



1723 Copy of 'A Life of Mahomet' Possibly Morant's (?) and Japanese Stamp Collection

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Part Of: Nicholas Morant fonds
 Description Level: 5 / File
 Fonds Number: M300 / V500 / S20
 Sous-Fonds: M300
 Sub-Series: M300 / III / D / 5 : Personal Interest and Gifts
 Accession Number: Unknown
 Reference Code: M300 / III / D / 5 / 91 and 95
 GMD: Textual record
 Private record
 Published record
 Responsibility: Nicholas Morant (?), Nicholas Morant
 Date Range: 1723
 [ca. 1900 - ca. 1920]
 [ca. 1920 - ca. 1940]
 [ca. 1940 - ca. 1960]

Physical Description: 2 books (1 published, 1 stamp book)

History /

Biographical:

Humphrey Prideaux (1648-1724) was born in Cornwall and eventually became a Doctor of Divinity. Prideaux was an author of multiple textual works pertaining to faith and particularly Christianity. He was the Dean of Norwich from 1702 until his death in 1724.

Scope & Content:

File consists of 2 books; one 18th century, one 20th century stamp book. Includes 1723 copy of 'A Life of Mahomet' by Humphrey Prideaux; missing front/back covers, replaced with plain brown paper covers. Handwritten title 'Mahomet' written on front cover and side binding in different handwritings; front believed to be by Nicholas Morant (?), side unknown. Also includes book of Japanese stamps collected by Nicholas Morant; many not dated, various designs and sizes, annotated on covers with Nicholas Morant's personal ink stamp.

Storage Range: In file box M300 / III / D / 5 / 75 to M300 / III / D / 5 / 91

Subject Access: Religion
 Biography
 Stamps
 Postage

Geographic Access: England
 Japan
 Canada

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Language:	English
Conservation:	'Mahomet' book must be stored with protective barrier to prevent further damage (i.e. acid-free paper).
Creator:	Humphrey Prideaux, Nicholas Morant
Biographical Source Notes:	https://www.ccel.org/ccel/prideaux
Title Source:	Title based on contents of file
Processing Status:	Processed

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J. Monroe Thorington fonds

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Part Of:	J. Monroe Thorington fonds
Description Level:	1 / Fonds
Fonds Number:	M 106 V 622
Sous-Fonds:	M 106 V 622
Accession Number:	740, 1001, 1034, 1093, 1103, 1133, 1285, 1406, 1411, 1439, 1561, 1600, 1804, 1810, 1965, 1980, 2110, 2279, 2536, 2713, 3059
Reference Code:	M106 / V622
GMD:	Photograph Negative Photograph print Transparency Textual record Private record
Date Range:	1825-1974
Physical Description:	ca.1.8 m of textual records. -- 64 photographs : prints, transparencies, copy negatives

History / Biographical:

J. Monroe "Roy" Thorington, 1894-1989, was an ophthalmologist, mountaineer and mountain historian at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, USA. Thorington was a pre-eminent climber and explorer in the Canadian Rockies starting in 1922. He studied the Freshfield and Lyell Glaciers for 22 years and explored and mapped the Purcell Range, British Columbia. Thorington wrote approximately 300 publications on mountaineering, mountain history and the Canadian Rockies. He was active in numerous organizations, particularly the American Alpine Club.

Scope & Content:

Fonds consists of copies of textual records from the Thorington Archives at Princeton University and photographs in both original and copy form.

Textual records include: I. Thompson-Little Collection and supplement 1895- 1907; letters chiefly addressed to Charles Sproule Thompson collected by George T. Little, Appalachian Mountain Club and supplemented by material mainly from the estate of Charles E. Fay. II. American Alpine Club, 1903- 1967; correspondence with American Alpine Club members elected to 1918. III. Alps and Canada mountaineering correspondence. IV. Guide books and writings; pertains to writings on the Canadian Rockies and Conrad Kain. V. Dr. W. S. Ladd and Allen Carpe papers 1908-1935.

VI. Photographs, 1871-1970, pertain mainly to Thorington's climbing associates, mountain guides, friends and climbs; also, tombstones of friends at Banff Cemetery.

Fonds also includes miscellaneous original summit notes, articles, etc. concerning landmark mountaineering activities in the Canadian Rockies.

Name Access:	Thorington, J. Monroe
Subject Access:	Exploration, discovery and travel Sports, recreation and leisure
Access Restrictions:	No restrictions on access Copyright, privacy, commercial use and other restrictions may apply
Language:	Language is English
Finding Aid:	Finding aids and reference tools: series description
Creator:	Thorington, J. Monroe
Category:	Exploration, discovery and travel Sports, recreation and leisure
Title Source:	Title based on accession records and contents of fonds
Processing Status:	Processed

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