

Fort Kent Telephone company secretary's book and telephone directories

MCC-00200

Finding Aid

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Title: Fort Kent Telephone company secretary's book and telephone directories

Creator/Collector: Chad Pelletier

Collection number: MCC-00200

Shelf list number: UM-200

Dates: 1895 – 1948, 1953

Extent: 2 folders (.10 cubic feet)

Provenance: Material was acquired from Chad Pelletier

Language: English

Conservation notes: Photocopies were placed in archival folders

Access restrictions: No restrictions on access.

Physical restrictions: None.

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Separated materials: Not applicable.

Related materials: MCC-00272 Fort Kent Telephone Company Act to incorporate, 1895

Location of originals: Muriel (Mrs Dick) Harvey as of July 2000.

Location of copies: Not applicable.

Published in: Not applicable.

Biographical information: Chad was born on April 22, 1975 in Waterville, Maine, to Edmond Pelletier and Caroline Theriault. The Family moved to Fort Kent when Chad was still a toddler. He graduated from Fort Kent High School and has been called an "antiquarian" by former Archives director, Lisa Ornstein. Chad has a passion for local history and artifacts and has given multiple workshops/classes to local patrons and visitors on local history. He is presently employed at Northern General Hospital in Eagle Lake.

Scope and content: This collection consists of photocopies of the Fort Kent Telephone Company Secretary's book, 1848-1948 and the 1947 and 1953 Fort Kent Telephone Company directories.

The Fort Kent Telephone Company Secretary's book, 1848-1948 contains rules and regulations on the "Act to incorporate the Fort Kent Telephone Co." within the State of Maine. It also contains letters, minutes of annual meeting, and minutes of directors meeting.

The 1947 and 1953 Fort Kent Telephone Company directories contain ads from the Fort Kent Electric Company, Nadeau Bros. & Company, and Etscovitz Sons Garage but mainly contain names of people or businesses with their corresponding phone numbers at the time. The 1947 and 1953 Telephone Directory were also connecting with the New England and the New Brunswick telephone systems.

Inventory:

Folder 1: Fort Kent Telephone Company Secretary's book, 1848-1948 -163 sheet

Folder 2: 1947 and 1953 Fort Kent Telephone Company directories