Kamloops Museum and Archives



Kathleen Kay Bingham fonds 1966.106, 1966.116

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1966.106, etc. Kathleen Kay Bingham fonds
Access: Open. Textual, Graphic

ca. 1800s-1920s 0.03 meters

Title: Kathleen Kay Bingham fonds

Dates of Creation: ca. 1800s-1920s

Physical Description: 2 textual records, 1 cm of photographs, and 3 tintypes

Biographical Sketch:

Kathleen Kay Bingham was born on September 11, 1903 in Ontario. Shortly after her birth her family moved to Lloydminster, Alberta, where she attended school until grade 8. After her mother died, Bingham moved to Barnhartvale in Kamloops, B.C. to live with her aunt, and graduated high school from the Kamloops High Schoool. Bingham attended university in Vancouver in 1918, and enrolled in the Victoria Normal School the following year to pursue a career in teaching. She was granted a Class 'A' Teaching Certificate in 1920, and was soon hired at the rural Adelphi School in Westwold, B.C. In 1921 she transferred to the Barnhartvale School, where she worked for 5 and a half years. 1928 saw her move to Kamloops to work briefly at Allan Matthews School before moving to Lloyd George, where she would remain until the mid-1950s. She then taught at George Hilliard School until her retirement on June 24, 1965. Two years after her retirement a new elementary school in Brocklehurst, would be named in her honour: the Kay Bingham Elementary School. Kathleen Kay Bingham died in August 1995 in Kamloops, B.C., at the age of 92.

Scope and Content:

Fonds consists of two stock certificates, an album of photograph prints of British Columbia, and three tintype photographs.

Custodial History:

Accessions 1966.106 and 1966.116 were donated to the Kamloops Museum and Archives by Kathleen Kay Bingham on July 2 and July 7, 1966, respectively. Materials were originally placed in the Vertical Files Collection and Photograph Collection prior to processing in 2019.

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Notes:

Source of supplied title: Title based on contents of fonds.

Arrangement: Order that fonds arrived in was maintained by the archivist.

Access restrictions: No restrictions on access. The archivist reserves the right to restrict access to any fragile material for preservation purposes.

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Finding aids: File list is available for this collection.

Accruals: No further accruals are expected.

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Accession	Description	Dates	Box/Folder
1966.106.006- 007	Share Certificates – File contains two share certificates made out to Sarah A. Holt for the Great West Permanent Life Company. – 2 textual records	1910-1915	1
1966.106.008	By River, Lake and Mountain through British Columbia – File contains an album of photographic prints of British Columbia published by T.N. Hibben and Co. of Victoria, B.C. Images depict Victoria, Vancouver, Golden, the Columbia River, the Selkirk Mountains, Field, Denver, Mount Stephen, Illicilliwait River, Banff, the Fraser Canyon, the Rocky Mountains, Yale, Revelstoke, Phoenix, Greenwood, and Mount Arrowsmith. – 1 cm of b&w photographs	[ca. 1890s- 1920s]	2
1966.116.001- 003	Tintypes – File contains three tintype photographs of two young girls, a woman, and a man, all in formal dress. – 3 tintype photographs	[ca. 1800s]	Special Photo Collection