

MJ-16

Moose Jaw Old Timers Association fonds. - [textual record]. - 1899-1991. - 23.3 cm of textual records.

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Administrative history

The Moose Jaw Old Timers Association was organized in 1885. Membership was limited to settlers coming into the district prior to and including December 31, 1885. Wives of Old Timers members were eligible whether or not they were in the district before that date.

The first elected officers were James Campbell, president; G. M. Annable, vice-president; W. C. Sanders, secretary-treasurer; and E. N. Hopkins, A Dalgarno, Tom Bennie, George Might, Hugh Thompson and J. G. Beesley as the managing committee.

Other members and officers mentioned are Fred Jones, Joe Hyland, T. Heath, Herb Rathwell, Gordon Smith, Fred Gilmour, Arthur Wilton Alderman, Mrs. R. L. Slater, Miss Rorison, Mrs. S. E. McClelland, Dan Martin, J. A. Maharg, Richard Wilson, C. Boyle, H. Crozier, L. Gilmour, J. Manahan, E. Powell, E. Pascoe, A. Green, G. Dalrymple, S. McWilliams, E. Dell, G. McKenzie, G. Paul and Joe English.

Scope and content

This fonds consists of a five series dealing with the Moose Jaw Old Timers Association. One regarding the general business of the association, another focused on the annual banquet and dance given by the association for its members. A series of the history notes of the Moose Jaw area, pioneer lists and a publication of history for Moose Jaw's Golden Jubilee. Another series contains the records of the associations banquets and the final series is made up of correspondence to the organization.

Note of immediate source of acquisition

Accession number 16.BA donated to the archives by Mrs. J. E. Pascoe.

Conservation note

This fonds was re-boxed and re-folded in 2000.

Accruals

Further accruals are not expected.

Finding aids

See file list.

File List

MJ-16.1 - General Business. [textual record]. - 1900-1953. - 1.50 cm of textual records. (2 folders).

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This series contains three files; The minutes of meetings and reports to the Old Timers Association. Also, documentation of the assets and liabilities of the said association.

MJ-16.1a - Minutes and Reports. - [textual record]. - 1900-1996. - 1.00 cm. of textual records. (4 volume)

This file consists of four minute book of meetings of the Old Timers Association.

MJ-16.1b - Financial Reports. - [textual record]. - 1949-1953. - 0.50 cm. of textual records. (1 folder)

This file consists of reports focusing on the association's assets and liabilities in 1949-1951 and 1953.

MJ-16.1c - Receipts. - [textual record]. - 1975-1995. - 1.50 cm of textual records. (1 folder)

This file consists of receipts for purchases made by or donations received by the committee.

MJ-16.2 - Local History. - [textual record]. - 1899-1968. - 1.75 cm of textual records.

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This series contains historical documents focused on the City of Moose Jaw collected by the association, its archival committee and its members.

MJ-16.2a - Origins and Progress. - [textual record]. - 1899-1948. - 0.25 cm of textual records.

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This file consists of correspondence on the origin of the name of "Moose Jaw." A portion of the series is reports of building progress in the city at the turn of the century. Also included is a poem by Edna Jaques dedicated to the pioneer spirit.

MJ-16.2b - Early Pioneers. - [textual record]. - [1940?]. - 0.50 cm of textual records.

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This file consists of information and lists of names gathered on pioneers of the city. The archive committee of the association collected these names, by Miss Agnes Rorison and by Sam McWilliams.

MJ-16.2c - Pascoe Historical Materials. - [textual record]. - [1955?]. - 0.50 cm of textual records.

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This file consists of essays and programmes of historical events gathered by J. E. Pascoe. Included is a programme issued for the seventy-first Anniversary of Moose Jaw School

District Number One, essays documenting the early days and the expansion of the General Hospital. Also a prepared response to a toast at the 1960 Old Timers' Banquet by J. E. Pascoe and a brief note regarding an article in the newspaper concerning the former Caribou Trail.

MJ-16.2d - Newspaper Clippings. - [textual record]. - 1926-1993. - 1.00 cm of textual records.
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This file consists of newspaper clippings relating to the Moose Jaw Old Timers Association and kept by J. E. Pascoe.

MJ-16.3 - Moose Jaw Jubilee Publications. - [textual record]. - 1953,1955. - 1.50 cm of textual records.

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This series contains two files one publication of poems presented to the Moose Jaw Old Timers Association and a book the association put together for the Golden Jubilee.

MJ-16.3a - Jubilee Rhymes. - [textual record]. 1955. - 0.75 cm of textual records.

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This file consists of a booklet of poetry of Alben Edmund "Horsecar" Elsom, honouring the pioneer on the Golden Jubilee of the Province of Saskatchewan.

MJ-16.3b - Golden Jubilee - 1903-1953. - [textual record]. 1953. - 0.75 cm of textual records.

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This file consists of a booklet of a series of articles highlighting the history and progress of Moose Jaw. Ernie Pascoe and the Old Timers' Association produced this book for the Golden Jubilee of the incorporation of the City of Moose Jaw in 1903.

MJ-16.4 - Association Banquets. - [textual record]. - 1900-1985. - 5.50 cm of textual records.

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This series contains two files one publication of poems presented to the Moose Jaw Old Timers' Association and a book the association put together for the Golden Jubilee.

MJ-16.4a - Banquet Summaries. - [textual record]. - 1900, 1940, 1952, 1979. - 1.00 cm of textual records.

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This file contains several articles on the annual banquets of the Old Timers Association as well as a list of ticket sales and attendant sign-in sheets.

MJ-16.4b - Banquet Programmes. - [textual record]. - 1918-1991. - 8.50 cm of textual records. (5 folders)

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This file consists of programmes of the annual banquet and dance held each year. They note the officers for the year, the entertainment committee or the reception committee and the ticket committee.

MJ-16.4c – Banquet Guest Book. – [textual record]. – 1970-1971. – 1.50 cm of textual records.
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This file consists of one guest book for the 1971 banquet.

MJ-16.5 – Correspondence. – [textual record]. – n.d. – 0.50 cm of textual records.
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This series consists of one file of thank you notes sent to the committee.