



Peter and Catharine Whyte fonds

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions36>

Part Of: Peter and Catharine Whyte fonds

Description Level: 1 / Fonds

Fonds Number: M36 / V683 / S37

Sous-Fonds: TBD

Accession Number: 3069 and various

Reference Code: M36 / S37 / V683

GMD: Drawing

Motion picture

Film

Photograph

Album

Ambrotype

Cased photograph

Daguerreotype

Negative

Photograph print

Postcard

Tintype

Transparency

Sound recording

Cassette

Reel to reel

Textual record

Plan

Poster

Private record

Published record

Other Title Info: Also known as the Whyte family fonds

Date Range: 1856-1980

Physical Description: 25 m of textual records. -- ca.46,000 photographs : prints, albums, postcards, cased photographs, transparencies, negatives. -- 178 sound recordings : audio tape reels, audio tape cassettes. -- 6 motion pictures (and film strips)

History /

Biographical:

Peter and Catharine Whyte were artists, photographers, outdoor enthusiasts, travelers, philanthropists and cultural workers at Banff, Alberta, Canada. Peter Whyte, 1905-1966, was born at Banff in 1905 to pioneer merchant Dave White and Annie (Curren) White. He was an accomplished skier and ski jumper and one of the region's first native-born painters with an intimate knowledge of the mountains and was an active photographer from ca.1920 until the 1950s. Peter Whyte studied art at the Otis Art Institute, Los Angeles, 1923-1924, and at the School of the Museum of Fine Arts at Boston, 1925, where he met Catharine Robb. Catharine Robb Whyte, 1906-1979, was born in 1906 at Concord, Massachusetts and grew up amongst the wealth and creativity of the Robb and Morse families. She studied at the School of the Museum of Fine Arts at Boston, 1925-1929.

Following their marriage in 1930, the Whytes pursued a life of painting, photography, hiking, skiing and travelling. Their log home and studio in Banff became a focal point for their artist friends, Stoney Indians and local pioneers. Catharine shared Pete's involvement in skiing and hiking organizations and together they managed Skoki Lodge from 1932-1934. In following years, the Whytes travelled extensively. During the Second World War, Peter served in the reserve army, with the Royal Canadian Air Force as a photographer and, briefly, as an official war artist. Catharine continued to paint and maintain their home and, when possible, accompanied Pete to his military postings. In civilian life, Pete resumed his art career, explored new photographic techniques and sculpted.

Throughout the 1950s and 1960s, the Whytes formulated plans for a foundation to preserve the art and history of the Canadian Rockies. Plans for a building to house an archives, public library and gallery were in preparation when Pete died in 1966. The Peter Whyte Foundation was named in his honour. Catharine immersed herself in the development of what is now the Whyte Museum of the Canadian Rockies, in the cultural community, painting, outdoor activity, travel and work with the Stoney First Nations. She became a more active photographer, recording her travels and outdoor pursuits. She served in an official capacity with numerous cultural and charitable organizations, was a patron to individuals studying art and music, and supported numerous causes relating to the Stoney First Nations. Catharine also supported causes related to multiculturalism, regional culture and recreation, and cancer research. Despite her modesty and often anonymous patronage of causes, Catharine was recognized with numerous awards and honours, including the Order of Canada in 1978. She died in Banff in 1979.

Scope & Content:

Fonds consists of papers, photographs and sound recordings of Peter and Catharine Whyte and the papers and photographs of their respective families. Consists of three sous-fonds: V683, S37 and M36. M36 and S37 consists of three series. Series I: Peter and Catharine Whyte, Series II: Robb and Morse families, Series III: White and Curren families. Within Series I, there are four Sub-series: Series: A. Catharine Robb Whyte papers; B. Peter Whyte papers; C. Peter and Catharine Whyte papers accessioned after 2017; D. Peter and Catharine Whyte sound recordings.

Name Access:	Whyte, Peter Whyte, Catharine
Subject Access:	Arts Communications Environment Exploration, discovery and travel Family and personal life First nations Sports, recreation and leisure

Access Restrictions:	Some restriction/s on access Copyright, privacy, commercial use and other restrictions may apply
Language:	Language is English
Finding Aid:	Finding aids and reference tools: arrangement outline sous-fonds, series and file description for textual sub-series and group description for photographs item description, subject/proper name index, and summaries for sound recordings reference copies for sound recordings
Creator:	Whyte, Peter Whyte, Catharine
Category:	Arts Communications Environment Exploration, discovery and travel Family and personal life First nations Sports, recreation and leisure
Title Source:	Title based on contents of fonds
Processing Status:	Processed

Electronic Resources



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William O. Field fonds

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Part Of: William O. Field fonds

Description Level: 1 / Fonds

Fonds Number: M 58
V 6

Sous-Fonds: M 58
V 6

Accession Number: 5852, 6787

Reference Code: M58 / V6

GMD: Photograph
Album
Negative
Photograph print
Transparency
Textual record
Diary
Map
Private record
Published record

Date Range: 1885-1989, predominant 1902-1989

Physical Description: ca.7000 photographs : prints, negatives, transparencies. -- 4 photograph albums (475 prints). -- ca.55 cm and 14 v. of textual records. -- 4 cartographic records

History /

Biographical:

William O. Field, 1904-1994, of Massachusetts, U.S.A., was a noted geologist with the American Geographical Society and an expert on mountain glaciers of the northern hemisphere. He made trips to the Canadian Rockies with his father, William Osgood Field, during the 1920s even before graduating from Harvard in 1926. William O. Field studied key glaciers in British Columbia and Alberta from 1922 until 1981.

Scope & Content:

Fonds consists of records created and collected by William O. Field during to glacier study, research and travels in the Canadian Rockies and area.

I. CR files : [Canadian Rockies series], 1919-1989, 110 files and 13 volumes of textual records and ca.275 files of photographs. Textual records include diaries, notebooks and files for 1948, 1949 and 1953. Photographs include ca.5800 prints, ca.325 negatives and 4 photograph albums in annual files for years 1919 to 1927 and 1948, 1949 and 1953.

II. Reports, before 1980.

III. Resources, 1902-1985, consists of photographs, maps and textual volume collected by Field for research use.

IV. Display photographs, 1885-1953.

Name Access: Field, William O.

Subject Access: Environment
Exploration, discovery and travel
Science and technology

Access Restrictions: Some restrictions on access to originals
Copyright, privacy, commercial use and other restrictions may apply

Language: Language is English

Finding Aid:	Finding aids and reference tools: arrangement outline series and file description electronic finding aid
Creator:	Field, William O.
Category:	Environment Exploration, discovery and travel Science and technology
Biographical Source Notes:	grant application 2000
Title Source:	Title based on accession record
Processing Status:	Processed

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Broadcasts

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions836>

Part Of: Peter and Catharine Whyte fonds
Description Level: 4 / Sub-series
Fonds Number: M36 / V683 / S37
Series: I.D. Peter and Catharine Whyte sound recordings series
Sous-Fonds: S37
Accession Number: 3069
Reference Code: S37 / 99 - 175
Date Range: 1959 - 1969
Physical Description: 77 sound recordings : audio tape reels

Scope & Content:

Sub-series consists of broadcasts pertaining to the Canadian Rockies, 18 items; and miscellaneous broadcasts, 59 items. Interviewees, sources and subjects for Canadian Rockies broadcasts include: Jack Brewster, John Fisher, Campbells, Rundle Memorial United Church, Rev. Tom Lonsdale, church unity, Joe Weiss, parachute rescue work at Jasper, Don White, Lyle Brown, Jimmy Simpson, Ed Feuz, Jim Boyce, Andy Russell, Bruno Engler, Sen. Cameron, George McLean, Charlie Beil, Catharine Whyte, Banff library, Archives of the Canadian Rockies, Jon Whyte, Peter Whyte, Catharine Whyte, Banff Indian Days, Pearl Moore, Village Lake Louise, Palliser Expedition, Cameron Stockand, Mary Schaffer Warren. Miscellaneous broadcasts pertain to politics, sports, royalty, Canadian painting, military speeches, Hawaiian music, and other topics.

Finding Aid: Printed inventory is available. Reference copies and printed summaries are available for some recordings.
Related Material: Constitutes Sub-series 6 of I.D., Peter and Catharine Whyte sound recordings.
Title Source: Title based on recordings.
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Collected photographs. -- [ca.1905-ca.1950]

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions13799>

Part Of: William O. Field fonds
Description Level: 4 / Sub-series
Series: III.A. Resources : photographs
Reference Code: V6 / 289 (PA) - 1 to 54????
Physical Description: 4 cm of photographs (ca.140 prints, 6 negatives). -- 1 item of print material. -- 1 sketch

Scope & Content:

Photographs in 54 groups pertain to glaciers in the Canadian Rockies. Primarily includes photographs by numerous photographers and collected by W. O. Field. Includes one item by W.O. Field. Published item is Walcott panorama. Pencil sketch of Scott Glacier Recession Survey. Includes material both in files and loose. Photographer's group / item list follows

Access Restrictions: Access to negatives is by appointment only

Title Source: Title based on material

Content Details: Photographer's list:

Mt. Athabaska from camp at Sunwapta / L.P. Freeman (V6 / 289-4)
Horseshoe GL Lake Louise area (AAC - HP 07-G-41) (V6 / 289-5)
Glaciers near Moraine Lake / Harmon, Thorington, Wilcox, Palmer (V6 / 289-6)
Illecillewaet & others in Selkirks / Palmer, H. Ries [1897-1923] (V6 / 289-7)
CR photos / Palmer ca.1927 (V6 / 289-8)
Habel Creek - North Twin / Palmer 1924 (V6 / 289-9)
Burgess Pass (Emerald GL) : [panorama] / Charles Walcott, - Nat'l Geo 1911 (V6 / 289-10)
Mt. Forbes, view from Mt. Erasmus, Robson / J.C. Oberlin 1949 GL , Tumbling GL , Berg Lake (V6 / 289-11)
Nameless Peaks & Mt. Quincy / Palmer 1924 (V6 / 289-12)
CR trip / Harris ? 1924 (V6 / 289-13)
CR trip / Harris ? 1924 (V6 / 289-14)
CR trip Alexandra Valley / Harris ? 1924 (V6 / 289-15)
CR trip Saskatchewan Forks return / Harris ? 1924 (V6 / 289-16)
CR trip RR to Bow Pass / Harris ? 1924 (V6 / 289-17)
CR trip Outram / Harris ? 1924 (V6 / 289-18)
CR trip Bear Creek Saskatchewan / Harris ? 1924 (V6 / 289-19)
CR trip Castleguard - Low / Harris ? 1924 (V6 / 289-20)
CR trip Castleguard - High / Harris ? 1924 (V6 / 289-21)
Angel GL photos / Harris, Taylor, others [early 1920's, 1949] (V6 / 289-22)
Mt. Lefroy & Victoria GL / Cooper 1921 (V6 / 289-23)
Victoria GL / Ries , others [early, 1908] (V6 / 289-24)
Bow GL / Thorington, Coleman, Stutfield & Collie, others (V6 / 289-25)
Columbia GL / Bd. Sv. [boundary survey] 1919 (V6 / 289-26)
Yoho Valley / Ries 1911 (V6 / 289-27)
Yoho GL / [Wheeler, Harmon, others] [early 1917, 1953] (V6 / 289-28)
Head of Mistaya River Bd. Sv. / Bd. Sv. [boundary survey], Thorington [1923] (V6 / 289-29)
Scott GL / Thorington 1924, Rex Gibson 1952 (V6 / 289-30)
SE Lyell GL / Kothe 1940 (V6 / 289-31)
Ayres photos / 1948 (V6 / 289-32)
Castleguard GL , Castleguard Valley - Set B / Thorington 1923 (V6 / 289-33)
CR trip Castleguard / Wheeler 1918, Bd. Sv. 1919 (V6 / 289-34)
Castleguard GL , Mt. Harvard / probably by L.V. Harris 1924 (V6 / 289-

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S.E. Lyell GL - Set B / Dominion Water & Power Branches 1947 (V6 / 289-36)

Alexandra GL / Thorington 1923 (V6 / 289-37)

Robson / Austin S. Post 1965 (V6 / 289-38)

Mt. Robson / University of Washington 1961 (V6 / 289-39)

Mt. Assiniboine / University of Washington 1961 (V6 / 289-40)

Athabaska and Dome GL 's from Wilcox Pass / W. B. O. Field [Sr.] ca. 1919 (V6 / 289-41)

From Wilcox Peak / Wheeler Bd. Sv. 1919 (V6 / 289-42)

From east of Nigel Peak / Wheeler Bd. Sv. 1919 (V6 / 289-43)

Athabaska GL from Mt. Wilcox / L.P. Freeman (V6 / 289-44)

Columbia GL / Palmer 1920 or 1924 (V6 / 289-45)

Columbia GL / Bd. Sv. ca 1919 (V6 / 289-46)

Mount Columbia / Mary T. S. Schaffer 1907 (V6 / 289-47)

Saskatchewan GL , Parker Ridge / Bd. Sv. 1919 (V6 / 289-48)

Robson GL / Heusser 1953, Cooper 1914, Coleman 1908, Kinney & Mumm (V6 / 289-49)

Freshfield GL terminal area / Palmer 1922, Thorington 1926 (V6 / 289-50)

Peyto GL early / Wilcox 1896, Kingman 1936, Dickson 1933 (V6 / 289-51)

Freshfield GL , Niverville GL / Palmer 1922 & 1926, Thorington 1922 (V6 / 289-52)

Freshfield GL / Weed 1902 (V6 / 289-53)

Surveys of Athabasca GL / 1945-1948 (V6 / 289-54)

Crowfoot GL & Bow Lake / Perkins, Harmon, Field (V6 / 289-55)

Mt. Temple, Sir Donald, Bonney / Ladd 1949 (V6 / 289-56)

Castleguard Valley, Columbia Icefield (V6 / 289-57)

Robson GL / W.O.Field (V6 / 289-58)

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Conversations with Stoney Nakoda First Nations and Banff Indian Days recordings

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions834>

Part Of: Peter and Catharine Whyte fonds
Description Level: 4 / Sub-series
Fonds Number: M36 / V683 / S37
Series: I.D. Peter and Catharine Whyte sound recordings series
Sous-Fonds: S37
Accession Number: 3069
Reference Code: S37 / 57 - 83
Date Range: 1950 - 1973
Physical Description: 27 sound recordings.

Scope & Content:

Interviewees, sources and subjects in this sub-series include: Banff Indian Days, Paul Amos, Bill Peyto, David Bearspaw, Johnny Bearspaw, Paul Francis, Noah Goat, Frank Kaquitts, Tom McCullough, Tom Kaquitts, Jon Whyte, Billy MacKenzie, George McLean (Chief Walking Buffalo), Peter Whyte, Indigenous camp at Nordegg, Dorothy Whyte, Moral Rearmament, Flora McLean, Jacob Two Youngman, Hanson Bearspaw, Joe Kaquitts, Tom Simeon, Bill McLean and Percy Wildward. Includes numerous native songs and stories, many recorded at Banff Indian Days camps.

Access Restrictions: Reproduction of certain native recordings must be approved by the Head Archivist.

Finding Aid: Inventory available in computer database form; select M36INV. More detailed inventory is available in printed form. Reference copies and printed summaries are available for some recordings.

Related Material: Constitutes Sub-series 4 of I.D., Peter and Catharine Whyte sound recordings.

Title Source: Title based on recordings.

Processing Status: Processed

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Correspondence

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions819>

Part Of:	Peter and Catharine Whyte fonds
Description Level:	4 / Sub-series
Fonds Number:	M36 / V683 / S37
Series:	I.B. Peter Whyte papers and photographs series
Reference Code:	M36 / I / B / 2 / 1875 - 1908
Date Range:	1909-1962
Physical Description:	40 cm of textual records.
Scope & Content:	<p>Sub-series consists of correspondence with Catharine Robb Whyte, 1927-1962; chronological correspondence files, 1909-1962; and other papers, [ca.1920- ca.1930], in the form of business cards, addresses, greeting cards, and other.</p>
Finding Aid:	File description available in printed form and through this database.
Related Material:	Constitutes Sub-series 2 of I.B. Peter Whyte papers and photographs.
Title Source:	Title based on contents of sub-series
Processing Status:	Processed.

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Correspondence. -- 1862-1979

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions815>

Part Of: Peter and Catharine Whyte fonds
Description Level: 4 / Sub-series
Fonds Number: M36 / V683 / S37
Series: I.A. Catharine Robb Whyte papers and photographs series
Reference Code: M36 / I / A / 2 / 64 - 658
Physical Description: 789 cm of textual records.
Scope & Content:

Sub-series consists of correspondence with Peter Whyte, 1927-1962; Robb family, 1862-1962; Edith Morse Robb, 1913-1962; Russell Robb Sr., 1907-1925. Also includes alphabetical people files, 1912-1979; chronological files, 1913-1979; greeting cards, 1929-1978, including letters; related materials, 1930-1978, including card file, business cards, guest book, guest register and miscellaneous. Correspondence with Edith Morse Robb consists of Catharine Whyte's letters both to and from her mother, Edith Robb. Outgoing letters provide a detailed account of life in Banff, including local events, personalities and travels in the Canadian Rockies.

Finding Aid: File-level description available in printed form and through this database.
Related Material: Constitutes Sub-series 2 of I.A., Catharine Robb Whyte papers and photographs.
Title Source: Title based on papers.
Content Details: Guest book with illustrated entries, belonging to Peter and Catharine Whyte, 1933-1935. held in oversize "E"
Processing Status: Processed.

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CR 19. -- 1919

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions13813>

Part Of: William O. Field fonds
Description Level: 4 / Sub-series
Series: I.A.1.a. CR files : CR19-CR27 : photographs
Reference Code: V6 / 1 (PA)
Physical Description: 1 file of photographs (9 prints) : includes oversize
Scope & Content:

S-s-series consists of file pertaining to packtrip, location unknown, 4 items; W. B. O. Field (Field Sr.); 1 item; commercial views of Banff and Lake Louise area, 5 items

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CR 20 : [files]. -- 1920

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions13781>

Part Of: William O. Field fonds
Description Level: 4 / Sub-series
Series: I.A.1.b. CR files : CR19-CR27 : photographs
Reference Code: V6 / 2 to 25 (PA, NA)
Physical Description: 24 files of photographs (532 prints, ca.425 negatives : nitrate)

Scope & Content:

S-s-series consists of files pertaining to glacier studies and trips in 1920. File list and list of select individual prints to follow. File 25 contains loose prints and negatives pertaining to glacier studies and trips in 1920, 27 prints and 3 negatives

Access Restrictions: Access to negatives is by appointment only

Content Details:

PHOTOGRAPHER'S FILE LIST:

F - 20 - C1 to C25 (V6 / 2)
F - 20 - C26 to C50 Banff (V6 / 3)
F - 20 - C51 to C75 (V6 / 4)
F - 20 - C76 to C100 Mt. Edith area (V6 / 5)
F - 20 - C101 to C125 Forty Mile (V6 / 6)
F - 20 - C126 to C150 Mystic Lake (V6 / 7)
F - 20 - C151 to C175 Panther River (V6 / 8)
F - 20 - C176 to C200 Sheep, Panther River (V6 / 9)
F - 20 - C201 to C225 Harrison Lake (V6 / 10)
F - 20 - C226 to C250 Red Deer River (V6 / 11)
F - 20 - C251 to C275 Clearwater (V6 / 12)
F - 20 - C276 to C300 Clearwater (V6 / 13)
F - 20 - C301 to C325 personals (V6 / 14)
F - 20 - C326 to C350 Clearwater Pass (V6 / 15)
F - 20 - C351 to C375 Pipestone Valley (V6 / 16)
F - 20 - C376 to C400 Ptarmigan #1 (V6 / 17)
F - 20 - C401 to C425 Ptarmigan #2 (V6 / 18)
F - 20 - C426 to C450 Pipestone Pan - Siffleur (V6 / 19)
F - 20 - C451 to C475 Camp scenes, general scenes not identified (V6 / 20)
F - 20 - C476 to C500 (V6 / 21)
F - 20 - C501 to C525 general scenes, unidentified (V6 / 22)
F - 20 - C526 to C550 Takakaw [Takakkaw] Falls (V6 / 23)
F - 20 - C554 to C571 (V6 / 24)
F - 20 - C[a] to C[c] (V6 / 25)
LIST OF SELECTED PRINTS FROM TEXT FILE "List of Glacier Photos
CR 22, 20, 21 & AC 25, 27" (M58/1)
F - 20 - C102 Castleguard GL #1 or 2 from camp
F - 20 - C106 Saskatchewan GL from pass
F - 20 - C136 Columbia GL from Twin Col.
F - 20 - C144 Mt. Col. from Twins
F - 20 - C146 Mt. Col. from Twins

F - 20 - C155 Mt. Alberta from N. Twin
 F - 20 - C167 Castleguard GL #2 (?) from camp
 F - 20 - C176 Saskatchewan GL from Columbia Icefield
 F - 20 - C177 Saskatchewan GL from Columbia Icefield
 F - 20 - C194 From Mt. Castleguard over Castleguard GL #4
 F - 20 - C199 Terrace GL from Mt. Castleguard
 F - 20 - C223 Twins from Castleguard
 F - 20 - C224 Columbia GL from Col.
 F - 20 - C225 Columbia GL from Col.
 F - 20 - C254 Castleguard GL #1
 F - 20 - C255 Castleguard GL #1
 F - 20 - C256 Castleguard GL #1
 F - 20 - C257 Castleguard GL #1
 F - 20 - C258 Castleguard GL #1
 F - 20 - C261 Castleguard GL # 1 or 2
 F - 20 - C371 Glacier on Mt. Chephren from Mt. [?]
 F - 20 - C384 Glacier on Mt. Chephren from Mt. [?]
 F - 20 - C355 Freshfield from Mt. [?]
 F - 20 - C419 Glacier [?] on Babette GL
 F - 20 - C460 Bow GL
 F - 20 - C466/67 Bow GL

LIST OF NEGATIVES:

F - 20 - C69
 F - 20 - C72 to C73
 F - 20 - C82
 F - 20 - C101 to C102
 F - 20 - C104 to C107
 F - 20 - C109 to C154
 F - 20 - C156 to C198
 F - 20 - C200
 F - 20 - C202 to C213
 F - 20 - C215 to C227
 F - 20 - C229 to C233
 F - 20 - C236 to C267
 F - 20 - C269 to C282
 F - 20 - C284 to C288
 F - 20 - C290 to C311
 F - 20 - C313
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 F - 20 - C315 to C323
 F - 20 - C325 to C336
 F - 20 - C338 to C357
 F - 20 - C360 to C361
 F - 20 - C365 to C372
 F - 20 - C378 to C380

F - 20 - C384 to C386[a] & C386 [b]

F - 20 - C387 to C409

F - 20 - C413 to C421

F - 20 - C423 to C424

F - 20 - C430 to C444

F - 20 - C451

F - 20 - C454 to C462

F - 20 - C465 to C507

F - 20 - C509 to C520

F - 20 - C522 to C533

F - 20 - C535 to C571

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CR 21 : [files]. -- 1921

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions13782>

Part Of: William O. Field fonds

Description Level: 4 / Sub-series

Series: I.A.1.c. CR files : CR19-CR27 : photographs

Reference Code: V6 / 26 to 40 (PA, NA)

Physical Description: 15 files of photographs (370 prints, 284 negatives : nitrate)

Scope & Content:

S-S-series consists of 14 numbered files and one file of loose photographs (49 prints) pertaining to glacier studies and trips in 1921. File list available.

Access Restrictions: Access to negatives is by appointment only

Content Details:

FILE LIST:

F - 21 - C1 to C25 RR area to Lower Pipestone (V6 / 26)
F - 21 - C26 to C50 Pipestone to Clearwater (V6 / 27)
F - 21 - C51 to C75 Clearwater #1 (V6 / 28)
F - 21 - C76 to C100 (V6 / 29)
F - 21 - C101 to C125 Clearwater #2 (V6 / 30)
F - 21 - C126 to C150 (V6 / 31)
F - 21 - C151 to C175 (V6 / 32)
F - 21 - C176 to C200 Clearwater #3 (V6 / 33)
F - 21 - C201 to C225 (V6 / 34)
F - 21 - C226 to C250 (V6 / 35)
F - 21 - C251 to C275 Lower Pipestone to Louise to RR (V6 / 36)
F - 21 - C276 to C300 (V6 / 37)
F - 21 - C301 to C317 (V6 / 38)
F - 21 - C318 to C321 (V6 / 39)
F - 21 : loose prints pertaining to glacier studies and trips in 1921 (V6 / 40)

NEGATIVES:

F - 21 - C3
F - 21 - C8 to C29
F - 21 - C31 to C35
F - 21 - C37 to C45
F - 21 - C47 to C63
F - 21 - C65 to C71
F - 21 - C73 to C75
F - 21 - C77 to C82
F - 21 - C84 to C121
F - 21 - C123 to C139
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F - 21 - C141 to C151
F - 21 - C154 to C155
F - 21 - C158 to C246
F - 21 - C248 to C269
F - 21 - C271
F - 21 - C273 to C299
F - 21 - C301 to C306
F - 21 - C31

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CR 22 : [files]. -- 1922



<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions13783>

Part Of: William O. Field fonds

Description Level: 4 / Sub-series

Series: I.A.1.d. CR files : CR19-CR27 : photographs

Reference Code: V6 / 41 to 58 (PA,NA)

Physical Description: 19 files of photographs (467 prints, 1 negative : nitrate)

Scope & Content:

S-s-series contains 17 numbered files and 2 other files of photographs pertaining to glacier studies and trips in 1922. Prints in file V6 / 58 were in 25 titled envelopes and are identified by date, 40 items. File list available; also list of titles for V6 / 58

Access Restrictions: Access to negatives is by appointment only

Content Details: FILE LIST (V6 / 41 to 58) :

F - 22 - C1 to C25 (V6 / 41)

F - 22 - C26 to C50 (V6 / 42)

F - 22 - C51 to C75 (V6 / 43)

F - 22 - C76 to C100 (V6 / 44)

F - 22 - C101 to C125 Mistaya (V6 / 45)

F - 22 - C126 to C150 (V6 / 46)

F - 22 - C151 to C175 (V6 / 47)

F - 22 - C176 to C200 Cataract (V6 / 48)

F - 22 - C201 to C225 Lower Sask. Crossing and Pipestone (V6 / 49)

F - 22 - C226 to C250 (V6 / 50)

F - 22 - C251 to C275 unidentified personals (V6 / 51)

F - 22 - C276 to C300 people (V6 / 52)

F - 22 - C301 to C325 people (V6 / 53)

F - 22 - C326 to C350 camp scenes (V6 / 54)

F - 22 - C351 to C375 camp scenes (V6 / 55)

F - 22 - C376 to C400 unidentified pack train scenes (V6 / 56)

F - 22 - C401 to C424 (V6 / 57)

F - 22 [various] [glacier studies and trips] (V6 / 58)

F - 22 [various] Valley of Cataract Creek, 1 item (V6 / 59) [individuals in camp], 3 items

NEGATIVES :

F - 22 - C238

CONTENTS OF FILE V6 / 58 :

August 21 crossing planis [plains] [F-22-C1-C4] [envelope empty] (V6 / 58-1)

August 22 arriving Lake Louise [envelope empty] (V6 / 58-2)

August 23 to Bow Park [envelope empty] (V6 / 58-3)

August 24 over Bow Summit (V6 / 58-4)

August 25 down to Waterfowl Lakes (V6 / 58-5)

August 26 Al's goat [envelope empty] (V6 / 58-6)

August 27 Sunday rest [envelope empty] (V6 / 58-7)

August 28 my goat (V6 / 58-8)

August 30 over mountain (V6 / 58-10)

September 1 to Saskatchewan [envelope empty] (V6 / 58-12)

September 2 across Saskatchewan (V6 / 58-13)
 September 3 to Hoodoo (V6 / 58-14)
 September 4 to Camp Parker [envelope empty] (V6 / 58-15)
 September 5 to shoulder of Athabasca (V6 / 58-16)
 September 6 to Wilcox (V6 / 58-17)
 September 7 to Cataract (V6 / 58-18)
 September 9 Al's moose (V6 / 58-20)
 September 10 Freddy's moose (V6 / 58-21)
 September 12 got moose (V6 / 58-23)
 September 13 to Saskatchewan (V6 / 58-24)
 September 14 to Siffleur (V6 / 58-25)
 September 15 up mountain [envelope empty] (V6 / 58-26)
 September 16 to Slate's Camp (V6 / 58-27)
 September 17 over Pipestone Summit (V6 / 58-28)
 September 18 to Lake Louise (V6 / 58-29)

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CR 24 : [files]. -- 1924

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions13814>

Part Of: William O. Field fonds
 Description Level: 4 / Sub-series
 Series: I.A.1.e.i. CR files : CR19-CR27 : photographs
 Reference Code: V6 / 60 to 65 (PA)
 Physical Description: 6 files of photographs (103 prints). -- 2 cm of photographs (ca.80 prints)
 Scope & Content:

S-s-series contains files of photographs attributed to [Lem] Harris pertaining to trip to Castleguard area. File list available.

Content Details: File list:
 F - 24 - C1 to C25 (V6 / 60)
 F - 24 - C26 to C50 (V6 / 61)
 F - 24 - C51 to C75 (V6 / 62)
 F - 24 - C76 to C100 (V6 / 63)
 F - 24 - C161 to C348 (V6 / 64)
 [unnumbered] (V6 / 65)

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CR 48. -- 1948

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions13773>

Part Of: William O. Field fonds
Description Level: 4 / Sub-series
Series: I.B.2.a. CR files : CR48-CR53 : photographs
Reference Code: V6 / 122 to 144 (PA)
Physical Description: 24 files of photographs (269 prints). -- 4 files of colour prints (ca. 105 items)

Scope & Content:

Eighteen numbered files (ca 530 prints) pertain mainly to Athabasca Glacier, Columbia Glacier, Saskatchewan Glacier and Habel Creek; includes some camp and people shots. File list available

Content Details:

File list:

F - 48 - K1 to K23 (V6 / 122)
F - 48 - K27 to K47 (V6 / 123)
F - 48 - K51 to K73 (V6 / 124)
F - 48 - K116 to K435 (V6 / 125)
F - 48 - R1 to R18 Athabasca Valley, Seven Mile Camp, main camp, river bar (V6 / 126)
F - 48 - R19 to R23 Columbia Glacier, from down valley, from terminal area (V6 / 127)
F - 48 - R24 to R55 Habel Creek (V6 / 128)
F - 48 - R56 to R86 Columbia Glacier, approach, camp, ste.1, ste.3 (V6 / 129)
F - 48 - R87 to R118 Columbia Glacier, up glacier (V6 / 130)
F - 48 - R119 to R130 Columbia Glacier, up glacier, ste.3 (V6 / 131)
F - 48 - R131 to R141 Columbia Glacier, ste.3, ste.1, camp area (V6 / 132)
F - 48 - R142 to R152 Warwick Creek (V6 / 133)
F - 48 - R153 to R162 Athabasca Valley, main camp - Sunwapta Falls (V6 / 134)
F - 48 - R163 to R168 Sunwapta Valley (V6 / 135)
F - 48 - R169 to R182 Saskatchewan Glacier, terminal area, cabin area, ste.23, ste.26 (V6 / 136)
F - 48 - R183 to R204 Saskatchewan Glacier, up glacier to Castleguard Pass (V6 / 137)
F - 48 - R205 to R218 Saskatchewan Glacier, from Parker Ridge, ste.21, ste.22 (V6 / 138)
F - 48 - R219 to R230 Athabasca Glacier (V6 / 139)
F - 48 - R231 to R243 Athabasca Glacier, ste.1 (V6 / 140)
F - 48 - R244 to R256 Athabasca Glacier, ste.2 (V6 / 141)
F - 48 - R257 to R259 Athabasca Glacier, near ste.2 (V6 / 142)
F - 48 - R260 to R269 Lake Louise and San Francisco (V6 / 143)
F - 48 - R269 to R292 Columbia Glacier, terminal area (V6 / 144)

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CR photographs. -- 1949

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions13775>

Part Of: William O. Field fonds
Description Level: 4 / Sub-series
Series: I.B.2.b.i. CR files : CR48-CR53 : photographs
Reference Code: V6 / 147 to 193 (PA) (NA)
Physical Description: 47 files of photographs (ca.500 prints, 1 negative). -- 5 sheets of textual records

Scope & Content:

S-s-series consists of numbered files pertaining mainly to Castleguard Glacier, Saskatchewan Glacier, Athabasca Glacier and Columbia Glacier. Textual records are lists of image numbers.
File list available

Access Restrictions: Access to negatives is by appointment only

Title Source: Title based on material

Content Details: File list:

F - 49 - R1 to R12 Trip west, Columbia Glacier (V6 / 147)
F - 49 - R13 to R24 Columbia Glacier - ste. Schaffer Bar (V6 / 148)
F - 49 - R25 to R36 (V6 / 149)
F - 49 - R37 to R48 Columbia Glacier - sta.6 (V6 / 150)
F - 49 - R49 to R60 Columbia Glacier - sta.6, Palmer sta. SW (V6 / 151)
F - 49 - R61 to R72 Columbia Glacier - Palmer sta. SW (V6 / 152)
F - 49 - R73 to R84 Columbia Glacier - sta.3, camp, on glacier, bivouac, sta.12 (V6 / 153)
F - 49 - R85 to R96 Columbia Glacier - sta.12 (V6 / 154)
F - 49 - R97 to R108 Columbia Glacier - sta.11 (V6 / 155)
F - 49 - R109 to R120 Columbia Glacier - sta.11, on glacier, sta.13 (V6 / 156)
F - 49 - R121 to R132 Columbia Glacier - sta.13, on glacier, sta.1 vicinity (V6 / 157)
F - 49 - R133 to R144 Columbia Glacier - sta.1 (V6 / 158)
F - 49 - R145 to R156 Columbia Glacier - sta.1 vicinity, sta. trees, sta. boulder (V6 / 159)
F - 49 - R157 to R167 Columbia Glacier - sta. boulder, sta. bar, views of Mt. Alberta, Toronto Glacier (V6 / 160)
F - 49 - R168 to R180 Toronto Glacier (V6 / 161)
F - 49 - R181 to R192 Watershed Peak, west fork of Athabaska (V6 / 162)
F - 49 - R193 to R204 Upper Athabaska Valley, Athabaska Glacier, Schaffer [Schaffer] site 1908 (V6 / 163)
F - 49 - R205 to R216 Athabaska Glacier - Shaffer [Schaffer] site 1908, near sta.2, sta.5, chalet (V6 / 164)
F - 49 - R217 to R228 Castleguard Valley, Saskatchewan Glacier, sta.2 (army camp) (V6 / 165)

F - 49 - R229 to R240 Saskatchewan Glacier - sta.2, near sta.3, on Castleguard Glacier #3 (V6 / 166)

F - 49 - R241 to R252 Castleguard - sta.4 (V6 / 167)

F - 49 - R253 to R264 Castleguard - sta.4, on Cast. Gl #3, sta.5 (V6 / 168)

F - 49 - R265 to R276 Castleguard - sta.5, sta.6 (V6 / 169)

F - 49 - R277 to R288 Castleguard - sta.6, Terrace Gl #1, near BD.SV. sta.86 (V6 / 170)

F - 49 - R289 to R300 Castleguard - near BD.SV.sta.86, Terrace Gl #1, sta.7 (V6 / 171)

F - 49 - R301 to R312 Castleguard - sta.7, base of Terrace Pk., camp (V6 / 172)

F - 49 - R313 to R324 Castleguard - sta.9, Terrace Gla.#4 (V6 / 173)

F - 49 - R325 to R336 Castleguard - Terrace Gla.#4, sta.10, Terrace Gla.#3 (V6 / 174)

F - 49 - R337 to R348 Castleguard - Terrace Gl #3 pass, sta.11 (V6 / 175)

F - 49 - R349 to R360 Castleguard - sta.11, sta.1, valley (V6 / 176)

F - 49 - R361 to R372 Castleguard - at Cast. Gl #1, sta.12 (V6 / 177)

F - 49 - R373 to R384 Castleguard - Cast. Gl #1 (V6 / 178)

F - 49 - R385 to R396 Castleguard - Cast. Gl #1, sta.13, camp (V6 / 179)

F - 49 - R397 to R408 Castleguard - camp area (V6 / 180)

F - 49 - R409 to R420 Castleguard - camp, Cast. Gl #4, photo sta. Bryce (V6 / 181)

F - 49 - R421 to R432 Castleguard - photo sta. Bryce, sta.14, Cast. Gl #4 (V6 / 182)

F - 49 - R433 to R444 Castleguard - sta.15 (V6 / 183)

F - 49 - R445 to R455 Castleguard - sta.15, Thompson Pass, N. Spring Rice Gl,Alexandra Gl , Sta.A (V6 / 184)

F - 49 - R457 to R468 Alexandra Gl - sta.A, sta.B (V6 / 185)

F - 49 - R469 to R480 Athabaska Falls Camp, Saskatchewan Gl , sta.20 (V6 / 186)

F - 49 - R481 to R492 Saskatchewan Gl - sta.20, sta.21, Parker Ridge (V6 / 187)

F - 49 - R493 to R504 Saskatchewan Gl - sta.22, sta.23, sta.25 (V6 / 188)

F - 49 - R505 to R516 Saskatchewan Gl - sta.25, at glacier, sta.26 (V6 / 189)

F - 49 - R517 to R528 Saskatchewan Gl - sta.26, sta. 23, Athabaska Gl - sta.6, sta. 5 (V6 / 190)

F - 49 - R529 to R540 Athabaska Gl - sta. 5 (V6 / 191)

F - 49 - R541 to R552 Athabaska Gl - sta. 2, at glacier (V6 / 192)

F - 49 - R553 to R569 Bow Lake Area, Bow Gl, Crowfoot Gl, Lake Louise, Sawback Range, Banff (V6 / 193)

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Elk sounds. -- 1952-1957.

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions837>

Part Of: Peter and Catharine Whyte fonds
Description Level: 4 / Sub-series
Series: I.D. Peter and Catharine Whyte sound recordings series
Accession Number: 3069
Reference Code: S37 / 176 - 178
Physical Description: 3 sound recordings.
Related Material: Constitutes Sub-series 7 of I.D., Peter and Catharine Whyte sound recordings.
Title Source: Title based on recordings.
Processing Status: Processed.

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Family conversations and performances. -- 1951-1962.

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions832>

Part Of: Peter and Catharine Whyte fonds
Description Level: 4 / Sub-series
Series: I.D. Peter and Catharine Whyte sound recordings series
Accession Number: 3069
Reference Code: S37 / 41 - 51
Physical Description: 11 sound recordings.

Scope & Content:

Sub-series consists mainly of letter tapes from members of Catharine Whyte's family, including mother, Edith Morse Robb, and brother, Russell (Rusty) Robb III, also from members of the Newbury family. Letter tapes are mainly family news and recorded music. Mention is made of Jimmy Simpson and Doris Burditt. Other tapes are recorded music, discussion of Jon Whyte trip to Vancouver, musical clock of Mrs. Dave Whyte Sr. from Scotland, Billy McKenzie, and other family material.

Finding Aid: Inventory available in computer database form; select M36INV. More detailed inventory is available in printed form. Reference copies and printed summaries are available for some recordings.
Related Material: Constitutes Sub-series 2 of I.D., Peter and Catharine Whyte sound recordings.
Title Source: Title based on recordings.
Processing Status: Processed.

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Financial, legal and business papers. -- 1901-1979.

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions816>

Part Of: Peter and Catharine Whyte fonds
Description Level: 4 / Sub-series
Fonds Number: M36 / V683 / S37
Series: I.A. Catharine Robb Whyte papers and photographs series
Reference Code: M36 / I / A / 3 / 659 - 1092
Physical Description: 504 cm of textual records.
Scope & Content:

Sub-series consists of five major groups of records: a. Personal and family papers, 1901-1979, pertaining to Catharine Robb Whyte, Robb family, Peter Whyte, Whyte family and to Peter and Catharine Whyte; b. Legal and financial papers, blueprints and miscellaneous items pertaining to properties, 1902-1978; c. Business papers, 1930-1953, pertaining to Canadian Rockies Winter Sports Ltd, Ski Club of the Canadian Rockies and Skoki Lodge; d. Correspondence and financial papers pertaining to Indians, 1955-1979; e. Banking records, 1926-1973.

Finding Aid: File-level description available in printed form and through this database.
Related Material: Constitutes Sub-series 3 of I.A., Catharine Robb Whyte papers and photographs.
Title Source: Title based on papers.
Processing Status: Processed.

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Financial, legal and business records

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions820>

Part Of:	Peter and Catharine Whyte fonds
Description Level:	4 / Sub-series
Fonds Number:	M36 / V683 / S37
Series:	I.B. Peter Whyte papers and photographs series
Reference Code:	M36 / I / B / 3 / 1909 - 1912
Date Range:	1914-1964
Physical Description:	3 cm of textual records.
Scope & Content:	<p>Sub-series consists of personal records, 1914-1962, employment records, 1923-1930, and banking records, 1927-1964.</p>
Finding Aid:	File description available in printed form and through this database.
Related Material:	Constitutes Sub-series 3 of I.B., Peter Whyte papers and photographs.
Title Source:	Title based on contents of sub-series
Processing Status:	Processed.

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Howard Palmer and John Noxon photographs. -- 1907-1925, 1957

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions13800>

Part Of: William O. Field fonds
Description Level: 4 / Sub-series
Series: III.A. Resources : photographs
Accession Number: 5197, 6787
Reference Code: V6 / 290 (PA) - 1 to 210
V6 / 291 (PA) - 1 to 23
M58 / 123

Physical Description: 233 photographs : prints. -- 1 cm of textual records

Scope & Content:

Photographs are primarily prints pertaining to Selkirk and Rocky Mountains made from Howard Palmer negatives held by the American Alpine Club, 210 items (V6 / 290 PA). Text is lists of Palmer photographs compiled by American Alpine Club and by W. O. Field. Sub-series also includes twenty-three photographs by John Noxon, 1957, that duplicate Howard Palmer views made during expedition to the Sir Sandford Glacier in the Selkirk Mountains in 1909-1910 (V6 / 291 PA). Nine Noxon photographs are multiple print panoramas

Title Source: Title based on contents.

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Interviews, conversations, proceedings

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions831>

Part Of: Peter and Catharine Whyte fonds
Description Level: 4 / Sub-series
Fonds Number: M36 / V683 / S37
Series: I.D. Peter and Catharine Whyte sound recordings series
Sous-Fonds: S37
Accession Number: 3069
Reference Code: S37 / 1 - 40
Date Range: 1950 - 1975
Physical Description: 40 sound recordings.

Scope & Content:

Interviewees, sources and subjects of this sub-series include: James White Saga, John B.H. Dunphy, Murray and Frances (James) Adaskin, Gray Campbell family, Vern Castella, Dorothy Whyte, Jimmy Simpson, Belmore Browne, music, Carl Rungius, George Encil, Edward Feuz, Rudolf Aemmer, Walter Feuz, Basil Gardom, Ethel Fulcher, Ethel James Knyvett Estcourt Howard, Tim Hutch, George Paris, Bill Potts, Howard Sibbald, Jack Warren, Gilbert M. Atkin, Ike Brooks, Banff Springs Hotel, John "Dad" Barnett, Robert George Brett, Canadian Pacific Railway employees, Cave and Basin, curling rinks, Davmmond Galletly, Ralph Connor Memorial United Church, ski jumping, snowshoeing, tobogganning, Waverly Hotel. Mrs. Davderson, Arlene Voorbies, poetry, Catharine Whyte, Peter Whyte, Tom Javanaugh, Mr. Neilson, Eau Claire Lumber Company, Ben Holbrow, Bill Legarde, bears, fishing, Indigenous history, Highwood Valley, hunting, Lake O'Hara region, Monkman family, George Pocater, George K.K. Link, Doris Burditt, Ruth Gorman, Robb family, Lawren Harris, J. E. H. MacDonald, Shale Splitters Club, Nick Morant, Christian Hasler, Billy Mackenzie, Mount Ogden, Sherbrooke Lake, Jon Whyte, Castle family, Mount Cline, J. Norman Collie, Mount Columbia, Crag and Canyon, Hector Crawler, Douglas Lakes, Mount Forbes, glaciers, hunting, Lake Louise, moose, mountaineering, Martin Nordegg, Nordegg region, James Outram, Ross Peacock, Bill Peyto, Silver City, Joe Smith, Skoki Lodge, Earl Spencer, Spray Lakes, trail-making, Nigel Vavsour, Waterfowl Lake, Edward Whympier, Tom Wilson, Peter Whyte, Billy Wolfe, Fred Stiles, buses, fish hatchery, Estelle Painter, Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies, Grizzly bears, Fern Brewster, Jack Brewster, John Murray Gibbon, Pearl Moore, Philip A. Moore, music, Jean Stewart, Stoney First Nations, William Twin, Tom Wilson, Yoho Valley, Mary Vaux, glaciers, George Vaux, Vaux family, C. M. Walker, Indigenous burial grounds, Kananaskis region, Ribbon Creek, trails, Wilkinson Pass, Sam Ward, Cis Ward, Indigenous pits on Tunnel Mountain, dwellings, Dr. Leechman, Hiram Smith, Tunnel Mountain Drive, Silver City, Erling Strom, Billie Simpson, Mary Simpson, Norman Tabuteau, Flossie Currie, Tilly Moffatt, Moffatt Dairy, Edmee Reid, Dell Brewster, Norman Curard, Charlie Phillips, Joe Louis, Ezra Charles, Hoot Gibson, films and film making, Sydney and Doris Vallance, Walter Perren, Gilbert and Frances Roddy.

Finding Aid:	Inventory available in computer database form; select M36INV. More detailed inventory is available in printed form. Reference copies and printed summaries are available for some recordings.
Related Material:	Constitutes Sub-series 1 of I.D., Peter and Catharine Whyte sound recordings.
Title Source:	Title based on recordings.
Processing Status:	Processed

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