

Research Collections



[Hunting party preparing to depart from Banff Indian Grounds or Brewster Corrals, Banff]

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions49289

Part Of: Pat Brewster fonds

Description Level: 6 / Item

Fonds Number: M2 / V91 / S21

Sous-Fonds: V91

Reference Code: v91 / 12 / a / na66 - 1716

GMD: Photograph

Negative, copy Photograph, print

Date Range: 1850-1910

Physical Description: 1 photograph: negative: copy negative

Scope & Content:

Image of five people on horseback with five pack horses

Subject Access: Discovery and Exploration

Environment and Nature
Sports and Recreation

Transportation

Geographic Access: Alberta

British Columbia

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed

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Scrapbook

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions6358

Part Of: Alpine Club of Canada fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M200 / S6 / V14

Series: V.A. Other material: textual

Sous-Fonds: AC 148M

Accession Number:

Reference Code: M200 / AC 148M / 1

GMD: Scrapbook Date Range: 1850-1952

Physical Description: 2.5 cm of textual material (42 pages; 30.5 x 25.5 cm)

History / Biographical:

See fonds level description.

Scope & Content:

File consists of a scrapbook pertaining primarily to the Calgary Stampede and the Banff Indian Days. Contains newspaper clippings, photographs, and leaflets.

Also includes newspaper clippings pertaining to Mt. Assiniboine, Timber Carnivals, and other ACC-affliated events.

Name Access: Alpine Club of Canada

Subject Access: Banff Indian Days

Banff Indian Grounds
Calgary Stampede

Rodeo Festival

Winter Carnival

Ranching

Winter sports

Geographic Access: Banff

Lake Louise

Mount Assiniboine

Mount Assiniboine Park

Calgary

Alberta

British Columbia

Canada

Language: English

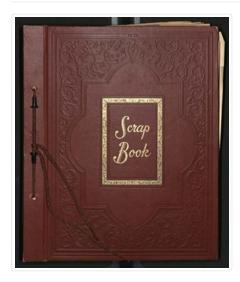
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Processing Status: Processed

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Tracking the Moose

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifactkrc.02.02

Artist: Cornelius David Krieghoff (1815 – 1872, Canadian)

Title: Tracking the Moose

Date: prior to 1878

Medium: oil on canvas

Dimensions: 21.9 x 26.1 cm

Description: General colour: grey, green, blue, pink. A figure wearing snow shoes, a

green coat with a red sash and a red tam with feathers in it, carries a rifle over his right shoulder and trudges to the left. Behind to the right is a snow covered rock. To the left are trees. Grey clouds in a pink and blue

sky come down to meet a distant hill.

Subject: figure, male

winter hunting

Credit: Gift of Catharine Robb Whyte, O. C., Banff, 1971

Catalogue Number: KrC.02.02

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Moccasin Seller

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifactkrc.02.01

Artist: Cornelius David Krieghoff (1815 – 1872, Canadian)

Title: Moccasin Seller
Date: prior to 1878
Medium: oil on canvas
Dimensions: 26.3 x 21.8 cm

Description: General colour: grey. A heavily cloaked figure wearing snow shoes and

carrying a basket on her back from her forehead and with mocassins clasped in her right hand, trudges to the right in front of chunks of snow covered ice. In the distance on the left is an embankment with a flag flying at the top. The sky is grey with a patch of blue in the upper left area.

Subject: figure, female

winter

Credit: Gift of Catharine Robb Whyte, O. C., Banff, 1971

Catalogue Number: KrC.02.01

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Twelve Symphonies

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifactyou.04.01%20a-c

Artist: Utagawa Yoshitora
Title: Twelve Symphonies

Date: 1853

Medium: woodblock on paper
Dimensions: 37.5 x 73.5 cm

Description: This print features 9 woman and 1 man playing musical instruments in a

room with a green floor, yellow walls, and a large window which spans through all the panels. Through the window a tree with blossoms can be noticed. Lamps and dishes of goodies are lain about. The first panel contains three woman kneeling on the floor facing the right. The woman in the blc is playing a drum. Between the first and second panel spans a colourful gong type instrument on a black stand. In the second panel kneel three people (2 women and one man) The man is playing a flute. The third

panel has three women: one playing a long stringed instrument.

Subject: figures

group
women
man
activity

musical gathering

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

Catalogue Number: YoU.04.01 a-c

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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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Eyeglasses

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact103.08.1067

Title: Eyeglasses

Date: 1850 – 1900

Material: metal; glass

Description: Small oval-shaped eyeglasses framed with silver metal. Ear arms are

extendable.

Subject: Mary Schaffer

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

Catalogue Number: 103.08.1067

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Beaded Belt

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact103.07.1011

Title: Beaded Belt

Date: 1850 – 1940

Material: skin; glass; fibre

Dimensions: 99.0 x 8.5 cm

Description: A beaded belt with an orange border and a blue background. The belt

has a repeating geometric pattern in red, white, black and orange.

Subject: Indigenous

regalia

beadwork

Credit: Gift of Unknown, 1968

Catalogue Number: 103.07.1011

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Fragment

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact104.04.3001

Title: Fragment

Date: 1850 – 1975

Material: metal

Dimensions: 3.5 x 13.0 x 23.0 cm

Description: Skeleton of revolver. Handle, hammer and cylinder missing, barrel broken

at end. Accompanied by papers, yellow with CRW writing: "Old Navy Cap and Ball Revolver 36 Calibre a 6 shooter Whitney Whitneyville, Conn. 1850 - 1860. Found by Larry, son of Archie Daniels in remians of a cabin in Kananaskis Valley above lakes. Found in 1975." and a white paper with "Dr. Pactos; Thankyou for your trouble. I think it is a Stan Arms Co. .44 made in new York around the 1850s would be interested in how close I came. Again Thanks John M" along with "Whitney, .36 Calibre Navy Cap

& Ball 1850-60."

Subject: households

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

Catalogue Number: 104.04.3001

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Catharine Newbury Robb

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions23925

Part Of: Peter and Catharine Whyte fonds

Description Level: 6 / Item

Fonds Number: M36 / V683 / S37

Series: V683 / IV / A: Robb / Morse Family Personal Series

Sous-Fonds: V683

Accession Number:

Reference Code: V683 / IV / A / PT - 16

GMD: Photograph

Tintype

Date Range: [ca. 1850 - ca. 1870]

Physical Description: Cased Photograph: 1 b&w ambrotype --

Scope & Content:

Case contains 1 b&w ambrotype. Ambrotype documents an young woman (possibly Catharine Newbury Robb) posed for a portrait.

Subject Access: Portrait Language: English

Title Source: Title as found on item

Content Details: Ambrotype in case. Case covered with black coated paper. Front and

back covers feature architectural and vegetal design in relief. The inside cover features a design debossed in red velvet and an adhesive sticker that reads "Catharine Newbury Robb." The Ambrotype is framed in a

brass coloured, decorative metal mat.

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E.S. Morse

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions23927

Part Of: Peter and Catharine Whyte fonds

Description Level: 6 / Item

Fonds Number: M36 / V683 / S37

Series: V683 / IV / A: Robb / Morse Family Personal Series

Sous-Fonds: V683

Accession Number: .

Reference Code: V683 / IV / A / PT - 21

GMD: Photograph

Tintype

Date Range: [ca. 1850 - ca. 1870]

Physical Description: Cased Photograph: 1 b&w ambrotype --

Scope & Content:

Case contains 1 b&w ambrotype. Ambrotype documents a young man posing for a portrait.

Possibly E.S. Morse.

Subject Access: Portrait Language: English

Title Source: Title as found on item

Content Details: Ambrotype in wooden case. Case covered with black coated paper.

Front and back covers feature architectural and vegetal design in relief. The inside cover features a design debossed in red velvet and an adhesive sticker that reads "E.S. Morse." The Ambrotype is framed in a

brass coloured, decorative metal mat

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Drawing Album

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifactpos.09.01



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

Title: Drawing Album

Date: 1835

Medium: pencil; ink; watercolour on paper

Dimensions: 24.5 x 34.5 cm

Description: A paper album containing artworks done in ink, pencil and watercolour

(?). The album is primarly made up of a brown marbled pattern, with red leather (?) or tape (?) on the spine and corners. Inside the front cover on the center of the page, there is an inscription that reads "Serena M. Potts / 1835". Pages contain artworks of flora and fauna, including birds, butterflies, flowers, plants and landscape scenes, both in colour and in black and white. Some of the drawings share a page with another, while

others are one drawing/painting per page.

Subject: flora

fauna
bird
butterfly
plant
flower

landscape

botanical drawings

black and white

ink

graphite drawing painting sketchbook

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

Catalogue Number: PoS.09.01

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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.05.03

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

Title: Watercolour Painting

Date: 1835

Medium: watercolour on paper

Dimensions: 27.0 x 27.5 cm

Description: Botanical still life of four different kinds of flowers in an ornate yellow

vase, resting on a square, marble-like platform. The flowers are pink,

white and blue.

Subject: botanical

still life flowers

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

Catalogue Number: PoS.05.03

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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

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Ejiri, View of Miho, from the series Fifty-three Stations of the Tokaido

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifacthiu.04.01

Artist: Utagawa Hiroshige (1797 – 1858, Japanese)

Title: Ejiri, View of Miho, from the series Fifty-three Stations of the Tokaido

Date: 1834

Medium: woodblock on paper

Dimensions: 25.9 x 36.4 cm

Description: Harbour scene, houses in foreground, boats and sailboats in harbour,

some out at sea, mountains to the left center. The sky at the horizon is

pink, a orange stripe runs along top of picture.

Subject: landscape

lake

mountains view of Miho

boats

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

Catalogue Number: HiU.04.01

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Yokkaichi, Mie River, from the Fifty-three Stations of the Tokaido

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifacthiu.04.02

Artist: Utagawa Hiroshige (1797 – 1858, Japanese)

Title: Yokkaichi, Mie River, from the Fifty-three Stations of the Tokaido

Date: 1834

Medium: woodblock on paper

Dimensions: 25 x 36 cm

Description: A waterfront scene. A breakwater runs from left bottom corner to the right

and off it is a brown plank bridge. A bald-headed man in blue is chasing a yellow hat to the left bottom corner on the breakwater, another person is on the bridge, he has on a yellow coat and light orange hat. A lone bushy branched tree is in centre of picture, a row of reeds runs through centre of picture, some brown topped houses are to left centre. Dark royal blue and green lower part of picture, aqua marine in centre, blue sky line. A stripe

of red/brown runs along top of picture.

Subject: landscape

river

Mie River figure male

activity,running

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

Catalogue Number: HiU.04.02

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Sudden Shower at Shono, from the Fifty-three Stations of the Tokaido

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifacthiu.04.03

Artist: Utagawa Hiroshige (1797 – 1858, Japanese)

Title: Sudden Shower at Shono, from the Fifty-three Stations of the Tokaido

Date: 1834

Medium: woodblock on paper

Dimensions: 25 x 36 cm

Description: A steep green hill runs from bottom right to centre left, three men, two

carrying a sedan chair with a person inside are going uphill, the three have hatsson, the leader has a yellow cape and a yellow cover is over the chair. Two people, one with a yellow cape the other with a yellow umbrella are going downhill. Rooftops in right foreground. Silhouettes of trees, three rows, go from top right to centre left. More trees in immediate

foreground.

Subject: landscape

Shono figure group activity walking rain

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

Catalogue Number: HiU.04.03

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