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Basil Ellery Fonds

Originals, 1942-1953, 1960, 1 cm, 2 8mm tapes

Scope and Content:

Documents and videos created by or sent to Basil Ellery relating to his life.

A 129/1/1: Conscription, 1942-1945, <1 cm

Documents pertaining to Mr. Ellery's employment during the war, which kept him from being conscripted. Includes correspondence, employment records, and forms.

A 129/2/1-2: Home Movies, 2 tapes, 1960

Two home movies on 8mm tapes.

A 129/3/1: War Time Housing, 1945-1953, 1cm

Information regarding Basil Ellery's time living in war time housing accommodations. Includes the lease, mortgage payments, repair bills, information about community services, etc.

Biographical Sketch:

Basil Ellery was born in 1914 and died in 1998. During the Second World War he worked in the Great Lakes shipping industry, mainly in Thunder Bay and Owen Sound/Midlands. After the war he moved into one of the various neighbourhoods built by the War Time Housing initiative.