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Williams, Henry Ernest
Davis Dam photographs, 1946-1950

DESCRIPTION

Approximately 1200 technical photographs documenting the construction of Davis Dam on almost a weekly basis between 1946 and 1950. These show aerial and ground level views of the construction site, heavy machinery, vehicles, and the progress of construction. Also present is one photograph of Henry Williams in his office; a few images of U.S. Bureau of Reclamation Personnel; two images of Tucson visitors to the project including Nelson Bledsoe and Albert Buehman; and a 1946 Christmas party.

9 boxes, 14 linear ft.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Project engineer for the construction of Davis Dam on the Colorado River between Nevada and Arizona.

ACQUISITION

Richard Williams donated this material on June 22, 1981.

ACCESS

There are no restrictions on access to this collection.

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PROCESSING

Kim Frontz prepared this finding aid in June 2002. The photographs were originally in notebooks but were removed for preservation reasons and were kept in the original order.