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Summary information

Repository: University of British Columbia Library Rare Books and Special

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Title: Skeena Collieries fonds

Reference code: RBSC-ARC-1506

Date: 1910-1911 (date of creation)

Physical description: 1.5 cm of textual records

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Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

The Skeena Collieries, Limited, Company issued prospectuses and underwriting agreements to become incorporated as a company in 1911. It aimed to obtain coal mining licenses over an area of 48,000 acres in British Columbia's Skeena River District from the London & Vancouver Syndicate, Ltd., of London.

Scope and content

The fonds consists of records of the company, including outgoing letters of E.K. Laird, prospectuses, an engineer's report on mining property in the Skeena region of B.C., and a newspaper sheet.

Notes

Title notes

• **Source of title proper**: Title based on the contents of the fonds.

Other notes

• **Publication status**: published

Access points

- Laird, E.K. (subject)
- Business and commerce (subject)
- Mining (subject)
- Minerals (subject)
- British Columbia (place)
- Skeena River (B.C) (place)

Series descriptions

Ref code Title Dates Container Access status RBSC-File - [Regarding Copper River Coal: 1910-1911 ARC-1506-01-01 engineer's report, correspondence, and agreement] RBSC-File - [Correspondence from E.K. Laird] 1911 ARC-1506-01-02 File - [Prospectuses: draft proofs] RBSC-1911 ARC-1506-01-03 File - [Underwriting agreements] RBSC-1911 ARC-1506-01-04 RBSC-File - [Coal in British Columbia: 14 Oct. 1911 ARC-1506-01-05 newspaper sheet]