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**McGregor Family fonds**

**0.2941, 0.2942, 0.3073**

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0.2941, etc.

Access: Open.

McGregor Family fonds

Textual

1911-1927

0.001 meters

**Title:** McGregor Family fonds

**Dates of Creation:** 1911-1927

**Physical Description:** 0.01 cm of textual records

### Biographical Sketch:

**Lemuel Chester McGregor** was born in 1841 in Perth, Scotland. He came to British Columbia with James McIntosh in 1875, and then became the manager of the Harper Ranch. McGregor later established his own homestead and ranch at Pinantan. McGregor married Margaret Matilda McIvor in 1886, with whom he had three daughters (Rene, Ida, and Margaret) and seven sons (Robin or Robbins, Everett, Chester, John, Clarence Budd, Peter, and Gustavis or Augustus). Lemuel Chester McGregor died on October 30, 1925 at Monte Creek, B.C. at the age of 84.

**Augustus (or Gustavius) McGregor** was born on November 28, 1888 in Kamloops, B.C., the son of Lemuel Chester McGregor and Margaret Matilda McIvor. McGregor worked as a rancher and served during World War I after being drafted in 1917. After the war ended McGregor returned to Kamloops and resumed ranching activities. Augustus McGregor died on July 9, 1955 at age 67.

**Robin McGregor** was born on December 8, 1892 in Kamloops, B.C., the son of Lemuel Chester McGregor and Margaret Matilda McIvor. He later moved to Enderby, where he died on April 7, 1982 at the age of 90.

### Scope and Content:

Fonds consists of brand certificates for cattle and horses owned by the McGregor Bros., financial records belonging to Augustus McGregor, and a rural schools assessment notice issued to L.C. McGregor.

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### **Custodial History:**

Accession 0.2941 was donated to the Kamloops Museum and Archives in 1962 by Robin McGregor. Accessions 0.2942 and 0.3073 have no available donor information. All records were previously placed in the Vertical Files collection, and were brought together as a fonds during reprocessing in 2020.

### **Notes:**

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

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

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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
0.2941	Brand Certificates – File contains two brand certificates issued to the McGregor Bros. for cattle and horses. – 2 textual records	1927	1
0.2942	A. McGregor's Financial Records – File contains a statement of war service gratuity and tax records belonging to Augustus McGregor. – 3 textual records	1919-1926	2
0.3073	Public Schools Act Assessment in Rural School Districts – File contains an invoice issued to L.C. McGregor for an assessment in rural school districts for Ducks. – 1 textual record	1911	3