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Summary information

Repository:

Title: Lois Long fonds

Date: 1953 - 2013 (date of creation)

Physical description:

- * .08 m textual records
- * 345 slides
- * 14 negatives
- * 49 photographs
- * 1 audio reel
- * 10 CDs

**Dates of creation,
revision and deletion:**

Note [generalNote]:

Some of the material found in this fonds is historical in nature and contains language or depictions of people representative of its time. This includes wording, cultural references and stereotypes that are no longer used or appropriate today. Historical language has been maintained in its original form, in keeping with archival practice, to preserve the context in which the associated records were created. This approach, while potentially upsetting, allows for the critical assessment and questioning of historical material by contemporary researchers.

The views expressed in the material should be taken as a product of the era in which it was produced and in no way reflects the current opinion, goals or ethics of Archives and Special Collections or the Carleton University Library as a whole.

Note [generalNote]:

Title based on content of the fonds.

Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

Beatrice Lois May Long [Lois Long] was born July 8th, 1922 on a farm in the Merivale area of Ontario to Michael Long and Phoebe Oakley. After attending school, Long trained as a laboratory technician, becoming a registered medical technologist. In 1955 Long took the position of X-Ray Operator on the Arctic supply vessel, C.D. Howe. While on board, Long kept a diary and took several hundred photographs of life on and off the C.D. Howe. Medical clinics were held on the ship and occasionally ashore for Inuit families in settlements along Northern Quebec, the west coast of Hudson Bay, Baffin Island, Resolute, and Craig Harbour on Ellsmere Island.

In 1998 Miss Long donated a collection of Inuit sculptures, collected during her travels in the Arctic, to the Carleton University Art Gallery (CUAG).

Miss Long died on August 14th, 2017

Custodial history

Material was transferred to Archives and Special Collections by the Long estate in April 2019.

Scope and content

Fonds is comprised of one series: 1955 Eastern Arctic Patrol: C.D. Howe (1953-2013).

Notes

Title notes

Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published
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Access points

- Graphic material (documentary form)
 - Sound recording (documentary form)
 - Textual record (documentary form)
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Series descriptions

Series 1: 1955 Eastern Arctic Patrol: C.D. Howe

Date: 1953-2013 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Series is comprised of material created or accumulated by Lois Long during her time as X-Ray Operator on the Arctic supply vessel, C.D. Howe in 1955. Primarily, the fonds is comprised of photos taken both onboard the C.D. Howe and on land as well as Miss Long's diary of the trip.

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File / item list

Reference code	Title	Dates	Physical description
1-1	File - Eastern Arctic diary, May 2-September 26, 1955	1955	
1-2	File - Slide descriptions	n.d.	
1-3	File - Slide presentation notes	n.d.	
1-4	File - "Newspaper articles on the Inuit and far North", 1994-2009	1994-2009	
1-5	File - "Inuit art and recipes", ca.1955, 2009-2013	1955, 2009-2013	
1-6	File - "C.D. Howe lists and procedures, medical party carr.", 1955	1955	
1-7	File - Photocopy of "Medical Adventure" article by John S. Willis, M.D., 1956	1956	
1-8	File - "Inuit language and miscellaneous", 1955, 1996	1955, 1996	
1-9	File - Eastern Arctic slides, tray 1 [slides 1-140], 1955	1955	

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1-10	File - Eastern Arctic slides, tray 2 [slides 141-220], 1955	1955
1-11	File - Eastern Arctic slides, tray 3 [slides 221-299], 1955	1955
1-12	File - Eastern Arctic slides, tray 4 [slides 300-327], 1955	1955
1-13	File - Audio reel: 1. Eastern Arctic, 1955 & 2. Y.T. + Alaska, 1953-4	1953-1955
1-14	File - CD's of slide scans, 2012-2013	2012-2013