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ABSTRACT This directory lists by county 135 collections of local history to be found in libraries, museums, historical societies, schools, colleges, and private collections in Colorado. The directory includes only collections available in Colorado which contain bibliographic holdings such as books, newspaper files or clippings, letters, manuscripts, business records, photographs, and oral history. Each entry lists county, city, institution and address, subject areas covered by the collection; forms of material included, size of collection, use policy, and operating hours. The materials are indexed by subject and form for easy reference. (DE)

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PREFACE

Background

A casual conversation at a workshop luncheon started us on this search for collections of Colorado local history. The workshop, held as part of the Colorado Library Association convention in December, 1972, was concerned with methods by which libraries could collect, preserve and disseminate material on local history. Emphasis was on what could be done at the community level to locate and preserve information relevant to that community. With the upcoming Colorado centennial and United States bicentennial celebrations, and consequent increase of interest in local history, many people and groups will begin work on research projects, community histories and historical programs. Libraries should be in a position to help with the preparation of these programs. One conclusion reached at the workshop was that before libraries could logically and efficiently collect historical material, and certainly before they could guide researchers to material existing in other collections, they must first know what work had been done already and what work was ongoing. Without this information, there might be three groups in the same town or three libraries in neighboring communities, bidding for the same material. There was also likely to be much valuable material lying unused in libraries and museums, simply because no one outside the immediate community knew of its existence.

As those at our luncheon table discussed this necessity that information precede cooperation -- and as we two enthusiastically agreed -- Lyle Dorsett of the University of Denver, turned to us and not only supported the need for such information, but suggested that we undertake to locate and compile it.

Thus were we elected.

We were not at all unhappy to be elected, as the project interested us; fortunately, we've become even more interested as we've worked on it. During the past twenty-four months, we've discovered that an interest in history, in origins and old days, is rampant in many people and dormant but easily awakeable in most. We've learned that almost every town in Colorado has material available, whether collected and owned by an individual researcher, a library, a museum, or a local historical society; whether tumbled into a single desk drawer or housed expansively in a three story museum. We've

learned that size of collection and number of staff has no bearing on enthusiasm, that a three-hour-per-week volunteer can be as eager and as knowledgeable as a full time historian-librarian-researcher. We've met some fascinating and well informed people, by mail, by telephone and some in person, who have shared with us and are eager to share with others the results of many years' research. We've heard about early Colorado settlers from their descendants, discovered a collection of programs from Wild West Shows, and were told about some late-nineteenth century clothing preserved and displayed in glass cases. The collection of Wild West Shows' programs is listed in this Directory: Jefferson County, Golden, Buffalo Bill Museum. The owner of the clothing has been put in touch with the Colorado State Historical Society and the stories of pioneers have been fascinating to hear and read.

Procedures

We collected this and other information mainly through the sending of a questionnaire (a copy of which appears in the appendix). This questionnaire was enclosed in the January 1973 issue of the Colorado State Library Newsletter, thus reaching librarians at college, public and special libraries. We later sent a follow-up questionnaire to those communities not responding to the original mailing. Concurrently with the publication of the questionnaire in the State Library Newsletter, the questionnaire was sent to the history departments of Colorado high schools and colleges, to museums and to local historical societies. Other potential sources of information were suggested in the returned questionnaires. We responded to all these suggestions by sending our questionnaire to the people or organizations mentioned. Much information came through notices of our project which we placed in several library and historical publications. American Libraries, History News of the American Association for State and Local History, Journal of American History, Mountain-Plains History Notes and Mountain-Plains Library Association Quarterly, all published information of the project and requested that information be sent to us. From the sizeable response we received to these notices, we feel that all these journals must be carefully read by many people.

The information we received from all these sources was read, reread, wrestled with, collated and finally translated into the form used throughout this Directory. We made no attempt to visit and index each collection ourselves, having

insufficient amounts of time, money and gasoline to do this. Rather, we accepted the information as given by the respondents. If a respondent listed a broad term such as "Colorado History" or "Western History" as the only subject with which his collection deals, this is the only term listed under "subjects" in our entry for the collection. If a questionnaire was returned with a page attached listing many detailed subject headings, these too we have used. We have translated some respondents' terms into our own: e.g., ranching, cattle and livestock are all included under the term "Ranching" but we were unable to expand on what was given. However, working with the written description of the collections has whetted our interest and made us anxious to see the actual collections. Perhaps some day we can see and explore them all. Perhaps some day we can also see and explore the out-of-state collections we located. Although some of these were excellent, they are not included, as we did not locate enough to constitute a representative sample. However, for anyone planning a trip and wishing to include a historical visit: California has a collection at University of California -- Berkeley; Wyoming has a collection at University of Wyoming; New York has the New York Public Library; Illinois has a collection at the University of Northern Illinois; and New Mexico the State archives. So, in whatever direction you travel, you can find an excellent collection of Colorado history. In addition, individuals in many states have an interest in Colorado and its history, including a Kansas woman who is a descendant of a Colorado minister, a man in New York with an extensive collection of Colorado postmarks, and a woman in Arizona who has a sizeable collection on the Walsenburg and Chamberlain families.

Scope: Present and Future

Certain information was not included in this Directory. The out-of-state collections mentioned above are one example. Although we know that there are excellent collections outside the United States, these too have been excluded. Collections which consisted of artifacts only are not listed, as we were interested in a bibliographic compilation. It should be noted too, that information on specific organizations can be found by contacting the organization directly: e.g., the Denver Symphony Orchestra has material on the Symphony, the Denver Water Board on that Board. Although all these organizations are not listed, the possible existence of such collections should be remembered and investigated by the searcher. Also to be remembered and investigated is the possible existence of collections in standard locations: news-

paper offices, county courthouses, schools and churches. Many times the material in smaller collections is also available in larger, more comprehensive collections such as Denver Public Library's Western History and the State Historical Society. These larger collections are not exhaustively indexed in this Directory, for reasons noted earlier, and they may contain material on more subjects than are specifically mentioned.

In the Directory we concentrated on collections available within Colorado, with holdings such as books, newspaper files or clippings, letters, manuscripts, business records, photographs and oral history. Even with this limited concentration, it has proved to be an immense job. A statewide coverage is impossible to do thoroughly, simply because of the size of the area to be covered and the amount of material available. Having realized this, we know that this Directory can be only a beginning, and we hope that its publication will encourage people to expand on it. Perhaps this statewide Directory could be expanded into many county directories. With a smaller area to cover, the compilers of each county directory could visit each collection as we could not, review it and thereby have more consistent, detailed information in each entry. Until such expansion plans are realized, please send information on newly developed collections, as well as on additions to and changes in the collections listed in this Directory, to Carol Joy, Metropolitan State College, Denver, Colorado 80204.

We hope, too, of course, that in addition to being a beginning for more detailed compilations in the future, this Directory will itself be a help now to researchers; and that it will encourage cooperation within and between communities. Most important, we hope that it will awaken a sleeping interest in history in many people, that many people will be encouraged to begin collections in areas where none exists. And we hope that they will begin now, before the documents disintegrate with age, before the buildings are bulldozed for urban renewal, before the letters, the diaries, the photographs are destroyed as useless, and before all those who have stories to tell are gone.

T.A.M.

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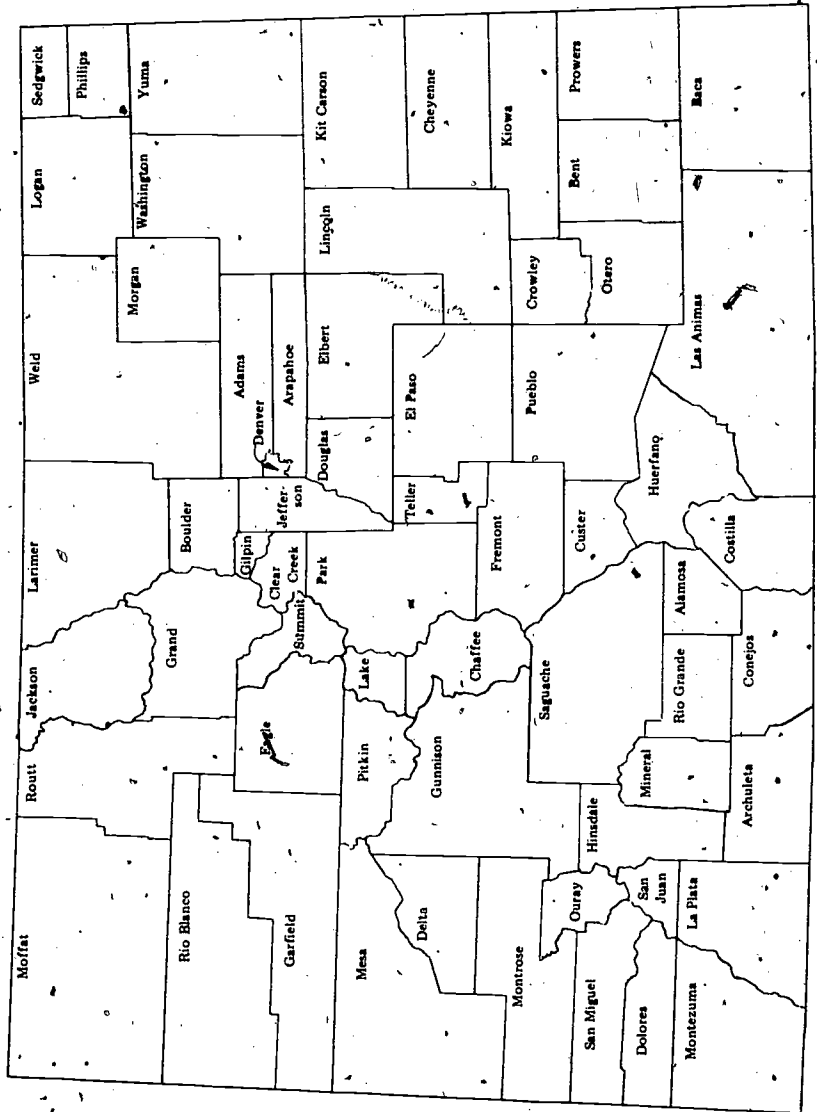
Perhaps an acknowledgments section is not the place for apologies, but we would like to include some. Our apologies to all those who received -- and very often answered -- more than one questionnaire. Occasionally our record keeping slipped up, some collections were listed under two or more names, and some people are responsible for more than one collection. Our apologies to them -- and our thanks as well.

Our thanks go to many others: to the State Library for publishing and distributing our questionnaire through their Newsletter; to the State Historical Society for allowing us to use their list of museums and historical societies; to the many library and historical journals which published our request for material on Colorado local history; to Maxine Benson and Cathy Johnson of the State Historical Society, for unraveling the mysteries of paper grade, type style and proofreaders' marks; to Drs. Peggy Walsh and Stephen J. Leonard of the Metropolitan State College History Department and to Enid Thompson, for advice and support; to Dorothy P. Williams, our cover artist, and to Veda Morris and Dorothy J. Kohn, our typists -- through several revisions.

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COUNTIES OF COLORADO



ADAMS COUNTY

AURORA

- (1) Aurora Historical Commission
Box 627
Aurora, Colorado 80010

Subjects: Aurora, Colorado; historic markers; (time limit:
1890

Forms of Material: Books; business records; clippings;
interviews (taped); letters; photographs.

Size of Collection: Small

Hours: By arrangement.

ALAMOSA COUNTY

ALAMOSA

- (2) Adams State College Library
San Luis, Colorado Room
Alamosa, Colorado 81101
(603) 589-7781

Subjects: Adams State College; community life; ranching;
San Luis Valley; schools

Forms of Material: Books; business records; clippings;
interviews (taped); letters; photographs.

Size of Collection: 85 tapes; plus a collection housed in a
20' by 24' room.

Use Policy: Available to general public under supervision.

Hours: Weekdays except Tuesday:

8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.;

2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday:

8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.;

7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

ARAPAHOE COUNTY

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ENGLEWOOD

- (3) Englewood Public Library
3400 South Elati Street
Englewood, Colorado 80110.
(303) 761-4376

Subject: Englewood, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Books; business records; clippings;
interviews (taped); letters; photographs.

Size of Collection: 40 tapes; approximately 500 photographs;
1,700 volumes.

Use Policy: Open to public.

Hours: Monday - Thursday: 9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Friday - Saturday: 9:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

ENGLEWOOD

- (4) Original School House Museum
Cherry Creek Schools
9300 East Union Avenue
Englewood, Colorado 80110

Subject: Cherry Creek School House; (time limit: 1868 -)

Forms of Material: Books; business records; clippings;
interviews (taped); letters; photographs.

Size of Collection: 300 plus items.

Use Policy: Available for use in museum.

Hours: Weekdays: 7:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m., by arrangement.

LITTLETON

- (5) Littleton Area Historical Museum
6028 South Gallup Street
Littleton, Colorado 80120
(303) 798-2557

Subjects: Advertisements; agriculture; community life;
economics; Littleton, Colorado; (time limit: 1860 -)

ARAPAHOE COUNTY

Littleton, cont'd.

Forms of Material: Advertisements; artifacts; books; business records; clippings; interviews (taped); letters; photographs.

Size of Collection: 10,000 items.

• Use Policy: No lending.

Hours: Weekdays: 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Saturday: 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Closed holidays.

STRASBURG

- (6) Comanche Crossing Museum
Strasburg, Colorado 80136
(303) 622-5430

Subjects: Agate, Colorado; Bennett, Colorado; Byers, Colorado; historic markers; railroads; stagecoaches; Strasburg, Colorado; Watkins, Colorado; (time limit: 1850 -).

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; business records; clippings; documents; photographs.

Size of Collection: Large

Use Policy: Open to public; some documents accessible by special permission only; no lending. Free admission; contributions welcome.

Hours (June 1 - September 1): Daily: 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

ARCHULETA COUNTY

PAGOSA SPRINGS

- (7) Pagosa Springs Museum
Pagosa Springs, Colorado 81147
(303) 968-5747

Subject: Pagosa Springs, Colorado.

Use Policy: Museum in progress; will be open to public.

BENT COUNTY

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LAS ANIMAS

- (8) Pioneer Historical Society of Bent County
Las Animas, Colorado 81054

Subject: Bent County

Forms of Material: Books; business records; clippings;
letters; photographs.

Hours: By arrangement.

BOULDER COUNTY

BOULDER

- (9) University of Colorado Museum
Boulder, Colorado 80302
(303) 492-6165

Subject: Boulder County

Forms of Material: Artifacts; photographs.

Size of Collection: 5,000 - 10,000 items.

Use Policy: Open to public with supervision; limited lending.

Hours: Weekdays: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Saturday: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Sunday: 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

BOULDER

- (10) University of Colorado
Western Historical Collections
Norlin Library
Boulder, Colorado 80302
(303) 492-7242

Subjects: Boulder, Colorado; Elwood M. Brooks; community
life; Arthur C. Johnson; labor; Thomas M. Patterson;
politics.

BOULDER COUNTY

Boulder, cont'd.

Forms of Material: Books; business records; clippings; interviews (taped); letters; manuscripts; maps; microfilm; pamphlets; photographs; University of Colorado historical files.

Special Collections: Elwood M. Brooks Papers; Arthur C. Johnson Papers; Thomas M. Patterson Family Papers.

Size of Collection: 15,000 linear feet of shelf space.

Use Policy: Open to qualified individuals; no lending.

Hours: Weekdays: 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

LAFAYETTE

- (11) Lafayette Public Library
300 East Simpson Street
Lafayette, Colorado 80026
(303) 665-5200

Subjects: Columbine Mine (Serene, Colorado); Lafayette, Colorado; mining.

Forms of Material: Clippings; interviews (taped); maps; photographs; research papers; theses.

Size of Collection: 18 tapes.

Use Policy: Open for use in library; no lending.

Hours: Monday, Wednesday: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.;
7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Friday: 9:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

LONGMONT

- (12) Longmont Pioneer Museum
306 Kimbark Street
Longmont, Colorado 80501
(303) 772-2201

Subjects: Biography; Longmont, Colorado; politics; St. Vrain Valley; settlers; (time limit: 1870-71; 1880-).

BOULDER COUNTY

Longmont, cont'd.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; business records; clippings; diaries; letters; newspaper files (Longmont Press); photographs.

Size of Collection: Approximately 50 volumes of newspaper files; 50 books; several hundred photographs; 6 file drawers of miscellany.

Use Policy: On the premises under supervision; no lending.

Hours: Monday - Saturday: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

LONGMONT

- (13) Longmont Public Library
409 4th Avenue
Longmont, Colorado 80501
(303) 776-22

Subjects: Biography; Longmont, Colorado; politics; St. Vrain Valley; settlers.

Forms of Material: Books; clippings; maps; newspapers; original resources.

Size of Collection: 200 reels of microfilm; 6 file drawers of clippings and maps.

Use Policy: Open to public; most materials restricted to the building; microfilm available on interlibrary loan.

Hours: Monday - Thursday: 9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Friday - Saturday: 9:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

LOUISVILLE

- (14) Louisville Public Library
749 Main Street
Louisville, Colorado 80027

Subjects: Biography; Louisville, Colorado; mining.

Forms of Material: Clippings; maps; photographs; reports.

Size of Collection: 100 photographs; about 12 photocopied clippings.

BOULDER COUNTY

Louisville, cont'd.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours: Monday - Thursday: 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

CHAFFEE COUNTY

GRANITE

- (15) Clear Creek Canyon Historical Society of Chaffee County
P.O. Box 2181
Granite, Colorado 81228

Subjects: Chaffee County; Clear Creek Canyon; mining,

Forms of Material: Business records; clippings; interviews
(taped); letters; photographs.

Size of Collection: Small

Use Policy: By arrangement. Requests for material must be
approved by a majority of the board of directors.

Hours: By arrangement.

CHEYENNE COUNTY

CHEYENNE WELLS

- (16) American Legion Auxiliary Unit 126 Library
Cheyenne Wells, Colorado 80810

Subject: Cheyenne Wells, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Clippings; letters; photographs.

Use Policy: Open to public.

Hours: Wednesday, Saturday: 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

KIT CARSON

- (17) Kit Carson Historical Society
Kit Carson, Colorado 80825

Subjects: Cheyenne County; Kit Carson, Colorado; railroads.

CHEYENNE COUNTY

Kit Carson, cont'd.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; business records; clippings; interviews (taped); letters; photographs.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours (May 30 - Labor Day): Daily: 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Other times by arrangement.

CLEAR CREEK COUNTY

GEORGETOWN

- (18) Georgetown Historical Society
Georgetown, Colorado 80444
(303) 569-2840

Subjects: Georgetown, Colorado; Hamill House; Hotel De Paris; mining; (time limit: 1865 -)

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; business records; interviews (taped); letters; photographs; slides.

Size of Collection: Small number of books; several hundred slides and photographs.

Use Policy: Open only to serious researchers; must be used on the premises.

Hours: By arrangement.

Note: Much of collection housed in Hamill House destroyed by fire September, 1974 (subsequent to the compiling of the above information). Hamill House itself is being rebuilt.

IDAHO SPRINGS

- (19) Idaho Springs Public Library
219 14th Avenue
Idaho Springs, Colorado 80452
(303) 567-2020

Subjects: Clear Creek County; Gilpin County; Idaho Springs, Colorado; (time limit: 1859 -)

CLEAR CREEK COUNTY

Idaho Springs, cont'd.

Forms of Material: Books; interviews (taped); maps; microfilm; newspapers.

Size of Collection: Small

Use Policy: Books and library materials available to holders of Idaho Springs or any C.C.P.L.S. library card. Others may use books or materials in library.

Hours: Monday - Thursday: 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.;
7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Friday: 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Saturday: 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

IDAHO SPRINGS

- (20) Underhill Museum
1400 Miner Street
Idaho Springs, Colorado 80452
No telephone; contact Willis White, Historical Society
President, (303) 567-2022.

Subjects: Clear Creek County; Gilpin County; Idaho Springs, Colorado; mining; (time limit: 1859 -).

Forms of Material: Artifacts; business records; photographs.

Use Policy: Open to public.

Hours (Summer): Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday:
1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Other times by arrangement.

COSTILLA COUNTY

SAN LUIS

- (21) Costilla County Library
P.O. Box 1
San Luis, Colorado 81152
(303) 672-3953

Subject: San Luis, Colorado.

Form of Material: Interviews (taped).

COSTILLA COUNTY

San Luis, cont'd.

Size of Collection: Small

Hours: 8:30 a.m. - 4:40 p.m.

CROWLEY COUNTY

OLNEY SPRINGS

- (22) Lady Lions Club
Olney Springs, Colorado 81062

Subject: Olney Springs, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Clippings; letters; photographs.

Size of Collection: Small

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours: By arrangement.

ORDWAY

- (23) Ordway New Era
Box 578
Ordway, Colorado 81063
(303) 267-4433

Subjects: Crowley County; Ordway, Colorado; (time limit:
1890 - 1912).

Forms of Material: Newspaper articles; photographs;
(newspaper articles are on various families that settled in
the area).

Size of Collection: Weekly articles, 1971 plus.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours: Monday - Saturday: Regular business hours.

CUSTER COUNTY

SILVER CLIFF

(24) Silver Cliff Museum
Silver Cliff, Colorado 80249

Subjects: Mining; settlers; Silver Cliff, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Clippings; interviews (taped); photographs.

Size of Collection: Small

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours: Summer afternoons. Other times by arrangement.

WESTCLIFFE

(25) Fremont - Custer Historical Society
Custer County Public Library
Westcliffe, Colorado 81252
(303) 783-2423

Subjects: Agriculture; churches; Custer County; Fremont
County; mining; Westcliffe, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Books; clippings; interviews (taped).

Size of Collection: Small

Use Policy: Open to public.

Hours: Monday, Wednesday: 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Saturday: 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.; 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

DELTA COUNTY

DELTA

(26) Delta County Historical Society
Delta County Court House
Delta, Colorado 81416
(303) 874-3563
(303) 874-9630

Subject: Delta County.

DELTA COUNTY

Delta, cont'd.

Forms of Material: Business records; interviews (taped); letters; newspapers (Delta County Independent, 1883 -)

Size of Collection: 10,000 - 15,000 items.

Use Policy: Open to public in the museum under supervision.

Hours: (June - August)

Monday - Friday: 1:30 - 4:30 p.m.

(Remainder of year)

Friday: 1:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Other times by arrangement.

PAONIA

- (27) Paonia Public Library
Paonia, Colorado 81428
(303) 527-3470

Subjects: Agriculture; Paonia, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Books; clippings.

Size of Collection: 6 cartons of clippings; approximately 550 books.

Use Policy: Open to public; library material may be checked out.

Hours: Monday: 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday - Friday: 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.;

1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Saturday: 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

DENVER COUNTY

DENVER

- (28) Colorado State Archives
1530 Sherman Street
Denver, Colorado 80203

Subjects: Colorado; government; governors; judiciary; legislation; military; politics; schools.

Denver, cont'd.

Forms of Material: Charts; dissertations and theses; documents; government records (state and local); maps; microfilm; movie film; photographs; portraits; tapes.

Use Policy: Open to public.

Hours: Monday - Friday: 8:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.;
1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

DENVER

- (29) Denver Botanic Gardens
Helen Fowler Library
909 York Street
Denver, Colorado 80206
(303) 297-2547, Ext. 24

Subject: Denver Botanic Gardens.

Forms of Material (Historical): Pamphlets, scrapbooks.

Size of Collection: Small historical collection.

Use Policy: Open to public, checkout privileges to members of Denver Botanic Gardens.

Hours: Monday - Saturday: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

DENVER

- (30) Denver Public Library
Conservation Library
1357 Broadway
Denver, Colorado 80203
(303) 573-5152, Ext. 254, 262

Subjects: Conservation; environment.

Forms of Material: Books; business records; clippings; documents; interviews (taped); letters; magazines; photographs; reports.

DENVER COUNTY

Denver, cont'd.

Size of Collection: 6,000 books; 620 serial titles; 2,000 documents; 800 microfiche; 150 microfilm reels; 150 tape recordings; 500 boxes of manuscripts; 2,000 pamphlets; 5,000 photographs.

Use Policy: Collection must be used in Conservation Library.

Hours: Monday - Saturday: 10:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Sunday (September - May): 1:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

DENVER

- (31) Denver Public Library
Western History Department
1357 Broadway
Denver, Colorado 80203
(303) 573-5152, Ext. 245, 246, 247

Subjects: Colorado; Rocky Mountains.

Forms of Material: Books; business records; clippings; diaries; historical documents; interviews (taped); journals; letters; manuscripts; maps; microfilm, newspapers; pamphlets; periodicals; personal papers; photographs; scrapbooks; theses.

Size of Collection: 50,000 books; 5,000 pamphlets; 21 vertical cases of clippings; 1,400 magazines; 275,000 photographs; 2,000 maps.

Use Policy: For reference and research only.

Hours: Monday - Thursday; 10:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Friday - Saturday: 10:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Sunday (September - May): 1:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

DENVER

- (32) Historic Denver, Inc.
Molly Brown House
1340 Pennsylvania Street
Denver, Colorado 80203
(303) 534-0452

Subjects: Architecture; Johnny J. Brown; Molly Brown; Denver, Colorado.

Denver, cont'd.

Forms of Material: Interviews (taped); photographs; research card file.

Size of Collection: -Several thousand items.

Use Policy: Research file by special permission from Director/Curator.

Hours: By arrangement.

DENVER

- (33) Loretto Heights College Archives
Library
3001 South Federal Boulevard
Denver, Colorado 80236

Subjects: Loretto Heights College; St. Mary's Academy.

Forms of Material: Books; business records; clippings; interviews (taped); letters; photographs.

Use Policy: Open to public; lending through interlibrary loan.

DENVER

- (34) Metropolitan State College
Center for Urban History
250 West 14th Avenue
Denver, Colorado 80204
(303) 292-5190, Ext. 287

Subject: Denver, Colorado.

Form of Material: Interviews (taped).

Size of Collection: 15 - 30 interviews, plus other items.

Use Policy: Contact Stephen J. Leonard, Metropolitan State College.

Hours: By arrangement.

DENVER COUNTY

DENVER

- (35) Rocky Mountain News
Library
400 West Colfax Avenue
Denver, Colorado 80204
(303) 892-5394

Subjects: Biography; Denver, Colorado; government.

Forms of Material: Clippings; microfilm; photographs.

Size of Collection: Extensive clipping files from early 1950's to the present.

Use Policy: Open to public as staff time permits. Telephone reference service restricted.

Hours: Monday - Friday: 11:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Saturday: 1:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

DENVER

- (36) State Historical Society of Colorado
Colorado State Museum
200 14th Avenue
Denver, Colorado 80203
(303) 892-2305

Subjects: Colorado; railroads; ranching.

Forms of Material: Architectural drawings; books; film; interviews (taped); manuscripts; maps; newspapers; photographs.

Special Collections: William H. Jackson Collection of photographs west of the Mississippi; Railroad Collection (Denver & Rio Grande Archives); Western Range Cattle Industry Study.

Size of Collection: Over 1,000,000 items.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending. Limited use on Saturday; call ahead if manuscript is desired.

Hours: Monday - Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Saturday: 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

DENVER COUNTY

DENVER

- (37) University of Denver
Penrose Library
Archives
Denver, Colorado 80210
(303) 753-2862

Subjects: Wayne Aspinall; Central City Opera House Association; Colorado Seminary; Maurice Mitchell; Byron Rogers; University of Denver; (time limit: 1864 -).

Forms of Material: Books; business records; clippings; interviews (taped); letters; photographs.

Special Collections: Wayne Aspinall Papers; Central City Opera House Association Papers; Maurice Mitchell Papers; Byron Rogers Papers.

Size of Collection: 300 cubic feet; Aspinall, 213 linear feet; Central City Opera House Association, 42 linear feet; Mitchell, 19 linear feet; Rogers, 262 linear feet.

Use Policy: Open to public; materials may be used in department.

Hours: Monday - Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.;
1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

DOLORES COUNTY

RICO

- (38) Rico Library
Rico School
Rico, Colorado 81332

Subjects: Colorado, Southwestern; Indians, Navajo; mining; Rocky Mountains.

Form of Material: Books

Size of Collection: Small

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours: Thursday: 1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.

EAGLE COUNTY

EAGLE COUNTY

MINTURN

- (39) Mrs. Ethel Bayer (private collection)
Minturn, Colorado 81645

Subjects: Eagle County; Indians; mining.

Forms of Material: Books; clippings; interviews; letters;
photographs.

Size of Collection: Extensive

Use Policy: By arrangement.

Hours: By arrangement.

MINTURN

- (40) Floyd Straily (private collection)
Battle Mountain High School
Minturn, Colorado 81645

Subjects: Eagle County; Indians; mining.

Forms of Material: Books; clippings; interviews; letters;
photographs.

Size of Collection: Small

Use Policy: By arrangement.

Hours: By arrangement.

ELBERT COUNTY

KIOWA

- (41) Elbert County Library
Kiowa, Colorado 80117
(303) 621-2041

Subjects: Biography; Elbert County.

Forms of Material: Biographical data; books; pamphlets;
photographs.

Size of Collection: Approximately 75 books and pamphlets.

ELBERT COUNTY

Kiowa, cont'd.

Use Policy: Most books available for public loan, but some restricted.

Hours: Tuesday: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.; 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
6:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.;
1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

EL PASO COUNTY

CALHAN

(42) Ellicott School
Rt. #2
Calhan, Colorado 80808

Subject: Ellicott, Colorado

Form of Material: Photographs

Use Policy: Open to public.

COLORADO SPRINGS

(43) Colorado College
Tutt Library
Special Collections
Colorado Springs, Colorado 80903
(303) 473-2233, Ext. 415

Subjects: Banking; biography; business; churches; mining;
Pikes Peak Region; railroads; schools.

Forms of Material: Books; broadsides; business records;
clippings; directories; letters; maps; newspapers;
pamphlets; photographs.

Size of Collection: 9,000 books; 40 feet of information file material.

Use Policy: Limited use by permission; register must be signed; no lending.

Hours: Monday - Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

EL PASO COUNTY

COLORADO SPRINGS

- (44) **Palmer High School Library**
301 North Nevada Avenue
Colorado Springs, Colorado 80902

Subject: Colorado Springs, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Books; clippings; pamphlets.

Size of Collection: 75 books; 40 pamphlets; 2 file drawers of clippings.

Use Policy: Collection for use by students and staff; others by arrangement.

Hours (During school term): Monday - Friday:
7:00 a.m. - 3:45 p.m.

COLORADO SPRINGS

- (45) **Penrose Public Library**
Pikes Peak Regional Library District
Colorado and Western History Department
20 North Cascade Avenue
Colorado Springs, Colorado 80901
(303) 636-3948

Subjects: Colorado Springs, Colorado; community life; culture; economics; geology; politics.

Forms of Material: Blueprints; books; business records; clippings; interviews (taped); letters; manuscripts; maps; phonograph records; photographs.

Size of Collection: 6,575 books; 8,297 photographs; 8,071 clippings; 3,071 pamphlets; 1,966 maps and blueprints; 1,065 reels of microfilm (newspapers).

Use Policy: For serious adult research (college age and above); no lending.

Hours: Monday Friday: 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Thursday evening: 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Saturday: 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

COLORADO SPRINGS

- (46) **Pioneers' Museum**
25 West Kiowa Street
Colorado Springs, Colorado 80902
(303) 471-6650

Subjects: Colorado Springs, Colorado; F. W. Cragin; El Paso County; Manitou Springs, Colorado; Old Colorado City, Colorado; William J. Palmer; Pikes Peak Region.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; business records; clippings; genealogies; interviews (taped); letters; manuscripts; maps; photographs.

Special Collections: F. W. Cragin Collection, (notebooks, historical notes, maps, photographs); William J. Palmer Collection (notebooks).

Size of Collection: Cragin, 6 notebooks; Palmer, 35 notebooks.

Use Policy: Open to public; research use in museum only.

Hours: Tuesday - Saturday: 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

COLORADO SPRINGS

- (47) **Western Museum of Mining and Industry**
1025 Northgate Road
Colorado Springs, Colorado 80908

Subjects: Engines; mining machinery.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; business records; manufacturers' catalogs; maps; mining records; photographs.

Use Policy: By arrangement.

Hours: By arrangement.

Note: The museum is under construction and will not be open to the public for several years.

MANITOU SPRINGS

- (48) **Manitou Springs Historical Group**
Manitou Springs Public Library
701 Manitou Avenue
Manitou Springs, Colorado 80829

Manitou Springs, cont'd.

Subjects: Indians; Manitou Springs, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Books; business brochures; clippings; letters; photographs.

Size of Collection: Small

Use Policy: Open to public.

PALMER LAKE

- (49) Palmer Lake Historical Society
Museum and Library
Palmer Lake, Colorado 80133
(303) 481-2323

Subjects: Biography; Monument, Colorado; Palmer Lake, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; business records; clippings; letters; photographs; scrapbooks.

Size of Collection: Several thousand items.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending:

Hours: Monday: 1:30 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.
Tuesday: 1:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Wednesday: 1:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.
Thursday - Friday: 3:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Saturday: 9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

SECURITY

- (50) Security Public Library
715 Aspen Drive
Security, Colorado 80911
(303) 392-8912

Subjects: Colorado Springs, Colorado; Fountain, Colorado; Security, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Books; clippings; photographs.

Size of Collection: 300 items.

Use Policy: Open to public; interlibrary loan available.

Security, cont'd.

Hours: Monday: 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday - Wednesday: 9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Thursday: 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Saturday: 12:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

U.S. AIR FORCE ACADEMY

(51) U.S. Air Force Academy Library
Special Collections Branch
U.S. Air Force Academy, Colorado 80840
(303) 472-4674

Subject: U.S. Air Force Academy; (time limit: 1918 -)

Forms of Material: Books; clippings; documents; letters;
microfilm; photographs; working papers.

Size of Collection: 2,000,000 pages.

Use Policy: For official use. Other requestors should request
in writing to the director of the library stating their
specific needs and documents desired.

Hours: Monday - Friday: 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

FREMONT COUNTY

CANON CITY

(52) Canon City Municipal Museum
612 River
Canon City, Colorado 81212

Subject: Canon City, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; business records;
clippings; letters; photographs.

Use Policy: By arrangement.

Hours: Weekdays: 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Sunday afternoon.

FREMONT COUNTY

CANON CITY

- (53) Canon City Public Library
Canon City, Colorado 81212
(303) 275-3669

Subject: Canon City, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Art prints; interviews (taped); newspapers;
photographs.

Size of Collection: 35,000 items.

Hours: Weekdays: 11:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Saturday in winter: 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

FLORENCE

- (54) Florence Pioneer Museum
Pikes Peak and Front Street
Florence, Colorado 81226
(303) 784-3157

Subjects: Coal Creek, Colorado; Florence, Colorado;
Fremont County; Penrose, Colorado; Rockvale, Colorado;
Wetmore, Colorado; Williamsburg, Colorado; (time
limit: 1860 - 1960).

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; business records;
clippings; interviews (taped); letters; newspapers;
photographs.

Size of Collection: 450 items.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours (Summer): 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

GARFIELD COUNTY

GLENWOOD SPRINGS

- (55) Frontier Historical Society Museum
1001 Colorado Avenue
Glenwood Springs, Colorado 81601
(303) 945-5653

GARFIELD COUNTY

Glenwood Springs, cont'd.

Subject: Glenwood Springs, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; business records; clippings; interviews (taped); letters; photographs.

Size of Collection: One house.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours (June - August): Monday - Friday: 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Other times by arrangement.

NEW CASTLE

- (56) Garfield County Library
Box 328
New Castle, Colorado 81647
(303) 984-2346

Subjects: Agriculture; Garfield County; New Castle, Colorado; ranching; Len Shoemaker.

Forms of Material: Interviews (taped); manuscripts; newspapers (New Castle, 1892 - 1920); photographs.

Size of Collection: 12 tapes; 6 volumes of newspapers; 400 photographs.

Use Policy: Tapes and microfilm may be loaned; other materials for use in library. Photographs to be used by arrangement.

Hours: Monday - Saturday: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

GILPIN COUNTY

CENTRAL CITY

- (57) Gilpin County Historical Museum
228 East High Street
Central City, Colorado 80427
(303) 582-5283

Subjects: Architecture; business; culture; Gilpin County; mining; schools; transportation; (time limit: 1859 - 1916).

GILPIN COUNTY

Central City, cont'd.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; business records; clippings; letters; photographs.

Size of Collection: 8 large rooms.

Use Policy: Collection on display only.

Hours (Memorial Day - Labor Day): Tuesday - Sunday:
11:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

GUNNISON COUNTY

GUNNISON

(58) Western State College
Savage Library
Gunnison, Colorado 81230
(303) 943-2103

Subjects: Anthropology; archaeology; Lois Borland; Colorado, Southwestern; Gunnison County; Gunnison National Forest; mining; railroads.

Forms of Material: Books; business records; clippings; interviews (taped); letters; memoirs; photographs; research papers.

Special Collections: Lois Borland Papers; Hurst Collection (anthropology, archaeology, Southwestern Colorado); Novak Collection (history).

Size of Collection: 1,000 - 3,000 items.

Use Policy: Not open to general public; most material must be used in library.

Hours: (When college is in session)
Monday - Friday: 7:30 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.
Saturday: 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Sunday: 2:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.

(Holidays and vacations)
Monday - Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.;
1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

HUERFANO COUNTY

WALSENBURG

- (59) Huerfano County Historical Society
Walsenburg, Colorado 81089

(Collection housed in Museum storage area, La Veta, Colorado)

Subjects: Cucharas River; Huerfano County; (time limit:
1830 - 1900).

Forms of Material: Artifacts; business records; clippings;
letters; photographs.

Size of Collection: Approximately 700 items.

Use Policy: By arrangement.

Hours: 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

JACKSON COUNTY

WALDEN

- (60) Mr. & Mrs. John Gresham (private collection)
Walden, Colorado 80480
(303) 723-4711

Subjects: Biography; Jackson County; North Park, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Interviews (taped); letters; newspapers;
photographs.

Size of Collection: Sizeable

Use Policy: By arrangement.

Hours: By arrangement.

WALDEN

- (61) North Park Pioneer Museum
Walden, Colorado 80480
(303) 723-4711

Subjects: Jackson County; North Park, Colorado.

JACKSON COUNTY

Walden, cont'd.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; business records; clippings; letters; photographs.

Size of Collection: Several thousand items.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours: (June - August): 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m., or by arrangement.

JEFFERSON COUNTY

ARVADA

- (62) Arvada Historical Society.
c/o Lois C. Lindstrom
6047 Flower Street
Arvada, Colorado 80004

(By 1976 the collection will be housed in the Arvada Center.)

Subject: Arvada, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Books; clippings; diaries; maps; property deeds.

Use Policy: By arrangement at present. For use on the premises (Arvada Center) later.

Hours: By arrangement.

DENVER FEDERAL CENTER

- (63) Federal Archives and Records Center
Building 48
Denver Federal Center
Denver, Colorado 80225
(303) 234-3187

Subjects: Conservation; forest industries; Indians; law; reclamation; recreation.

Forms of Material: Correspondence; court cases; financial records; magnetic tape; maps; medical files; memoranda.

JEFFERSON COUNTY

Denver Federal Center, cont'd.

Size of Collection: 368,000 cubic feet of non-current records;
8,000 cubic feet of archives; 12,000 reels of microfilm.

Use Policy: No lending; access to certain records is limited
by Federal law. No interlibrary loan except for
National Archives microfilm publications (12,000 reels).

Hours: Monday - Friday: 7:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

DENVER FEDERAL CENTER

- (64) U.S. Geological Survey Library
Building 25
Denver Federal Center
Denver, Colorado 80225
(303) 234-4004

Subject: Geology

Form of Material: Photographs

Size of Collection: 200,000 items.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending; patrons may purchase
prints or copy negatives.

Hours: Monday - Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

EVERGREEN

- (65) Jefferson County Historical Society
P.O. Box 703
Evergreen, Colorado 80439

Subject: Jefferson County

Forms of Material: Artifacts; library materials.

Use Policy: Open to public.

GOLDEN

- (66) Buffalo Bill Museum
Rt. 5, Box 950
Golden, Colorado 80401
(303) 277-0747
(303) 277-0488

JEFFERSON COUNTY

Golden, cont'd.

—**Subjects:** Johnny Baker; Mrs. Johnny Baker; William Cody; Western movies; Wild West Shows.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; clippings; letters; lithographs; maps; periodicals; photographs; programs; scrapbooks.

Size of Collection: 1,550 photographs; 225 lithographs; 265 periodicals and clippings; 119 books (including programs from Wild West Shows); 500 documents; several scrapbooks.

Use Policy: Collection may be used under supervision of curator.

Hours: Tuesday - Saturday: 9:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

GOLDEN

(67) Colorado Railroad Museum
17155 West 44th Avenue
Golden, Colorado 80401
(303) 279-4591

Subject: Railroads; (time limit: 1840 -)

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; business records; papers; photographs.

Size of Collection: 30 tons of files.

Use Policy: Not open to public; reference library with limited access.

Hours: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

GOLDEN

(68) Colorado School of Mines
Arthur Lakes Library
Golden, Colorado 80401
(303) 279-3381, Ext. 364

Subject: Mining

Forms of Material: Books; business records; maps; photographs.

JEFFERSON COUNTY

Golden, cont'd.

Size of Collection: 7,000 items.

Use Policy: Open to public; rare items may be used in the library only.

Hours: Monday - Friday; 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

GOLDEN

- (65) Golden Landmarks Association (Astor House)
12th and Arapahoe
Golden, Colorado 80401

Subject: Golden, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Business records; clippings; interviews (taped); photographs.

LAKEWOOD

- (70) Lakewood Centennial-Bicentennial Commission
Office of Community Relations
Lakewood City Hall
1580 Yarrow Street
Lakewood, Colorado 80215
(303) 234-8721

Subject: Lakewood, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Books; clippings; interviews (taped); letters; photographs; raw research data.

Use Policy: Open to public under supervision.

Hours: Monday - Friday (except holidays):
8:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

MORRISON

- (71) The Fort (private collection)
c/o Samuel P. Arnold
Morrison, Colorado 80405

Subject: Fur trade.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books.

Size of Collection: 1,600 volumes.

JEFFERSON COUNTY

Morrison, cont'd.

Use Policy: By arrangement.

Hours: By arrangement.

KIOWA COUNTY

SHERIDAN LAKE

- (72) Kiowa Albright Memorial Center
Sheridan Lake, Colorado 81071
(303) 721-4416

Subject: Kiowa County.

Forms of Material: Books; clippings; letters; photographs.

Size of Collection: Small

Use Policy: Open to public.

KIT CARSON COUNTY

FLAGLER

- (73) Flagler Community Library
Flagler, Colorado 80815

Subject: Hal Borland

Form of Material: Books

Use Policy: Open to public.

LAKE COUNTY

LEADVILLE

- (74) Lake County Public Library
Colorado Mountain History Collection
Leadville, Colorado 80461
(303) 486-0569

Subjects: Leadville, Colorado; Rocky Mountains.

LAKE COUNTY

Leadville, cont'd.

Forms of Material: Books; business records; clippings; interviews (taped); letters; microfilmed newspapers; photographs.

Size of Collection: 200 - 250 items.

Use Policy: Driver's license must be presented and will be held until researcher is finished. No lending.

Hours: Monday - Thursday: 11:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Friday - Saturday: 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

LA PLATA COUNTY

DURANGO

- (75) Fort Lewis College
Center of Southwest Studies
Durango, Colorado 81301
(303) 247-7713

Subjects: Anthropology; archaeology; Colorado, Southwestern; Durango, Colorado; Four Corners Area; geology; Indians, Southwestern; Indians, Ute; military; mining; railroads; San Juan Basin; Spanish exploration; Spanish occupation; water.

Forms of Material: Books; business records; clippings; interviews (taped); letters; newspapers; photographs.

Size of Collection: 5,000 books.

Use Policy: Open to public; limited borrowing.

Hours: Monday - Friday: 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Mornings by arrangement.

GEM VILLAGE

- (76) Gem Village Museum
Gem Village, Colorado
c/o Betty X. Gilbert
Rt. 1
Bayfield, Colorado
(303) 884-2811

LA PLATA COUNTY

Gem Village, cont'd.

Subjects: Archaeology; geology; San Juan Basin.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; clippings; photographs.

Size of Collection: 950 items.

Use Policy: By arrangement.

Hours: By arrangement.

LARIMER COUNTY

BERTHOUD

(77) Berthoud Public Library
Berthoud, Colorado 80513

May be reached through Berthoud City Hall:
(303) 532-2643

Subjects: Berthoud, Colorado; biography.

Forms of Material: Clippings; photographs; scrapbooks.

Use Policy: Open to public.

Hours: Wednesday: 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.; 6:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.
Friday: 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

ESTES PARK

(78) Estes Park Public Library
Box 1687
Estes Park, Colorado 80518
(303) 586-3180

Subjects: Estes Park, Colorado; Rocky Mountain National Park.

Forms of Material: Books; clippings; interviews (taped);
newspapers (Estes Park).

Use Policy: Open to public; materials available on inter-library loan.

LARIMER COUNTY

Estes Park, cont'd.

Hours: (June - August)
Monday - Saturday: 11:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
(Balance of year)
Monday - Friday: 11:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Saturday: 11:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

ESTES PARK

- (79) Rocky Mountain National Park Library
Estes Park, Colorado 80517
(303) 586-2371

Subjects: Estes Park, Colorado; natural history; Rocky Mountain National Park; (time limit: mostly 1875 - 1925).

Forms of Material: Books; interviews (taped); letters; maps; photographs; reports.

Size of Collection: 4,000 items.

Use Policy: Not open to public; contact interpretive personnel.

Hours: Monday - Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

FORT COLLINS

- (80) Avery House Landmark
Mrs. June Bennett
1518 Lakeside
Fort Collins, Colorado 80521
(303) 482-0178

Subject: Fort Collins, Colorado.

Use Policy: By arrangement.

Hours: By arrangement.

FORT COLLINS

- (81) Colorado State University Library
Special Collections
Fort Collins, Colorado 80521
(303) 491-5911

LARIMER COUNTY

Fort Collins, cont'd.

Subject: Fort Collins, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Books; maps.

Size of Collection: Small

Use Policy: Open to public.

Hours: Monday - Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

FORT COLLINS

- (82) Fort Collins City Library
200 Mathews Street
Fort Collins, Colorado 80521
(303) 493-4422

Subjects: Fort Collins, Colorado; Larimer County.

Forms of Material: Books; city and county records (current);
clippings; newspapers.

Use Policy: Open to public.

Hours: Monday - Friday: 10:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.

FORT COLLINS

- (83) Fort Collins Pioneer Museum
219 Peterson Street
Fort Collins, Colorado 80521
(303) 484-4220, Ext. 220

Subjects: Community life; Fort Collins, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; clippings; newspapers;
photographs.

Size of Collection: Several thousand items.

Use Policy: Open to public; borrowing privileges limited.

Hours: Monday - Saturday: 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

FORT COLLINS

- (84) David W. Lupton (private collection)
2808 West Horsetooth Road
Fort Collins, Colorado 80521
(303) 491-5911

Subjects: Fort Lupton; Lancaster P. Lupton; (time limit:
1836 - 1846).

Forms of Material: Manuscript records; microfilm of Lupton
manuscript collection; published material.

Size of Collection: Approximately 100 photocopied pages.

Use Policy: By arrangement; will answer reference questions
addressed to David W. Lupton.

Hours: By arrangement.

FORT COLLINS

- (85) Guy L. Peterson (private collection)
1601 North College Avenue Space 136
Fort Collins, Colorado 80521
(303) 482-0866

Subjects: Anthropology; Fort Collins, Colorado; fur trade;
government; Lancaster P. Lupton; Ceran St. Vrain.

Forms of Material: Books; business records; interviews (taped);
manuscripts; maps; microfilm; military records; newspapers;
photographs.

**Size of Collection (total collection, including subject areas other
than Colorado local history):** 1,350 - 1,400 bound
volumes, plus other items.

Use Policy: By arrangement.

Hours: By arrangement.

LOVELAND

- (86) Loveland Public Library
6th and Cleveland
Loveland, Colorado 80537
(303) 667-4040

LARIMER COUNTY

Loveland, cont'd.

Subjects: Colorado; Loveland, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Books; business records; clippings; interviews (taped); letters; newspapers; periodicals; photographs; scrapbooks.

Size of Collection: 700 books; 30 tapes; 20 photographs; 3½ file drawers; 30 stereoptican views.

Use Policy: Open to public; all material may be used in the library; some interlibrary loan.

Hours: Monday - Thursday: 10:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Friday: 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Saturday: 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
(Closes 1 hour earlier in summer),

LAS ANIMAS COUNTY

KIM

(87) Kim School Library
Kim, Colorado 81049
(303) 643-5295

Subjects: Dust Bowl; Indians; Kim, Colorado; ranching; Spanish occupation.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; clippings; interviews; manuscripts.

Size of Collection: 50 manuscripts.

Use Policy: Open to public.

Hours (September - May): Monday - Friday:
9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

TRINIDAD

(88) Trinidad State Junior College
Samuel Freudenthal Memorial Library
Trinidad, Colorado 81082
(303) 846-5593

Subject: Trinidad, Colorado.

Trinidad, cont'd.

Forms of Material: Books; manuscripts; newspapers; theses.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours: Monday - Thursday: 7:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.;
6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Friday: 7:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Sunday: 5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

LINCOLN COUNTY

HUGO

- (89) Lincoln County Museum
Hugo, Colorado 80821
(303) 743-2513

Subjects: Churches; community life; Lincoln County; schools.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; newspapers; photographs.

Size of Collection: Small

Use Policy: Open to public.

Hours (Summer months): Weekdays: 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

KARVAL

- (90) Mrs. J. R. Owen (private collection)
Karval, Colorado 80823
(303) 446-5223

Subjects: Biography; Lincoln County.

Forms of Material: Books; clippings; interviews; letters; maps;
photographs.

Size of Collection: 20 maps; 20 plus books; 35 pamphlets;
200 clippings.

Use Policy: Collection is still being organized and is not
available for use by the public.

LINCOLN COUNTY

LIMON

- (91) **Limon Memorial Library**
Limon, Colorado 80828
(303) 775-2079

Subject: Limon, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Books; clippings; pamphlets; photographs.

Size of Collection: 70 photographs; 125 books; 50 pamphlets.

Use Policy: Open to public.

Hours: Monday: 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Tuesday - Thursday: 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.;
7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Saturday: 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

LOGAN COUNTY

STERLING

- (92) **Overland Trail Museum**
Sterling, Colorado 80751
(303) 522-1541

Subjects: Colorado, Northeastern; Indians, Plains; Logan County; stagecoaches; Weld County.

Forms of Material: Books; business records; clippings; interviews (taped); letters; newspapers; photographs.

Size of Collection: 2 large cupboards of newspapers; several hundred photographs; many tape recordings.

Use Policy: Open to public by arrangement; no lending.

Hours (May 1 - September 15): 9:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Other times by arrangement.

MESA COUNTY

GRAND JUNCTION

- (93) Historical Museum and Institute of Western Colorado
4th and Ute
Grand Junction, Colorado 81501
(303) 242-0971

Subjects: Biography; business; community life; culture;
Grand Junction, Colorado; Mesa County.

Forms of Material: Books; business records; clippings; diaries;
interviews (taped); letters; magazines; maps; papers;
photographs; post cards; scrapbooks; slides; textbooks.

Size of Collection: 1,000 books; 2,000 magazines; 1,500
miscellaneous.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours (March 17 - November 30): Tuesday - Saturday:
10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Other times by arrangement.

GRAND JUNCTION

- (94) Mesa College
Lowell Heiny Library
Grand Junction, Colorado 81501
(303) 248-1436

Subject: Walter Walker.

Forms of Material: Books; clippings; editorials; interviews
(taped); letters; photographs.

Size of Collection: 1,500 items.

Use Policy: By arrangement; for serious or scholarly use only.

Hours: (September - June)
Monday - Thursday: 8:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.
Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

(Summer)
Monday - Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

MESA COUNTY

GRAND JUNCTION

- (95) Mesa County Public Library
521 White Avenue
Grand Junction, Colorado 81501
(303) 242-4251

Subjects: Colorado Plateau; Colorado, Western Slope; Grand Junction, Colorado; Indians; Mesa County.

Forms of Material: Books; clippings; letters; microfilm; newspapers; photographs.

Size of Collection: 100 - 200 items of unique or rare material.

Use Policy: Open to public.

Hours: Monday - Thursday: 10:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Friday - Saturday: 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Sunday (September - May): 2:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

PALISADE

- (96) Palisade Public Library
Box 189
Palisade, Colorado 81526
(303) 464-7557

Subject: Palisade, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Books; clippings; letters; magazines; newspapers; photographs.

Size of Collection: Approximately 100 photographs.

Use Policy: Open to public.

Hours: Monday - Friday: 2:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Saturday: 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.;
1:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

MOFFAT COUNTY

CRAIG

- (97) Moffat County Museum
Craig, Colorado 81625
(303) 824-6360

MOFFAT COUNTY

Craig, cont'd.

Subjects: Craig, Colorado; Moffat County.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; business records; clippings; county clerk files; letters; photographs.

Size of Collection: 2,000 - 3,000 items.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours: Monday - Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

DINOSAUR

- (98) Dinosaur National Monument
Box 210
Dinosaur, Colorado 81610
(303) 374-22

Subjects: Archaeology; Dinosaur National Monument.

Forms of Material: Books; interviews (taped); periodicals; photographs.

Size of Collection: 600 plus volumes and periodicals.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours: Monday - Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

MONTEZUMA COUNTY

CORTEZ,

- (99) Cortez Public Library
802 East Montezuma
Cortez, Colorado 81321
(303) 565-8117

Subjects: Cortez, Colorado; Dolores, Colorado; Dove Creek, Colorado; Four Corners Area; ghost towns; Lewis, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Books; business records; interviews (taped); photographs.

MONTEZUMA COUNTY

Cortez, cont'd.

Size of Collection: Small

Use Policy: Open to public.

Hours: Monday - Thursday: 10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Friday: 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Saturday: 2:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

CORTEZ

- (100) Four Corners Museum
Cortez, Colorado 81321
(303) 565-8117

Subjects: Indians; Mesa Verde; Montezuma County.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; business records;
clippings; letters; photographs.

Size of Collection: Approximately 200 items.

Use Policy: Open to-public.

Hours: Sunday - Thursday: 10:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.

Friday: 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Saturday: 2:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

DOLORES

- (101) The Dolores Star
4th and Central
Dolores, Colorado 81323
(303) 882-4486

Subject: Dolores, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; clippings; letters;
magazines; newspapers; photographs.

Use Policy: Open to public.

Hours: Regular business hours.

MANCOS ,

- (102) Mancos Pioneer Association
c/o Serena Everett
Mancos, Colorado 81328

Subjects: Mancos, Colorado; Montezuma County; (time limit: 1876 - 1900).

Forms of Material: Clippings; interviews (taped).

MANCOS

- (103) Mancos Public Library
Box 144
Mancos, Colorado 81328
(303) 533-7569

Subjects: Mancos, Colorado; Montezuma County.

Forms of Material: Books; clippings; interviews (taped).

Size of Collection: Small

Use Policy: Open to public.

Hours: By arrangement.

MONTROSE COUNTY**MONTROSE**

- (104) Montrose Regional Library -
South 1st and Uncompahgre
Montrose, Colorado 81401
(303) 249-9494

Subject: Montrose, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Interviews (taped); manuscripts;
microfilm; newspapers.

Size of Collection: Small

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours: Tuesday - Thursday: 9:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.;
7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Friday - Saturday: 9:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

MONTROSE COUNTY

MONTROSE

- (105) Ute Indian Museum
Montrose, Colorado 81401
(303) 249-3098

Subjects: Archaeology; Indians, Ute.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; maps; photographs.

Size of Collection: Approximately 4,000 items.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours (April 15 - October 15): Daily: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Longer hours from June 1 - September 15.

MORGAN COUNTY

FORT MORGAN

- (106) Fort Morgan Heritage Foundation Museum
231 Main Street
Fort Morgan, Colorado 80701
(303) 867-5804

Subjects: Anthropology; archaeology; Colorado, High Plains; Colorado, Northeastern; community life; culture; ethnic groups; Fort Morgan, Colorado; military.

Forms of Material: Books, business records; clippings; interviews (taped); letters; photographs.

Size of Collection: Approximately 2,500 items.

Use Policy: By arrangement.

Hours: Normal business hours, or by arrangement.

OTERO COUNTY

LA JUNTA

- (107) Bent's Old Fort
Highway 194
La Junta, Colorado 81050
(303) 384-5171

La Junta, cont'd.

Subjects: Bent's Old Fort; Santa Fe Trail.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books,

Size of Collection: One room (at office trailer).

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours: Monday - Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

LA JUNTA

- (108) Otero County Historical Society
La Junta, Colorado, 81050
(303) 384-4562

Subject: Otero County.

Form of Material: Books

Size of Collection: 3 - 5 truckloads.

Use Policy: Not open to public except by special arrangement.

LA JUNTA

- (109) Woodruff Memorial Library
P.O. Box 479
La Junta, Colorado 81050
(303) 384-4612

Subject: La Junta, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Newspapers; written materials.

Size of Collection: 3 file drawers.

Use Policy: Open to public.

OURAY COUNTY

OURAY

- (110) Ouray County Historical Museum
Ouray, Colorado 81427
(303) 325-4576

OURAY COUNTY

Ouray, cont'd.

Subjects: Mining; Ouray County; railroads; settlers.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; documents; photographs.

Size of Collection: Large

Use Policy: Open to public.

Hours (Memorial Day - Labor Day): Daily: 1:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

PARK COUNTY

FAIRPLAY

- (111) South Park Historical Foundation, Inc.
South Park City Museum
4th and Front Street
Fairplay, Colorado 80440
(303) 836-2387

Subjects: Agriculture; archaeology; architecture; community life; mining; railroads; transportation.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; buildings; business records; clippings; letters; photographs.

Size of Collection: 500 photographs; 500 books; 24 buildings; 250 business records; 100 clippings; 100 letters; 12,000 artifacts.

Use Policy: By arrangement.

Hours: Daily: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

PHILLIPS COUNTY

HOLYOKE

- (112) Phillips County Historical Museum
Holyoke, Colorado 80734
(303) 774-2720

PHILLIPS COUNTY

Holyoke, cont'd.

Subjects: Family history; Holyoke, Colorado; Phillips County; schools.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; business records; clippings; interviews (taped); letters; photographs.

Size of Collection: Approximately 150- 200 items.

Use Policy: By arrangement.

Hours: Open weekend afternoons during the summer; winter by arrangement.

PITKIN COUNTY

ASPEN

(113) Aspen Historical Museum
620 West Bleeker Street
Aspen, Colorado 81611
(303) 925-7071
(303) 925-3721

Subjects: Aspen, Colorado; community life; culture; mining; music; Pitkin County; ranching; skiing.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; business records; clippings; interviews (taped); letters; newspapers (Aspen Times, 1881 - 1960); photographs.

Size of Collection: 1 building.

Use Policy: Open to public; admission charged.

Hours: Tuesday - Sunday: 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

PROWERS COUNTY

PROWERS COUNTY

LAMAR

- (114) Prowers County Historical Society
Big Timbers Museum
North Santa Fe Trail
U. S. Highway 50 - 287
P.O. Box 362
Lamar, Colorado 81052
(303) 336-2472

Subject: Prowers County.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; interviews (taped); photographs.

Size of Collection: - 400 plus items.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours: Sunday - Friday: 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

PUEBLO COUNTY

PUEBLO

- (115) Pueblo Metropolitan Museum
Old Thatcher Mansion
419 West 14th Avenue
Pueblo, Colorado 81004
(303) 544-9234

Subjects: Indians; railroads; Thatcher Family.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; ledgers; letters; photographs.

Special Collections: McClelland Art Collection; Carl Moon
Collection (photographs of American Indians);
Orman Indian Collection; White Railroad Collection.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours: (Summer)

Tuesday - Saturday: 9:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Sunday and holidays: 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

(Winter)

Tuesday - Saturday: 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

PUEBLO COUNTY

PUEBLO

- (116) Pueblo Regional Library
100 East Abriendo Avenue
Pueblo, Colorado 81004

Subjects: Pueblo, Colorado; Pueblo County.

Forms of Material: Books; business records; city directories; clippings; maps; newspapers; pamphlets; school yearbooks; scrapbooks.

Size of Collection: 10 file drawers of clippings; 1 case of newspaper microfilm; 2 map case drawers.

Use Policy: Open to public with permission; no lending.

Hours: Monday - Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Saturday: 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

PUEBLO

- (117) State Historical Society of Colorado
El Pueblo Museum
905 South Prairie Avenue
Pueblo, Colorado 81004
(303) 543-5635

Subjects: CF&I Steel; Fort El Pueblo; Indians; railroads; ranching; Spanish occupation.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; photographs; prints.

Size of Collection: 1,500 items.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours: Monday - Friday: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Saturday - Sunday, holidays: 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

RIO BLANCO COUNTY

MEEKER

- (118) Rio Blanco County Historical Society
Rio Blanco County Museum
Meeker, Colorado 81641

RIO-BLANCO COUNTY

Meeker, cont'd.

Subjects: Colorado, Western Slope; Meeker, Colorado;
Meeker Massacre; Rio Blanco County; Thornburgh
Battle; White River Valley.

Forms of Material: Books; papers.

Size of Collection: Large

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours: 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Open evenings during summer.

RIO GRANDE COUNTY

DEL NORTE

(119) King's Daughters Library
Del Norte, Colorado 81132

Subjects: Creede, Colorado; Del Norte, Colorado; San Luis
Valley.

Forms of Material: Clippings; letters; memoirs; photographs.

Size of Collection: 1 file.

Use Policy: Open to public.

Hours: Monday, Wednesday, Friday: 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

ROUTT COUNTY

HAYDEN

(120) Hayden Heritage Center
Old Denver & Rio Grande Depot
Hayden, Colorado 81639

Subjects: Agriculture; mining.

Forms of Material: Books; clippings; letters.

Hayden, cont'd.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours: By arrangement.

STEAMBOAT SPRINGS

- (121) Tread of Pioneers Museum
Steamboat Springs, Colorado 80477

Subjects: Family history; Hayden, Colorado; mining; Oak Creek, Colorado; ranching; Routt County; skiing; Steamboat Springs, Colorado; Yampa, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; clippings; interviews (taped); maps; photographs.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours (Memorial Day - Labor Day): 1:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

STEAMBOAT SPRINGS

- (122) Bud Werner Memorial Library
P.O. Box 96
Steamboat Springs, Colorado 80477
(303) 879-0240

Subjects: Routt County; Steamboat Springs, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Books; interviews (taped); newspapers (microfilmed); photographs.

Size of Collection: Modest

Use Policy: For students and researchers, with permission.

Hours: Monday - Thursday: 10:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Friday - Saturday: 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Note: Routt Historical Society materials are housed in the library.

ROUTT COUNTY

YAMPA

- (123) **Yampa Public Library**
Yampa, Colorado 80483
(303) 638-4548

Subjects: Agriculture; Colorado, Northwestern; forest industries; mining; railroads; Yampa, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Books; documents; photographs.

Size of Collection: Small

Use Policy: Open to public.

Hours: Tuesday afternoon.

SAGUACHE COUNTY

SAGUACHE

- (124) **Saguache County Museum**
Saguache, Colorado 81149

Subjects: Saguache County; San Luis Valley.

Forms of Material: Books; business records; clippings; letters; photographs.

Size of Collection: Small

Use Policy: Exhibits are open to public; local historians may use material.

Hours (June 1 - Labor Day): Daily: 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

SAN JUAN COUNTY

SILVERTON

- (125) **Silverton Public Library**
P.O. Box 245
Silverton, Colorado 81433
(303) 387-5732

Subjects: Mining; San Juan County.

Silverton, cont'd.

Forms of Material: Books; business records; newspapers
(Silverton, 1895 -).

Size of Collection: Small

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours: Monday - Tuesday, Thursday - Friday:
1:30 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.
Wednesday: 5:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

SEDGWICK COUNTY

JULESBURG

(126) Julesburg Museum
320 Cedar Street
Julesburg, Colorado 80737

Subject: Julesburg, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Books; business records; clippings;
letters; photographs.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours: Monday - Saturday: 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

OVID

(127) Ovid Public Library
Box 279
Ovid, Colorado 80744
(303) 463-5558

Subject: Ovid, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Business records; interviews (taped);
photographs.

Size of Collection: Small

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours: Tuesday, Saturday: 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Friday: 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Other times by arrangement.

SUMMIT COUNTY

SUMMIT COUNTY

BRECKENRIDGE

- (128) Summit County Library
Breckenridge Town Hall
Breckenridge, Colorado 80424
(303) 453-2750

Subjects: Explorers; ghost towns; mining; ranching; settlers;
(time limit: 1850 - World War I).

Form of Material: Books

Size of Collection: Approximately 50 volumes.

Use Policy: Open to public; materials loaned to residents
only. Materials available through interlibrary loan.

Hours: Tuesday: 3:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Thursday: 3:00 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.

DILLON

- (129) Summit Historical Society
Summit Historical Museum
P.O. Box 747
Dillon, Colorado 80435
(303) 468-6079

Subjects: Architecture; biography; churches; mining; ranching;
-recreation; schools; Summit County.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; clippings; interviews
(taped); letters; newspapers (Summit County Journal,
1897 -); photographs.

Size of Collection: 2,500 items.

Use Policy: Open to public; admission charged.

Hours (Memorial Day - Labor Day): Saturday - Sunday:
10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

WASHINGTON COUNTY

AKRON

- (130) Washington County Museum
Highway 34
Akron, Colorado 80720
(303) 345-6446

Subjects: Schools; Washington County.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; business records;
clippings; letters; newspapers; photographs.

Size of Collection: 1 house; 1 schoolhouse.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours: Sunday afternoons during the summer; other times
by arrangement.

WELD COUNTY

ERIE

- (131) Erie High School
Erie, Colorado 80516
(303) 828-3391
(303) 828-3392

Subjects: Columbine Mine; Erie, Colorado; ethnic groups;
mining.

Forms of Material: Books; clippings; interviews (taped);
photographs.

Size of Collection: 20 slides; 10 taped interviews.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours (During school year): Monday - Friday:
8:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

GREELEY

- (132) Greeley Municipal Museum
Civic Center Complex
Greeley, Colorado 80631
(303) 353-6123, Ext. 299

WELD COUNTY

Greeley, cont'd.

Subjects: Greeley, Colorado; Union Colony; Weld County.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; business records; clippings; interviews (taped); letters; photographs; scrapbooks.

Size of Collection: 4 file cabinets; 300 volumes.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours: Monday - Saturday: 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.;
1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

GREELEY

- (133) **High Plains Public Library System**
2227 23rd Avenue
Greeley, Colorado 80631
(303) 356-0214

Subjects: Kit Carson County; Larimer County; Logan County; Morgan County; Phillips County; Sedgwick County; Washington County; Weld County; Yuma County.

Form of Material: Interviews (taped).

Size of Collection: 10 tapes at present; growing collection.

Use Policy: Duplicate tapes available through interlibrary loan.

Hours: Monday - Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

GREELEY

- (134) **University of Northern Colorado**
James A. Michener Library
Archives, Manuscripts and Rare Books Services
Greeley, Colorado 80639
(303) 351-2562

Subjects: Greeley, Colorado (1852 -); irrigation.

WELD COUNTY

Greeley, cont'd.

Forms of Material: Books; legal papers; letters; manuscripts; newspaper clippings; photographs.

Size of Collection: Small and growing gradually.

Use Policy: Open to public.

Hours: Monday - Friday: 8:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.;
1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

PLATTEVILLE

(135) Platteville Pioneer Museum
314 B. Marion Avenue
Platteville, Colorado 80651
(303) 785-2946

Subject: Platteville, Colorado.

Forms of Material: Artifacts; books; business records; clippings; letters; photographs.

Size of Collection: Approximately 1,000 items.

Use Policy: Open to public; no lending.

Hours (June - August): 2:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Other times by arrangement.

LOCAL HISTORY SURVEY

Name of person responding to questionnaire _____

address _____

agency or organization for which you are replying _____

town or community which you are covering in your reply _____

1. Do you have or know of local history collections or projects in your community? Yes ___ No ___ Please list:
2. In what subject(s) do such historical collections or projects exist? (Be as specific as possible)
3. What limits are placed on the collection in terms of geographical area, subject, or time periods?
4. How is the activity funded? (Is it voluntary effort, private donations, city funds, state funds, etc.)
5. What forms of material are in the collection? (Photographs, audio tapes, clippings, books, letters, business records, etc.)
6. What is the size of the collection? (Number of items, or other size indication if an approximate number is not known)

7. Where is the collection housed? (Name of place, address)
8. Who may be contacted regarding the collection? (Name, mailing address, telephone)
9. What size and kind of staff is used? (Librarians, historians, clerks, volunteers, etc.)
10. How may the collection be used? (Is the collection open to the public? Can materials be borrowed via interlibrary loan or other channels? If not open to general public, who may use the collection?)
11. What hours is the collection available for use?
12. Are you cooperating with any other group or institution in your area to avoid duplication of effort? If so, how?
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