

Great Lakes Paper Company fonds

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Administrative history

The Great Lakes Paper Company was organized by Alstead and Seaman in 1919 to establish a pulp mill at the Lakehead. Such a mill was erected in Fort William and was in operation by 1924. Later E.W. Backus acquired an interest in the company and erected a paper mill (1927-1929). The company was reorganized during the Great Depression and has operated continuously since, becoming one of the city's largest manufacturers. Later acquired by Canadian Pacific Forest Investments, and then Avenor, the company, in 1998, was taken over by an American firm, Bowater.

Scope and Content

Series B 28/1/1. - Magazines. - 3 issues

Copies of "The Link", a magazine published monthly by the Great Lakes Paper Company for its employees. Includes articles dealing with employees and the operation of the company. There are three issues: vol. 1, #2; vol. 3, #4, Apr. 1950; vol. 3 #11, Dec. 1950.