



POWELL RIVER HISTORICAL MUSEUM & ARCHIVES

FONDS DESCRIPTION

FONDS NUMBER	122
ACCESSION NUMBER	1999.6, 1999.11
TITLE	Joyce Carlson fonds
DATE(S)	1970, 1982
EXTENT	2cm of textual records
ADMINISTRATIVE HISTORY/BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH	Joyce Carlson (née Milne) (1948-) was born at the Powell River General Hospital and raised in Powell River. She married Don Carlson in 1964 and they had two children. After finishing her schooling she became a stringer for the Powell River News in 1970. She also worked for that paper as a lifestyles editor, sports editor, a junior and then senior reporter, an editor and was named as the assistant publisher in 1984. She became publisher in 1986. In 1989, after moving to Salt Spring Island, she became the publisher of the Gulf Islands Driftwood and in October 1995 she returned to Powell River to start the Powell River Peak. Carlson has been an active volunteer within Powell River and in 2007 she lead the community for the BC Disability Games. She is an active member of Toastmasters.
CUSTODIAL HISTORY	Not known
FONDS DESCRIPTION	<p>The fonds consists of manuscripts.</p> <p>Title based on contents of fonds.</p> <p>Series: Manuscripts Date(s): 1970, 1982 Extent: 1cm of textual records</p> <p>The series consists of two manuscripts. One was a speech at a Toastmasters meeting about growing up in Cranberry, entitled "Long Ago Laughter". It includes memories of Whyte's Beach, swimming Cranberry Lake, the raft, sleighing down Drake Hill and other childhood games.</p> <p>The second was a presentation done in 1970 for a social studies class. The presentation is entitled "History of Commercial Development in Cranberry" and includes mention of the following businesses:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tom Ahola's Hardware Store Alsgard's Furniture Store Barbershop Bernier Shoe Repairshop Bosa and Mitchell Callison Everygreens City Transfer Cranberry Hardware



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	<p>Cranberry Home Service Cranberry Laundromat Cranberry Sheet Metal Dick's Dry Goods Dini's Pool Hall and Bowling Alley Foursquare Gospel Church Goddard Block Haddad's Krin Music Liebenschel Ernie Louise's Beauty Parlour Malnick McEwen's Lock Shop McFall, George Meilleur, Joe and Frank Mitchell Bros, Pit Stop Powell River Glass Quality Printers Service Cleaners Shingle Mill at Mowat Bay The Owl's Roost Wilshire's</p> <p>Title based on contents of series.</p>
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