

Research Collections



Beaded Bag

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact103.08.0016

Title: Beaded Bag
Date: 1940 – 1960
Material: skin, deer
Dimensions: 17.0 x 30.0 cm

Description: A deerskin pouch with thongs threaded through the neck to pull the pouch

closed. The flat tab at the end of each thong and the edge of the pouch opening are edged with beads. The lower half of the pouch is completely covered with white beads and has a central design of a horizontal band edged with triangles worked in contrasting coloured beads. The pouch

has a circular beaded design on the opposite side.

Subject: Indigenous, Stoney

souvenirs tourism

Norman Luxton

Sign of the Goat Curio Shop

Credit: Gift of Pearl Evelyn Moore, Banff, 1979

Catalogue Number: 103.08.0016

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"Hotel Closed" Sign

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions54321

Part Of: Nicholas Morant fonds

Description Level: 6 / Item

Fonds Number: M300 / S20 / V500

Sous-Fonds: M300

Sub-Series: M300 / II / D : Personal and Family Materials : Collected Material

Accession Number: 7784

Reference Code: M300 / III / D / 62 (O.S.)

GMD: Poster

Textual record

Responsibility: Nicholas Morant

Date Range: [ca. 1950 - ca. 1980] (?)

Physical Description: 1 Poster/sign, printed construction paper

Scope & Content:

Printed paper sign, reads "POSITIVELY NO ADMITTANCE HOTEL CLOSED" (no date, no author). Part of a collection of items previously mounted or hung up in Nicholas and by "Willie" Morant's Banff home.

Name Access: Morant, lvy

Morant, Nicholas

Subject Access: Hotel

Sign

Geographic Access: Canada

Alberta

Banff

Language: English
Creator: Unknown

Title Source: Title based on contents of file

Processing Status: Processed



Immaculate trophies

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue12959

Author: Simpson, Mark
Physical Description: p.77-106:ill

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Subjects: Hunting

Hornaday, William Temple

Luxton, Norman

Sanson, Norman Bethune Sign of the Goat Curio Shop

Notes: Photocopy. In Essays on Canadian Writing, no. 68 (Summer 1999).

Article pertains to the cultural and racial work of taxidermy of the early 1900s and includes an analysis of Department of Interior publication "A sprig of mountain heather" and early 20th century collecting practices for

science and musuems

Accession Number: 7296

Call Number: 04 Si5i Pam
Collection: Archives Library



Making Banff a wild west: Norman Luxton, Indians and Banff tourism, 1902-1945

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue5007

Author: Meijer-Drees, Laurie

Published Date: 1991

Physical Description: vii, 118l.: ill., ports

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Subjects: Banff Indian Days

Banff Zoo

King Edward Hotel

Sign of the Goat Curio Shop

Notes: M.A. thesis, University of Calgary

Bibliography

Accession Number: 5971

Call Number: 07.2 L97m

Collection: Archives Library



Marquee Letters

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifact105.05.0049aa-zd

Title: Marquee Letters

Date: 1935 – 1949

Material: aluminum; metal

Dimensions: 18.5 x 22.0 cm

Description: 112 aluminum cast metal letters for use in marquee signs. Each letter has

a silver base with the front face painted dark blue. On the back, a relief is stamped reading "MANUFACTURED BY/ADLER SIGN LETTER CO./CHICAGO,U.S.A - LONDON, ENG./PATENT PENDING".Inventory is as follows:Letter "A" - 6 (aa,ab,ac,ad,ae,af)Letter "B" - 4 (ba,bb,bc,bd)Letter

"C" - 4 (ca,cb,cc,cd)Letter "D" - 4 (ba,bb,bc,bd)Letter "E" - 6 (ea,eb,ec,ed,ee,ef)Letter "F" - 4 (fa,fb,fc,fd)Letter "G" - 4

(ga,gb,gc,gd)Letter "H" - 4 (ha,hb,hc,hd)Letter "l" - 1 (ia)Letter "J" - 4 (ja.jb,jc,jd)Letter "K" - 4 (ka,kb,kc,kd)Letter "L" - 2 (la,lb)Letter "M" - 4

(ma,mb,mc,md)Letter "N" - 4 (na,nb,nc,nd)Letter "O" - 6 (oa,ob,oc,od,oe,of)Letter "P" - 4 (pa,pb,pc,pd)Letter "Q" - 4 (qa,qb,qc,qd)Letter "R" - 4 (ra,rb,rc,rd)Letter "S" - 6 (sa,sb,sc,sd,se,sf)Letter "T" - 5 (ta,tb,tc,td,te)Letter "U" - 6 (ua,ub,uc,ud,ue,uf)Letter "V" - 4 (va,vb,vc,vd)Letter "W" - 4 (wa,wb,wc,wd)Letter "X" - 4 (xa.xb.xc.xd)Letter "Y" - 6

(ya,yb,yc,yd,ye,yf)Letter "Z" - 4 (za,zb,zc,zd)Note - some letters are

missing the Adler stamp, and so now sign of stamp at all.

Subject: theatre

sign

Credit: Gift of Steve T. Hincks, Banff, 1998

Catalogue Number: 105.05.0049aa-zd

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Norman Luxton

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue8771

Author: Gough, Larry
Physical Description: p.16-17 : port

Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)

Subjects: Sign of the Goat Curio Shop Notes: In Liberty, March 30, 1946

Accession Number: 1228

Call Number: 07.2 L97g Pam
Collection: Archives Library



Room for one More

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifactwyp.03.764

Artist: Peter Whyte (1905 – 1966, Canadian)

Title: Room for one More

Date: 1925 – 1966

Medium: graphite on paper Dimensions: 14.0 x 22.0 cm

Description: Profile drawing of a vehicle with a masked man at the wheel speeding

away over a speed bump and in the direction of Victoria as the sign in front of the car suggests. Behind the vehicle there is a wrench, nut and bolt flying off behind it, and behind the the drivers front wheel there is a piece of luggage. Above the driver near the TRC it says "ROOM FOR

ONE MORE."

Subject: mask

man

Victoria

driving

vehicle

luggage

speed bump

wrench

nut

bolt

sign

Credit: Gift of Catharine Robb Whyte, O. C., Banff, 1979

Catalogue Number: WyP.03.764

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Room For One More

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifactwyp.03.840

Artist: Peter Whyte (1905 – 1966, Canadian)

Title: Room For One More

Date: 1910 – 1925

Medium: graphite on paper

Dimensions: 10.7 x 21.6 cm

Description: A man wearing a hat is driving a roadster down the road. On the drivers

door it says "P.W.". Just ahead of the vehicle down the road there is a sign pointing to the left edge that says "TO VICTORIA", while in the background there is some trees and clouds. In one of the clouds the image says "ROOM FOR ONE MORE" In the BLC there is an erased

signature that says "DREWN [sic] BY PW"

Subject: car

vehicle
roadster
Victoria
driver
man
person
door
trees

clouds sign

Credit: Gift of Catharine Robb Whyte, O. C., Banff, 1975

Catalogue Number: WyP.03.840

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Seasons Greetings Catharine and Peter



https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifactwyp.03.938

Artist: Peter Whyte (1905 – 1966, Canadian)

Title: Seasons Greetings Catharine and Peter

Date: 1956

Medium: graphite; ink on paper

Dimensions: 18.2 x 28.6 cm

Description: A Christmas card design of a group of vehicles in a convoy travelling

down a road to the mountains. The last car is filled with a group of animals, and beside this vehicle there is a post with a bunch of signs pointing to directions to different cities. These signs say "HOMER, FAIRBANKS, EDMONTON, DAWSON CITY, BANFF, ANCHORAGE, VALDEZ, WHITEHORSE, FORT ST. JOHN, AND SEWARD". The licence plate on the last vehicle says "B.N.P. 1956 CANADA". While below the drawing it says "SEASONS GREETINGS CATHARINE AND PETER". Around the edges of the drawing it says "6 inches" and "3 3/4"

Subject: travel

driving vehicle car

Christmas card

sign

mountain

Rocky Mountain

animal moose

bird bear deer wolf

rabbit

Credit: Gift of Catharine Robb Whyte, O. C., Banff, 1979

Catalogue Number: WyP.03.938

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Untitled

https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifactwyp.03.832%20

Artist: Peter Whyte (1905 – 1966, Canadian)

Title: Untitled Date: 1934

Medium: graphite on paper Dimensions: 27.9 x 22.0 cm

Description: There is a man on a bicycle delivering two bowls of food on a tray to a

unknown location. Beside the bike there is a sign with a Japanese character which generally translates to "cannot go". In the background there is multiple buildings, and one with a open area or shelter that has three figures standing underneath it. Just below the drawing it says "To O,EDIE SAN FROM PETER MARCH 25TH 1934 - TOKYO". Written in

ink below the drawing is says "Imperial Hotel Tokyo" and

"TELEGRAPHIC ADDRESS "IMPHO TOKYO"".

Subject: Tokyo

Imperial Hotel

travelling

sign

delivery

food

bowls

tray

bicycle

person

people

man

buildings

street

Credit: Gift of Catharine Robb Whyte, O. C., Banff, 1979

Catalogue Number: WyP.03.832

Images

