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A. Burke Doran collection

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Summary information

Repository:	Archives of the Law Society of Ontario
Title:	A. Burke Doran collection
ID:	PF11
Date:	1939-1976 (date of creation)
Physical description:	0.5 cm of textual records
Note [generalNote]:	library.lsuc.on.ca/GL/blackbayduckclub.htm

Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

A. Burke Doran is a prominent Toronto lawyer.

Scope and content

Collection consists of records acquired by A. Burke Doran. The collection contains four pages removed from the guest book of the Black Bay Duck Club, a hunting club located near Ottawa. The pages were used as exhibits in the 1946 hearings of the Royal Commission to Investigate the Facts Relating to and the Circumstances Surrounding the Communication, by Public Officials and Other Persons in Positions of Trust of Secret and Confidential Information to Agents of a Foreign Power. The Royal Commission resulted from the 1945 defection of Igor Gouzenko, a cipher clerk for the military attache, Colonel Nikolai Zabotin, of the Soviet Embassy in Ottawa. The pages bear the signature of Zabotin and several other Soviet officials. Also included are correspondence between the legal branch of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police and the Department of Justice, as well as J.J. Heeney, an original owner of the Black Bay Duck Club. The collection also contains two dictaphone wartime relocation certificates issued to the law firm of Lang & Michener, and three samples of law firm letterhead.

Notes

Title notes

Immediate source of acquisition

The records in this collection were acquired by the Law Society from A. Burke Doran in 1983 and 1984.

Restrictions on access

No restrictions on access.

Other notes

- **Publication status:** published

Collection holdings

Series: PF11-PF11-1 - Correspondence, guest book pages, and certificates

Title: Correspondence, guest book pages, and certificates

ID: PF11-PF11-1

Date: 1927-1976 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

Series consists of four pages removed from the guest book of the Black Bay Duck Club, related correspondence, as well as two dictaphone wartime relocation certificates issued to the law firm Lang & Michener, and three samples of law firm letterhead.

Physical description: 2.5 cm of textual records

Restrictions on access:

No restrictions on access.

Publication status:

published

File: PF11-PF11-1-984040-1-1 - Black Bay Duck Club guest book pages

Title: Black Bay Duck Club guest book pages

ID: PF11-PF11-1-984040-1-1

Date: 1944-1946 (date of creation)

Physical description: 4 p.

Physical condition:

Pages are in fragile condition.

Restrictions on access:

No restrictions on access.

Publication status:

published

File: PF11-PF11-1-984040-1-2 - Correspondence re: Black Bay Duck Club

Title: Correspondence re: Black Bay Duck Club

ID: PF11-PF11-1-984040-1-2

Date: 1975-1976 (date of creation)

Restrictions on access:

No restrictions on access.

Publication status:

published

File: PF11-PF11-1-984022-1-1 - Dictaphone wartime relocation certificates

Title: Dictaphone wartime relocation certificates

ID: PF11-PF11-1-984022-1-1

Date: 26 Jan. 1943 (date of creation)

Restrictions on access:

No restrictions on access.

Publication status:

published

File: PF11-PF11-1-984022-1-2 - Law firm letterheads

Title: Law firm letterheads

ID: PF11-PF11-1-984022-1-2

Date: 1939-1944 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File contains letterhead for Berkinshaw, Barrett & Kennedy; Macdonell & Boland; and W.H.L. Cane, Sheriff, County of York.

Restrictions on access:

No restrictions on access.

Publication status:

published

File: PF11-PF11-1-984022-001 - Law firm letterheads

Title: Law firm letterheads

ID: PF11-PF11-1-984022-001

Date: 1927-1971 (date of creation)

Scope and content:

File consists of approximately 110 law firm letterheads accumulated by A.Burke Doran. The items in this file range in date from 1927 to 1971 and document primarily Ontario law firms.

Physical description: 1927-1971

Restrictions on access:

No restrictions on access.

Publication status:

published
