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Kamloops Funeral Records collection

1937.023, 2020.006

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Access: Open.

Kamloops Funeral Records collection

Textual, Cartographic

1881-2000

0.72 meters

Title: Kamloops Funeral Records collection

Dates of Creation: 1881-2000

Physical Description: 71 cm of textual records and 4 maps

Scope and Content:

Collection consists predominantly of cemetery and funeral records from Kamloops on microfilm, and accompanying indexes compiled by the Kamloops Family History Society. Collection also includes a small amount of records which summarize census information access via microfilm, and some records related to the communities of Armstrong-Spallumcheen and Savona.

Custodial History:

No custodial history is available for this collection, though it is assumed that the majority of records were donated to the Kamloops Museum and Archives directly from the Kamloops Family History Society shortly after their creation or were created by the Kamloops Museum and Archives or the City of Kamloops. One of the Funeral Records Indexes (second edition) was donated to the Kamloops Museum and Archives on November 17, 1999 by Pamela Hambrook, and was subsequently accessioned during reprocessing of this collection in 2020 as accession 2020.006. Burial Permit Book and the Kamloops Funeral Register were microfilmed from the City of Kamloops.

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Notes:

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

Arrangement: Collection was arranged into three series based on subject during reprocessing in 2020. Series 1: Cemetery Records; Series 2: Census Records; and Series 3: Funeral Records.

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: Further accruals are possible.

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Series 1: Cemetery Records

1900-2000 — 41 cm of textual records and 4 maps

Scope and Content: Series contains cemetery records for Kamloops, B.C. Records include a burial permit book, monumental inscriptions for the Pioneer Cemetery and the Pleasant Street Cemetery in Kamloops, B.C., cemetery listings for the Armstrong-Spallumcheen Cemetery, and maps of the Pleasant Street Cemetery and Kamloops.

Accession	Description	Dates	Box/Folder
1937.023.001.001	Kamloops Burial Permit Book – File contains a microfilmed copy of the Kamloops Burial Permit book in triplicate. – 12 microfilm reels	May 28, 1900-December 18, 1964	Reading Room
1937.023.001.002	Pioneer Cemetery, Kamloops, B.C. Monumental Inscriptions – File contains a transcription of the gravestone inscriptions from the Pioneer Cemetery in Kamloops, B.C., as recorded by the Kamloops Family History Society on July 3, 1984. Includes a plot map, gravestone inscriptions, an essay on the cemetery by Mary Balf, surname card file, and an index of names. – 0.25 cm of textual records	2000	Reading Room
1937.023.001.003	Pleasant Street Cemetery Monumental Inscriptions (1 st Edition) – File contains 2 copies of a transcription of the gravestone inscriptions from the Pleasant Street Cemetery in Kamloops, B.C., as recorded by the Kamloops Family History Society. Includes an essay, acknowledgements, B.C. place locations relating to cemetery records, abbreviations, addresses for research, maps, cemetery listings, and an index of names. – 6 cm of textual records	1995	Reading Room
1937.023.001.004	Pleasant Street Cemetery: Cemetery Records and Monumental Inscriptions (2 nd Edition) – File contains 2 copies of a transcription of the gravestone inscriptions from the Pleasant Street Cemetery in Kamloops, B.C., as recorded by	1997	Reading Room

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	the Kamloops Family History Society. Includes an essay, acknowledgements, addresses for research, abbreviations and facility names, abbreviations of Canadian Provinces, B.C. place names relevant to cemetery records, maps, cemetery listings, and an index of names. – 3 cm of textual records		
1937.023.001.005	The British Columbia Genealogist Vol. 1 No. 4 – File contains a copy of the British Columbia Genealogist, which includes cemetery listings for the Armstrong-Spallumcheen Cemetery (part II). – 0.25 cm of textual records	Winter 1981	Reading Room
1937.023.001.006	Savona Cemeteries – File contains a transcription of the gravestone inscriptions from the cemeteries in Savona, B.C., as recorded by the Kamloops Family History Society and compiled by Pamela J. Hambrook. Includes introduction, acknowledgements, credits, location and history, Savona Cemetery plot map, monumental inscriptions, addendum, additional names, Savona’s Ferry Landing Cemetery, and an index of names. – 0.25 cm of textual records	2000	Reading Room
1937.023.001.007	Maps – File contains two maps of the Pleasant Street Cemetery showing blocks and plots, children’s section, and notable graves from the Heritage Tour; and two maps of the Kamloops south shore showing the locations of active cemeteries (Hillside Cemetery and Pleasant Street Cemetery), historic cemeteries (Chinese Cemetery, Pioneer Cemetery, and Sixth Avenue Cemetery or Provincial Home Cemetery), and Funeral Homes (Personal Alternatives Funeral Services, Kamloops Funeral Homes, Schoening’s Funeral Service Ltd., and Pine Grove Crematorium. – 4 maps	[ca. 1990s]	Reading Room

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Series 2: Census Records

1881-1901 [created ca. 1990s] — 0.25 cm of textual records

Scope and Content: Series contains a summary of microfilmed census records.

Accession	Description	Dates	Box/Folder
1937.023.002.001	Census Records – File contains a summary of microfilmed census records listings, including the 1881 B.C. Census and 1901 Canadian Census of B.C. – 0.25 cm of textual records	1881-1901 [created ca. 1990s]	Reading Room

Series 3: Funeral Records

1888-1999 — 30 cm of textual records

Scope and Content: Series contains funeral records and an index for Kamloops, B.C.

Accession	Description	Dates	Box/Folder
1937.023.003.001	Kamloops Funeral Register – File contains the Kamloops Funeral Register. – 9 microfilm reels	November 1888-1984	Reading Room
1937.023.003.002	Kamloops Funeral Records Index 1888-1974 – File contains 3 copies of the index to the Kamloops Funeral Register, as compiled by the Kamloops Family History Society. Includes an essay on Kamloops cemeteries, a timeline of Kamloops undertakers, acknowledgements, addresses for research, funeral registers key to microfilm reels, alphabetical surnames listing, notes on the use of funeral records, a sample funeral record, abbreviations, and maps. – 6.5 cm of textual records	1999	Reading Room