DESCRIPTION

Photographs and a photograph album relating to the Lawhon family, their Hyl Ranch, and Fort Bowie. There are photographs of family and friends, cowboys, women ranchers, and ranch scenes. Fort Bowie images include the officers’ quarters and powder house. There are also images of cowboys from the Hlh outfit of San Simon, a cattle drive, stockyards, an underground pig roast, and the corral at Hyl Ranch. Friends and family include the Riggs family, Schaeffer family, O.T. Smith, Wiley Pearce, and the Woods family.

2 boxes, 1.5 linear ft.

HISTORICAL NOTE

Josie Lawhon Moseley was the sister of Anna Lawhon who owned these photographs. Anna and Joe Lawhon owned the HYL Ranch, twelve miles south of Bowie, Arizona, from 1897 until 1956. Anna Schaeffer Lawhon was born in 1874 and arrived in southeastern Arizona in 1879; she and Joe Lawhon homesteaded a part of the old Fort Bowie.

RELATED MATERIAL

Anna Lawhon papers, MS 1116.

ACQUISITION


ACCESS

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PROCESSING

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