

THOMAS MADDOCK COLLECTION-MSS 13

Biographical Note

Born in Roanoke, Va. in 1883, Thomas Maddock first came to Arizona in 1898 from Newcastle, Pa. A Republican from Coconino County, he was elected to the first Arizona Legislature and later served as Secretary and State Chairman of the Arizona Republican Party. He served as Arizona State Highway Engineer from 1917-1922, and was a member of the Colorado River Commission from 1923 to 1928. He also served as an engineer and general manager of the Gila Valley Irrigation District at Safford from 1939 until his retirement in 1967. Thomas Maddock died in Phoenix in 1971.

Scope and Content Note

The collection consists of 22 boxes of correspondence, documents, articles, publications, diaries and newspaper clippings concerning the Colorado River Controversy, Gila River Irrigation District, San Carlos Irrigation District, politics and his engineering career. Approximately 800 books from the Maddock Collection are catalogued separately.

Boxes 16-22 were added to the collection from a donation of papers by Edith Maddock Clark, Thomas Maddock's sister. Boxes 16-22 consist entirely of materials dealing with the Central Arizona Project (CAP) and include newsclippings, publications, and government documents dealing with the subject.

DESCRIPTION

Box 1 Personal

- Folder 1 Personal file 1969, 1971
- Folder 2 World War I Records. Letters to Children.
- Folder 3 Thomas Maddock, Jr. and Frank Maddock (sons)
- Folder 4 Organizations and clubs: American Legion, Rotary, Elks, Shriners.
- Folder 5 Correspondence, letters of commendation, 1902-1968
- Folder 6 Correspondence, engineering records.
- Folder 7 Income Tax Records: Federal and State.
- Folder 8 Speeches, rough drafts and notes

Box 2 Colorado River Controversy

- Folder 1 Correspondence - General 1926 - 1935; John F. Stevens, consulting engineer 1928-1929.

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- Folder 2 Correspondence - Senator Hayden, 1923 - 1967.
- Folder 3 General, 1944-1966.
- Folder 4 Correspondence - Frank & Blake Brophy, 1963; H. W. Crozier, 1927-1931; Northcutt Ely, 1946-1962; Barry Goldwater, 1953-1966; Sidney Kartus, 1955.
- Folder 5 Correspondence - Charles E. Corker, 1957 - 1960; Rifkind Report, 1958 - 1965; Railroad to Page Dam, 1956; Glen Canyon Dam, 1961.

Box 3 Colorado River Controversy

- Folder 1 Colorado River Controversy correspondence, editorial clippings. John K. Akers, ed.; Arizona Builder and Contractor. 1944 - 1948.
- Folder 2 Correspondence - Major W. W. Midgley, 1946-1949
- Folder 3 Correspondence - Paul V. Richards, Holbrook Tribune, 1947 - 1964.
- Folder 4 Correspondence - G. E. Smith 1945 - 1960.
- Folder 5 Published articles, editorials of Maddock's.
- Folder 6 Editorials, speeches, notes. 1947 - 1965.
- Folder 7 Miscellaneous papers, reports.

Box 4 Colorado River Controversy

- Folder 1 Central Arizona Project. Mexico - U.S. Treaty. 1942 - 1945
- Folder 2 Central Arizona project. Hayden Papers.
- Folder 3 Central Arizona project. Correspondence. 1943.
- Folder 4 Central Arizona project. Misc. articles, congressional records. 1950 - 1966.
- Folder 5 Central Arizona project. Arguments on Public Power
- Folder 6 Colorado River Board of California. Correspondence 1964 - 1966.

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- Folder 1 Jacobsen, Bernard F. Biographical file. 1927-1951.
- Folder 2 Jacobsen - Maddock correspondence. 1927-1946.
- Folder 3 Jacobsen - Maddock correspondence. Senator Hayden, Flood Control. 1958-1959.
- Folder 4 Jacobsen, Bernard F. reports, Navajo Bridge Dam, Boulder Dam, Gila River Flood Control. 1959.
- Folder 5 Water Power possibilities on Little Colorado River.

BOX 6 Gila Valley Irrigation District

- Folder 1 Correspondence, minutes, papers. 1939-1944.
- Folder 1a Correspondence, minutes, papers. 1941-1943.
- Folder 1b Correspondence, minutes, papers. 1951-1955.
- Folder 1c Correspondence, minutes, papers. 1957-1959.

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- Folder 1d Correspondence, minutes, papers. 1960-1967.
- Folder 2 Canal Companies. Legal papers. 1905-1945.
- Folder 3 San Carlos Irrigation and Gila Valley Irrigation District. 1930-1945.
- Folder 4 New Mexico, U.S. vs. Gila Valley Irrigation District. 1939-1941.
- Folder 5 Phelps Dodge Corporation, agreements, 1943-1954.
- Folder 6 Gila River Water and Greenlee County. Decree. April 27, 1936.
- Folder 7 Miscellaneous papers, bills, agreements, maps, clippings. 1916-1964.
- Folder 8 Arizona State Highway Commission. Bylas Bridge. 1956-1960.

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- Folder 1 San Carlos Irrigation and Drainage District. Correspondence. 1940-1963.
- Folder 2 Safford Water Conservation District. Suit: Gila Valley Irrigation District vs. Town of Safford. 1948-1956.
- Folder 3 Safford Valley. Maps, geological notes, specifications.
- Folder 4 Safford Valley. Reports, statistics, miscellaneous. 1964.
- Folder 5 Colorado River Commission. Correspondence, reports. 1928-1942.

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- Folder 1 Ground Water. Correspondence, Supreme Court Decision, 1951-1953.
- Folder 2 Ground water codes. Senate-House bills, drafts, comments. 1946-1951.
- Folder 3 Water Users' Association. Salt River Valley, Salt River Project.
- Folder 4 Water Users' Association. Verde River Irrigation and Power Dist. 1933
- Folder 5 Water Users' Association Yuma Project. Welton Mohawk. 1918-1965.
- Folder 6 Reclamation-Arizona report. Correspondence. 1946-1956.

Box 9 Politics

- Folder 1 State and National: Republican
- Folder 2 Bricker Amendment, United Nations. Correspondence and Clippings. 1952.
- Folder 3 Correspondence and miscellaneous papers: Jack Williams, Henry Jackson, Al Harter, Senator Knowland. 1947-1955.
- Folder 4 Correspondence. Columbus Giragi, Colorado River.
- Folder 5 State and National: Correspondence and papers.
- Folder 6 Correspondence: Senator Goldwater re. Colorado River Controversy

Box 10 Engineering

- Folder 1 U.S. Army Engineers. 1946.
- Folder 2 U.S. Geological Survey. 1934-1957.
- Folder 3 U.S. Soil Conservation, Flood Control.
- Folder 4 Arizona State Engineer. General Orders. 1921

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- Folder 5 Soil Conservation: salt cedar, sedimentation. Clippings.
- Folder 6 Phreatophytes: publications, symposium.

Box 11 Maddocks's Engineering notebooks.

Box 12 Diaries

- Folder 1 1902-1905
- Folder 2 1906-1909
- Folder 3 1910-1914
- Folder 4 1915-1920
- Folder 5 1921-1929
- Folder 6 1930-1937
- Folder 7 1942-1945

Box 13 Diaries

- Folder 1 1946-1949
- Folder 2 1950-1952
- Folder 3 1953-1956
- Folder 4 1957-1960
- Folder 5 1961-1966

Box 14 Newspaper Clippings (Colorado River)

- Packet 1 Colorado River Project. 1950-1960
- Packet 2 Articles in Holbrook Tribune. 1950's - 1960's.
- Packet 3 Colorado River Compact. 1950's — 1960's.
- Packet 4 Colorado River Contract. 1944.
- Packet 5 Colorado River Suit. Judge S. Rifkind Report. 1950's-1960's.
- Packet 6 Pen Avery Articles 1960.
- Packet 7 Colorado River Project. 1960's.
- Packet 8 Graham County Guardian July 1962.

Box 15 Newspaper Clippings (Colorado River Controversy)

- Packet 1 Gila River Project. Buttes Dam. 1956
- Packet 2 California Water Controversy. Arizona Republic. 1963

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Box 16 Central Arizona Project (CAP)

Folder 1 Correspondence. 1928-1965.
Folder 2 Documents-Federal. 1927-1928.
Folder 3 Documents-General. 1948-1961.
Folder 4 Documents-State. 1927-1971.
Folder 5 Maps. N.D.
Folder 6 Newsclippings. 1917-1938.
Folder 7 Newsclippings. 1939-1940.
Folder 8 Newsclippings. 1941-1943.
Folder 9 Newsclippings. 1944.

Box 17 Central Arizona Project (CAP)

Folder 1 Newsclippings. 1947. Jan.-June. (1 of 3)
Folder 2 Newsclippings. 1947. July-Aug. (2 of 3)
Folder 3 Newsclippings. 1947. Sept.-Dec. (3 of 3)
Folder 4 Newsclippings. 1948. Jan.-June (1 of 2)

Box 18 Central Arizona Project (CAP)

Folder 1 Newsclippings. 1948. July-Dec. (2 of 2)
Folder 2 Newsclippings. 1949. Jan.-March. (1 of 2)
Folder 3 Newsclippings. 1949. April-Dec. (2 of 2)
Folder 4 Newsclippings. 1950.

Box 19 Central Arizona Project (CAP)

Folder 1 Newsclippings. 1951. Jan.-April (1 of 2)
Folder 2 Newsclippings. 1951. May-Dec. (2 of 2)
Folder 3 Newsclippings. 1952. Jan.-March (1 of 2)
Folder 4 Newsclippings. 1952. April-Dec. (2 of 2)
Folder 5 Newsclippings. 1953.

Box 20 Central Arizona Project (CAP)

Folder 1 Newsclippings. 1954.
Folder 2 Newsclippings. 1955
Folder 3 Newsclippings. 1956
Folder 4 Newsclippings. 1957. Jan.-Aug. (1 of 2)

Box 21 Central Arizona Project (CAP)

- Folder 1 Newsclippings. 1957. Oct.-Dec. (2 of 2)
- Folder 2 Newsclippings. 1958.
- Folder 3 Newsclippings. 1959.
- Folder 4 Newsclippings. 1960.
- Folder 5 Newsclippings. 1961.
- Folder 6 Newsclippings. 1964.

Box 22 Central Arizona Project (CAP)

- Folder 1 Pamphlets. 1946-1961.
- Folder 2 Proceedings of Conference of Governors. 1927.
- Folder 3 Publications. 1923-1941.
- Folder 4 Reports. 1937-1948.
- Folder 5 Speeches. 1925-1928.