

Research Collections



Book Case

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact105.02.1049

Title: Book Case

Date: 1918

Material: wood; glass; metal; skin

Description: Mounted, glass covered book case, leather covered book, patterned

fabric lined, ivory coloured. Cover has all metal inscriptions: ribbon-shape centre top: "The Alpine Club of Canada",oval insignia 4.6 x 2.8, ram's head and ACC. Single brass letters centered: "Members War Record 1914-1918", copper plates each side 12.8×5.0 with ice pick and rope. Silver coloured rope over bottom copper plate 9.0×21.5 , centered on this plate a wreath 6.0×6.3 with "SIC ITVR AD ASTRA"inside. Mounted on oak base 57.0×46.5 c 6.0, glass walls $11.2 \times .5$ thick. 16.5 long brass rods through corners of glass go through base to tighten withwing nuts.

Subject: institutions

Alpine Club of Canada

ACC

World War I

Credit: Gift of Alpine Club of Canada, Canmore, 1973

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Commemorative Plaque

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact105.02.1052

Title: Commemorative Plaque

Date: 1908 Material: wood

Dimensions: 46.2 x 77.6 cm

Description: Wooden plaque, William S Vaux Jr. oak panel 63.5x32.5x3.3 has carved

lettering: "This fireplace in memory of William S Vaux Jr. A.C.C. student of glaciers 1887-1908 Born 1872 - Died 1908", wooden pegs each

corner, mounted on larger wooden base

Subject: exploration

William S. Vaux Jr

ACC

glaciology

geology

Credit: Gift of Alpine Club of Canada, Canmore, 1973

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Commemorative Plaque

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact105.02.1155

Title: Commemorative Plaque

Date: 1981 Material: plastic

Dimensions: 21.6 x 28.0 cm

Description: Grey plastic commemorative plaque with mounting holes each corner.

"LAWRENCE GRASSI Mountaineer. guide. pioneer. trail builder. miner. and friend of all mountain travellers. BORN - Falmenta. Italy. December 20. 1890 DIED - Canmore. Alberta. February 5. 1980. Construction of this mountain hut was made possible by: Lawrence Grassi - Canmore Alberta and the generosity of the Hayes family of Portland. Oregon: Edmund Hayes. Senior Former President. Canmore Mines Ltd. Edmund Hayes. Junior Frederick W. Hayes Philip S. Hayes. DEDICATED

AUGUST. 1981"

Subject: Lawrence Grassi

Alpine Club of Canada

ACC

Credit: Gift of Alpine Club of Canada, Canmore, 1984

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Ice Ax

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact108.04.1028%20a-i

Title: lce Ax

Date: 1900 – 1930 Material: wood; metal

Description: Various woods and axe heads, some with name plates. (a) 96.0x27.0,

A.O. Wheeler (b) 103.8x28.5, Mrs. Arthur O. Wheeler (c) 99.0x26.9 Benjamin Frank Seaver A.C.C. (d) 95.7x28.8 A.H. MacC (e) 95.8x23.4 H.E. Sampson (f) 110.7x30.5 GHR Kaufman (g) 114.5x26.0 C.E.F. (h)

91.5x25.0 C.P.R. (i) 85.5x26.7 Arthur Beale.

Subject: sports

climbing ACC

Alpine Club of Canada

A.O. Wheeler

guides

JHR Kaufman

Credit: Gift of Alpine Club of Canada, Canmore, 1973

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Membership Pin Collection

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact105.02.1054%20a-k

Title: Membership Pin Collection

Date: 1930 – 1960 Material: metal; antler Description: a-f on v

a-f on white hat (103.04.1019 b), h-k on red hat (103.04.1019 a)(a) Canadian Rockies Skyline Hikers, green rim with "CANADIAN ROCKIES SKYLINE HIKERS," yellow sky, blue mountains, green ground and large red hiking boot at centre(b) Flying white heron on dark blue background, heron and pin bordered with gold metal(c) Canadian flag pin(d) Canadian Rockies TrailRiders gold pin, says "CANADIAN ROCKIES TRAILRIDERS" around edge, person on horse in centre(e) moose antler carved into owl pin, largest of the pins at around 5cm in length(f) Canadian Rockies TrailRiders, coloured with blue rim and gold lettering "CANADIAN ROCKIES TRAILRIDERS" around edge, person riding white horse in centre with blue sky, greenery, and grey ground(g) The Alpine Club of Canada pin(h) Pick and "ACC" intertwined with coloured lines (white, grey, green)(i) Mountain Rescue Service Canada pin, circular, white background to words going around border "MOUNTAIN RESCUE SERVICE CANADA" with maple leaf on each side of "Canada", large red cross with white mountain and blue sky beneath at centre(j) Bugaboos pin, red mountain outline with blue sky and three black figures and "BUGABOOS" at bottom(k) elaborate metal crest with pick and rope,

Subject: Lillian Gest

Skyline Hikers

ACC

Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies

flower, and hiking shoes, bordered by leaves]

Alpine Club of Canada

Credit: Gift of Lillian Gest, Philadelphia, USA, 1986

Catalogue Number: 105.02.1054 a-k

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Printing Plate

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact104.43.1009

Title: Printing Plate

Date: 1914 Material: metal

Dimensions: 22.5 x 30.4 cm

Description: A printing plate for the "Alpine Club of Canada Yoho Camp 1914".

Various shapes of pictures of mountains and people with the Club's logo

bottom corner.

Subject: Alpine Club of Canada

ACC

climbing

lodges and camps

Credit: Gift of Glenbow Museum, Calgary, 1984

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Summit Canister

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact105.02.1099

Title: Summit Canister
Date: 1948 – 1986

Material: metal
Dimensions: 18.0 cm

Description: Capped copper tube, Mount Hungabee, 1.5 mm thick copper tube, caps

3.2 long, one soldered to tube. Some lightning damage, "ACC" stamped

on cap.

Subject: sports

climbing

Mount Hungabee

ACC

Credit: Gift of Allan Kane, Calgary, 1986

Catalogue Number: 105.02.1099

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Summit Canister

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact105.02.1107

Title: Summit Canister
Date: 1964 – 1983

Material: metal
Dimensions: 16.8 cm

Description: Copper pipe with closed ends used as a canister. Copper pipe forming

body of canister has many marks from trying to remove loose end forming the lid. Other end piece has been soldered on. Each of the two end pieces has "Emco" stamped on them and removable end has A.C.C.

stamped on top.

Subject: ACC

Alpine Club of Canada

sports
climbing
Mount Joffre

Credit: Gift of George Field, Canmore, 1984

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