



RAPID CITY JOURNAL (1878-) NATIVE AMERICAN REFERENCE FILE, 1891, 1939-1941, 1946, 1955-1984, undated; 72 microfiche

Abstract

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Historical Note

The Rapid City Journal was established in 1878 as the *Black Hills Weekly Journal* soon after gold was discovered in the Black Hills (1874) and Rapid City (1876) was founded. In 1974, it was sold to the *Minneapolis Star and Tribune*, but editorial independence was retained.

Scope and Content

Clippings, photographic prints, and notes (e.g. data sheets) from a Rapid City, South Dakota, newspaper about American Indians and related others primarily from the Cheyenne River, Pine Ridge, and Rosebud Indian reservations and the Rapid City Indian community in western South Dakota. Most substantial are the materials about the American Indian Movement (AIM) and its leaders (e.g. Russell Means, 1940-, Dennis Banks, 1937-), Black Hills Lakota land claims, Crazy Horse Monument, and Indian reservation economic development. Other notable topics pertain to local reminiscences and histories, civil rights and federal treaty rights, health, and education.

Several folders include extensive information about the American Indian Movement (AIM) and its leaders, Dennis Banks (1937-) and Russell Means (1940-) under those headings. In addition, some materials are included under the headings Bureau of Indian Affairs, Indian Affairs – Jurisdiction, and Wounded Knee Siege. Reactions towards AIM are included under William J. Janklow, Richard F. Kneip, Mark Mierhenry, Frederick J. Nichol, and Dick Wilson. Indian Affairs (1975) includes extensive day-to-day coverage of the Wounded Knee siege.

The Lakota Black Hills claim pertains to the 1876 alienation of tribal alienation by the United States. Clippings on the claim are dispersed primarily under Indian Affairs and Indian Affairs – Jurisdiction with a few also under Indians (1952-1953).

In addition to self-evident headings, economic development information is also included in the folders Tom Berry, James Big Crow, Ben Black Elk, Dallas Bordeaux, Elmer Compton, Henry Cottier, Frank Ducheneaux, Greg Ducheneaux, Merton Glover, Pete Lemley, Albert Trimble, Webster Two Hawk, Cato Valandra, Joe Valandra, Dick Wilson, and Otto Wolff.

The heading Indian Affairs includes several articles on Civil rights and treaty rights, land ownership, health, and education. Articles on Chief Crazy Horse and Pine Ridge Indian Reservation communities (1950-1953, 1964) and the 1890 Wounded Knee massacre (1950) are also included as well as a brief Lakota history by Victor Douville (1973). Series of articles appear on Oglala Community High School, Pine Ridge (1973), the Indian Health Service (1978), and the Rapid City Indian community (1978).

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