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**Marion Poutanen/Port Arthur General School of Nursing Fonds**

Original/photocopy, 2cm, 1998

**Scope and Content**

Correspondence and other papers compiled by Marion Poutanen in preparation for a book entitled: *A Time and Place 1909-1970 History and Memoirs of the General Hospital of Port Arthur School of Nursing*.

**Series A 123/1/1:** Correspondence and other papers, 2cm. 1998 (original and copies)

Letters concerning the Port Arthur General School of Nursing collected in 1998 and covering the school's history through much of the 1940s and some of the 1950s. Some letters are handwritten, a few are typed, and one is a photocopy. Includes unaddressed memoirs. There is also interview material and one graduation invitation card. Most interviews are with nurses who graduated between 1942 and 1946, though a few are dated 1952 and some are undated; one focuses on a school employee. Some letters hint at photographs not found with papers.

**Biographical Sketch:** Marion Poutanen hails from Northwestern Ontario. Having attended high school in Fort Frances she later moved to Thunder Bay. She co-authored with Elsie Di Blasio, *A Time and Place 1909-1970 History and Memoirs of the General Hospital of Port Arthur School of Nursing*.