
Recent Publications on the History of Mining

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The following bibliography contains books, dissertations and theses, articles, and other media that relate to the history of all types of mining in North America. It does not include book review articles. We have divided the list into four sections: books; dissertations and theses; articles; and other media.

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