Recent Publications on the History of Mining

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The following list contains articles and dissertations that relate to the history of mining. It includes all types of mining in North America. It does not include books, since they are covered in the book review section of the journal, nor does it include book review articles. Thanks to those who sent in suggestions for this installment. We welcome citations for inclusion in the next update.


Dobado, Ragel and Gustavo Marrero. "Mineria, crecimiento economico y costes de la independencia en Mexico." *Revista de Historia Economica* 19, no. 3 (Fall-Winter 2001): 573-611. [Relationship between mining expansion and economic growth in New Spain; the determinants of the silver production; and an estimate of the economic cost of independence for Mexico.]


Fuller, Craig. “Finns and the Winter Quarters Mine Disaster.” Utah Historical Quarterly 70, no. 2 (Spring 2002): 123-139.


Garrett, Donald E. “Sodium Sulfate—5,000 Years of Mining and Processing Salt Cake.” Mining Engineering 54, no. 2 (February 2002): 17-22.


“Goldfield Photos.” Central Nevada’s Glorious Past 24, no. 1 (May 2001): 3-6. [Selection from over 50 Goldfield photos recently acquired by historical society.]


McGivern, David Francis. “This is Mine: ’A History of Crow Creek [Alaska].” M.A. thesis, University of Alaska Anchorage, 2000. [Frontier mythology (rugged individualism and private property) vs. a belief that natural resources have a voice in the history of the earth.]


“Nye County, 1864.” Central Nevada’s Glorious Past 24, no. 1 (May 2001): 7-10. [Reprint of 1864 article.]


Robinson, John W. “Rushing for Gold Via the Southern Overland Route.” *Dogtown Territorial Quarterly* 45 (Spring 2001): 4-33.


Stonebanks, Roger. "No. 1 Mine: Racism Revisited." *Labour/Le Travail* no. 48 (Fall, 2001): 358-60. [Call for recognition of dead miners in British Columbia.]


