Boothe Coal Company Records, 1938-1953

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INTRODUCTION
The records of the Boothe Coal Company contain material related to employment and coal production at the company. In addition, there are maps of the Boothe Coal Mine and miscellaneous receipts.

DONOR INFORMATION
The records were donated to the University of Missouri by Robert W. Creek on December 17, 1982 (Accession No. KA0191).

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ORGANIZATIONAL SKETCH
The Boothe Coal Company incorporated in 1934 with headquarters at Mosby, Missouri, in Clay County. The company’s mine was located in Section 13, Township 52, Range 31, west of Mosby, Missouri. J.E. Boothe was President of the company, and S.E. Boothe was Vice President. The mine operated from 1934 until close of operations on June 16, 1953.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE
The records have been arranged by type into six folders. The materials within the folders have been arranged chronologically.

The Coal Production folder contains papers that show the cubic foot production of the mine per year, and the yearly fiscal output of the mine. For the most part, these calculations are on scratch paper, and appeared to be for internal use and reference.

Folders two through four contain Payroll and Unemployment paperwork and records showing employee names, layoffs per quarter, and employment salary.

The Receipts folder, contains miscellaneous receipts of items purchased by Boothe Coal over the course of a year. Also included are blank time cards.

The Maps folder contains 13 copies of maps showing the location of the Boothe Coal Mine and its mining operations.
PREFERRED CITATION:
   Specific item; box number; folder number; Boothe Coal Company Records (K0098); The State Historical Society of Missouri Research Center-Kansas City [after first mention may be abbreviated to SHSMO-KC].

FOLDER LIST

Box 001

  f. 1   Coal Production, 1938-1950
  f. 2-4 Payroll and Unemployment, 1938-1953
  f. 5   Receipts, 1952-1953
  f. 6   Maps, n.d. (photocopies)

Box 002x3

  1-13   Maps, n.d. 080.010 (originals)

LOCATION NOTE
   The maps are available on aperture cards (80.010), and the originals can be viewed in box 002x3, K0006 080:001-025 x3.

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