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Summary information

Repository:**Title:** Michael Gnarowski fonds**ID:** GNAR**Date:** 1963-1975 (date of creation)**Physical description:** *0.75 m of textual records**Dates of creation,
revision and deletion:**

Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

Michael Gnarowski is a professor, poet, editor, and critic. He was born in Shanghai, China in 1934. He studied at McGill University (B.A., 1956), Indiana University (1959), the Université de Montréal (M.A., 1960), and received his Ph.D. in English literature from the University of Ottawa in 1967. Throughout his career, he has dedicated his time to numerous poetry and literary publications. Gnarowski began to publish his poetry in the magazine *Yes* (1956-1970), which he co-edited along with Glen Siebrasse, John Lachs, and Donald M. Winkelman. Of the editors, Gnarowski remained an active editor with *Yes* through all 19 issues of the magazine. He was involved with several literary periodicals such as: *Le Chien d'or/The Golden Dog* (1970-1972), *Delta/Delta Canada* with Louis Dudek, *Golden Dog Press* (1971-1985), and *Tecumseh Press*. He was also the series editor for McGraw-Hill Ryerson's *Critical Views on Canadian Writers Series* (1969-1977) and co-edited *Canadian Poetry* (1977) with David Bentley. Gnarowski was a Professor of English at Carleton University from 1972 to 1996 and founding General Editor and Founding Director of the Carleton University Press (1981-1993), and also the General-Editor of the Carleton Library Series (1972-1993). Prior to his time at Carleton University, he taught English at the University of Sherbrooke from 1961-62; at Port Arthur (now Thunder Bay) Ontario from 1962-65; was an assistant professor of English at Sir George Williams University (now Concordia) from 1966-72. He has published a book of his own poetry, *Postscript for St. James Street* in 1965 (Delta Press). He also co-edited *The Making of Modern Poetry in Canada* with Louis Dudek, which was published by Ryerson Press in 1967, and then reprinted in 1968, and again in 2017. Michael Gnarowski continues to be involved in the effort to promote Canadian authors and writers, editing and publishing criticism and anthologies of Canadian poetry.

Custodial history

Material received from Michael Gnarowski in 2017.

Scope and content

This fonds is comprised of one series pertaining manuscripts, invoices, receipts, correspondence, and submissions in regards to the publications of Delta Canada.

Notes

Title notes

Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published

Access points

- Textual record (documentary form)

Series descriptions

Series GNAR-1: Delta Canada

Date: 1963-1975 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

This series includes material consisting of manuscripts, invoices, receipts, and submissions in relation to the publications created by Delta Canada.

Physical description: *0.75 m of textual records

Publication status:

Published

File / item list

Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
GNAR-1-1	File - Love-Love	1972 - 1975		GNAR-001
GNAR-1-2	File - The Selected Poems of Eldon Griev , part 1	1970-1974		GNAR-001

GNAR-1-3	File - The Selected Poems of Eldon Griev, part 2	1970-1974	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-4	File - The Homeric hymns and The battle of the frogs and the mice	1972-1973	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-5	File - Leeway Grass	1970-1971	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-6	File - Walking on the Greenhouse Roof	1969-1974	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-7	File - A Broken Vessel	1972-1974	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-8	File - The Ties of Time	1970-1973	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-9	File - The Silence of the year	1971-1974	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-10	File - Land Fall	1971-1973	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-11	File - The Collected Poetry of Louis Dudek	1970-1973	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-12	File - The Selected Poetry of R.G. Everson	1970-1974	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-13	File - Quarterbacks, series 1	1970-1974	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-14	File - The Dark is not to Dark	1969-1974	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-15	File - 14 Poems	1969-1970	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-16	File - Images	1968-1972	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-17	File - Outerings	1970-1971	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-18	File - Between two Fires	1971-1972	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-19	File - Contact Press: 1952-1967	1970-1971	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-20	File - Joseph Quesnel	1970	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-21	File - The Rising Village	1969-1971	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-22	File - Three Early Poems	1969-1971	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-23	File - The Gentlemen are also Lexicographers	1968-1970	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-24	File - Homage to Mr.MacMullin	1968-1970	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-25	File - Nothing but Spoons	1969	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-26	File - Text For Nausikaa	1970-1972	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-27	File - Man:unman	1968-1974	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-28	File - I've Laughed and Sung	1968-1972	GNAR-001
GNAR-1-29	File - Pictures on the Skin	1967-1974	GNAR-002
GNAR-1-30	File - Atlantis	1967-1973	GNAR-002
GNAR-1-31	File - Trouvailles	1967-1970	GNAR-002
GNAR-1-32	File - The Great Wall of China	1967	GNAR-002
GNAR-1-33	File - The Students Reference Guide	1966-1971	GNAR-002
GNAR-1-34	File - 25 Classic Poems of the Canadian Language	1974	GNAR-002
GNAR-1-35	File - Blue Sky Notebook	ca.1973	GNAR-002
GNAR-1-36	File - Jerusalem	1971-1974	GNAR-002
GNAR-1-37	File - Wrestle with an Angel: closed	1966-1970	GNAR-002
GNAR-1-38	File - Postscripts for St. James Street	1966-1971	GNAR-002
GNAR-1-39	File - The Regeneration of an Athlete: closed	1965-1972	GNAR-002
GNAR-1-40	File - Contact: 1952-1952	1966-1971	GNAR-002
GNAR-1-41	File - Small Change	1966-1970	GNAR-002
GNAR-1-42	File - Yes Magazine	1967-1972	GNAR-002
GNAR-1-43	File - McGill Poetry Invoices	1967-1971	GNAR-003
GNAR-1-44	File - A Laughter in the Mind	1970-1974	GNAR-003
GNAR-1-45	File - Sharon Nelson : 2nd Book	1970-1971	GNAR-003
GNAR-1-46	File - Unicorn invoices	1968-1972	GNAR-003
GNAR-1-47	File - Delta Magazine	1969-1972	GNAR-003
GNAR-1-48	File - Lou's Invoices PAID	11966-1971	GNAR-003

GNAR-1-49	File - [Accepted/Rejected typed poems], Len Dicky	ca. 1970	GNAR-003
GNAR-1-50	File - Montreal free Poet: 3rd Edition	1973	GNAR-003
GNAR-1-51	File - Pending Manuscripts, David Donnell	ca. 1970	GNAR-003
GNAR-1-52	File - Quarterback, series 2	1971	GNAR-003
GNAR-1-53	File - Les Eaux Remiroiteas	1969-1971	GNAR-003
GNAR-1-54	File - Delta Canada Anthology	1970	GNAR-003
GNAR-1-55	File - At the Top of my Voice	1966-1967	GNAR-003