Anne J. Barrie fonds

1913-1914 4 cm. of textual records

Biographical Sketch

Anne J. Harvey came to Prince Arthur's Landing (later Port Arthur, now Thunder Bay) on 26 Sept. 1880. She later married photographer William J. Barrie but was soon widowed. Later she lived in the residence of Thomas Penfold, the local gaoler. In 1913-1914 she was President of the Canadian Women's Press Club, Port Arthur branch. She also taught music. Her brother was editor of the *Thunder Bay Sentinel* newspaper. Her primary interests seemed to have been women's rights, prohibition and Ireland.

Scope and Content

Series A 35/1/1-2 - Scrapbooks

Two scrapbooks containing clippings, poetry, and notes.

1) Mostly contains clippings relating to the dispute over Home Rule for Ireland from the point of view of Sir Edward Carson and the Northern Ireland Protestants, 1914. Back half of book covers topics such as prohibition and women's suffrage. Indexed.

2) Handwritten notes and references to the activities of the Port Arthur branch of the Canadian Women's Press Club. Mostly clippings on Women's suffrage, poetry, temperance movement, and women's rights. Most entries deal with areas other than Northwestern Ontario, 1914. Indexed.

Additional Information

Custodial History - formerly catalogued into the museum's collection 972.84.5-6