

Research Collections



Narrative of an ascent to the summit of Mont Blanc

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue271

Author: Auldjo, John

Edition: 2d ed

Publisher: London: Longman, Rees

Published Date: 1830

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Call Number: DQ841 M7 A9 1830

Collection: Alpine Club of Canada Library

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Coup d'oeil sur la structure geologique et mineralogique du Groupe des Monts Dores

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue1554

Author: Lecoq, H

Publisher: Paris: Clermont-Gerrand

Published Date: 1830

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Call Number: QE268 L42 Pam

Collection: Alpine Club of Canada Library



Pen And Ink Drawing

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifactpom.03.01

Artist: Priscilla Morgan Potts (1815 – , American)

Title: Pen And Ink Drawing

Date: 1830

Medium: pen and ink; watercolour on paper

Dimensions: 19.0 x 24.0 cm

Description: Landscape scene with a small, lght yellow house in the centerl,

surrounded by leafy trees. In the foreground, 4 animals, likely cattle, are grazing. A river runs through the right hand side, with a large rocky cliff in the far background. The sky is blue, but cloudy. A yellow field is seen to the left, but the rest of the grassy areas are green. Inscription reads "P. M. Potts / W. B. School / 1830". Based on other items in the collection, it can

be inferred that this was created during the artist's time at the

Washington Boarding School.

Subject: landscape

pastoral building

Credit: Gift of Charles C. Reid, Banff, Alberta, 1986

Catalogue Number: PoM.03.01

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Watercolour Illustration

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifactpoi.05.01

Artist: Emily Potts (1814 – , American)

Title: Watercolour Illustration

Date: 1830

Medium: watercolour on paper

Dimensions: 30.5 x 23.0 cm

Description: Botanical still life drawing of a brand with pink and white flowering

blossoms. Could potentially depict peach blossoms.

Subject: botanical

still life flowers tree branch

Credit: Gift of Charles C. Reid, Banff, Alberta, 1986

Catalogue Number: Pol.05.01

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Watercolour Painting

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifactpos.05.04

Artist: Serena Matilda Potts (1812 – 1898, American)

Title: Watercolour Painting

Date: 1830

Medium: watercolour on paper

Dimensions: 24.5 x 25.5 cm

Description: Botanical still life of two pink flowers, likely roses or peonies. Two flowers

are in full bloom, while 4 are still in budding stages. Foliage is mostly a

deep green with the edges of some leaves are red.

Subject: botanical

still life flowers

Credit: Gift of Charles C. Reid, Banff, Alberta, 1986

Catalogue Number: PoS.05.04

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Watercolour Painting

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifactunk.05.27

Artist: Unknown

Title: Watercolour Painting

Date: 1830

Medium: watercolour on paper

Dimensions: 24.0 x 26.0 cm

Description: Botanical still life painting of a peach and grapes surrounded by green

and orange foliage.

Subject: botanical

still life food fruit

Credit: Gift of Charles C. Reid, Banff, Alberta, 1986

Catalogue Number: UnK.05.27

Images





Adventures on the Columbia River

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue776

Author: Cox, Ross

Publisher: London: Colburn & Bentley

Published Date: 1831

Physical Description: 400 pages

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Series: Volume 2 of 2

Subjects: Rocky Mountains, Canada

Notes: Edward C. Porter Mountaineering Library

Call Number: F880 C69 1831 II

Collection: Alpine Club of Canada Library

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Adventures on the Columbia River

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue14985

Author: Cox, Ross

Publisher: London : Colburn & Bentley

Published Date: 1831

Physical Description: 368 pages

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Series: Volume 1 of 2

Subjects: Rocky Mountains, Canada

Notes: Edward C. Porter Mountaineering Library

Call Number: F880 C69 1831 I

Collection: Alpine Club of Canada Library



The pedestrian: a summer's ramble in the Tyrol, and some of the adjacent provinces, 1830

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue1535

Author: Latrobe, Charles Joseph
Publisher: London: Seeley and Burnside

Published Date: 1832

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Notes: Edward C. Porter Mountaineering Library

Call Number: DB766 L38

Collection: Alpine Club of Canada Library

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Three months' tour in Switzerland and France

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue1577

Author: Liddiard, William

Publisher: London: Smith, Elder

Published Date: 1832

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Call Number: DQ23 L53

Collection: Alpine Club of Canada Library



Westmoreland, Cumberland and Northcumberland

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue2199

Author: Rose, Thomas, topographer

Publisher: London: Fisher
Published Date: 1832 (-35)

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Notes: Illus. from original drawings

Call Number: DA670 W5 R6 (3 v.) Oversize C

Collection: Alpine Club of Canada Library

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Excursion in India: including a walk over the Himalaya Mountains, to the sources of the Jumna and the Ganges

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue2405

Author: Skinner, Thomas

Publisher: London: Henry Colburn & Richard Bentley

Published Date: 1832

Physical Description: 312 pages

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Series: Volume 1 of 2
Call Number: DS407 S5 I

Collection: Alpine Club of Canada Library



Narrative of an ascent on Mont Blanc. From Keepsake for 1832

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue2867

Author: Wilbraham, Edward Bootle

Publisher: London: Keepsake

Published Date: 1832

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Call Number: DQ841 M7 W54 Pam

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Excursion in India: including a walk over the Himalaya Mountains, to the sources of the Jumna and the Ganges

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue14970

Author: Skinner, Thomas

Publisher: London: Henry Colburn & Richard Bentley

Published Date: 1832

Physical Description: 330 pages

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Series: Volume 2 of 2
Call Number: DS407 S5 II

Collection: Alpine Club of Canada Library



Bonnet

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact103.04.1021

Title: Bonnet Date: 1832

Material: fibre; paper; metal

Description: Bright green bonnet (calash) with eight folds. Fabric is stitched around

shaped metal stays, 14 in all. Neck piece is padded and shaped with wire. Rim has fabric folded or pleated in ribbon effect. Long green ribbon ties at front of neck. Additional long grey ribbon attached to brim higher on face. Inside back is reinforced with burlap on which is glued brown paper. Written in Mary Schaffer's hand: "18 S.M. Potts 1832 Calasche". On back, ribbon is tied in bow. Green fabric stitched on back to cover

neck.

Subject: clothing

S.M. Potts

Mary Schaffer

Credit: Gift of Charles C. Reid, Banff, Alberta, 1986

Catalogue Number: 103.04.1021

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Vase

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact102.04.0244

Title: Vase

 Date:
 1832 – 1832

 Material:
 ceramic

 Dimensions:
 8.9 x 9.0 cm

Description: Hand thrown, trim-footed, jar with 2.6 cm. diameter neck. Wax resist

applied (probably) before glazing, Dominant green calligraphy and miscellaneous objects in design with yellow, red, white, pale green and deep blue trim. Red-bordered label in E.S. Morse's writing says "China,

age 1832" and number resembling "707".

Subject: households

decorative Chinese E. S. Morse

Credit: Gift of Catharine Robb Whyte, O. C., Banff, 1979

Catalogue Number: 102.04.0244

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Responsibility: von H. Zeller

Publisher: Zurich: Heinrich Keller

Published Date: 1833

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Subjects: Views

Call Number: DQ827 G42

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Journals of excursions in the Alps

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue505

Author: Brockedon, William Publisher: London: Duncan

Published Date: 1833

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Notes: Edward C. Porter Mountaineering Library

Call Number: DQ823 B7

Collection: Alpine Club of Canada Library



Notes made during an excursion to the highlands of New Hampshire and Lake Winnipiseogee

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue1224

Author: Hale, Nathan

Publisher: Andover: Flagg, Gould & Newman

Published Date: 1833

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Call Number: F42 W7 H3

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Letters from Switzerland and Italy, during a late tour

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue613

Author: Carne, John
Publisher: London: Bentley

Published Date: 1834

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Call Number: D919 C3

Collection: Alpine Club of Canada Library