

Research Collections



Banff businesses

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Part Of: Kidney family fonds

Description Level: 5 / File Fonds Number: M74 / V324

Series: M74 / V : Legal and business records

Sous-Fonds: M74

Sub-Series: M74 / V / C : 1951 - 1980

Accession Number: 3109

2016.8581

Reference Code: M74 / V / C / 1
GMD: Textual record

Private record

Corporate record

Date Range: 1950 - 1953

1961 1969

Physical Description: 0.5 cm of textual records

Scope & Content:

File consists of documents and records pertaining to businesses owned by Forest and Maud Kidney in the town of Banff [Pop's Bakery Ltd., Kidney Kabins and Quaker Coffee Shop]. Contents include a Quaker Coffee Shop meal card from ca. 1950, an information card for guests at Kidney Kabins ca. 1950 - 1953, a menu from Quaker Coffee Shop from 1961, a lease agreement for the expansion of Pop's Bakery Ltd. from 1961, and a letter pertaining to a lease agreement between Pop's Holdings Ltd. and the estate of William Austin Standish from 1969.

Name Access: Kidney, Forest H. (Pop)

Kidney, Maude Standish, Austin

Subject Access: Businesses

Finances Property

Quaker Coffee Shop

Kidney Kabins

Geographic Access: Canada

Alberta Banff

Access Restrictions: Restrictions may apply
Reproduction Restrictions may apply

Restrictions:

Language: English

Category: Commerce and industry

Land, settlement and immigration

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed

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Kidney family fonds

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions260

Part Of: Kidney family fonds

Description Level: 1 / Fonds Fonds Number: M74 / V324

Sous-Fonds: M74

V324

Accession Number: 452

2016.8581

Reference Code: M74 / V324 GMD: Photograph

Negative

Photograph print

Postcard

Textual record Corporate record Private record Published record

1886 - 2013

Date Range:

66 cm of textual records -- ca. 963 photographs : 870 prints, 62 Physical Description:

postcards, 30 negatives, 1 tintype (31.5 x 37 cm or smaller) -- 7

photograph albums (26 x 33.5 cm or smaller)

History / Biographical:

Ella Maud [Woodworth] Kidney (1894-1977) was born in Banff as the fourth of 11 siblings. Her parents were Benjamin Woodworth and Elizabeth [McIntire] Woodworth. Growing up, Maud worked briefly for the Alberta Hotel and the Bottling Works company in Banff. Maud was married to John A. MacAulay in 1917, and widowed later that year. Her twin sons, John A. [Jack] and Thomas A. [Ted] MacAulay, were born in 1918. Maud married Forest H. "Pop" Kidney (1889-1979) on February 14, 1923, and the new family settled into the Kidney home on Wolf and Muskrat Street. The Kidney residence was originally located in Bankhead, but was moved to Banff and sold following the town's closure in 1922.

Maud and Forest operated several local businesses including Banff Grocery, Quaker Coffee Shop, Pop's Bakery and Kidney Kabins. The Kidneys were also active in community affairs throughout their lives. Maud Kidney was a long-time member of the Girls' Sunshine Flower Club in Banff [and the club's president for over a decade spanning across the 1940's], as well as the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire [I.O.D.E.] and Rebekah Lodge, and she was matron of the Order of the Eastern Star in Banff in 1950. Forest Kidney was involved in the Banff Shriners Club, the Kiwanis Club, the Independent Order of Oddfellows and the Canadian Restaurants Association [CRA], among other groups; in the early 1960's, Forest also served as the President of the Calgary branch of the CRA.

Jack and Ted MacAulay grew up together in Banff, where they were involved in Banff's Boy Scouts program and local hockey teams. Jack in particular was an avid hockey player, until an accident in 1940 caused damage to his right eye which kept him from competing. From 1943 to 1945, Jack worked for Boeing Aircraft of Canada Ltd., and in 1946 he was appointed as the Chief Inspector of War Assets for Alberta and the Yukon Territories. Jack married Karin Wallensteen in 1946, and the couple had 6 children together: sons Herb and John, and daughters Karen, Shelley, Jodi and Julie-Ann. Jack served as a coach for the Banff Minor Hockey League for 46 years. Jack also took on several other positions within the Bow Valley community, including working as a volunteer with the Banff Figure Skating Club, a co-founder of the Banff Recreation Board, and a member of the Banff Advisory Council, the Banff Hospital Board and the Banff School Board.

Scope & Content:

Fonds consists of personal, professional and legal documents and photographs pertaining to Maud and Forest Kidney, Jack MacAulay, Kidney and Woodworth family members, friends and the Banff community. Items are organized by subject and date ranges.

Fonds consists of six series:

Series I - Maud (Woodworth) Kidney records: contains 3 sub-series [A) 1894 - 1920, B) 1921 - 1950, C) 1951 - 1977]

Series II - Forest Kidney records: contains 3 sub-series [A) 1889 - 1920, B) 1921 - 1950, C) 1951 - 2008]

Series III - Jack MacAulay records: contains 3 sub-series [A) 1920 - 1945, B) 1946 - 1980, C) 1981 - 2000]

Series IV - Family, friends and community records: contains 5 sub-series [A) 1886 - 1920, B) 1921 - 1945, C) 1946 - 1970, D) 1970 - 2013, E) Maude Kidney Collection]

Series V - Legal and business records : contains 3 sub-series [A) 1894 - 1920, B) 1921 - 1950, C) 1951 - 1980]

Series VI - Collected materials

Series I content pertains to Maud Woodworth Kidney. Includes scrapbooks, photographs of Maud and her siblings and parents, trips to Calgary and local activities with family and friends, Maud working for the Alberta Hotel and the Banff Bottling Factory [ca. 1905 - 1915], and local clubs and societies which Maud was involved in between 1930 - 1977 including the Girls' Sunshine Flower Club, the Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire, the Senior Friends

Club of Banff, Rebekah Lodge and the Order of the Eastern Star.

Series II content pertains to Forest Kidney during his World War I military service in Petawawa, Ontario; swimming with friends at the Cave and Basin and other social activities; travelling with family; local newspaper clippings noting Forest's achievements and community involvement; and Forest participating in events as a member of the Banff Shriners Club and the Canadian Restaurant Association.

Series III content pertains to Jack MacAulay at the Kidney family home with his twin brother, Ted; coaching for the Banff Minor Hockey League; participating in other community meetings and programs; personal, professional and medical correspondence [1940 - 1992]; Jack's wife, Karin MacAulay, and their children; and Jack's awards and achievements.

Series IV content pertains to extended family and friends of the Kidneys and the wider Banff community.

Includes sports and outdoor activities [including swimming, hiking, trail riding, camping, snowshoeing, skiing, and track and field]; early Banff [including businesses, Banff Elementary School and Banff High School, the Woodworth family residence, and construction of the Icefields Parkway]; family friends of the Woodworths and Kidneys [including the Brett family, the Stafford family and the Simpson family]; personal correspondence pertaining to Fred "Ty" Cobb (1931 - 1933); clubs and societies [including the Independent Order of Oddfellows, the Senior Friends Club, and the Order of the Eastern Star]; community events [including dances, meetings, dinners and award ceremonies]; weddings and anniversaries; a visit to Num-Ti-Jah Lodge in 1964; and biographical and genealogical information about Maud Kidney, Forest Kidney and the Woodworth family.

Series V content pertains to businesses owned and operated by the Kidney family [ca. 1930 - 1970], including Kidney Kabins, Quaker Coffee Shop and Pop's Bakery; mortgage agreements and property contracts; and government documents. Includes receipts, log books and financial records, photographs of Kidney Kabins and Quaker Coffee Shop, and receipts for land purchased by Forest Kidney, George Noble and others.

Series VI contains commercial postcards collected by the Kidney family. Postcards mostly produced by Byron Harmon, and some by G & W Fear and other photographers, and mostly pertain to Banff and the surrounding area [winter sports, wildlife, Banff Zoo, Banff Avenue, scenic views and mountain landscapes, etc].

Notes:

Contains duplicate photographs

Duplicate commercial postcards have been kept in separate folder within file box containing other commercial postcards [V324 / IV / E / PG - 1 to 20 and V324 / VI / PG - 1 to 42]

Sub-series IV / E: Maude Kidney Collection was donated with existing numbering system [Items 1 to 47] prior to processing; original order and corresponding annotations have been transferred to database entries from original handwritten notes

Name Access: Cobb, Fred (Ty)

Kidney, Forest H. (Pop)

Kidney, Maude

MacAulay, Jack

MacAulay, Karin

 ${\it MacAulay, Ted}$

MacAulay, Herb

MacAulay, Julie-Ann

Simpson, Jimmy, Sr.

Simpson, Billie

Woodworth, Adelia

Woodworth, Annie

Woodworth, Ben

Woodworth, Benjamin Frederick

Woodworth, Elizabeth

Woodworth, Ethel

Woodworth, Fred

Woodworth, Percy

Woodworth, Joe

Woodworth, Maude

Brett, Robert G.

Harmon, Byron

LaCasse, Annie

LaCasse, Ulysses

Canadian Restaurant Association

Subject Access: Businesses

Property

Family and personal life

Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire

Independent Order of Oddfellows

Girls Flower Club Banff

Rebekah Assembly Banff Lodge No. 34

Quaker Coffee Shop

Kidney Kabins

Travel

World War I Military

Community events

Club

Sports

Winter sports Landscapes

Wildlife

Num-Ti-Jah Lodge Banff Jasper Highway

Banff High School

Genealogy

Geographic Access: Canada

Alberta

Banff

Canmore

Cave and Basin

Bankhead Calgary

Lake Louise

Ontario

Quebec

British Columbia

Access Restrictions: Some restriction/s on access

Copyright, privacy, commercial use and other restrictions may apply

Reproduction

Restrictions:

Copyright and other restrictions may apply

Language: English

Finding Aid: Finding aids and reference tools: basic description

Related Material: Woodworth family fonds [M286 / V628]

Category: Family and personal life

Commerce and industry

Environment

Labour

Land, settlement and immigration

Law and justice

Military

Natural resources

Sports, recreation and leisure

Biographical Source Woo

Woodworth family fonds entry

Notes:

Most information based on contents of fonds

Title Source: Title based on contents of fonds

Processing Status: Processed

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Maude and Forest "Pop" Kidney interview

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Part Of: Whyte Museum Oral History Programme collection

Description Level: 6 / Item
Series: I. Interviews

Reference Code: S1 / 20

Responsibility: Interviewer: Sue (Coreless) Davies

Date Range: 1970

Physical Description: 1 sound recording
Subject Access: Businesses - Banff

Cave Tearoom Hockey - Banff

Quaker Coffee Shop

Sanitarium Bottling Company

Finding Aid: Recording summary and reference cassette available

Title Source: Title based on contents of recording

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Pop's Holdings Ltd. receipts book

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54521

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Series: M74 / V : Legal and business records

Sous-Fonds: M74

Sub-Series: M74 / V / C : 1951 - 1980

Accession Number: 2016.8581

Reference Code: M74 / V / C / 2

GMD: Textual record

Private record

Responsibility: Produced by Pop's Holdings Ltd.

Date Range: 1956 - 1974

Physical Description: 2.5 cm of textual records (1 volume : 300 pages ; 35.5 x 22 cm)

Scope & Content:

File consists of one red and green bound expense book. Pertains to records from 1956 - 1974 of various businesses owned and managed by Forest "Pop" Kidney in Banff, including Pop's Bakery and Quaker Coffee Shop. Approximately 270 of 300 pages in expense book are annotated.

Notes: Two-page mortgage and account balance statement found between

pages 102 and 103 of expense book.

Name Access: Kidney, Forest H. (Pop)

Subject Access: Businesses

Finances Property

Quaker Coffee Shop

Geographic Access: Canada

Alberta

Banff

Access Restrictions: Restrictions may apply
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Restrictions:

Language: English

Creator: Forest Kidney

Category: Commerce and industry

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

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Weddings, birthdays, anniversaries, etc.

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Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: M74 / V324

Series: V324 / IV : Family, friends and community records

Sous-Fonds: V324

Sub-Series: V324 / IV / C: 1946 - 1970

Accession Number: 2016.8581

Reference Code: V324 / IV / C / PA - 41 to 96

GMD: Photograph

Photograph print

Responsibility: One photograph produced by Cascade Cameras Ltd.

Date Range: [ca. 1950 - ca. 1960]

1955 - 1958

196119641967

Physical Description: 58 photographs: b&w and col. prints; 20 x 25 cm or smaller

Scope & Content:

File consists of 58 photographs, mostly black and white. Content pertains to various birthday and anniversary parties, weddings, memorials and other events which Maud and Forest Kidney attended, including Forest "Pop" Kidney's 70th birthday party, weddings for Geoff Hand and Bernice Wilson, Beryl and Peter Hand and others [including Norma McKinnon], a Centennial celebration in 1967, the golden wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Peyto, a memorial at the Banff Cemetery, and the 83rd birthday party of Eva Atkin.

Notes: File contains duplicates

Some dates are estimates provided by the Processing Archivist

Name Access: Atkin, Eva

Kidney, Maude

Kidney, Forest H. (Pop)

Boon, Ann

Peyto, Walter H.
Peyto, Harriet
Thomas, Hattie
McKinnon, Norma
Wilson, Bernice
Hand, Geoff

Hand, Geoff Hand, Beryl Hand, Peter Stafford, Rose Stafford, Lou

MacAulay, Ted Schuler, Art MacAulay, Karin

MacAulay, Jack

MacAulay, Betty

Subject Access: Anniversary

Marriage Memorial Weddings Travel

Quaker Coffee Shop

Geographic Access: Canada

Alberta Banff

Kootenay Lake British Columbia

Victoria

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Restrictions:

Language: English

Category: Family and personal life

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