



### Alpine Club of Canada fonds

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**Part Of:** Alpine Club of Canada fonds  
**Description Level:** 1 / Fonds  
**Fonds Number:** M 200  
                                   S 6  
                                   V 14  
**Sous-Fonds:** M200  
                                   S6  
                                   V14  
**Accession Number:** 698, 1040 (unproc), 1224, 1299 (unproc), 1807, 1813, 2141 (unproc),  
                                   2376 (unproc), 3160 (unproc), 3296 (unproc), 3298 (unproc), 3382  
                                   (unproc), 3560 (unproc), 3757 (unproc), 3970 (unproc), 5012, 5114,  
                                   5200, 5215 (unproc), 5330 (unproc), 5343, 5357, 5396 (unproc), 5438,  
                                   5454, 5455, 5456, 5457, 5458, 5459, 5460, 5461, 5462 (unproc), 5463  
                                   (unproc), 5464, 5465, 5466, 5474, 5538 (unproc), 5541, 5569 (unproc),  
                                   5591 (unproc), 5592, 5605, 5631 (unproc), 5632, 5633, 5634, 5635  
                                   (unproc), 5680 (unproc), 5724, 5950, 6062 (unproc), 6332, 6337, 6375,  
                                   6376 (unproc), 6396, 6437, 6451, 6457 (unproc), 6459 (unproc), 6465  
                                   (unproc), 6470 (unproc), 6623 (unproc), 6624, 6625, 6626, 6627  
                                   (unproc), 6628, 6765 (unproc), 6766 (unproc), 6767 (unproc), 7774  
                                   (unproc), 7779 (unproc), 8002 (unproc), 2021.32 (unproc)  
**Reference Code:** M200 / S6 / V14  
**GMD:** Motion picture  
           Film  
           Video  
           Photograph  
           Album  
           Negative  
           Photograph print  
           Postcard  
           Transparency  
           Sound recording  
           Cassette  
           Textual record  
           Organization record  
**Date Range:** 1906-2017  
**Physical Description:** ca.42 m of textual records. -- ca.12,500 photographs: prints,  
                                   stereographic prints, transparencies, slides, negatives, postcards. -- 85  
                                   photograph albums. -- 8 motion pictures: films, video recordings. -- 3  
                                   sound recordings

## History /

### Biographical:

The Alpine Club of Canada, the national mountaineering club, was co-founded in 1906 by A. O. Wheeler and Elizabeth Parker, and other like-minded climbers. The club espoused scientific study and exploration, cultivation of art, public education, acquisition of climbing skills, and preservation of natural areas within the mountainous regions of Canada. Through a national executive, local sections and volunteer committees, the club provided climbing camps, clubhouse, huts, and publications, including the Canadian Alpine Journal. ACC expeditions and projects resulted in pioneer exploration, first ascents, and included mountain warfare training during the Second World War. In recent years, the club's membership has increased dramatically with the popularity of climbing and its programs have evolved to serve the needs of unguided climbers using sophisticated technical aids.

### Scope & Content:

Fonds constitutes the principal resource for the study of the history of Canadian mountaineering. It provides a wealth of information on individual alpinists, expeditions, mountains, national parks, conservation, climbing, alpine organizations, publications, guiding, scientific study and the Alpine Club itself.

The fonds consists of four Sous-fonds: I. Alpine Club of Canada records; II. Mount Everest Expedition (1982) records; III. Personal papers and photographs; IV. Other material. Club administration records (series I.A.) pertain to executive positions; head office; finance; camps, climbing and treks; expeditions; huts and properties; clubhouses; library; publications; photography; other committees; other activities; and other. Other club records include section records (series I.B.), hut registers and summit records (series I.C.).

Name Access:	Alpine Club of Canada
Subject Access:	Environment Exploration, discovery and travel Sports, recreation and leisure
Access Restrictions:	Some restriction/s on access Copyright, privacy, commercial use and other restrictions may apply
Language:	Language is English
Finding Aid:	Finding aids and reference tools: sous-fonds, series and sub-series description electronic finding aid for processed material
Creator:	Alpine Club of Canada
Category:	Environment Exploration, discovery and travel Sports, recreation and leisure
Title Source:	Title based on contents of fonds
Processing Status:	Processed / Unprocessed

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## Canadian Mount Everest Expedition sous-fonds. -- 1979-1984.

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions56398>

Part Of: Alpine Club of Canada fonds  
Description Level: 2 / Sous-fonds  
Fonds Number: M200  
Series: II.  
Sous-Fonds: II. Canadian Mount Everest Expedition  
Accession Number: 5200  
Reference Code: M200 / II / AC407  
Responsibility: Records were generated by the Canadian Mount Everest Society.  
Date Range: predom. 1978-1984  
Physical Description: 3.15 m of textual records.

### History /

#### Biographical:

The Alpine Club of Canada was a major sponsor of the 1982 Canadian Mount Everest Expedition.

#### Scope & Content:

Canadian Mount Everest Expedition records are primarily Director's records; also includes material on publication, "Everest Canada."

Finding Aid: Inventory available in this database; select Alpine Club of Canada - inventory from list

Related Material: Constitutes Sous-fonds II of the Alpine Club of Canada fonds. Some records pertaining to expedition planning and preparation can also be found in I.A.2.d. and I.A.3.d., ACC administrative records. Other records pertaining to the expedition can be found in Larry Emrick fonds (M539), Bruce Patterson fonds (S42), Peter Spear fonds (M562, V787, S56), John Amatt fonds (M563, V788, S57), and Al Burgess fonds (M64, S48)

Title Source: Title based on contents of sous-fonds.

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## Other materials sous-fonds. -- [ca.1880]-1988.

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions900>

Part Of: Alpine Club of Canada fonds  
Description Level: 2 / Sous-fonds  
Series: IV. Other materials sous-fonds  
Sous-Fonds: IV. Other materials  
Accession Number: 5200  
Reference Code: M200 / IV  
V14 / IV

Physical Description: ??? textual records. -- ??? photographs.

### Scope & Content:

Sous-fonds includes miscellaneous material acquired by the Alpine Club of Canada prior to 1986. Includes letters, cartoons, clippings, printed matter, photographs, articles, scrapbooks, etc.

Finding Aid: Inventory available in this database; select Alpine Club of Canada - inventory from list  
Related Material: Constitutes Sous-fonds IV of the Alpine Club of Canada fonds.  
Title Source: Title based on material.  
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## Personal papers and photographs sous-fonds. -- 1887-1984.

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions899>

Part Of: Alpine Club of Canada fonds  
Description Level: 2 / Sous-fonds  
Series: III. Personal papers and photographs sous-fonds  
Sous-Fonds: III. Personal papers and photographs  
Accession Number: 5200  
5458  
6337  
6376  
6465  
Reference Code: M200 / III  
V14 / III  
For full list of file numbers, select series III in database search.  
Physical Description: ??? cm of textual records. -- ??? photographs.

#### Scope & Content:

Constitutes Sous-fonds III of the Alpine Club of Canada fonds. Consists of members' personal papers and photographs accumulated by the Alpine Club of Canada prior to 1986. Material pertains primarily to ACC camps, expeditions, climbs, activities and facilities; and to mountaineering in general. Major groups of material include: Paul A. W. Wallace papers and photographs, 1912- 1945; Frank W. Freeborn photographs, 1905-1914; Preston L. Tait photographs, 1911-1946; Phyllis Munday photographs, ca.1920-ca.1940; W. E. Stone photographs, 1912-1921; H. F. Lambart papers and photographs, 1913-1937; and Elizabeth Parker photographs, 1906-1912. Other significant groups of material include: Geoffrey Capes papers and photographs, 1947-1957; Byron Harmon photographs, 1906-ca.1920; J. P. Forde photographs, 1906-1913; George Battell photographs, ca.1909-1915; J. W. A. Hickson photographs, 1909-1919; L. C. Ford photographs, 1919-1932; Edward C. Porter photographs, ca.1950- 1981; Harry Pollard photographs, 1910-ca.1925; W. W. Foster photographs, 1925; A. A. McCoubrey papers, 1906-1937; H. A. V. Green papers, 1953-1958; A. T. Dalton photographs, 1902, 1907; Cora Sutter photographs, ca.1945; George Kinney papers and photographs, ca.1907; Malcolm Goddard photographs, 1912, n.d.; Elliott Barnes photographs, 1907; J. Norman Collie photographs, 1897- 1910. Single items or small groups of items originate with the following: Duke of Abruzzi, H. W. Allan, Allen H. Bent, Frances Arnold Black, Eric Brooks, Neal Carter, Rollin T. Chamberlin, Nick Clinch, Mary Cockerton, H. A. Constantine, Mary Fallis, Willima O. Field, Margaret Fleming, Don Forrester, H. O. Frind, A. L. Harkness, Dorothy Hartley, G. Horne, Emil Huber, Ernest A. Jenkins, Mary L. Jobe, Conrad Kain, R. Kelly, F. V. Longstaff, H. MacKay, Claire McIntyre, D. S. McTavish, Edwin W. Mills, S. H. Mitchell, Don Munday, Elizabeth M. Rife, D. A. Sampson, R. A. Schluter, Vaux family, Betty Walker, C. G. Wates, A. O. Wheeler, Frank Yeigh.

Finding Aid: Inventory available in this database; select Alpine Club of Canada - inventory from list

Related Material: Constitutes Sous-fonds III of the Alpine Club of Canada fonds. Material compliments Alpine Club of Canada records, particularly with regards to camps, climbs, expeditions and facilities. Photographs by professional photographers such as Byron Harmon, Harry Pollard and Elliott Barnes may have been produced on behalf of the club and related to I.A.1.j. Administration: photography. Paul A. W. Wallace material is also held by the Glenbow Archives, Calgary.

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## [100 YR SWISS CENTENNIAL CLIMB 1999: Faye Summit notes. Bow Hut OCT - DEC 1998]

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions57743>

Part Of: Alpine Club of Canada fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M200

V14

S6

Series: M200 / V: Summit Records

Sous-Fonds:	M200
Sub-Series:	M200 / V / A: Identified Summit Records
Accession Number:	accn. 2023.06
Reference Code:	M200 / V / A / 156
GMD:	Textual record
	Organization record
Responsibility:	Summit Registers and Notes produced by Alpine Club of Canada
Date Range:	1998-1999
Physical Description:	0.5 cm of textual records
History /	
Biographical:	
	Mount Fay is located along the Continental/Great Divide, along the Alberta and British Columbia border. Mount Fay is part of the Canadian Rockies.
Scope & Content:	
	File consists of summit notes from Mount Fay produced by the Alpine Club of Canada between 1998 and 1999. Summit record includes entries from visitors to the various summits which pertain to individuals' hiking and climbing trips; details of specific events which occurred while at the summit, wildlife sightings, trail updates, and related topics.
File:	
	M200 / V / A / 156: [100 YR SWISS CENTENNIAL CLIMB 1999: Faye Summit notes. Bow Hut OCT - DEC 1998]
Notes:	For Bow Hut Register, see M200 / V / F / 31
Name Access:	Alpine Club of Canada
Subject Access:	Alberta
	Alpine Club of Canada
	Backpacking
	British Columbia
	Climbing
	Club
	Description and travel
	Environment
	Environment and Nature
	Great Divide
	Hiking
	Mountain
	Mountaineering
	Mountaineers
	Mountains
	Record keeping
	Ski mountaineering
	Sports and leisure
	Sports and recreation
	Summit
	Trails

Geographic Access: Canada  
Canadian Rocky Mountains  
Great Divide  
Continental Divide  
Alberta  
British Columbia  
Mount Fay

Access Restrictions: Restrictions may apply

Language: English

Related Material: M235  
M200 / IV / F / 31

Category: Environment  
Exploration and travel  
Sports, recreation and leisure

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

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## 1924 Mt. Logan Expedition. -- [1925?]

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions6655>

Part Of: Alpine Club of Canada fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Series: I.A.2.d.iii. Administration: expeditions - other expeditions

Reference Code: M200 / AC 421 / 258

Physical Description: 1 file of textual records

Scope & Content:

File includes climbing party, list of photographs taken by Capt. MacCarthy summer reconnaissance and winter freighting expedition, 1925, record of the climbing party on the Ascent of Mount Logan by H. F. Lambart.

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## 1959-1965 Ski Camps. -- 1949-1965

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions6886>

Part Of: Alpine Club of Canada fonds  
Description Level: 5 / File  
Series: I.A.2.c. Administration: camps / climbing / treks / courses  
Reference Code: M200 / AC 421 / 496  
Physical Description: 1 file of textual records

### Scope & Content:

File includes letters, financial papers, business papers, and other papers re reports, minutes of meetings, budget, bulletins, participants, Columbia Icefield, Maligne Lake, Tonquin Valley, Little Yoho Valley.

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## 1960 and 1961 General Mountaineering Camp. -- 1960-1961

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions6762>

Part Of: Alpine Club of Canada fonds  
Description Level: 5 / File  
Series: I.A.2.c. Administration: camps / climbing / treks / courses  
Reference Code: M200 / AC 421 / 370  
Physical Description: 1 file of textual records

### Scope & Content:

File includes papers re essential supplies, camp pamphlets, awards, expenses.

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## 1962 General Mountaineering Camp. -- 1962

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions6763>

Part Of: Alpine Club of Canada fonds  
Description Level: 5 / File  
Series: I.A.2.c. Administration: camps / climbing / treks / courses  
Reference Code: M200 / AC 421 / 371  
Physical Description: 1 file of textual records  
Scope & Content:  
File pertains to pamphlet, bills of goods and supplies, club by-laws.

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## 1963 General Mountaineering Camp. -- 1963

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions6764>

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Description Level: 5 / File  
Series: I.A.2.c. Administration: camps / climbing / treks / courses  
Reference Code: M200 / AC 421 / 372  
Physical Description: 1 file of textual records  
Scope & Content:  
File pertains to pamphlet, bills, invoices.

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