



Robert J. McGuinness fonds

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions276>

Part Of: Robert J. McGuinness fonds

Description Level: 1 / Fonds

Fonds Number: M 460

Sous-Fonds: M 460

Accession Number: 960

3707

2018.9000

Reference Code: M460

GMD: Textual record

Plan

Postcard

Private record

Date Range: 1940-1950

1954

1955

1960

1977

1978

1980-1983

Physical Description: 1.11 cm of textual records (34 pages : 29 x 42 cm or smaller) -- 9 architectural drawings : annotations ; 89 x 58 cm or smaller

History /

Biographical:

Originally from ancient Iveagh, which is now County Down, Ireland, the McGuinness family eventually migrated to Liverpool at an unknown time. The McGuinness family were provision merchants in Liverpool, but found supplies limited so they emigrated to Canada. Born on June 20, 1886 in Liverpool, Father Robert James McGuinness moved to Belleville, Ontario, Canada with his family in 1890. He had 7 brothers and sisters, including Oswald A. McGuinness, who settled in Invermere, British Columbia.

Robert attended St. Lawrence College in Ampleforth, Yorkshire, and completed his studies at St. Servan in Rhiems, France, qualifying as an engineer. He held a position with the federal government upon his return to Canada, however when World War I broke out Robert served in the 29th Battalion of CRTS building pontoons behind European battle lines. After returning to Canada, Robert worked for the Canadian Pacific Railway as an architectural engineer, which brought him west to Banff, Alberta. Robert was the resident architectural engineer overlooking the construction of the Banff Springs Hotel expansion in the 1920's.

In the late 1920's, Robert traveled to Rome to enter the seminary and four years later he was ordained as a priest. After serving as priest in Calgary, Robert was appointed Catholic priest in Banff in 1936, where he lived and worked until his death in 1961. To fulfill a personal dream, Robert designed and supervised the construction of the new church building and grounds for St. Mary's Parish (St. Mary's of the Assumption) which was completed in 1951. During his years in Europe, Robert visited ancient churches and cathedrals which influenced the design of the church, primarily the Norman Chateau architectural style.

Robert was also a talented artist. Some of his work can be seen in galleries in New York and in Banff. His work has been reproduced for Canadian Pacific Railway tourism material, including the Spiral Tunnels postcard included in this fonds.

Robert died in Calgary on June 17, 1961, just shy of his 75th birthday, after being ill for a few months.

Scope & Content:

Fonds consists of two series:

I. St. Mary's Parish, ca.1945-1983, 0.16 cm, and contains two sub-series: A. Architecture, ca.1945-1983 (architectural plans, general information); B. Correspondence and Newspaper Clippings (pertaining to Father McGuinness and St. Mary's Parish), 1950-1978.

II. McGuinness Family, 1953-1977, 1 cm (private records, including handwritten notes, a memoir, and a postcard).

Notes:

. Younger brother Oswald was a surveyor who built the road from Invermere to Calgary

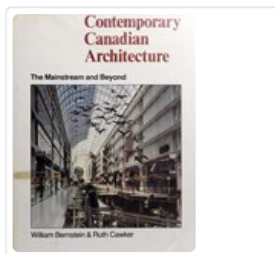
There is some indication that Robert had a role in the construction of the Bow River Bridge or the collection of the stones used for the bridge, but this is unconfirmed

Name Access:

McGuinness, Robert J.

Subject Access:	Architecture
	Art
	Banff
	Buildings
	Churches
	Fairmont Banff Springs Hotel
	Family and personal life
	Professional and Personal Life
	Religions
	St. Mary's of the Assumption Catholic Church
Geographic Access:	Alberta
	Banff
	Banff National Park
	Canada
	Ontario
Access Restrictions:	No restrictions on access
	Copyright, privacy, commercial use and other restrictions may apply
Language:	Language is English
Related Material:	08.3 / Si 3m / Pam
	08.3 / B22 stm / Pam
	08.3 / Sa 2 / Pam
Creator:	McGuinness, Robert J.
Category:	Family and personal life
	Religions
Biographical Source	Based on contents of the fonds
Notes:	https://www.genealogy.com/ftm/g/o/g/Laurie-Goggin/WEBSITE-0001/UHP-0444.html
	"St. Mary's of the Assumption" pamphlet printed by the Crag and Canyon in Banff (08.3/Sa 2/Pam)
	http://www.stmarysparishbanff.ca/history/
Title Source:	Title based on accession records
Processing Status:	Processed

This material is presented as originally created; it may contain outdated cultural descriptions and potentially offensive content. [Read more.](#)



Contemporary Canadian architecture : the mainstream and beyond

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue20490>

Author:	Bernstein, William
Responsibility:	William Bernstein & Ruth Cawker
Publisher:	Toronto : Fitzhenry & Whiteside
Published Date:	c1982
Physical Description:	190p. : ill. plans.
Medium:	Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)
Subjects:	Architecture, Canadian Devonian Gardens (Calgary) Erickson, Arthur Mawson, Thomas Architecture - Calgary Arthur Erickson Associates Architecture - Vancouver Architecture - Edmonton
Notes:	Bibliography p.181-182 Includes index
ISBN:	0-88902-588-6
Accession Number:	15,000
Call Number:	NA745 B4
Location:	Art Library is located in Curatorial Department - Please contact Curatorial Department for access
Collection:	Art Library

This material is presented as originally created; it may contain outdated cultural descriptions and potentially offensive content. [Read more.](#)

BOOK COVER
NOT AVAILABLE



Space in Canadian architecture

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue20492>

Author: Jackson, Anthony
Responsibility: Anthony Jackson
Publisher: [Halifax?] : Tech-Press (Technical University of Nova Scotia)
Published Date: c1981
Physical Description: 32p. : ill., plans, diagr. - (Library of Canadian architecture)
Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)
Subjects: Space (Architecture)
Architecture - Canada
ISBN: 0-920692-03-6
Call Number: NA745 J3
Location: Art Library is located in Curatorial Department - Please contact Curatorial Department for access
Collection: Art Library

This material is presented as originally created; it may contain outdated cultural descriptions and potentially offensive content. [Read more.](#)

BOOK COVER
NOT AVAILABLE



Alpine huts in the Rockies, Selkirks and Purcells...

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue20181>

Author: Kariel, Herbert G.
Kariel, Pat
Responsibility: by Herbert G. Kariel and Patricia E. Kariel
Publisher: Banff : Alpine Club of Canada
Published Date: 1986
Physical Description: 183p. : ill., maps, plans, ports
Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)
Subjects: Architecture
Cabins
Cabins and shelters
Huts
Mountaineering
History
Abstract: Pertains to alpine huts in the Rocky Mountains, Selkirk Mountains, and Purcell Mountains - includes photographs, history, and other details.
Contents: Prologue
Rocky Mountains:
Lake Louise-Yoho Area:
Abbot Pass Hut
Elizabeth Parker Hut
Fay Hut

Stanley Mitchell Hut
Halfway/Ptarmigan Hut
Graham Cooper Hut
Neil Colgan Hut
Castle Mountain Hut
Wapta Icefield Area:
Balfour Hut
Peter and Catharine Whyte Hut / Petyto Hut
Bow Hut
Banff-Jasper National Park Boundary Areas:
Saskatchewan Glacier Hut
Athabasca Glacier Hut
Lloyd MacKay / Mount Freshfield Hut
Mount Alberta Hut
Jasper Area:
Pocahontas / Disaster Point Hut
Wates-Gibson-Memorial Hut
Ralph Forster / Mount Robson Hut
Mount Colin Centennial Hut
Fryatt Creek / Sydney Vallance Hut
Lawrence Grassi / Mount Clemenceau Hut
Shangri-La and Watchtower Cabins
Fortress Lake Cabin
Mount Assiniboine Area:
Naiset Cabins
Robin C. Hind / Mount Assiniboine Hut
Surprise Creek Cabin
Police Meadows Cabin
Mitchell River Cabin
Bryant Creek and Egypt Lake Shelters
Other Huts in the Rockies:
CMC Valley / Archie Simpson Hut
Elk Lake Cabin
Fish Lake Cabin
Selkirk Mountains:
Rogers Pass Area:
Hermit Hut
Glacier Circle Hut
Arthur O. Wheeler Hut
Sapphire Col Hut
Balu Pass Hut
Eva Lake Shelter
Northern Selkirks:
Fairy Meadow Hut
Sir Sandford / Great Cairn Hut

Kokanee Glacier Area:
Slocan Chief Cabin
Silver Spray Cabin
Woodbury Glacier Cabin
Enterprise Hut
Valhalla Ranges:
Mulvey Basin Hut
Gwillim Creek Cabin
Evans Lake Cabin
Cove Creek Cabin
Cahill Lake and Beatrice Lake Cabins
Nemo Creek Cabin
Sharp Creek Cabins
Wee Sandy Cabins
Wragge Creek Cabin
Other Huts in the Selkirks:
Echo Basin and Ripple Ridge Cabins
Purcell Mountains:
Bugaboo Area:
Conrad Kain Hut
Vowell / Mallory Igloo
McMurdo Creek Cabin
Epilogue
Appendix
Index

ISBN: 0-920330-18-5
Accession Number: AC637
Call Number: 06.5 K11a
Collection: Archives Library

This material is presented as originally created; it may contain outdated cultural descriptions and potentially offensive content. [Read more.](#)



Modern Canadian architecture

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue20493>

Author: Whiteson, Leon
Responsibility: Leon Whiteson
Publisher: Edmonton : Hurtig Publishers
Published Date: c1983
Physical Description: 272p. : ill. (some col.), plans.
Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)
Subjects: Architecture, Canadian
ISBN: 0-88830-248-7
Accession Number: 16,500
Call Number: NA745 W4
Location: Art Library is located in Curatorial Department - Please contact Curatorial Department for access
Collection: Art Library

This material is presented as originally created; it may contain outdated cultural descriptions and potentially offensive content. [Read more.](#)



Saskatoon imagined : art and architecture in the wonder city

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue21029>

Author: Decoursey, Elaine
Responsibility: Elaine Decoursey and Don Kerr, guest curators
Publisher: Saskatoon : Mendel Art Gallery
Published Date: 1989
Physical Description: 64p. : facsim (some col.)
Medium: Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)
Subjects: Architecture - Saskatoon
Art - Saskatoon
Notes: Catalogue of an exhibition held at the Mendel Art Gallery, Feb. 9-Apr. 2, 1989, and travelling to other galleries
Call Number: NX432 S3 O42
Location: Art Library is located in Curatorial Department - Please contact Curatorial Department for access
Collection: Art Library

This material is presented as originally created; it may contain outdated cultural descriptions and potentially offensive content. [Read more.](#)



An appraisal of commercial, multifamily, industrial lots and motel acreage sites located at Banff National Park, Alberta

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/catalogue4707>

Author:	Alberta Appraisal Company
Published Date:	1980
Physical Description:	4v. (700p.) : ill., maps, plans
Medium:	Library - Book (including soft-cover and pamphlets)
Subjects:	Architecture Buildings Businesses Land use Leases
Notes:	Accompanied by map : Banff Townsite Zoning Regulations District Map (map section)
Accession Number:	3408
Call Number:	13.112 B22a
Collection:	Archives Library

This material is presented as originally created; it may contain outdated cultural descriptions and potentially offensive content. [Read more.](#)



St. Paul's Church

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/artifactbrd.02.01>

Artist:	David Brown (1955 – , Canadian)
Title:	St. Paul's Church
Date:	1985
Medium:	oil on canvas
Dimensions:	243.8 x 91.4 cm
Description:	The church dominates the centre, bottom half of picture, green evergreen trees around it, behind the church is Mount Rundle, with some snow, the top third of the picture is sky, light indication of clouds, 2 men with red sweaters are walking across the street towards the church corner, the immediate foreground is grey pavement.
Subject:	architecture, church church, St. Paul's Presbyterian, Banff mountain, Mount Rundle
Credit:	Purchased from David Brown, 1987
Catalogue Number:	BrD.02.01

Images



This material is presented as originally created; it may contain outdated cultural descriptions and potentially offensive content. [Read more.](#)



Retained file

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions56692>

Part Of:	Bruno Engler fonds
Description Level:	3 / Series
Fonds Number:	M323 / S40 / V190
Series:	VI : Retained file
Sous-Fonds:	V190
Accession Number:	7436
Reference Code:	V190 / VI

GMD: Film
Motion picture
Negative
Newspaper clipping
Photograph
Photograph print
Print
Transparency

Date Range: [ca. 1940-1990]

Physical Description: ca. 17,580 photographs: negatives, prints, and transparencies. -- 1 photograph album (ca. 150 prints). -- ca. 12.5 cm textual records. -- 42 reels of film

History /
Biographical:
See fonds level description

Name Access: Engler, Bruno

Subject Access:	Activities
	Advertising
	Aerial photography
	Airplanes
	Animals
	Architecture
	Art
	Automobiles
	Avalanches
	Banff Centre
	Banff Indian Days
	Banff School of Fine Arts
	Banff Winter Carnival
	Bow Valley
	Buildings and facilities
	Businesses
	Chairlifts and gondolas
	Community events
	Environment and Nature
	Filmmaking
	Films and film making
	Fire
	First Nations
	Helicopter skiing
	Helicopters
	Indigenous Peoples
	Lake Louise Ski Area
	Landscapes
	Mount Assiniboine
	Mount Norquay Ski Area
	Mountains
	Movie Stars
	Parks Canada Warden
	Photography
	Public events
	Scenery
	Search and rescue
	Ski areas
	Sports and recreation
	Sunshine Ski Area
	Trans-Canada Highway
	Wardens

Geographic Access: Banff National Park
Canmore
Alberta
British Columbia

Access Restrictions: Some restriction/s on access
Copyright, privacy, commercial use and other restrictions may apply

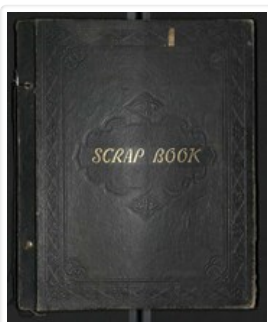
Language: English

Creator: Engler, Bruno

Title Source: Title based on contents of series

Processing Status: Processed

This material is presented as originally created; it may contain outdated cultural descriptions and potentially offensive content. [Read more.](#)



Jock McCowan scrapbook

<https://archives.whyte.org/en/permalink/descriptions53975>

Part Of: McCowan (family) fonds

Description Level: 5 / File

Fonds Number: V407 / M135

Series: M135 / II - Textual Materials

Sous-Fonds: M135

Sub-Series: V407 / II / A - Scrapbooks

Accession Number: 7730

Reference Code: M135 / II / A / 1

GMD: Scrapbook

Date Range: 1913 - 1981

Physical Description: 2 cm of textual records (26 pages ; 30 x 37 cm)

History /

Biographical:

See fonds level description.

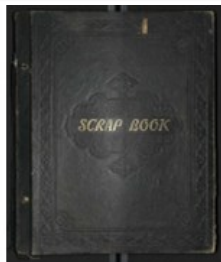
Scope & Content:

File consists of a scrapbook of newspaper clippings, brochures, business cards, and advertisements for businesses around Banff and Lake Louise. Includes a mix of magazine and newspaper clippings in both black and white and in colour, postcards, advertising for hotels like the King Edward Hotel, Homestead Inn, Mount Royal Hotel, Castle Mountain Lodge, and the Chateau Lake Louise, and a cover of the Sky Line Trail Hiker bulletin featuring members of the Royal Family.

Name Access: McCowan, Jock

Subject Access:	Advertising
	Animals
	Architecture
	Buildings and facilities
	Businesses
	Cascade Hotel
	Castle Mountain
	Chateau Lake Louise
	Entertainment
	Festival
	Leisure
	Newspaper
	Postcards
	Recreation
	Royal tours
	Skyline Trail Hikers of the Canadian Rockies
	Souvenir
	The Albertan
	Tourist information
	Travel
	Winter Carnival
Geographic Access:	Banff
	Lake Louise
	Banff National Park
	Alberta
	Canada
Language:	English
Creator:	Jock McCowan
Title Source:	From accession record
Processing Status:	Processed

Electronic Resources

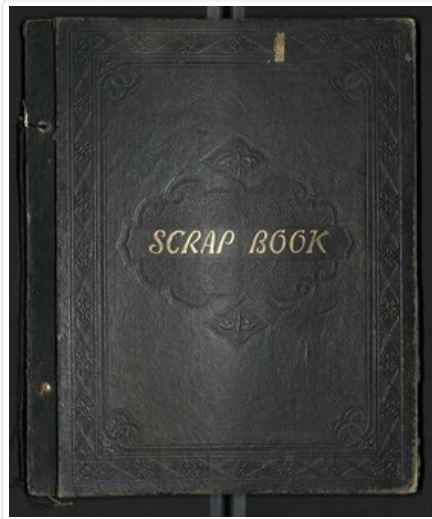


m135_ii_a_1_pdf.pdf

 Read PDF

 Download PDF

Images



OrderRemove

This material is presented as originally created; it may contain outdated cultural descriptions and potentially offensive content. [Read more.](#)