

# Research Collections



# Community events, friends

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions55539

Part Of: Luxton family fonds

Description Level: 5 / File Fonds Number: LUX

Series: LUX / III / D : Collected material

Sous-Fonds: LUX / III : Luxton family sous-fonds

Accession Number: LUX

Reference Code: LUX / III / D / PA - 205 to 231

GMD: Photograph

Print

Date Range: [ca.1900-1960]

Physical Description: 27 photographs: b&w and col. prints; 13.5 x 19.5 cm or smaller

Scope & Content:

File consists of photographs pertaining to travel photos, family and group portraits, and other events involving friends of the Luxton family. Includes images of unidentified individuals in Egypt, standing by a large glacier in the Rockies, visiting Stanford University, and feeding birds in Paris[?]; group portraits of unidentified children; a pack train fording the Pipestone River; and related views.

Subject Access: Family and personal life

Travel
Tourism
Children
Public events
Community life

Horses
Hiking
Recreation
Portrait
Christmas
Landscapes
Glaciers

Geographic Access: Canada

Alberta

Pipestone River

Canadian Rocky Mountains

Egypt Europe

United States of America

California

Reproduction

Restrictions may apply

Restrictions:

Category: Exploration, discovery and travel

Family and personal life

Sports, recreation and leisure

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed

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# **Dorothy Wardle fonds**

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions398

Part Of: Dorothy Wardle fonds

Description Level: 1 / Fonds Fonds Number: M521

V75

Sous-Fonds: M521

V75

Accession Number: 5296, 5391, 7504

Reference Code: M521 / V75 GMD: Photograph

> Album Negative

Photograph print

Postcard

Transparency
Textual record
Private record
Published record

Date Range: ca.1870-2002

Physical Description: 154 cm of textual records. -- 1304 photographs (1190 prints, 95

negatives, 19 transparencies). -- 6 photograph albums.

# History / Biographical:

The Wardle family was comprised of husband and wife, James Morey Wardle (June 26,1888 - May 18,1971) and Maud Leette (Roney) Wardle (May 24,1889 - December 1,1969), and their one child, Dorothy Hope Wardle (May 23,1919 - July 20,2003).

James Wardle, born in Chiliwack, British Columbia, was a civil engineer and public servant. He was the Superintendent of Banff National Park from 1918-1921, Chief Engineer for Parks Canada from 1921-1935, and Deputy Minister of the Interior from 1935-1936. He is primarily known as a highway design engineer, particularly for building the Banff-Windermere, Banff-Lake Louise, and Banff-Jasper highways. He was a councillor for the Municipality of Rockcliffe Park in Ontario and he was the President of the Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies in Banff from 1925-1929. Mount Wardle in Vermillion was named after him in 1921. James married Leette on November 4, 1913, with whom he had one child, Dorothy.

Born in Calgary, Alberta, Dorothy (also known as Dot and Dorie) grew up in Banff, Alberta and Ottawa, Ontario, due to her father's position with the federal government. She was educated at the Mountain School in Banff and at the Elmwood School in Ottawa. All three family members were graduates of Queen's University in Kingston, Ontario. James graduated in 1912 with a Bachelor of Science in Engineering, Leette graduated with a Bachelor's degree, and in 1942, Dorothy also earned a Bachelor's degree. Dorothy was prominent in student life and active in athletics. In 1941, Dorothy became the first woman elected as President of the Alma Mater Society and during her academic career, Dorothy was a member of the Levana Intercollegiate Debative, University Centenary Committee, and Queen's War Aid Commission.

Dorothy spent her career as a freelance writer however, upon graduation she served as the first Secretary-In-Charge of Records at Carleton College (now Carleton University) from 1942-1944 in Ottawa and in the mid-1950s worked as a secretary for the Glenbow Foundation in Calgary. Dorothy pursued a lifelong interest in traveling, art, and antiques. Although she was fiercely proud and protective of Banff and the Park, and remained a volunteer and patron of the Whyte Museum of the Canadian Rockies, Dorothy eventually settled in Sidney, British Columbia and shared an apartment with Sheila Iris Ritchie, with whom Dorothy travelled extensively. After her death in 2003, Dorothy, "Dorie," was laid to rest alongside her parents in the Old Banff Cemetery.

#### Scope & Content:

Fonds consists of two sous-fonds: M521 and V75.

M521 consists of four series, 154 cm, ca.1870-2002. Series I: Dorothy Wardle Personal Papers, 69.5 cm, ca.1870-2002 (includes Dorothy's written work and research and notes related to Banff). Series II: Wardle Family, 32.5 cm, 1872-1998 (including correspondence with Carl Rungius and Mrs. Helen Brett, and Christmas and other greeting cards from Peter and Catharine Whyte). Series III: Queen's University, 7.5 cm, 1911-1980 (including graduation certificates for each family member and records pertaining to Dorothy's participation on the Alma Mater Society). Series IV: Travel, 44.5 cm, ca.1950-1988 (includes hand-written notebooks meticulously detailing their travels).

V75 consists of two series, 79.5 cm, ca. 1912-2001. Series I: Wardle Family, ca. 1912-1971, 6 albums, 31 cm of photograph prints and negatives (including family trips, trail rides in the Canadian Rocky Mountains, and family gatherings). Series II: Dorothy Wardle, 1972-2001, 34 cm of photograph prints, negatives, and transparencies (including Dorothy's travels in Alberta and British Columbia, overseas, and various outings with friends).

Name Access: Wardle, Dorothy

Wardle, James Rungius, Carl Brett, Helen Keyte, Freeman Hart, E. J. (Ted)

Harkin, J. B. (James Bernard)

Brewster, Pat Peyto, Bill

Brett, Robert George

Sanson, Norman White, Clifford

Drummond-Davies, Nora

Mills, lke

McLean, George

Walking Buffalo (George McLean)

Kaquitts, Frank

Oxborough, Dorothy

Whyte, Jon

Robinson, Dean

Warren, Mary Schaffer

Simpson, George

Gibbon, John Murray

Whyte, Catharine

Whyte, Peter

Greenham, Margaret

Subject Access: Arts

Environment

Personal and Family Life

Banff

Old Banff Cemetery

Whyte Museum of the Canadian Rockies

Cabins

Travel

Picnics and picnicking

Holidays

Scenery

Christmas

Dogs

Horses

Mountain

Canoes and canoeing

Hiking

Wildlife

War Memorial

**Highland Games** 

Bow River Bridge

Golfing

Anniversary

Horseback riding

Indigenous Peoples

Stoney Nakoda

Education

Snowshoes and snowshoeing

**Banff Winter Carnival** 

Banff Winter Festival

Women

Trails

Trail Riders of the Canadian Rockies

Sports and leisure

Skiing

European travel

Beach

Calgary Herald

Geography

Government

Newspaper

**Politics** 

Research

**Banff Public Library** 

National parks and reserves

Park policy

Parks Canada

Wardens

Ya-Ha-Tinda Ranch

Community life

Mines and mineral resources

History

Immigration and homesteading

Settlement

Organizations

World War II

Biographical

Professional and Personal Life

Grizzly Bears

Fire fighters

Sunshine Village

Teahouses

Banff Indian Days

Regalia

Calgary Stampede

Mountain guides

Mountain School

The Albertan

Crag and Canyon newspaper

Homestead Hotel

**Banff Centre** 

Hot Springs

Superintendents

Automobiles

Natural history

Records

Calendar

Finances

Leases

Legal and Financial

Property

Recreation

Geographic Access: Ba

Banff

Banff National Park

Canmore

Alberta

Canada

Canadian Rocky Mountains

Castle Mountain

Bankhead

British Columbia

Glacier National Park

Kootenay National Park

Silver City

Victoria

Scotland

Revelstoke

Yoho National Park

Ottawa

Ontario

Prince Edward Island

Plain of Six Glaciers

Lake Agnes

Lake Louise

Lake Minnewanka

Lake O'Hara

Bow River

Calgary

Sidney

San Francisco

**United States** 

Europe

Germany

Switzerland

France

Spain

Monaco

Italy

Denmark

Austria

Quebec

Windermere

New York

Assiniboine

**Ghost River** 

High River

Quebec City

New Brunswick

Maine

Great Divide

Moraine Lake

Maligne Lake

Columbia Icefield

Washington

Philadelphia

Atlantic City

Larch Valley

Cascade Mountain

Panama

Sulphur Mountain

Field

**Emerald Lake** 

Head Smashed In Buffalo Jump

Takkakaw Falls

Jasper National Park

Athabasca Falls

Okanagan

Kananaskis

Hoodoos

Powell River

Montreal

Access Restrictions: Some restriction/s on access

Copyright, privacy, commercial use and other restrictions may apply

Language: Language is English

Related Material: Dorothy also donated artwork (by Carl Rungius) to Art and Heritage.

James Morey Wardle fonds (Library and Archives Canada)

Creator: Wardle, Dorothy

Wardle, James M.

Wardle, Leette

Category: Arts

Environment Education

Exploration, discovery and travel

Family and personal life

First nations

Sports, recreation and leisure

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

Processing Status: Processed

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# **Ephemera and Collected Materials**

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54648

Part Of: Dorothy Wardle fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M521 / V75

Series: M521 / IV : Travel

Sous-Fonds: M521 Accession Number: 7504

Reference Code: M521 / IV / 1-17

GMD: Diary

Мар

Postcard

Published record
Textual record

Date Range: c.1950-c.1980

Physical Description: 28 cm of textual records (21 x 29.5 cm or smaller)

#### Scope & Content:

File consists of 28 cm of textual records, 21 x 29.5 cm or smaller. File pertains to the Wardle family's travels overseas and in North America. Records include brochures, pamphlets, postcards (annotated and blank), folded maps and guidebooks, and other travel literature. Destinations include Amsterdam, Germany, Luxembourg, Austria, Spain, France, Monaco, Scotland, Italy, Scandinavia, Switzerland, the United Kingdom, and various places in North America.

Name Access: Wardle, Dorothy

Subject Access: Travel

European travel

Family and personal life

Geographic Access: Canada

Scotland
Europe
Germany
Switzerland
France
Spain
Monaco
Italy

Denmark Austria

Language: English

Category: Exploration, discovery and travel

Family and personal life

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed

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#### Miscellaneous

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54977

Part Of: Murray Hay fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M570 / V795

Series: V795 / II: Unpublished Material

Sous-Fonds: V795

Sub-Series: V795 / II / D: International / ii: Miscellaneous

Accession Number: 2019.41

2020.03

Reference Code: V795 / II / D / ii / 4-6

GMD: Painting

Print

Private record

Мар

Date Range: ca.1980-ca.1989

Physical Description: 4 maps (4 overlays): col., annotations

2 prints : col. ; 36 x 28 cm

3 paintings; 60 x 30 cm or smaller

#### Scope & Content:

File consists of 4 maps, 2 prints, and 3 paintings, 60 x 30 cm or smaller. File pertains to a variety of maps Murray Hay created for Equinox Magazine in the 1980s. File includes original paintings (Middle East, Jamaica, North Atlantic Ocean/Europe area), two reproduced prints (South Korea Olympic area), and other maps (coloured red) with overlays (Nepal and the Caribbean).

Notes: Items not in oversize stored in downstairs vault.

Name Access: Hay, Murray
Subject Access: Advertising

Artist Map

Cartography Tourism

Tourist information

Travel

Geography

Olympic Games (Winter)

Geographic Access: South Korea

Nepal Caribbean Mexico

Belize
Jamaica
Europe
Canada
Middle East

Middle East

Russia

Language: English

Creator: Hay, Murray

Category: Arts

Exploration, discovery and travel

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed



#### **Notebooks and Diaries**

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54649

Part Of: Dorothy Wardle fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M521 / V75

Series: M521 / IV : Travel

Sous-Fonds: M521 Accession Number: 7504

Reference Code: M521 / IV / 18-25

GMD: Diary

Newspaper clipping

Private record
Published record
Textual record

Date Range: 1952-1988

1974-1975 1977-1979

1982

1987-1988

Physical Description: 16 cm of textual records (9.5 x 15.5 cm or smaller)

Scope & Content:

File consists of 16 cm of textual records, 9.5 x 15.5 cm or smaller. File pertains to Dorothy's travels to Europe with her family (1952-1966) and with friends (1974-1988). Records include bound notebooks and several loose pages in which Dorothy recorded her travel experiences, expenses, and keys to slides (both Dorothy and her mother, Leette).

Notes: While traveling in Scotland in 1952, the Wardle family visited Banff.

Some notebooks have loose notes tucked inside. One notebook from 1957 has a related (about Scotland) newspaper clipping tucked inside it.

Name Access: Wardle, Dorothy

Wardle, James M.

Subject Access: Travel

European travel

Personal and Family Life

Personal, Family

Geographic Access: Europe

Scotland England Italy France

Canada

Language: English

Conservation: Some pages were loose and have been taped back together. May

present future conservation issues.

Consider digitizing in the future.

Creator: Wardle, Dorothy

Category: Exploration, discovery and travel

Family and personal life

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed

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## Postage stamp album, annotated

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54717

Part Of: Luxton family fonds

Description Level: 5 / File Fonds Number: LUX

Series: LUX / II / F : Collected material

Sous-Fonds: LUX / II : Eleanor Luxton sous-fonds

Sub-Series: LUX / II / F1 : Textual

Accession Number: LUX

Reference Code: LUX / II / F1 / 23
Date Range: [1889 or 1890]

Physical Description: 1 cm of textual records (1 volume; 15 x 22 cm)

Scope & Content:

File consists of one stamp book titled "Postage Stamp Album" on the front cover. Contains "Map of the Universal Postal Union" inside front cover, as well as 64 pages organized by country for placing collected postage stamps. Pages have basic statistics and facts pertaining to individual countries including populations, capital cities and monarchs' names. Some pages are annotated with small notes. Some stamps appear to have been removed from multiple pages. Two loose pages of poetry/verses are between the last page and back cover.

Notes: Date range provided by Processing Archivist based on textual contents.

Storage Range: File box LUX / II / F1 / 19 to 23

Subject Access: Politics and government

History

Geography

Geographic Access: Europe England France Germany Prussia Bavaria Holland Belgium Switzerland Austria Hungary Italy Spain Portugal Denmark Sweden Norway Finland Poland Russia Romania Serbia Bulgaria Montenegro Turkey Greece Malta Japan China Korea Hong Kong Siam Afghanistan Egypt Mozambique Tunisia Canada United States of America Mexico Dominican Republic

> Caribbean South America

Brazil Argentina Venezuela Peru

Ecuador

Australia

Language: English

Conservation: Handle with caution as materials may be fragile

Category: Exploration, discovery and travel

Government

Land, settlement and immigration

**Politics** 

Title Source: Title retrieved from cover of item

Content Details: Cover is red with black decoration near left side and right corners, and

"POSTAGE STAMP ALBUM" in black and gold text on front.

Processing Status: Processed

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# Talks, Research, and Papers

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54684

Part Of: Jean A. Hembroff MacDonald fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M573 / V797 / S60

Series: M573 / I: Personal Papers

Sous-Fonds: M573 Accession Number: 2019.111

Reference Code: M573 / I / 3-15 GMD: Textual record

> Published record Private record

Newspaper clipping

Date Range: ca.1938-ca.1992

1970-1980

1977 1983 1992

Physical Description: 13 cm of textual records (21 x 35 cm or smaller)

#### Scope & Content:

File consists of 12 cm of textual records, 21 x 35 cm or smaller. File pertains to Jean Hembroff MacDonald's various talks, research and notes, and papers that she delivered and wrote of the course of her career. File includes related correspondence and newspaper clippings pertaining to individual topics.

File includes the following titles:

The West Indies, 1938

Wake Up and Live, April 29, 1940

June Magic or Wake Up and Live, 1956

Girl Guides of Canada, 1960

England, ca.1970-1980

The Chambered Nautilus, 1977

Robert Louis Stevenson, October 1977

Tales Historical and Hysterical, May 14, 1983 (given at the Manitoba Historical Society for their annual meeting)

A Christmas Story, 1992 (copy of a transcript of Jean's story she recorded at the CBC)

Rose Fyleman and "Winnipeg at Christmas" (no date)

Ireland (including correspondence with Arthur Stringer, poet and author)

Awareness (no date)

Mary Kennedy (no date)

Notes: Talks were given to organizations like Kiwanis or Rotary, Eaton's,

Canadian Women's Club, CBC, and various historical societies and

churches.

Name Access: Hembroff MacDonald, Jean

Subject Access: Public Speaking

Arts

Christmas

Community life

History Lecture Poets

Professional and Personal Life

Research Travel Women

Girl Guides of Canada

Geographic Access: Manitoba

Winnipeg Canada West Indies

Europe

Language: English

Related Material: M573 / I / 12 is related to V60.

Creator: Hembroff MacDonald, Jean

Category: Arts

Exploration, discovery and travel

Family and personal life

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed



### Travel Talks and Notebook

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54682

Part Of: Jean A. Hembroff MacDonald fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M573 / V797 / S60

Series: M573 / I: Personal Papers

Sous-Fonds: M573

Accession Number: 2019.111

Reference Code: M573 / I / 1-2

GMD: Private record

Textual record

Date Range: ca.1930-1938

193219351938

Physical Description: 3 cm of textual records (10 x 16 cm or smaller)

Scope & Content:

File consists of 3 cm of textual records, including one small bound notebook, 10 x 16 cm or smaller. File pertains to lecture notes written by Jean Hembroff MacDonald regarding talks on her travels that she delivered. File includes one small bound, black notebook which is labelled "My Talks" (includes various notes on specific talks she gave but also general public speaking notes and tips on things like posture), and a set of typed cue cards (with envelope) of lecture notes for a talk that Jean delivered to the Women's Club at Eaton's in 1935.

Name Access: Hembroff MacDonald, Jean

Subject Access: Lecture

Travel

Women

Geographic Access: Europe

South America West Indies

Canadian Rocky Mountains

Language: English

Conservation: Binding for M573 / I/1 is quite fragile, some old tape is currently in use.

May provide conservation issues in the future.

Creator: Hembroff MacDonald, Jean

Category: Arts

Exploration, discovery and travel

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed



# Travels in Europe

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54658

Part Of: Dorothy Wardle fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M521 / V75

Series: V75 / I: Wardle Family, c.1912-1971

Sous-Fonds: V75
Accession Number: 7504

Reference Code: V75 / I / PD - 6

GMD: Album

Private record

Photograph print

Date Range: 1952-1957

19521957

Physical Description: 1 album (32 photographs: b&w and col.; 16.5 x 11 cm or smaller)

Scope & Content:

File consists of 1 album comprised of 32 black and white and colour photographs,  $16.5 \times 11$  cm or smaller. File pertains to the Wardle family's travels to various European countries in 1952 and 1957. File documents the family's travels to the Scotland, England, Wales, France,

Holland, and Spain.

Notes: Album is red with "Jumbo 51 Photo Album" written on the front with gold

and a gold border.

Most of the photograph prints are captioned on the back with who is in

the photograph, where it was taken, and when (year).

There are copies or doubles of photographs inserted behind some of the photographs, which have been kept in the location they were found in.

Name Access: Wardle, Dorothy

Wardle, James M.

Subject Access: Family and personal life

Travel

European travel

Leisure

Geographic Access: Scotland

England
France
Spain
Europe

Language: English

Creator: Wardle, Dorothy

Category: Family and personal life

Exploration, discovery and travel

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed