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CKPR Fonds

Originals, 6 film reels, 1975-1977

Scope and Content:

Film reels from programs created by and broadcast on CKPR television, Thunder Bay.

B 53/1/1-6: Film Reels, 6 (16mm) reels, 1975-1977

Six news stories from CKPR listed below, starting with those with dates:

- 1) Birks Stitt Mappins (Oct 1975)
- 2) Fishing With Ray Dee Off Caribou Island (1976)
- 3) Port Arthur Progressive Conservative Nomination Meeting (1977)
- 4) Helper WHSE Fire
- 5) Cooper Stitt Fire Award Winner
- 6) Bill Morgan Strathcona Winter Festival & City Council

Organisational Sketch:

CKPR began as an AM radio station in 1927 based at Midland, Ontario. In 1931 it was purchased by the Dougall Car Company and moved to Fort William. They added an FM broadcast in 1948. The television company CKPA-TV, started in 1954, was acquired by Dougall in 1957 and was renamed to CKPR-TV in 1967. CKPR-TV, together with CHFD-TV, added by Dougal in 1972, became one of the first private Canadian twinstick television channels.