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Donald A. McKenzie fonds

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Donald A. McKenzie Fonds

ca. 1900-1977

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Title: Donald A. McKenzie fonds

Dates of Creation: ca. 1900-1977

Physical Description: 9 cm of textual records and ca. 61 b&w photographs

Biographical Sketch:

Donald A. McKenzie (“Stub”) was born on October 6, 1884 in Renfrew, Ontario, the son of Donald McKenzie. McKenzie was an employee of the Canadian National Railways from 1904 to 1952, acting as a locomotive engineer and rising to the rank of Senior Employee in Train Service West of the Great Lakes. He was married to Flora McKenzie, with whom he had at least one child (Donald James).

Scope and Content:

Fonds consists of the personal papers of Donald A. McKenzie largely relating to his career for the Canadian National Railways. Fonds includes photographs, a newspaper clippings scrapbook and additional clippings, correspondence, social event programs, and other ephemera.

Custodial History:

Accession 1998.022 was donated to the Kamloops Museum and Archives by G.B. Gillett, after coming into his possession from Donald James McKenzie, the son of Donald A. McKenzie.

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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: Some records are restricted on the basis that they contain Personal Information and Personal Health Information. All other records are open. 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
1998.022.001-038	Kamloops Photographs – File includes 38 photographs. See Appendix 1 for full listing. – 38 b&w photographs	ca. 1907-1952	1/1
1998.022.039-054	Newspaper Articles – File contains newspaper articles, D.A. McKenzie’s permit to leave Canada, and photographs of Archibald Robert McKenzie; Donald A. McKenzie; a mudslide at Albreda; George McKimi, D.A. McKenzie, and M. Dohnn; G. McKimi, J. Carey, and M. Dohnn at Penny’s Lake. – 0.5 cm of textual records and 5 b&w photographs	1916-1977	1/2
1998.022.055-104	Newspaper Scrapbook – File contains a newspaper scrapbook, which includes photographs of Joseph Taverna, V. Erickson, a trainwreck near Sweetbridge, Dorothy Spooner, 2 unidentified babies, and unidentified train conductors. – 3 cm of textual records and 16 b&w photographs	1934-1956	1/3
1998.022.105-126	Personal Papers of D.A. McKenzie – File contains various C.N.R. train passes for employees and their wives (including photographs) and other train passes, programs and tickets for social events, a patient statement from the Royal Inland Hospital for Donald A. McKenzie, and a greeting card. – 1 cm of textual records with photographs - <i>restricted until 2059</i>	1913-1962	1/4
1998.022.127-141	CNR – File contains correspondence, an accident report, a pension plan transfer application and supporting documentation, C.N.R. bulletin, list of names of Ninth District engineers for the C.N.R and dates of retirement, and a C.N. Train Schedule with earning statements. – 1 cm of textual records – <i>restricted until 1976</i>	1935-1976	1/5
1998.022.143-149	Mr. D.A. MacKenzie, Kamloops, British Columbia – File contains a hardbound binder with 2 photographs (Jinnie Lacey, E.B. Bradley, and A.J. McKenzie in Winnipeg and son Donald McKenzie age 5), correspondence regarding the Royal Train, C.N.R. train orders and times, and newspaper	ca. 1900-1952	1/6

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	clippings. – 0.5 cm of textual records and 2 b&w photographs – <i>restricted until 2052</i>		
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Appendix 1: Kamloops Photographs

1. George Fraser, locomotive engineer, Kamloops.
2. Donald, Archie, Allan, Pete. McKenzie Brothers, 1930.
3. Jim Green, engineer.
4. A.R. McKenzie, A.C. McCulloch, Jim Nelson, and Tesse Jennie (little girl) at Hotel Barriere.
5. McCulloch family, 1929.
6. McCulloch family, 1929.
7. D.A. McKenzie and group.
8. Postcard addressed to Naida McKenzie, Winnipeg, showing 3 men.
9. Conductor A.R. McKenzie.
10. Flora McKenzie, Mrs. Weaver, and station agent at Mine Centre, 1913.
11. Flora McKenzie and Mrs. Weaver at Mine Centre, 1913.
12. Lg Jitney used for crew change from Kamloops to Kamloops Junction.
13. Engineer J. Davis at switch engine 2121 in turntable at Kamloops Junction.
14. Rainy River, the engine that hit runaway car of logs, engineer McKenzie on the Lachine Hill at Mathews West Switch.
15. D. Nolan, D.A. McKenzie, T. Spooner, J. Main, G. Short, Tom Sine, 1907.
16. D.A. McKenzie and crew at Rainy River.
17. Small Jitney used Kamloops to Kamloops Junction.
18. Flora McKenzie and friends at Alice Pitt.
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20. Stanley Jet 1908; D. Nolan, D. McKenzie, Tom Spooner, C. Main, and G. Shaw.
21. Allan, Jean, and Archie McKenzie, 1919.
22. Chicago 1909. Donald McKenzie and friends.
23. C.P.R. J. Thompson, 1933.
24. Eng. D. McKenzie oiling up, 1920.
25. D. A McKenzie and bulldog "Paddy", 1909.
26. Carrie Campbell and Lillian Wallace, 1911.
27. Lillian Wallace, Donald McKenzie.
28. D.A. McKenzie engineer, 1912.
29. Donald McKenzie and Donald McKenzie jr., 1930.
30. D.A. McKenzie and Bro. Clements.
31. D.A. McKenzie and unidentified conductor.
32. Unknown child.
33. Four men sitting in front of a building.
34. Blue River, October 20, 1952. D.A. McKenzie's last run.
35. Unidentified man and 2 women.
36. Train wreck.
37. H. Turner, J. Egger, T. Britt, Donald McKenzie jr., 1916 at Rainy River, Ontario.
38. Progressive Conservative candidate John Diefenbaker and E. Davie Fulton.