



Stuart Armour fonds

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Part Of: Stuart Armour fonds

Description Level: 1 / Fonds

Fonds Number: M 406
V 698

Sous-Fonds: M 406
V 698

Accession Number: 2975, 6452

Reference Code: M406 / V698

GMD: Photograph
Photograph print
Textual record
Private record

Date Range: [ca.1883]-1978, predominant 1973-1978

Physical Description: 1 cm of textual material. -- 3 photographs : prints

History /
Biographical:

Stuart Armour, b.1893, was a frequent summer visitor to the Banff area with his aunt and uncle, Hayter and Kate Reed, and cousin, Gordon. Over the years, he made numerous pack trips with Pat Brewster. Armour worked as a journalist and economic advisor in Hamilton, Ontario.

Scope & Content:

Fonds consists of selected reminiscences of Stuart Armour, particularly regarding Kate and Hayter Reed, Gordon Reed, friends Pat Brewster and Hamilton Jukes and various pack trips; letters to Pat Brewster; and photographs of Banff's first hotel, ca.1883, and Stuart Armour and Brewster boy in camp and packing a horse, ca.1920.

Name Access: Armour, Stuart
Brewster, Pat
Jukes, Hamilton
Reed, Gordon
Reed, Kate
Reed, Hayter

Subject Access: Pack trips
Sports, recreation and leisure

Access Restrictions: No restrictions on access
Copyright, privacy, commercial use and other restrictions may apply

Language: Language is English

Creator: Armour, Stuart

Category: Sports, recreation and leisure

Title Source: Title based on accession records

Processing Status: Processed



Dorothy Wardle fonds

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions398>

Part Of:	Dorothy Wardle fonds
Description Level:	1 / Fonds
Fonds Number:	M521 V75
Sous-Fonds:	M521 V75
Accession Number:	5296, 5391, 7504
Reference Code:	M521 / V75
GMD:	Photograph Album Negative Photograph print Postcard Transparency Textual record Private record Published record
Date Range:	ca.1870-2002
Physical Description:	154 cm of textual records. -- 1304 photographs (1190 prints, 95 negatives, 19 transparencies). -- 6 photograph albums.

History /

Biographical:

The Wardle family was comprised of husband and wife, James Morey Wardle (June 26, 1888 - May 18, 1971) and Maud Leette (Roney) Wardle (May 24, 1889 - December 1, 1969), and their one child, Dorothy Hope Wardle (May 23, 1919 - July 20, 2003).

James Wardle, born in Chiliwack, British Columbia, was a civil engineer and public servant. He was the Superintendent of Banff National Park from 1918-1921, Chief Engineer for Parks Canada from 1921-1935, and Deputy Minister of the Interior from 1935-1936. He is primarily known as a highway design engineer, particularly for building the Banff-Windermere, Banff-Lake Louise, and Banff-Jasper highways. He was a councillor for the Municipality of Rockcliffe Park in Ontario and he was the President of the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies in Banff from 1925-1929. Mount Wardle in Vermillion was named after him in 1921. James married Leette on November 4, 1913, with whom he had one child, Dorothy.

Born in Calgary, Alberta, Dorothy (also known as Dot and Dorie) grew up in Banff, Alberta and Ottawa, Ontario, due to her father's position with the federal government. She was educated at the Mountain School in Banff and at the Elmwood School in Ottawa. All three family members were graduates of Queen's University in Kingston, Ontario. James graduated in 1912 with a Bachelor of Science in Engineering, Leette graduated with a Bachelor's degree, and in 1942, Dorothy also earned a Bachelor's degree. Dorothy was prominent in student life and active in athletics. In 1941, Dorothy became the first woman elected as President of the Alma Mater Society and during her academic career, Dorothy was a member of the Levana Intercollegiate Debative, University Centenary Committee, and Queen's War Aid Commission.

Dorothy spent her career as a freelance writer however, upon graduation she served as the first Secretary-In-Charge of Records at Carleton College (now Carleton University) from 1942-1944 in Ottawa and in the mid-1950s worked as a secretary for the Glenbow Foundation in Calgary. Dorothy pursued a lifelong interest in traveling, art, and antiques. Although she was fiercely proud and protective of Banff and the Park, and remained a volunteer and patron of the Whyte Museum of the Canadian Rockies, Dorothy eventually settled in Sidney, British Columbia and shared an apartment with Sheila Iris Ritchie, with whom Dorothy travelled extensively. After her death in 2003, Dorothy, "Dorie," was laid to rest alongside her parents in the Old Banff Cemetery.

Scope & Content:

Fonds consists of two sous-fonds: M521 and V75.

M521 consists of four series, 154 cm, ca. 1870-2002. Series I: Dorothy Wardle Personal Papers, 69.5 cm, ca. 1870-2002 (includes Dorothy's written work and research and notes related to Banff). Series II: Wardle Family, 32.5 cm, 1872-1998 (including correspondence with Carl Rungius and Mrs. Helen Brett, and Christmas and other greeting cards from Peter and Catharine Whyte). Series III: Queen's University, 7.5 cm, 1911-1980 (including graduation certificates for each family member and records pertaining to Dorothy's participation on the Alma Mater Society). Series IV: Travel, 44.5 cm, ca. 1950-1988 (includes hand-written notebooks meticulously detailing their travels).

V75 consists of two series, 79.5 cm, ca. 1912-2001. Series I: Wardle Family, ca. 1912-1971, 6 albums, 31 cm of photograph prints and negatives (including family trips, trail rides in the Canadian Rocky Mountains, and family gatherings). Series II: Dorothy Wardle, 1972-2001, 34 cm of photograph prints, negatives, and transparencies (including Dorothy's travels in Alberta and British Columbia, overseas, and various outings with friends).

Name Access:	Wardle, Dorothy
	Wardle, James
	Rungius, Carl
	Brett, Helen
	Keyte, Freeman
	Hart, E. J. (Ted)
	Harkin, J. B. (James Bernard)
	Brewster, Pat
	Peyto, Bill
	Brett, Robert George
	Sanson, Norman
	White, Clifford
	Drummond-Davies, Nora
	Mills, Ike
	McLean, George
	Walking Buffalo (George McLean)
	Kaquitts, Frank
	Oxborough, Dorothy
	Whyte, Jon
	Robinson, Dean
	Warren, Mary Schaffer
	Simpson, George
	Gibbon, John Murray
	Whyte, Catharine
	Whyte, Peter
	Greenham, Margaret
Subject Access:	Arts
	Environment
	Personal and Family Life
	Banff
	Old Banff Cemetery
	Whyte Museum of the Canadian Rockies
	Cabins
	Travel
	Picnics and picnicking
	Holidays
	Scenery
	Christmas
	Dogs
	Horses
	Mountain
	Canoes and canoeing
	Hiking
	Wildlife
	War Memorial

Highland Games
Bow River Bridge
Golfing
Anniversary
Horseback riding
Indigenous Peoples
Stoney Nakoda
Education
Snowshoes and snowshoeing
Banff Winter Carnival
Banff Winter Festival
Women
Trails
Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies
Sports and leisure
Skiing
European travel
Beach
Calgary Herald
Geography
Government
Newspaper
Politics
Research
Banff Public Library
National parks and reserves
Park policy
Parks Canada
Wardens
Ya-Ha-Tinda Ranch
Community life
Mines and mineral resources
History
Immigration and homesteading
Settlement
Organizations
World War II
Biographical
Professional and Personal Life
Grizzly Bears
Fire fighters
Sunshine Village
Teahouses
Banff Indian Days
Regalia

Calgary Stampede
Mountain guides
Mountain School
The Albertan
Crag and Canyon newspaper
Homestead Hotel
Banff Centre
Hot Springs
Superintendents
Automobiles
Natural history
Records
Calendar
Finances
Leases
Legal and Financial
Property
Recreation

Geographic Access: Banff
Banff National Park
Canmore
Alberta
Canada
Canadian Rocky Mountains
Castle Mountain
Bankhead
British Columbia
Glacier National Park
Kootenay National Park
Silver City
Victoria
Scotland
Revelstoke
Yoho National Park
Ottawa
Ontario
Prince Edward Island
Plain of Six Glaciers
Lake Agnes
Lake Louise
Lake Minnewanka
Lake O'Hara
Bow River
Calgary

Sidney
San Francisco
United States
Europe
Germany
Switzerland
France
Spain
Monaco
Italy
Denmark
Austria
Quebec
Windermere
New York
Assiniboine
Ghost River
High River
Quebec City
New Brunswick
Maine
Great Divide
Moraine Lake
Maligne Lake
Columbia Icefield
Washington
Philadelphia
Atlantic City
Larch Valley
Cascade Mountain
Panama
Sulphur Mountain
Field
Emerald Lake
Head Smashed In Buffalo Jump
Takkakaw Falls
Jasper National Park
Athabasca Falls
Okanagan
Kananaskis
Hoodoos
Powell River
Montreal

Access Restrictions:	Some restriction/s on access Copyright, privacy, commercial use and other restrictions may apply
Language:	Language is English
Related Material:	Dorothy also donated artwork (by Carl Rungius) to Art and Heritage. James Morey Wardle fonds (Library and Archives Canada)
Creator:	Wardle, Dorothy Wardle, James M. Wardle, Leette
Category:	Arts Environment Education Exploration, discovery and travel Family and personal life First nations Sports, recreation and leisure
Title Source:	Title based on accession records and contents of fonds
Processing Status:	Processed

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Book Notes

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54607>

Part Of:	Dorothy Wardle fonds
Description Level:	5 / File
Fonds Number:	M521 / V75
Series:	M521 / I : Dorothy Wardle Personal Papers
Sous-Fonds:	M521
Sub-Series:	M521 / I / A : Research and Writing
Accession Number:	7504
Reference Code:	M521 / I / A / 3-4
GMD:	Newspaper clipping Private record Textual record

Date Range:	ca. 1870 - ca. 1998
	1870s-1880s
	ca.1918 - ca. 1960s
	1986-1998
	1986
	1990
	1993
	1995
	1997-1998
Physical Description:	2 cm of textual records (139 pages ; 30 x 35 cm or smaller)
Scope & Content:	<p>File consists of 139 pages of handwritten research notes, correspondence, and newspaper clippings, H35 x W30 cm or smaller. File pertains to Dorothy's research on Banff and surrounding area, Parks Canada, Department of the Interior, and the history of the Canadian Rocky Mountains in general. Records were filed in an envelope that was titled "Book Notes."</p> <p>Notable people include James Wardle, J.B. Harkin, Pat Brewster, Arthur Unwin, Dr. Brett, Norman Sanson, and Bill Peyto, among others. Notable places and topics include the organization of the Department of the Interior, the Banff-Windemere Highway, Rocky Mountain Park and Park Wardens, Kootenay National Park fires, coal and precious metal mines (e.g. Bankhead, Silver City), trail riding and hiking, research about James Wardle and his accomplishments, Ya-Ha-Tinda, and various parks (e.g. Glacier, Revelstoke, Elk Island, Kootenay, and Yoho).</p> <p>Other records include a handwritten letter to the Auld family in Scotland (cousins of Sheila Ritchie) with a story about Glenbow and a highland cow from Oban, Scotland; personal reflections on the Banff area and mountains in general; notes that Dorothy took while doing research at the Whyte Museum of the Canadian Rockies and the Banff Public Library; and a variety of newspaper clippings.</p>
Notes:	<p>Includes request slips and stationary from the archives at the Whyte Museum.</p> <p>Potentially includes a handwritten list of Dorothy's written works.</p> <p>Newspaper clippings primarily from the Times Colonist, which is published in Victoria, British Columbia.</p>
Name Access:	<p>Wardle, Dorothy</p> <p>Wardle, James M.</p> <p>Harkin, J. B. (James Bernard)</p> <p>Brewster, Pat</p> <p>Peyto, Bill</p> <p>Brett, Robert George</p> <p>Sanson, Norman</p>

Subject Access:	Banff
	Banff National Park
	Banff Public Library
	National parks and reserves
	Newspaper
	Parks Canada
	Park policy
	Research
	Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies
	Wardens
	Whyte Museum of the Canadian Rockies
	Ya-Ha-Tinda Ranch
	Hiking
	Community life
	History
	Mines and mineral resources
Geographic Access:	Alberta
	Banff
	Banff National Park
	Bankhead
	British Columbia
	Canada
	Canadian Rocky Mountains
	Castle Mountain
	Glacier National Park
	Kootenay National Park
	Silver City
	Victoria
	Yoho National Park
	Scotland
	Revelstoke
Language:	English
Conservation:	Some of the slips of paper are taped together. Was unable to remove them without damaging the materials. May present conservation issues in the future.
Creator:	Wardle, Dorothy
Category:	Sports, recreation and leisure
	Transportation
	Politics
	Natural resources
	Family and personal life
Title Source:	Exploration, discovery and travel
	Title based on contents of file
Processing Status:	Title was written on an envelope containing these materials.
	Processed



Booklets, Mollie Morant Poem, Signed Pat Brewster Book

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54142>

Part Of:	Nicholas Morant fonds
Description Level:	5 / File
Fonds Number:	M300 / S20 / V500
Sous-Fonds:	M300
Sub-Series:	M300 / III / D / 5 : Personal Interest and Gifts
Accession Number:	7784
Reference Code:	M300 / III / D / 5 / 1 to 5
GMD:	Textual record Private record Drawing
Responsibility:	Various authors
Date Range:	[ca. 1930 - ca. 1940] 1946 1963 1977 1980
Physical Description:	5 Textual Records: books, journal copy, illustrations
Scope & Content:	<p>File consists of 5 textual items, various authors. Content pertains to a copy of 'The Last of the Buffalo' given to Nicholas Morant in 1940 by Norman Luxton; an Illustrated booklet hand-drawn by Cyril Harris for Nicholas and Ivy Morant; a copy of 'Paintings from the Wild' by Clarence Pillenius; a 1946 journal publication containing a poem written by Mollie Morant; and a copy of 'Weathered Wood' by F.O. 'Pat' Brewster, signed.</p>
Storage Range:	In file box M300 / III / D / 5 / 1 to M300 / III / D / 5 / 11
Name Access:	Luxton, Norman Brewster, F.O. Brewster, Pat Morant, Ivy Morant, Mollie Harris, Cyril
Subject Access:	Poetry Publication Arts Buffalo
Geographic Access:	Canada Canadian Rocky Mountains

Access Restrictions:	Items in this file are not to be accessed or distributed without the explicit permission of their identified copyright owners.
Reproduction Restrictions:	Items in this file are not to be reproduced without the explicit permission of their identified copyright owners.
Language:	English
Conservation:	Items with ink or other risky materials on the surface must be covered with an acid-free paper barrier to protect adjacent items.
Creator:	Various authors
Title Source:	Title based on contents of file
Processing Status:	Processed

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Pat Brewster fonds

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions15>

Part Of:	Pat Brewster fonds
Description Level:	1 / Fonds
Fonds Number:	M2 / V91 / S21
Sous-Fonds:	V91
Accession Number:	12, 13, 80, 93, 110, 145, 340, 380, 899, 1006, 1110, 1179, 1210, 1235, 1398, 1409, 1440, 1505, 1784, 1874, 2176, 2216, 2303, 2361, 2410, 2643, 2791, 2816, 2880, 2903, 2933, 2940, 3051, 3157, 3181, 3393, 3642, 3733, 3734, 3780, 3821, 3921, 3969, 5028, 5336, 6018
Reference Code:	M2 / S21 / V91
GMD:	Photograph Album Negative Photograph print Postcard Transparency Sound recording Cassette Textual record Drawing Map Poster Private record
Date Range:	1841-1983
Physical Description:	ca.80 cm of textual material. -- ca.900 photographs : prints, postcards, transparencies, negatives, copy negatives. -- 1 photograph album (50 prints). -- 3 sound recordings : audio tape cassettes

History /

Biographical:

Forrest Oliver "Pat" Brewster, 1896-1982, was a trail guide, outfitter and businessman in Banff, Alberta, Canada. Pat was a native and life-long resident of Banff. As a boy, he was an active Boy Scout and, by age seventeen, was a big game guide. After serving in World War I, Brewster established the first permanent camp at Lake O'Hara for the Canadian Pacific Railway. In 1926, he took over the Brewster Transport Company outfitting business from his brothers, Bill and Jim. In the 1930s, he became involved in skiing explorations in the Assiniboine, Skoki and Sunshine areas. Pat Brewster was active in community affairs and, in his later years, was an avid historian of the region. He published three books of reminiscences between 1975 and 1982.

Scope & Content:

Fonds consists of four series: I. Personal, II. Professional, III. Activities, IV. Brewster family.

I. Personal series, 1905-1982, 18 cm of textual records, 160 photographs, 2 sound recordings. Includes correspondence, interview and recorded conversation, address/notebook, artwork, other textual records, photographs.

II. Professional series, 1892-1982, 47.5 cm of textual records, 266 photographs, 1 sound recording. Includes papers pertaining to various Brewster family and other businesses, writing papers and sound recording, and photographs pertaining to guiding and outfitting, tourism promotion and other.

III. Activities series, 1841-1983, 6.5 cm of textual records, 262 photographs. Pertains to genealogical research, other activities and collected material.

IV. Brewster family series, 1841-1981, 2.5 cm of textual records, 132 photographs. Pertains to Brewster family, Jack Brewster, John Brewster, Pearl Brewster Moore and the Moore family.

Name Access: Brewster, Pat

Subject Access: Commerce and industry
Family and personal life
Sports, recreation and leisure

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

Language: English

Finding Aid: Finding aids and reference tools: arrangement outline
series and file description
electronic finding aid
reference copies and summaries for sound recordings

Creator: Brewster, Pat

Category: Commerce and industry
Family and personal life
Sports, recreation and leisure

Title Source: Title based on contents of fonds

Processing Status: Processed

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Newspaper and Miscellaneous clippings

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions57144>

Part Of: Dorothy Cranstone fonds
Description Level: 5 / File
Fonds Number: M524 / V150
Series: M580 / I : Newspaper clippings
Sous-Fonds: M524
Reference Code: M524 / I
GMD: Textual record
Date Range: 1920 - 1998
Physical Description: 2 cm textual records

Scope & Content:

File consists of newspaper, magazine clippings and other collected materials. Contents pertain to obituaries of Dorothy Cranstone and Pat Brewster, Also included are articles about exhibits at the Glenbow Museum, Heritage Park Society and reproductions of art.

Name Access: Brewster, Pat
Cranstone, Dorothy
Subject Access: Museums
Obituary
Newspaper
Geographic Access: Banff
Banff, Alberta
Language: English
Category: Arts
Title Source: Title based on contents of file
Processing Status: Processed

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Pat Brewster inventions correspondence, other records

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions57446>

Part Of: Jim Brewster family fonds
Description Level: 5 / File
Fonds Number: M436
V90
Series: M436 / VI : Later acquisitions
Sous-Fonds: M436
Accession Number: 2023.09
Reference Code: M436 / VI / 6
GMD: Textual record
Date Range: 1950-1959
1967-1968
1977

Physical Description: 1.2 cm of textual records

Scope & Content:

File consists of notes, correspondence, receipts, and other related documents pertaining to the production, advertising, and sale of inventions by F.O. "Pat" Brewster, including the "Stubby Knife" and "Pic-Kit-Bag".

Name Access: Brewster, Pat
Subject Access: Advertising
Businesses
Commerce and industry
Commercial products
Finances
Language: English
Category: Commerce and industry
Communications
Title Source: Title based on contents of file
Processing Status: Processed

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