grant, in 1893 and 1894. Includes several images of a fire at the Fort Bowie post canteen and soldiers passing water buckets to extinguish the fire. Other photographs include the Bowie stage station, Fort Bowie, DeLong's store, musicians, Troop I 1st Cavalry at Fort Grant and a distant view of a scout inspection, cowboys playing cards, and Apache Indians at San Carlos on issue day. There is one image of a re-enactment at the site of the Wham Paymaster Robbery.

1 box, .25 linear ft.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Writer of western fiction, famous as author of the <u>Virginian</u>; Owen Wister visited Arizona several times.

ACQUISITION

Donated by Frances Wister Stokes in December 1968.

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PROCESSING

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