



Cyril and Mary Paris fonds

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Part Of:	Cyril and Mary Paris fonds
Description Level:	1 / Fonds
Fonds Number:	M 68 S 22 V 483
Sous-Fonds:	M 68 S 22 V 483
Accession Number:	499, 947, 998, 1038, 1167, 1374, 1401, 1533, 1565, 1671, 1805, 2093, 2181, 2258, 2454
Reference Code:	M68 / S22 / V483
GMD:	Photograph Album Negative Photograph print Tintype Transparency Sound recording Reel to reel Textual record Private record Published record
Date Range:	[ca.1894]-1967
Physical Description:	13 cm of textual records. -- 183 photographs : negatives, prints, transparencies, tintype. -- 4 photograph albums: 536 prints. -- 3 sound recordings : audio tape reels

History /

Biographical:

Cyril and Mary Paris were restaurant owners and skiers at Banff, Alberta, Canada. Cyril Paris, 1904-1981, was son of George Harrison Paris, 1872-1960, who settled in Banff in 1892. George Paris worked as an attendant at Dr. R. G. Brett's Grandview Hotel bathhouse, and, by 1903, Paris had established his own barber shop. He married Ida Winberg and they opened a summer tea house and ice cream parlor on Banff Avenue. In 1922, a restaurant was added to the Paris Tea Room. George Paris was active in the Banff Curling Club and the Banff Skating Club and taught figure-skating. He was an accomplished amateur photographer. George and Ida Paris had four children - Cyril, Georgina (Georgie) and twins, Herb and Ted. Cyril and his brothers were active in the early development of skiing in the Rockies. Cyril Paris was a member of the Banff Ski Club and the Ski Runners of the Canadian Rockies, and was involved with the early days of Skoki Lodge. With his wife, Mary (Howard) Paris, 1910-1989, he shared interests in skiing, winter sports and local affairs.

Scope & Content:

Fonds consist of four separate series: A. Transparencies; B. Negatives; C. Photograph; D. Photograph Albums. Fonds consists of correspondence, personal papers, photographs, sound recordings and ephemera regarding Banff history, organizations and individuals, skiing history, events and winter sports. Also includes miscellaneous materials of and pertaining to Paris family members. Photographs pertain mainly to Cyril Paris, skiing, family, friends and associates, local events and personalities. Sound recordings are interviews with George Paris by Cyril and Mary Paris, 195-. Recordings discuss the early days of Banff, the Paris family, Banff development, etc.

Name Access:	Paris, Cyril Paris, Mary
Subject Access:	Community life Family and personal life 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: basic description sound recordings summaries, reference copy recordings
Creator:	Paris, Cyril Paris, Mary
Category:	Family and personal life Sports, recreation and leisure
Title Source:	Title based on accession records and contents of fonds
Processing Status:	Processed

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Description Level: 5 / File

Series: Tintype

Accession Number: 947

Reference Code: V483 / PT 1

Date Range: n.d.

Physical Description: One black and white tintype.

Scope & Content:

Tintype: n.d. The black and white tintype contains an image of three male individuals. The tintype has three corners cut on the edges.

Title Source: Title based on the content.

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Canadian Physicians' Fine Art and Camera Salon and "Banff" Music Score

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Description Level: 5 / File

Accession Number: 1565

Reference Code: M68 / 11

Date Range: 1932, 1946

Physical Description: 2 textual materials.

Scope & Content:

Music score titled "Banff" and programme printed by the Canadian Physicians' Fine Art and Camera Salon.

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Cook Books

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Description Level: 5 / File

Accession Number: 1565

Reference Code: M68 / 10

Date Range: 1947, 1954

Physical Description: Two textual materials.

Scope & Content:

Two cook books.

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Correspondings and documents about skiing

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Part Of: Cyril and Mary Paris fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Accession Number: 998

Reference Code: M68 / 2

Date Range: 1963, 1967

Physical Description: 0.5 cm of textual materials.

Scope & Content:

Various correspondence and information about skiing in Banff, written by Cyril Paris.

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Ed Noble June 23/31

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions25258>

Part Of: Cyril and Mary Paris fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Series: Photograph Albums

Accession Number: 1038

Reference Code: V483 / PD - 3

Date Range: 1931

Physical Description: One photo album.

Scope & Content:

Ed Noble album [June 23, 1931]. Album consists of 71 pages, album has 113 black and white photographs, tipped in with photo corners. Some photographs missing, some photographs are loose at back of album, many contain captions, some annotated on reverse. Photographs pertain to RCAF Flight Autogiro, air tour in Edmonton, trip to Hole-in-Wall, skiing in Edmonton, and contain images of Hub, Ted, Berona, Mildred, Jack, Evelyn, Olive, George, Lila, Bob.

Title Source: Title based on album.

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Maclean's Magazine, The Mountain Guide

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Part Of: Cyril and Mary Paris fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Accession Number: 2258

Reference Code: M68 / 15

Date Range: 1953, 1987

Physical Description: 2 textual materials.

Scope & Content:

Article from Maclean's magazine printed on March 15, 1953. The Mountain Guide edition printed on Summer 1987.

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Maclean's Magazines, A Newspaper Clipping

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Description Level: 5 / File

Accession Number: 1671

Reference Code: M68 / 12

Date Range: 1939, 1952

Physical Description: 3 textual materials.

Scope & Content:

Two Maclean's Magazine printed on December 1st and 15th, 1952. A newspaper clipping printed on May 29, 1939 by The Calgary Herald.

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Membership Cards, The Pinnacle, Published Materials

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Description Level: 5 / File

Accession Number: 499

Reference Code: M68 / 4

Date Range: 1918, 1956

Physical Description: 2cm of textual materials.

Scope & Content:

Pocket size dictionary, Three Sisters images, Certificate for Canadian Amateur Ski Association, The Pinnacle yearbooks, dinner menus, invitations, tickets, membership identifications, booklets. A Published material titled "California."

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Description Level: 5 / File

Accession Number: 499

Reference Code: M68 / 5

Date Range: 1914-1953

Physical Description: 1.5cm of textual materials.

Scope & Content:

Ski competition pamphlets, invitations, postcards, Christmas cards, documents pertaining to the Banff Winter Carnival.

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