

Research Collections



American trade, industry and politics scrapbook [1939]

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Part Of: Luxton family fonds

Description Level: 5 / File Fonds Number: LUX

Series: III.B.4. Georgina Luxton: Collected Material: Textual Records

Sous-Fonds: III. Luxton Family sous-fonds

Accession Number: LUX

Reference Code: LUX / III / B4 - 21 GMD: Textual record

Scrapbook

Date Range: [1939]

Physical Description: 2 cm of textual records

Scope & Content:

Scrapbook is hand-made from coloured construction paper and consists of newspaper clippings from The Christian Science Monitor's Fireside Series [ca. 1939]. Newspaper clippings pertain to various problems and policies in the United States at the beginning of World War II, including foreign trade, industry, wages and employment, and federal taxes.

Subject Access: Businesses

Commerce Industry

Communications

Finances
Government
Labour

Laws and legislation

Military Politics

Science and technology

War

World War II

Geographic Access: United States of America

Language: English

Category: Commerce and industry

Communications Government

Labour

Law and justice

Military Politics

Science and technology

Title Source: Title based on contents of item

Processing Status: Processed

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Arnold Wexler fonds

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Part Of: Arnold Wexler fonds

Description Level: 1 / Fonds

Fonds Number: M 69

V 52

Sous-Fonds: M69/V52

Accession Number: 7196

Reference Code: M69 / V52

GMD: Photograph

Album Negative

Photograph print Textual record

Diary Map

Private record

Published record

Responsibility: Arnold Wexler was responsible for the creation of most material. Fonds

also contains material created by A. C. Faberge, Alvin E. Peterson, Donald Hubbard, William L. Putnam, Samuel V. Moore, Mike Banks, and

others

Date Range: 1913-1978, predominant 1946-1974

Physical Description: ca.4100 photographs (ca.3000 transparencies, ca.700 negatives, ca.400

prints). -- 7 photograph albums (ca.190 prints). -- ca.40 cartographic records. -- 16 cm of textual records. -- 5 cm of print material. -- 5 graphic

records

History / Biographical:

Arnold Wexler, 1918-1997, was a research engineer and mountaineer in the Washington, DC area of the United States. He was a member of numerous scientific and mountaineering organizations and was actively involved in the testing of mountaineering equipment. Wexler climbed extensively in North America, Europe and South America, and also travelled throughout Asia. He is credited with over 100 ascents, almost half being first ascents.

Wexler was a key organizer and participant of expeditions to western and northern Canada beginning in 1946. Noteworthy ascents of that first expedition, to the northern Selkirks of British Columbia, were the second ascent of Mount Sir Sandford and first ascents of Sentinel Peak, Unicorn and East Blackfriar. Also, near the end of that trip, an accident claimed the life of an expedition member. Wexler and his associates made annual expeditions and trips to Canada from 1946 until 1955, and subsequently in the years 1961, 1962, 1963, and 1970 through 1974

Scope & Content:

Fonds consists of two series: I. Expeditions and trips series, 1946-1974; II. General files series, 1913-1978.

Expeditions and trips series pertains to mountaineering expeditions and trips of Arnold Wexler and companions to western and northern Canada and locations in the United States.

Canadian expedition destinations included the Selkirk Mountains, Cariboo Mountains, Rocky

Mountains, Monashee Mountains, Coast Range, Bugaboo Mountains, Logan Mountains, Battle Range and Adamant Range. Mountaineers involved were Arnold Wexler, Sterling B.

Hendricks, Donald Hubbard, Alvin (Pete) E. Peterson, Alex C. Faberge, Chris G. Scoredos, Charles C. Haworth Jr., Samuel V. Moore, Arthur Lembeck, Norman Goldstein, W. L. Putnam, A. J. Kauffman and others. Series includes extensive photographs, trip diaries and maps.

General files series consists of files pertaining to mountaineering, equipment, locations, climbing associates and expeditions. Includes correspondence, checklists, exhibition prints, climbing portraits, and research material in the form of topical files, maps and print material

Name Access: Wexler, Arnold

Subject Access: Exploration, discovery and travel

Science and technology

Sports, recreation and leisure

Access Restrictions: Some restrictions on access to originals

Copyright, privacy, commercial use and other restrictions may apply

Language: Language is English

Finding Aid: Finding aids and reference tools: arrangement outline

series and file description electronic finding aid

Creator: Wexler, Arnold

Category: Exploration, discovery and travel

Science and technology

Sports, recreation and leisure

Biographical Source Obituary by John Christian (see case file)

Notes: Contents of the fonds

Title Source: Title based on contents of fonds

Processing Status: Processed

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Author's copy of Geology Road Tours

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions56293

Part Of: Ben Gadd fonds

Description Level: 5 / File Fonds Number: M590

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Series: M590 / II: Research and publication records

Sous-Fonds: M590

Sub-Series: M590 / II / B : Other publications

Accession Number: 2021.20

Reference Code: M590 / II / B / 59
GMD: Textual record

Published record

Responsibility: Produced by Ben Gadd, Corax Press

Date Range: 2008

Physical Description: 3.5 cm of textual records: 1 volume; 15.5 x 23 cm

Scope & Content:

File consists of one author's copy of Ben Gadd's book, Geology Road Tours, which includes corrections and other annotations by the author.

Name Access: Gadd, Ben Subject Access: Publication

Commercial products

Environment Geology

Science and technology

Geography
Natural history

Travel Roads Map

Geographic Access: Canada

Alberta

British Columbia

Canadian Rocky Mountains

Reproduction Restrictions:

Copyright restrictions may apply

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Language: English
Category: Environment

Exploration, discovery and travel

Natural resources

Science and technology

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed

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Bill Vroom fonds

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions576

Part Of: Bill Vroom fonds

Description Level: 1 / Fonds

Fonds Number: M 165

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Sous-Fonds: M 165

S 30 V 659

Accession Number: 849, 1232, 2522, 6453, 7770, 7958, 8022

Reference Code: M165 / S30 / V659

GMD: Photograph

Photograph print Transparency Sound recording Textual record Private record

Date Range: 1964-[ca.1980]

Physical Description: 202 photographs: 191 transparencies, 4 prints, col. -- 1 sound recording.

-- 1 textual record

History / Biographical:

G. William (Bill) Vroom, 1931-1998, was a national park warden at Banff, Alberta, Canada from 1955 until 1988

Scope & Content:

Fonds consists primarily of predator study photographs by Bill Vroom, re grizzly bears and wolves in Banff National Park, ca.1974-ca.1980. Also includes textual records: The ecology of grizzly bear winter den sites in Banff National Park, Alberta / G. William Vroom, Stephen Herrero, R. T. Ogilvie: [conference paper], 1977, 33 p.; personal income tax return, 1956; recorded slide show commentary for "Grizzly Bear Winter", 1976; and prints pertaining to grizzly bears, 1964, and Palliser cabin, 1970.

Name Access: Vroom, Bill Subject Access: Environment

Science and technology

Access Restrictions: No restrictions on access

Copyright, privacy, commercial use and other restrictions may apply

Language: Language is English

Finding Aid: No finding aid
Creator: Vroom, Bill
Category: Environment

Science and technology

Title Source: Title based on accession records

Processing Status: Processed



Bob Hind fonds

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions590

Part Of: Bob Hind fonds

Description Level: 1 / Fonds

Fonds Number: M 7

V 46

Sous-Fonds: M7 / V46
Accession Number: 7181
Reference Code: M7 / V46

GMD: Motion picture

Film

Photograph Negative

Photograph print Transparency Textual record

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Private record

Date Range: [ca.1925]-1992

Physical Description: ca.5800 photographs (ca.1350 negatives, ca.1350 prints, ca.3100

transparencies). -- 15 motion pictures. -- 4 textual records (4 v). -- 2

cartographic records.

History / Biographical:

Robin Cyril (Bob) Hind, 1911-2000, was an electrical engineer and mountaineer at Calgary, Alberta, Canada. Hind was born on a farm in northern Alberta was educated at the University of Alberta, Edmonton. He was a Life Member of ACC, joining in 1933, and attended over 30 ACC camps, often with his family. Hind received the Silver Rope Award in 1935, was recipient of Centennial Medal, and served the ACC in offices of President, Vice-President and Chairman of Hut Committee.

In 1948, Bob Hind married Margaret (Peggy) Trotter, a fellow mountaineer and skier. Together they had two children. After Peggy Hind was killed in an avalanche in 1955, Hind married Marjory Bugler, and the couple had three more children. Marjory (Marj) Hind was a homemaker and mountaineer.

During his extensive mountaineering career, Bob Hind climbed most of the significant peaks in Rockies and Selkirks, including some first ascents. He also climbed in Wales and the Alps. Hind was active in the Calgary Tennis Club, the Boy Scout movement and was a member of the American Alpine Club and The Alpine Club, London. Bob Hind worked on electrical projects in Canada and Europe.

Scope & Content:

Fonds consists of three series: I. Mountain travel and recreation, western Canada (A. Trips and activities, 1931-1992; B. General, between 1928 and 1960). II. Personal (A. Photography notes, 1938-1996; B. World travel, ca.1930-ca.1950; C. Personal photographs, 1927-ca.1955). III. Other, between ca.1925 and ca.1955.

Series I consists of photographs, motion pictures and textual records pertaining to mountaineering, hiking, travel, Alpine Club of Canada camps and activities in western Canada by Bob Hind, Bob and Marj Hind, and the Hind family.

Name Access: Hind, Bob

Subject Access: Exploration, discovery and travel

Science and technology

Sports, recreation and leisure

Access Restrictions: No access restrictions

Copyright, privacy, commercial use and other restrictions may apply

Language: Language is English

Finding Aid: Finding aids and reference tools: arrangement outline

series and file description

electronic and on-line finding aids

Creator: Hind, Bob

Category: Exploration, discovery and travel

Science and technology

Sports, recreation and leisure archivist's acquisition file notes

Biographical Source

Notes: obits: CAJ 1955; CAJ 2001

ACC ballot, January 1969 - in case file

Title Source: Title based on contents of fonds

Processing Status: Processed

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Canada and the Present War [1939 - 1942]

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions22404

Part Of: Luxton family fonds

Description Level: 5 / File Fonds Number: LUX

Series: III.B.4. Georgina Luxton: Collected Material: Textual Records

Sous-Fonds: Ill. Luxton Family sous-fonds

Accession Number: LUX

Reference Code: LUX / III / B4 - 20 GMD: Textual record

Scrapbook

Date Range: [1939 - 1942]

Physical Description: 2 cm of textual records

Scope & Content:

Scrapbook is titled "Canada and the Present War" and consists of newspaper clippings including some full-page excerpts and smaller articles. Scrapbook includes table of contents on first page [see "Content Details"]. Content pertains to Canadian industry, trade, agriculture, national exports, wartime production, and national and global politics; includes statistics for these subjects from World War I and World War II eras [1914 to ca.1942].

Subject Access: Commerce and industry

Communications

Education Environment History Industry

Laws and legislation

Military

Labour

Mines and mineral resources

Mining

Natural resources

Agriculture Politics

Politics and government Science and technology

Ship War

World War I World War II

Geographic Access: Canada

Ontario Germany

United States of America

Russia

Language: English

Conservation: Two metal binder rings were removed to prevent risk of future rust

damage and contamination. Scrapbook has been re-fastened with

unbleached twine and interleaved with acid-free tissue.

Category: Commerce and industry

Communications

Education

Government

Labour

Military

Natural resources

Politics

Science and technology

Title Source: Title based on contents of item

Content Details: [Scrapbook table of contents]:

Telephone System in Canada Argentine Crops and Canada Farm Production in Canada Business Trends and Industry

Income Taxes Newsprint

St. Lawrence Power Pact Canada's War Metals Long or Short War

Food Industries and Capacity Production

Canada Wheat and the War

War and Wool

War Effect on Travel and Foreign Trade

Minerals and War Canada and Ships Chemicals and War

How Vulnerable are our Mines? Necessary Supplies for War

Comparison between Canada 1914 and 1939

War quickens business in Canada

Canada's Balance of Trade

Radium Development and Trade with South America

Election Platforms - Dominion Elections

Processing Status: Processed

Electronic Resources



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Canada. Atmospheric Environment Service fonds

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Part Of: Canada. Atmospheric Environment Service fonds

Description Level: 1 / Fonds
Fonds Number: M 443
Sous-Fonds: M 443

Accession Number: 3391, 3494 Reference Code: M443

GMD: Textual record

Government record

Date Range: 1929-1933, 1955-1980 Physical Description: 29 v. of textual records

Scope & Content:

Fonds consists of meteorological registers for Anthracite station, 1929-1933, indicating rain, snow, weather, miscellaneous phenomena and extremes of temperature; and daily weather records for Banff station, 1955-1980, indicating detailed climatological observations and instrument readings.

Name Access: Canada. Atmospheric Environment Service

Subject Access: Environment

Government

Science and technology

Access Restrictions: Reference use only

Other restrictions may apply

Language: Language is English

Creator: Canada. Atmospheric Environment Service

Category: Environment

Government

Science and technology

Title Source: Title based on contents of fonds

Processing Status: Processed



Canada. Meteorological Division fonds

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions122

Part Of: Canada. Meteorological Division fonds

Description Level: 1 / Fonds
Fonds Number: M 244
Sous-Fonds: M 244
Accession Number: 546, 1511

GMD: Machine-readable data file

M244

Textual record

Government record

Other Title Info: Material also known as Norman Sanson papers

Date Range: Microfilm copy and printout were made in 1969 and 1972

Physical Description: 20 cm of textual records. -- 1 reel of microfilm

History / Biographical:

Reference Code:

This federal government department was known as the Meteorological Service until 1936. Directors were Frederick Stupart, 1894-1929, and J. Patterson, 1929-1946.

Scope & Content:

Fonds consists of selections of correspondence between Norman Bethune Sanson (1862-1949) and the Director of the Meteorological Service (later Division), pertaining to meteorological matters, snow surveys and Sulphur Mountain observatory, 1916-1928; Sanson's retirement and pensionary rights, 1932; and Sanson's meteorological research involving old records and care of the observatory, 1934-1942.

Name Access: Canada. Meteorological Division

Sanson, Norman

Subject Access: Environment

Government

Science and technology

Access Restrictions: No restrictions on access

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Language: Language is English

Finding Aid: Finding aids and reference tools: item description

Creator: Canada. Meteorological Division

Category: Environment

Government

Science and technology

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

Processing Status: Processed



Community and organization event invitations and newsletters

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions55152

Part Of: Luxton family fonds

Description Level: 5 / File Fonds Number: LUX

Series: LUX / II / C : Personal

Sous-Fonds: LUX / II : Eleanor Luxton sous-fonds
Sub-Series: LUX / II / C1 : Volunteer activities

Accession Number: LUX

Reference Code: LUX / II / C1 / 34 to 36

GMD: Textual record

Published record

Organization record

Date Range: 1974

1978-1981 1987-1988 1992-1993

Physical Description: 6.5 cm of textual records

Scope & Content:

File consists of event invitations, programmes and newsletters sent to Eleanor Luxton by various organizations, clubs and associations between 1974 and 1993. Includes content pertaining to the Canadian Broadcasting League, the University of Alberta President's Club, the Whyte Museum of the Canadian Rockies, Concordia University, the Kinette Club of Banff, the Arctic Institute of North America, the Glenbow Museum, the Royal Society of Canada, the Canadian Plains Research Center, and other organizations.

Notes: Some items are annotated

Folder LUX / II / C1 / 34 contains invitations and programmes; LUX / II /

C1 / 35 and 36 contain newsletters

Name Access: Luxton, Eleanor

University of Alberta

Royal Society of Canada

Subject Access: Personal and Professional Life

Events

Community events
Organizations
University

Museums
Research
Education
Environment
Communications

Geographic Access: Canada

Alberta
Banff
Calgary
Edmonton

Language: English

Conservation: Some items had metal paperclips removed

Category: Family and personal life

Science and technology

Communications

Education Environment

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed



Computer illustration

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions55953

Part Of: Ben Gadd fonds

Description Level: 5 / File Fonds Number: M590

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Series: M590 / II: Research and publication records

Sous-Fonds: M590

Sub-Series: M590 / II / A: Handbook of the Canadian Rockies

Accession Number: 2021.20

Reference Code: M590 / II / A / 24 GMD: Textual record

Date Range: 1994

Physical Description: 0.2 cm of textual records

Scope & Content:

File consists of correspondence and notes sent to Ben Gadd by his son, Toby Gadd, pertaining to computer-generated illustration software which Toby used to help produce the second edition of Handbook of the Canadian Rockies.

Name Access: Gadd, Ben Subject Access: Publication

Correspondence

Art

Natural history

Science and technology

Geographic Access: Canada

Alberta Banff Jasper

Reproduction

Restrictions may apply

Restrictions:

Language: English

Category: Science and technology

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed