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**Tucson Rifle Club Records**  
**1909 - 1922**

## **DESCRIPTION**

This small collection consists of two small ledgers with records of the Tucson Rifle Club between 1909 and 1922. One ledger contains the printed by-laws for the organization as it was commenced in 1909. In addition to the by-laws there is a listing of charter members. The second ledger contains the treasurer's financial records for the organization consisting of member dues and expenses between 1916 and 1922. Besides financial records this ledger also includes a listing of high school rifle clubs in existence in 1920, a personnel listing for the 1920 marksmanship competition at Camp Perry, and a listing of other rifle clubs in various Arizona communities for 1919. Club member dues are recorded from 1913 to 1916.

1 Box, .25 linear ft.

## **HISTORICAL NOTE**

The Tucson Rifle Club was organized and conducted its first meeting on May 4, 1909. Officers were elected and members identified. The organization's purpose was to encourage proficiency in members for both rifle and pistol marksmanship. It appears the organization was still in existence into the 1920s and later was reactivated in the 1950s. During the 1910s and 20s the Club participated in various marksmanship competitions and maintained a close association with Company K, Arizona National Guard.

## **RELATED NOTE**

See Ephemera File: Places-Arizona-Tucson-Organizations-Tucson Rifle Club

## **ACQUISITION**

Unknown

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## **PROCESSING**

The collection was previously processed and reviewed by Dave Tackenberg in April 2010.