**Title:** Finnish Organizations of Butte, Mont. (W.C. Koski collection) **Creator:** Various organization in and surrounding Butte, Montana

Inclusive Dates: 1919-1964 Bulk dates: 1920-1950 Extent: .5 linear ft.

Languages: Finnish and English

**Abstract:** The Walfred C. Koski collection of 2009 includes materials from a variety of Finnish organizations in Butte, Montana, including the Finnish Worker's Club, the Finnish Worker's Drama Club, the Finnish American Athletics Club, the Red Lodge and Butte Sports Society, and the Finnish Hall Society.

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## **Finding Aid**

2009.65.01 O-47, Folder 1

Finnish Workers Club of Butte Minutes, 1/31/1919 - 1/2/1920 Butte Finnish Workers Drama Club minutes, 9/22/1929 - 1/5/1930

2009.65.02 O-47, Folder 2

Finnish Workers Club Minutes, 5/14/1934-4/20/1947

2009.65.03 O-47, Folder 3

Finnish American Athletics Club Minutes, 10/19/1930-2/21/1932, 7/31/1935, 3/14/1936-5/19/1937

2009.65.04 O-47, Folder 4

Notes found in Finnish American Athletics Club Minutes, 1932-1937 Includes sports rules, minutes draft, and illustration of a woman.

2009.65.05 O-47, Folder 5 Finnish Hall Society Checkbook, 2/8/1960 to 12/9/1963, check receipt of \$1,000.00 to Workers Publishing Company, and bank statement (First National Bank of Butte, Montana)

2009.65.06 O-47, Folder 6

Finnsh Workers Club of Butte checkbook, 11/14/1938 to 1/30/1950

2009.65.07 O-47, Folder 7

Loose stenographers notebook with minutes draft from 1/28/193x

2009.65.08 O-47, Folder 8

Loose pages:

Draft of Drama Club minutes, 1929

Results of Compeition, Red Lodge, Butte, and Mullan

Throwing (heitto sarja), Jumping (hyppy sarja), Running

(jouksu sarja), "Five Battle" (viisi ottelu), Kolmen

Mailin Viesti (three-mile relay) with yhteinen aiki

(combined time), and Kolmen Mailin Juoksu (three-mile run)

Gymnastics Instructions (Vapaalikkeita), typed and hand-written)

Minutes notes (undated)

Minutes draft 8/18/1930 with notes from Ivar Otava

Minutes draft 8/1/1931

Butte Finnish Workers Club (V. ja U.) rules (säänöt)

Butte Finnish Workers Club's Köntyksen Seura (Athletics Club) rules

Butte Finnish Workers Club's Athletics Club rules for displaying monographs or emblems.

"120 Words - January 1936." Letter (typed copy) from

one Senator to another regarding Depression legislation. Unsigned.

Invitation to sports party/event from Mullan to Butte

via hand-written letter, 7/6/36.

Telegram canceling Red Lodge's participation in Mullan's

sports competition - should we reschedule? 6/17/1936.

Hand-written draft of response on back.

notes for glass

Advertisement for Association of Accredited Commercial

Schools, Butte Business College, Butte, Montana

"Facts Regarding Butte Business College"

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Finnish Hall Society Accounts, 4/25/1917-1/1/1964

2009.65.10 O-47, Folder 9

Loose pages from Finnish Hall Society Accounts, 1917-1964: 2009.65.10.01-03 Finnish Workers Club Päätös (mission statement) 2009.65.10.04 Finnish Workers Club Säännöt (rules) 2009.65.10.05 Statement from Anaconda Mining Company showing the 10/8/1940 purchase of real estate in Butte for \$10,000.00.

2009.65.11 Oversize

Butte Finnish Workers Club Accounts, 1928-1951



2009.65.12 Object collection

Butte Finnish Hall Society's Metal Hand Stamp



2009.65.13 Object collection

Kohkonen-Maki-Aro Relay Race Trophy, 1936. (see 2009.65.14 for rules which were found inside trophy)

2009.65.14 O-47, Folder 10

Kohkonen-Maki-Aro Relay Race Rules, 1936. Rules found inside trophy (see 2009.65.13)