



Banff Indian Days parade

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions53305>

Part Of: Peter and Catharine Whyte fonds
 Description Level: 6 / Item
 Fonds Number: M36 / V683 / S37
 Series: V683 / III / A / 15 : Peter and Catharine Whyte: Collected Photographs
 Sous-Fonds: V683
 Accession Number: .
 Reference Code: V683 / III / A / 15 / PA - 872
 GMD: Photograph
 Postcard
 Date Range: [ca. 1909-1910]
 Physical Description: Photograph: 1 print (front and back) ; b&w.

Scope & Content:

Image of unidentified First Nations women dressed in regalia on horseback during the Banff Indian Days parade - "Mrs. Hector [Mary Jean] Crawler head of group Banff Indian Days about 1909 or '10" written on the back in pencil by Catharine Whyte

Name Access: Crawler, Mary Jean
 Subject Access: Banff Indian Days
 First Nations
 Horses
 Indigenous Peoples
 Parade
 Recognizing relations
 Stoney
 Stoney Nakoda
 Geographic Access: Banff
 Banff National Park
 Language: English
 Title Source: Title based on item
 Processing Status: Processed

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Banff Sulphur Mountain Gondola Lift

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions51669>

Part Of:	Peter and Catharine Whyte fonds
Description Level:	6 / Image
Fonds Number:	M36 / V683 / S37
Series:	V683 / III / A / 5 : Peter and Catharine Whyte: Landscapes
Sous-Fonds:	V683
Accession Number:	.
Reference Code:	V683 / III / A / 5 / PA - 308
GMD:	Postcard
Date Range:	[ca. 1940-1960]
Physical Description:	Photograph: 1 print (front and back) ; b&w.
Scope & Content:	Image of the Sulphur Mountain gondola with the townsite, Tunnel Mountain, and Cascade Mountain in the background - title and details on the back
Subject Access:	Banff townsite Banff Springs Hotel Gondolas Mountains
Geographic Access:	Banff
Language:	English
Title Source:	Title based on item
Processing Status:	Processed

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Banff Winter Carnival

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions53250>

Part Of:	Peter and Catharine Whyte fonds
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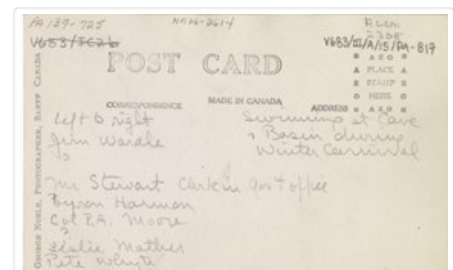


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Fonds Number: M36 / V683 / S37
Series: V683 / III / A / 15 : Peter and Catharine Whyte: Collected Photographs
Sous-Fonds: V683
Accession Number: .
Reference Code: V683 / III / A / 15 / PA - 817
GMD: Photograph
Postcard
Date Range: [ca.1910-1935]
Physical Description: Photograph: 1 print (front and back) ; b&w.
Scope & Content:
Image of a postcard depicting a group of men dressed in winter coats and hats, one with a large camera on a tripod, with "Banff Winter Carival Phil making a date with the movie man" written in white in the bottom right corner - Catharine Whyte has written on the back in pencil: "Left to right Jim Wardle, ?, Mr Stewart Clerk in Gov't office, Byron Harmon, Col P.A. Moore, ?, Leslie Mather, Pete Whyte [/] Swimming at Cave & Basin during Winter Carnival"
Name Access: Wardle, Jim
Harmon, Byron
Moore, Phil
Mather, Leslie
Whyte, Peter
Subject Access: Banff Winter Carnival
Cave and Basin
Cameras
Portrait
Winter
Winter Carnival
Geographic Access: Banff
Banff National Park
Language: English
Title Source: Title based on item
Processing Status: Processed

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Bill Olson friends and family photographs

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions55643>

Part Of: Olson family fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M97 / V475

Sous-Fonds: V475

Accession Number: 670 ; 1107 ; 1021

Reference Code: V475 / PA121 - 01 to 19

GMD: Postcard

Photograph

Photograph print

Print

Date Range: 1889-1967

Physical Description: 19 prints : b&w and col. ; 17.5 x 12 cm or smaller

Scope & Content:

File pertains to photographs of Bill Olson at work and with his family. Also includes family pictures of various generations of the Olson family, army portraits, coworkers, a Cave & Basin postcard, and an interior shot of the Dave White Shop.

Notes: Some of the people identified in the photos are Bill Kay, Jack Powell, Jack Doe, Fred Day, Charlie Fullhroch, Mac Lennat, Earl Squires, Bob Graham, Larry Foster, Willard Bell, Bush Ashley, Shorty Blasker, Casey Jones, Dan Zakaryk, Pete Finlay, Jon Douglas, Irene Straus, Marie Leong, and more.

Name Access: Olson, Bill

Olson, Irene

McTrowe, Florence

Subject Access:	Activities
	Biographical
	Buffalo
	Cave and Basin
	Children
	Family
	Family and personal life
	Garden
	Home
	Leisure
	Mount Royal Hotel
	Personal and Family Life
	Personal and Professional Life
	Portrait
	War
	World War I
	WWI
Geographic Access:	Banff
	Banff National Park
	Alberta
	Canada
Language:	English
Title Source:	Title based on contents of file
Processing Status:	Processed

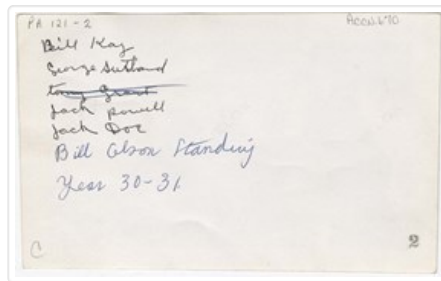
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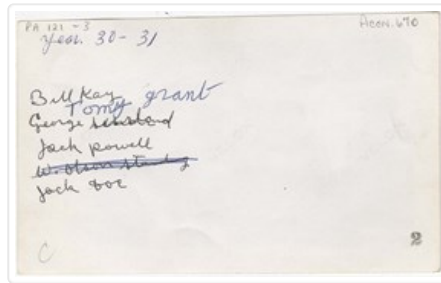
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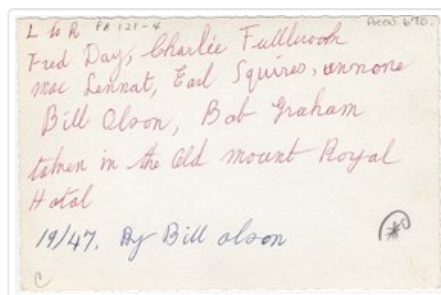
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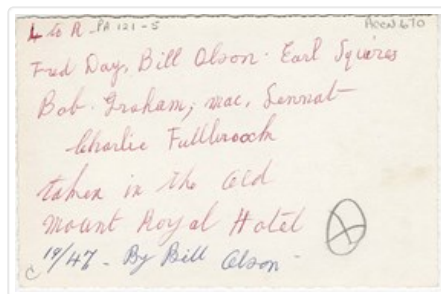
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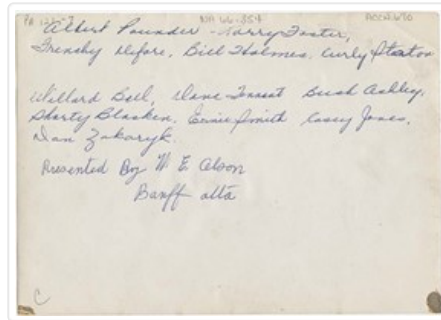
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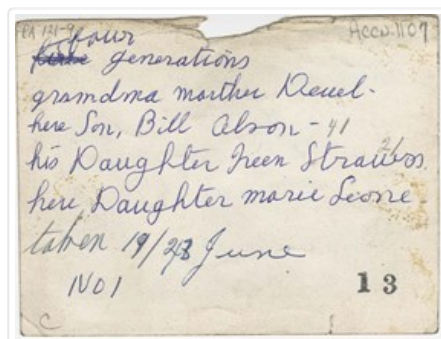
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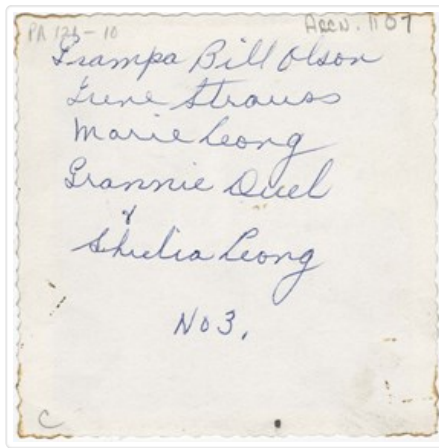
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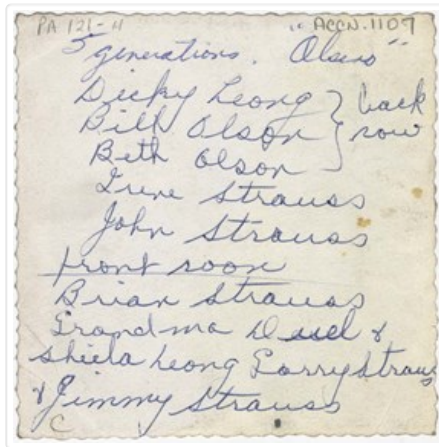
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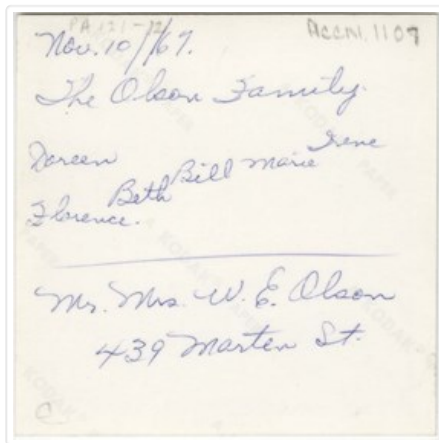
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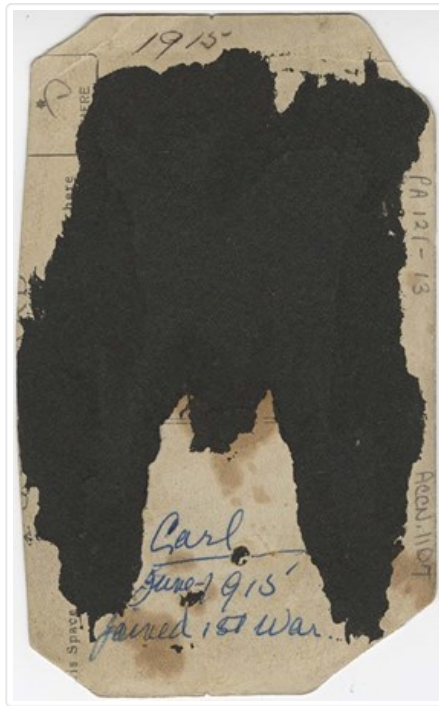
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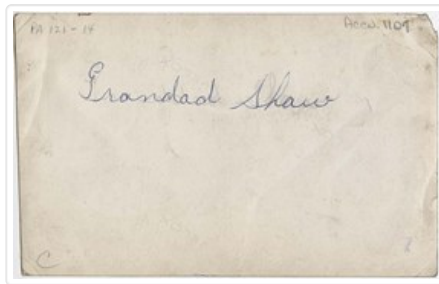
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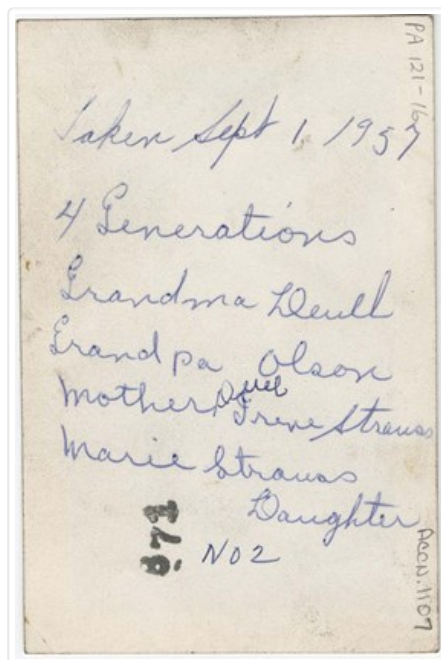
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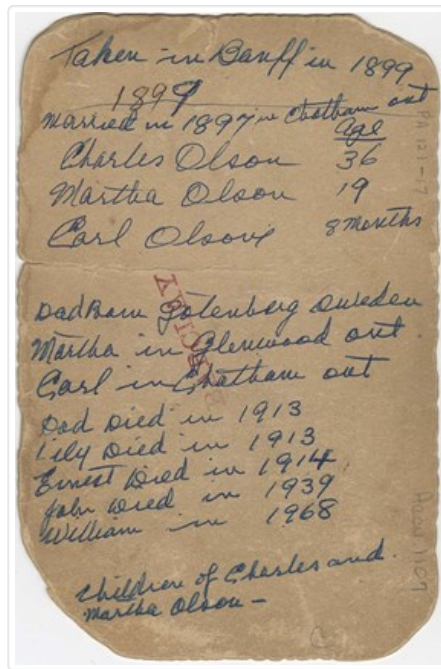
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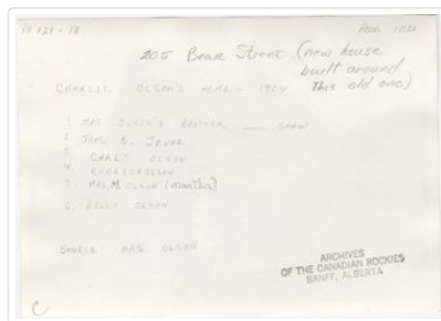


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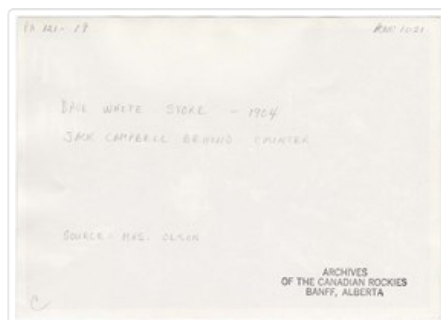
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Bob Smith fonds



<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions55735>

Part Of: Bob Smith fonds

Description Level: 1 / Fonds

Fonds Number: M589
V809

Sous-Fonds: M589
V809

Accession Number: 2021.36

Reference Code: M589 / V809

GMD: Map
Newspaper clipping
Photograph
Plan
Postcard
Print
Published record
Textual record

Date Range: 1925-1995

Physical Description: ca.300 photographs : b&w and col. prints ; 12 x 18 cm or smaller -- 7 cm of textual records -- 7 topographical maps/plans -- 8 postcards

History /

Biographical:

Robert Neville (Bob) Smith (1926-2021) was born in Banff. He was the only child of parents Enoch Smith and Laurene Smith (nee Munson). Bob grew up near Lake Minnewanka until 1941, when a hydro dam was installed resulting in the intentional flooding of the area. The family moved to Banff, where Bob met his future wife, Mary Parkinson. The couple were married in 1953 and moved to Seebe, where they raised two daughters, Marjory and Shirley.

Bob worked for Calgary Power Co. (later renamed TransAlta Utilities) from 1953 until his retirement in 1986. In his spare time, Bob founded the Bow Valley Camera Club and the Bow Valley Naturalists organization. In 1999, Bob was part of a successful project with the Bow Valley Naturalists to designate the Mount Yamnuska area as a Bow Valley Protected Area, following 25 years of lobbying with the Government of Alberta. Bob also formed the Meanderthals seniors hiking club in 1993 and led various local hiking trips in his later years.

Scope & Content:

Fonds consists of personal photographs, biographical notes, memoir drafts and other collected materials pertaining to Robert Neville (Bob) Smith. Fonds also includes plans and maps pertaining to the development of land near Lake Minnewanka and the Cascade Power Plant project (1943).

Name Access: Smith, Enoch
Smith, Robert Neville (Bob)

Subject Access: Family and personal life
Labour
Environment
Natural resources

Geographic Access:	Canada Alberta Banff Canmore Seebe Lake Minnewanka
Language:	English
Category:	Environment Family and personal life Labour Natural resources
Biographical Source Notes:	https://www.albertaprimetimes.com/obituaries/robert-neville-bob-smith-3238925
Title Source:	Title based on contents of fonds
Processing Status:	Processed

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Camp coordinator packages, notes and handouts

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54472>

Part Of: Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M545 / V635

Series: M545 / II : Members, Staff, Personal Content

Sous-Fonds: M545

Accession Number: 8235

Reference Code: M545 / II / 14

GMD: Textual record

Organization record

Map

Postcard

Date Range: 2008

Physical Description: 1.5 cm of textual records

Scope & Content:

File consists of introductory packages put together for Camp Coordinators on pack trips led by the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies in 2008. File includes contact lists, name lists and basic information about riders, participant reports, printed maps and brochures pertaining to specific packing trips in 2008, blank survey sheets and insurance waivers, and itineraries.

Items are kept in order of 2008 ride numbers: Ride 1, Ride 2, etc.

Notes: Contains numerous duplicates

Subject Access: Administration

Packing

Travel

Tourism

Geography

Geographic Access: Canada

Alberta

Kananaskis

Banff

Access Restrictions: Restrictions may apply due to personal information

Reproduction Restrictions: Restrictions may apply due to personal information

Language: English

Category: Sports, recreation and leisure

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed

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Canadian commercial postcards

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions55124>

Part Of:	Luxton family fonds
Description Level:	5 / File
Fonds Number:	LUX
Series:	LUX / I / E : Collected materials
Sous-Fonds:	LUX / I : Norman Luxton sous-fonds
Sub-Series:	LUX / I / E5 : Postcards
Accession Number:	LUX
Reference Code:	LUX / I / E5 / PG - 1 to 63
GMD:	Published record
	Postcard
Responsibility:	Most images in file produced by photographer Byron Harmon; some materials produced by photographers George Noble, G. & W. Fear, Rumsey & Co. Ltd, and J.C. Walker
Date Range:	[1910-1930]
Physical Description:	63 b&w postcards ; 9 x 14 cm
Scope & Content:	File consists of commercial postcards with images pertaining to landscapes, tourist attractions, Stoney Nakoda community members [including Leah Rider Hunter], winter sports, wildlife and other related themes within Canada. Images primarily depict scenes in Banff National Park and the Canadian Rockies, and also include content from Saskatchewan and British Columbia.
Notes:	Date range for materials in file is estimate provided by Processing Archivist Some items are annotated with information pertaining to images on postcards [names of individuals, locations, etc.]
Name Access:	Hunter, Leah Rider McDougall, David

Subject Access:	Activities
	Aerial photography
	Animals
	Businesses
	Buildings
	Buffalo
	Bison
	Black Bears
	Communities
	Community life
	Community events
	Dogs
	Dogsledding
	Environment
	Hot Springs
	Hotels
	Indigenous Peoples
	Landscapes
	Leisure
	Mountains
	Mount Royal Hotel
	Photography
	Postcards
	Recreation
	Scenery
	Snowshoes and snowshoeing
	Sports and recreation
	Sports
	Stoney Nakoda
	Tourism
	Travel
	Winter
	Winter sports
Geographic Access:	Canada
	Alberta
	Banff National Park
	Banff
	Saskatchewan
	Loon Lake
	British Columbia
	Fairmont
Language:	English
Conservation:	Some items stored in mylar

Category: Commerce and industry
Cultural pluralism
Environment
Exploration, discovery and travel
Indigenous Peoples
Sports, recreation and leisure

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed

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Carl Rungius Letters

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54641>

Part Of: Dorothy Wardle fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M521 / V75

Series: M521 / II : Wardle Family

Sous-Fonds: M521

Sub-Series: M521 / II / B : Correspondence

Accession Number: 7504

Reference Code: M521 / II / B / 1-3

GMD: Private record
Published record
Textual record
Postcard

Date Range: 1940-1983
1940-1956
1983

Physical Description: 5 cm of textual records (23 x 34 cm or smaller)

Scope & Content:

File consists of 5 cm of handwritten and typed correspondence, 23 x 34 cm or smaller. File pertains to correspondence between Carl Rungius and the Wardle family, as well as correspondence between Dorothy and Jon Whyte regarding gifting copies to the Whyte Museum of the Canadian Rockies. File documents, among other things, the death of Louise (Carl's wife) in 1940; exhibiting Carl's work in the National Gallery of Canada, 1942 and 1956; and Carl's visits to the Wardle family home in Ottawa. Records also include a postcard and two Mayfair articles from 1943.

Notes: In 1983, Dorothy gifted photocopies of Carl's correspondence with her family. In 2003, the originals were donated as part of Dorothy's estate. The photocopies (accn. 5296) were discarded.

Carl Rungius was a wildlife and landscape painter who frequented and had a studio in Banff. The Wardle family was good friends with Rungius.

Name Access:	Wardle, Dorothy Wardle, James M. Rungius, Carl Whyte, Jon
Subject Access:	Art Artist Banff Community life Personal and Family Life Personal and Professional Life
Geographic Access:	Alberta Banff Banff National Park Ottawa Ontario Canada
Language:	English
Conservation:	Some tape leftover on some of the pages, may present issues in the future.
Creator:	Rungius, Carl Wardle, James M. Wardle, Dorothy
Category:	Arts Communications Family and personal life
Title Source:	Title based on contents of file
Processing Status:	Processed

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Collected materials, commercial postcards

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54600>

Part Of:	Kidney family fonds
Description Level:	5 / File
Fonds Number:	M74 / V324
Series:	V324 / VI : Collected materials
Sous-Fonds:	V324
Accession Number:	2016.8581
Reference Code:	V324 / VI / PG - 1 to 41
GMD:	Postcard

Responsibility:	Produced by Byron Harmon, Canadian Postcard Co. Ltd., Valentine - Black Co. Ltd, G & W Fear Photographers, Dexter Press Inc.
Date Range:	[ca. 1905 - ca. 1910] 1912 1915 [ca. 1920] [ca. 1930 - ca. 1940] [ca. 1960]
Physical Description:	41 postcards : b&w and col. ; 10 x 14.5 cm and 9 x 14 cm
Scope & Content:	File consists of 41 commercial postcards, mostly produced in Banff by Byron Harmon. Content pertains to Banff and the Canadian Rockies; sports including snowshoeing, hiking, curling and boating; landscapes and mountain views; multiple hotels in and near Banff [the Banff Springs Hotel, Chateau Lake Louise, Cascade Hotel and Mount Royal Hotel]; Banff's fish hatchery; hoodoo rock formations; animals at the Banff Zoo including bears and buffalo, and other local wildlife; the Cave and Basin; a military base camp in Petawawa, Ontario where Forest Kidney was stationed in World War I; and the Bank of Commerce building in Toronto.
Notes:	Some dates are estimates provided by the Processing Archivist
Name Access:	Harmon, Byron Kidney, Forest H. (Pop)
Subject Access:	Mountain Hiking Sports Winter sports Curling Snowshoes and snowshoeing Hotel Banff Spring Hotel Chateau Lake Louise Cascade Hotel Mount Royal Hotel Swimming Hot Springs Landscapes Boats Geological formation Animals Buffalo Bear Train Travel World War I Military

Geographic Access:	Canada
	Alberta
	Banff
	Cave and Basin
	Robson Glacier
	Bankhead
	Lake Louise
	British Columbia
	Field
	Bow River
	Castle Mountain
	Mount Rundle
	France
	Arras
	Ontario
	Petawawa
	Toronto
Access Restrictions:	Restrictions may apply
Reproduction Restrictions:	Restrictions may apply
Language:	English
Conservation:	One item with adhesive stains on back has been placed in mylar to protect adjacent items
Category:	Environment
	Commerce and industry
	Sports, recreation and leisure
	Military
	Transportation
Title Source:	Title based on contents of file
Processing Status:	Processed

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Commercial postcards

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54599>

Part Of:	Kidney family fonds
Description Level:	5 / File
Fonds Number:	M74 / V324
Series:	V324 / IV : Family, friends and community records
Sous-Fonds:	V324
Sub-Series:	V324 / IV / E : Maude Kidney Collection

Accession Number:	3109
Reference Code:	V324 / IV / E / PG - 1 to 20
GMD:	Postcard
Responsibility:	Produced by Byron Harmon, V & Sons, Gowen Sutton Co. Ltd., Vancouver, George Noble, Novelty Mfg. Co. Ltd., Montreal
Date Range:	[ca. 1900 - ca. 1910] 1912 - 1916 1922
Physical Description:	20 postcards : b&w and col. ; 14 x 9 cm and 13.5 x 8.5 cm
Scope & Content:	File consists of 20 commercial postcards, mostly produced by Byron Harmon, of Banff and the Canadian Rockies. Content pertains to winter sports (hockey, snowshoeing, skiing, curling, ski jumping, etc.), wildlife, the town of Banff and some locations in Eastern British Columbia. Some postcards are annotated with dates/brief details. One postcard dated 1913 contains letter addressed to Flora Woodworth from her cousin, Mary Woodworth, with stamp affixed [see "Full Text"].
Notes:	Some dates are estimates provided by the Processing Archivist Photographs in this file were accompanied by notes made shortly before or after accession in 1979 giving names/contextual information about photographs. Some notes are by Jim Deegan, 1987. Information has been transferred to the back of each photograph.
Name Access:	Harmon, Byron Noble, George
Subject Access:	Travel Tourism Sports Winter sports Hockey Snowshoes and snowshoeing Mountain Landscapes Banff Winter Carnival Animals Bears Hunting Canadian Pacific Railway Hotel Ice sculpture Horses Ski jumping Children

Geographic Access:	Canada Alberta Banff British Columbia Field Bow River Glacier Cascade Mountain
Access Restrictions:	Restrictions may apply
Reproduction Restrictions:	Restrictions may apply
Language:	English
Conservation:	Heavily annotated postcard with affixed stamp [item V324 / IV / E / PG - 12] has been placed in mylar to prevent ink transfer.
Category:	Sports, recreation and leisure Transportation Family and personal life Environment
Title Source:	Title based on contents of file
Processing Status:	Processed

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