

Research Collections



Alice Wright fonds

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Part Of: Alice Wright fonds

Description Level: 1 / Fonds Fonds Number: M 193

V 710

Sous-Fonds: M193/V710

Accession Number: 1173, 2418, 3972

Reference Code: M193 / V710
GMD: Motion picture

Film

Textual record Private record

Date Range: 1827-1975

Physical Description: 11 motion pictures. -- 6 textual records

History / Biographical:

Alice Wright, d.ca.1982, was owner of the Mount Robson Ranch and operator of the Berg Lake Chalet in the Mount Robson area of British Columbia, Canada. She also lived at Red Pass and Sidney, B.C.

Scope & Content:

Fonds includes motion pictures by Alice Wright of horse trips and travels in the Canadian Rockies and miscellaneous papers and ephemera pertaining to Mount Robson Ranch, Berg Lake Chalet and Mount Robson region and history. Films pertain mainly to the Mount Robson and Jasper, Alberta areas; also Banff and Lake Louise. Textual records include a transcript of a portion of a diary of George MacDougal, 1827, describing a trip through Yellowhead Pass, Tete Jaune Cache to Jasper House. Also includes a memorandum of the British Columbia Parks Branch, 1975, re the future of the Berg Lake Chalet; annotations by Alice Wright.

Name Access: Wright, Alice

Subject Access: Exploration, discovery and travel

Access Restrictions: Some restrictions on access to originals

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Language: Language is English

Finding Aid: Finding aids and reference tools: motion picture summaries

Creator: Wright, Alice

Category: Exploration, discovery and travel
Title Source: Title based on accession records

Processing Status: Processed

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Astley family fonds

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Description Level: 1 / Fonds Fonds Number: M 265

V 394

Sous-Fonds: M 265

V 394

Accession Number: 1420, 1520, 2961, 6353, 6756, 7939

Reference Code: M265 / V394
GMD: Photograph

Photograph print Textual record Private record

Date Range: [ca.1886]-1970

Physical Description: 13 textual records. -- ca.40 photographs: prints

History / Biographical:

Willoughby John Astley, 1859-1948, came to Banff in 1888 and built the Beach House Hotel at Lake Minnewanka. He moved to Lake Louise in 1889. Brother, Charles D'Oyley Astley, 1849-1937, and Lucy Ann Astley continued to operate the hotel until 1907 when they retired to Banff. The hotel was destroyed as part of power development at Lake Minnewanka, ca.1912.

Scope & Content:

Fonds consists of notes, correspondence and articles pertaining to the Astley family and early history of Lake Louise and Lake Minnewanka areas. Fonds includes correspondence between Willoughby Astley and J. A. Jaffary of the Provincial Library, Alberta, 1928-1929, re place names in the Lake Louise area; scrapbook of clippings re World War I, including a list of Banff men who enlisted; Beach House Hotel guest register, 1890-1906, recording name and residence of guest, and occasionally record of fish caught; Astley family photographs, ca.1886-1930s. Photographs pertain to fishing and boating on Lake Minnewanka; Beach House Hotel and Lady of the Lake steam launch; Devil's Canyon, Bankhead and Banff; views of avalanche clearing in Roger's Pass by Byron Harmon. Includes one panorama view of group at Lake Minnewanka.

Name Access: Astley, Charles D'Oyley

Astley, Willoughby John

Subject Access: Buildings and facilities

Environment

Family and personal life

Military

Sports, recreation and leisure

Access Restrictions: Some restriction/s on access

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Language: Language is English

Finding Aid: Finding aids and reference tools: reference copy of hotel register

Related Material: Hotel register is related to similar item in Rodney Touche fonds (M377)

Creator: Astley, Charles D'Oyley

Astley, Willoughby John

Category: Environment

Family and personal life

Military

Sports, recreation and leisure

Title Source: Title based on accession records and contents of fonds

Processing Status: Processed

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