

#### Research Collections



#### "Buffalo Medicine" [charm]

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54926

Part Of: Parks Canada fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M317 / S23 / V488

Series: Ill. Textual records series

Sous-Fonds: M317 Accession Number: 8134

Reference Code: M317 / III / 1

GMD: Published record

Textual record

Date Range: [ca. 1920-1922]

Physical Description: 0.5 cm of textual records (3 pages; 21.5 x 28 cm and 10.5 x 16.5 cm)

Scope & Content:

File consists of documents pertaining to the "Buffalo Medicine" charm manufactured and distributed by the Parks publicity bureau from 1920-1922. The charm was a small metal piece housed in a paper pouch and accompanied by a leaflett that related the legend of the charm. The charms were made in batches of 10,000 and were popular collectors items. The first batch made in 1920 were made of alluminum, but the design was changed for the second and final

issue.

Includes a typed letter to Jim Sime from Fergus Lothian regarding the charm and material related to early Park fire prevention; the leaflet that accompanied a "Buffalo Medicine" charm; a typed text page meant to accompany the charm while on display.

Notes: The charm and its original pouch are now housed in Heritage Collection.

Name Access: Lothian, Fergus

Sime, Jim

Subject Access: Advertising

Buffalo

Correspondence

Fire

Fire fighters
Fire wardens

National parks and reserves

Parks

Parks Canada

Rocky Mountains Park

Souvenir

Geographic Access: Banff

Lake Louise

Banff National Park

Alberta

Canada

Language: English

Related Material: Charm held in Heritage Collection: 103.01.1043 a,b

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed

#### Websites

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact103.01.1043%20a%2cb &

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## Calgary events and views

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions55360

Part Of: Luxton family fonds

Description Level: 5 / File Fonds Number: LUX

Series: LUX / I / E : Collected material

Sous-Fonds: LUX / I : Norman Luxton sous-fonds

Sub-Series: LUX / I / E4 : Photography

Accession Number: LUX

Reference Code: LUX / I / E4 / PA - 616 to 631

GMD: Photograph

Photograph print

Responsibility: Aerial photograph produced by Spartan Air Services Ltd., Calgary

Date Range: [1895-1901]

[1900-1910]

1914

1918-1920 [1950-1960]

Physical Description: 16 photographs: b&w prints; 25.5 x 20 cm or smaller

Scope & Content:

File consists of 16 photographs pertaining to Calgary and local events. Includes images of: the Calgary Fire Department [ca.1895-1901]; Princess Pat's Regiment, Calgary [1914]; the Calgary Circus; airplanes which were part of Flying Days in Calgary [1918-1920]; unidentified individuals posing outside of a music store; and an aerial view of Calgary [ca.1950-1960].

Notes: Some items are annotated

Subject Access: Airplanes

Community events
Entertainment
Fire fighters

Aerial photography

Military

Public events World War I

Geographic Access: Canada

Alberta Calgary

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Restrictions:

Language: English

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### Calgary views, community events [Glenbow]

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions55287

Part Of: Luxton family fonds

Description Level: 5 / File Fonds Number: LUX

Series: LUX / II / B : Professional records

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

Sub-Series: LUX / II / B4 : Historical research

Accession Number: LUX

Reference Code: LUX / II / B4 / NA - 4 to 10

GMD: Photograph

Negative

Date Range: 1901

1910

1918 - 1919

Physical Description: 7 photographs: b&w negatives; 12.5 x 10 cm or smaller

Scope & Content:

File consists of 7 copy negative photographs pertaining to a band competition in Calgary [1901], the Calgary Fire Department, the opening of a roof garden at the Hudson's Bay store in Calgary, the opening of Rosedale in Calgary [1910], and the Lone Pine Stopping Place [1918 or 1919].

Notes: Photographs copied from original materials held at the Glenbow

Museum.

Subject Access: Competition

Community events

Businesses Fire fighters

Townsite development

Geographic Access: Canada

Alberta Calgary

Reproduction

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Restrictions:

Language: English

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Chronological Binders: 1991

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions57565



Part Of: Bruno Engler fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M323 / S40 / V190

Series: VI: Retained file, Z: Chronological order

Sous-Fonds: V190 Sub-Series: xv:1991

Accession Number: 7436

Reference Code: V190 / VI / Z / xv / NA - 01 to NA - 08

GMD: Negative Date Range: 1991

Physical Description: 211 photographs: b&w negatives; 35mm

History / Biographical:

See fonds level description

Scope & Content:

File pertains to 211 b&w negatives on 39 strips of film depicting various activities that took place during 1991. Includes filming projects, the World Cup, a 60th anniversary [birthday?] at Skoki Lodge, ground breaking for the Alpine Centre in Lake Louise, scenic views, and an apartment fire.

Notes: File came from box X, separate from alphabetised boxes. Photographs

were ordered chronologically by Engler prior to accessioning.

Subject Access: Aerial photography

Banff townsite Businesses Ceremony

Family and personal life Films and film making

Fire

Fire fighters
Mountains
Portrait
scenic
Skiing
Ski areas
Ski racing

Sunshine Village

Winter

Winter sports

Geographic Access: Banff

Lake Louise

Banff National Park

Alberta

Language: English

Creator: Engler, Bruno
Title Source: Original title kept

Processing Status: Processed

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#### Chronological Binders: 1992

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions57566

Part Of: Bruno Engler fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M323 / S40 / V190

Series: VI: Retained file, Z: Chronological order

Sous-Fonds: V190
Sub-Series: xvi : 1992
Accession Number: 7436

Reference Code: V190 / VI / Z / xvi / NA - 01 to NA - 06

GMD: Negative Date Range: 1992

Physical Description: 168 photographs: b&w negatives; 35mm

History / Biographical:

See fonds level description

Scope & Content:

File pertains to 168 b&w negatives on 32 strips of film depicting various activities that took place during 1992. Includes the Mountain Guides' Ball in Lake Louise, the Junior's Biathlon at the Canmore Nordic Centre, the Veteran's trophy and Swiss Club Ski Race at Sunshine, the Canmore Swimming pond, and more.

Many items have associated contact sheets. File also contains one contact sheet of portraits with no accompanying negatives.

Notes: File came from box X, separate from alphabetised boxes. Photographs

were ordered chronologically by Engler prior to accessioning.

Subject Access: Aerial photography

Banff townsite Businesses Ceremony

Family and personal life Films and film making

Fire

Fire fighters
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Ski areas
Ski racing

Sunshine Village

Winter

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Geographic Access: Banff

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Language: English

Creator: Engler, Bruno
Title Source: Original title kept

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# Dominion Parks Branch Department of the Interior Portable Gasoline Pump Unit

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54940

Part Of: Parks Canada fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M317 / S23 / V488

Series: I.A. Banff National Park photograph collection

Sous-Fonds: V488 Accession Number: 8134

Reference Code: V488 / I / A / PD - 2

GMD: Album

Photograph

Photograph print

Date Range: 1915-1921

Physical Description: 1 album (53 photographs: b&w; 16.5 x 12 cm or smaller)

Scope & Content:

File consists of an album of photographs pertaining to forest protection and fire fighting methods and equipment employed in Banff National Park. Focusses on the development and implemtation of pumps and generators for use in fire fighting; most photos have typed text captions below them.

Notes: Metal hinging mechanism removed, wrapped in paper and stored

alongside album.

Subject Access: Automobiles

Fire

Fire fighters

Fire fighting equipment

Fire wardens

Forestry

Government

Horses

National parks and reserves

**Parks** 

Parks Canada

Photography

Geographic Access: Banff National Park

Alberta

Canada

Language: English

Conservation: Many photographs loose from page mounts, replaced where possible.

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed

#### Electronic Resources



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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: E

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

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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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#### Events. -- 1973

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions1297

Part Of: Bruno Engler fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Series: II.A. Main file: Alphabetical files

Reference Code: V190 / II.A.v. - 10

Physical Description: ca.76 negatives: 9.5 x 12 cm. or smaller

Scope & Content:

Ski jumping at Mount Norquay; Bow Glacier; Raymond Lanctot at Mount Assiniboine; Bob Willis filming in the Milk River area; Field, B.C.; Banff fireman and fire trucks in parade and at demonstration; horses pulling sleigh during snow festival.

Subject Access: Banff National Park

Fire fighters

Ski jumping

Access Restrictions: Access by appointment only

Language: English

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### Firefighting and fire damage

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions55560

Part Of: Luxton family fonds

Description Level: 5 / File Fonds Number: LUX

Series: LUX / III / C : Extended family

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

Sub-Series: LUX / III / C1 : William Luxton family papers and photographs

Accession Number: LUX

Reference Code: LUX / III / C1 / C / PA - 220 to 240

GMD: Photograph

Print

Date Range: [ca.1910-1930]

Physical Description: 21 photographs: b&w prints; 18 x 13 cm or smaller

Scope & Content:

File consists of 21 photographs which were possibly produced by George Luxton for publication in the Minneapolis Tribune, ca.1910-1930. Content pertains to building fires, including views of firefighters dousing flames; and damage to buildings where a fire occurred.

Notes: Some items are annotated

Subject Access: Buildings

Fires

Fire fighters

Fire fighting equipment

Conservation: Items stored in mylar

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

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## Forest Protection Division Photographs

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54938

Part Of: Parks Canada fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M317 / S23 / V488

Series: I.A. Banff National Park photograph collection

Sous-Fonds: V488 Accession Number: 8134

Reference Code: V488 / I / A / PD - 1

GMD: Album

Photograph

Photograph print

Date Range: 1915-1926

Physical Description: 1 album (79 photographs: b&w; 23.5 x 18.5 cm or smaller)

Scope & Content:

File consists of an album of photographs pertaining to forest protection and fire fighting methods and equipment employed in Banff National Park. Includes black and white photographs of pumps, machinery, fire trucks, horse-drawn wagons, members of testing teams, and various other pieces of fire fighting equipment; most photos have typed text captions below them.

Notes: Metal hinging mechanism removed, wrapped in paper and stored

alongside album

Subject Access: Automobiles

Fire

Fire fighters

Fire fighting equipment

Fire wardens

Forestry

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**Parks** 

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Photography

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