

In the papers of the Webster County Coal and Land Company are many documents depicting life and laboring conditions in the Iowa coal mining communities. A printed constitution of the United Mine Workers of America, District 13 is attached to a letter from J. Warwick to W. C. Toomey, Nov. 11, 1899. Mules in the mines, fires, accidents of many kinds in the mines and on the railroad (Mason City & Ft. Dodge Road), epidemics, lawsuits, claims, strikes, etc. are described.

See in REPORTS a report on the papers of the Iowa Properties.