A. K. McDaniel Photograph Collection

Alaska Gold Mines Co., Juneau, Alaska, 1912

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91 b&w photographs

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HISTORICAL/BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

In 1912 the Alaska Gold Mines Co. acquired the mineral lands in the Sheep and Gold Creek Basins and the mill site at the mouth of Sheep Creek from the Alaska Perseverance Mining Co. The Alaska Gastineau Mining Co. operated the Alaska Gold Mines Co. The development which began in 1912 was completed in 1915. Mr. A.K. McDaniel, a consulting mining engineer, worked for Alaska Gastineau Mining Company in Juneau and Thane in 1912.

SCOPE AND CONTENTS NOTE

Two albums:
Progress pictures: Perseverance Division (views 1-49)
Progress pictures: Sheep Creek Division (views 50-91).

SUBJECTS

Gold mines and mining – Mines and mineral resources – Buildings, structures
Perseverance Mine (Juneau, Alaska) – Gold Creek Basin (Juneau, Alaska) – Sheep Creek Basin (Juneau, Alaska)
Alaska Gold Mines Company – Alaska Gastineau Mining Company (Juneau, Alaska)

INVENTORY

1. Aug. 23, 1912 [Road construction- looking up Basin Road]

2. Aug. 23, 1912 [Road construction – looking down Basin Road, Douglas Is. in background]

3. Aug. 23, 1912 [Road construction - Basin Rd. – high above flume – Low Per sv. Road around Horn in upper right]

4. Aug. 23, 1912 [Road bed construction]

5-8. Aug. 23, 1912 [Road construction]

9. Aug., 26, 1912. [Horse and wagon in view]

10-11. August 23, 1912. [Road Construction – post & beam on the Horn]

12. August 23, 1912. [Post & beam on Horn – note huge flume in Jualpa Basin at upper left]

13. August 23, 1912. [Road Construction]
14. August 23, 1912. [Road Construction – post & beam on the Horn]
15. August 23, 1912. [Road Construction – curve of Gold Creek just below Nowell camp]
16. August 23, 1912. [Road Construction]
17. August 23, 1912. [Road Construction – flume]
18. August 23, 1912. [Perseverance, Mine buildings]
19. August 23, 1912. [Flume with Perseverance mine buildings in background]
20. August 23, 1912. [Road construction]
21. August 23, 1912. [Road construction – flume]
22. August 23, 1912. [Creek and small wooden shacks]
23. August 23, 1912. [Miners standing by wooden shack along creek]
24-26. August 23, 1912. [Creek and falls]
27. August 26, 1912. [Road construction – post & beam road cons. on Horn]
28. August 23, 1912. [Road construction – truck load of lumber on dry stone wall Pers. Road above falls]
30. August 26, 1912. [Men seated in vehicles loaded with lumber – On Horn above Jualpa]
31. August 26, 1912. [Men seated in vehicles loaded with lumber – On Horn , Snowslide Gulch to left]
32-33. August 26, 1912. [Horse drawn carts on road – above Jualpa]
34. August 26, 1912. [Road construction-High Ebner Flume – Pers. Rd. – California Nevada Mill in canyon]
35. September 13, 1912. [Road construction and wooden tower]
36-38. September 14, 1912. [Horse drawn cart on road]
39. September 14, 1912. [Men working and horse drawn cart hauling lumber. Creek in view]
40-41. Sept. 14, 1912. [Road construction.]

42. September 14, 1912. [Two men seated on vehicle hauling lumber over bridge.]

43. Sept. 14, 1912. [Road construction]

44. Sept. 14, 1912 [Five men seated on vehicles ALOO]

45. Sept. 13, 1912. [Perseverance mill – bunkhouses at Persv.]

46. September 13, 1912 [Building construction]

47. October 9, 1912. New Fitting Shop.

48. Sept. 13, 1912. Main Station - Alexander Cross- cut level [Interior view of mine shaft]

49. Sept. 13, 1912. Retimbering east drift [Interior view]

50. [Panorama view of Silver Bow Basin and Perseverance.. Mine Buildings] (Winter & Pond Photo)

51. Oct. lst., 1912. East No. 1 Stope. [Interior view]

52. Aug. 19, 1912. [Dock at Sheep Creek – rail tram on hillside]

53. Aug. 19, 1912. [Buildings at end of dock]

54. Aug 19, 1912. [Sheep Creek wharf]

55. Aug. 19, 1912. [Buildings]

56. Aug. 19, 1912. [Tramway leading to dock area. Gastineau Channel in view]

57. Aug. 19, 1912. [Two men standing by wooden shack containing tramway engine.]

58. Aug. 19, 1912. [Lumber on dock and Tramway up creek in view]

59. Aug. 19, 1912. [Tramway, dock, Gastineau Channel and Treadwell in view]

60. Aug 19, 1912. [Sheep Creek buildings – Flume to Treadwell Sheep Crk. power plant across canyon]

61-64. Aug. 19, 1912. [Tramway construction]

65-67. Aug. 19, 1912. [Sheep Creek Buildings including the Nowell Gold Mining Co.]
68. Aug 19, 1912. [Tramway car on track with lumber stacked at side]
69-70. Aug 19, 1912. [Tramway construction]
71. Aug 19, 1912. [Tramway construction – Sheep Creek Flume to the left]
72. Sept. 11, 1912. [buildings]
73. September 11, 1912. [Sheep Creek wharf area]
74. September 11, 1912. [Interior view. Large engines ]
75. Sept. 11, 1912. [Tramway line from wharf]
76-77. Sept. 1, 1912. [Tramway and buildings.]
78. Sept. 11, 1912. [Men and tram car]
79. Sept. 11, 1912. [Two men working on power lines. Railway tracks at right]
80. Sept. 11, 1912. [Men running tram]
81-84. Sept. 11, 1912. [Building construction – at Portal camp]
85. Oct. 4, 1912. [New warehouse. Sheep Creek wharf]
86. Sept. 11, 1912. [Building construction – at Portal camp]
88. Oct. 4, 1912. Compressor and Power House Sheep Creek Adit Camp
89. Oct. 4, 1912. Starting Sheep Creek Adit [Men at work]
90. Oct. 4, 1912. Repairing old tunnel, starting Sheep Creek Adit.