

Gary Pelletier Can-Am Crown Race photograph album, 2006

MCC-00214

Finding Aid

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Title: Gary Pelletier Can-Am Crown Race photograph album

Creator/Collector: Pelletier, Gary

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Shelf list number: UP-214

Dates: 2006

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Provenance: Material was acquired from Gary Pelletier, 2010.

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Biographical information:

Gary Pelletier was born in 1942 and is one of 5 children born to Leonard J. and Mary Dufour Pelletier of St. Francis. He was brought up in the St. Pamphile area and attended the St. Agatha Convent for a couple of years. His family moved to the Allagash area and he attended schools in Allagash and St. Francis. Gary married Linda and they have 4 sons and 1 daughter. Mr. Pelletier was a scaler for International Paper and he also

followed in his father's footsteps, his uncle Maynard's footsteps to become a game warden in 1966. Mr. Pelletier retired in 1996 from the Game and Wildlife Department but he is still an avid collector and historian concerning the law enforcement branch.

Scope and content:

This collection consists of 115 photographs taken by Gary Pelletier of the volunteers working on the trails for the annual Can-Am Crown Race 2006, held in Fort Kent and surrounding Aroostook County, Maine, towns. The color photographs depict the trail volunteers grooming trails and driving four-wheelers and snowmobiles. Many of the photographs have identifying information written on their reverse sides.

Inventory:

Volume 1: Gary Pelletier Can-Am Crown Race photograph album. 108 photographs.

Note: The photographs were numbered by the owner. Photos number 77 and 78 were never included in this collection. The collection was given to us without photos 77 and 78.

Photo # Descriptions

- 1- Pete and Josh, Dickwood trails. Color. Dated Dec 2006. 15 x 10 cm
- 2- Gary and Pete. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 3- Pete. Color. Note dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 4- Josh and Pete getting ready to repair bridge on drake brook Dickwood trail. Color. Note dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 5- Before repair, Drake Brook. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 6- After (bridge after repairs). Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 7- Blowdown Birch trail. Color. 2005. 15 x 10 cm
- 8- Josh. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 9- Pelletier BK, Mark Albert helping Jim Caron, guard master. Color. Jan 2006. 15 x 10 cm
- 10- Jim Caron. Color. Jan. 2006. 15 x 10 cm
- 11- Mark Albert supervising Jim Caron. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 12- Supervisor Mark pointing to Jim. Jim forgot a branch. Color. Not dated. 15x10cm
- 13- Gary's sled twitching a blowdown tree. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 14- Can-Am, Loggers and trail workers. Color. Not dated 15 x 10 cm
- 15- Mark Albert lining sled for dog team and bridge. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 16- Setting log rails for bridge. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 17- Jim Caron setting base logs, Pelletier BK (brook?). Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 18- Stealthy Mark watching deer. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 19- Mark checking if a buck or doe. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 20- Mark asking if it will be here next fall. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 21- East side of Pelletier BK (brook). Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 22- Getting ready to cross Pelletier BK (brook). Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 23- Finished product at Pelletier Brook. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm

- 24- Deer in sled trail. Color. Dated 02/21/06. 15 x 10 cm
- 25- Melford Pelletier loading crew at MaBaie (Maibec). Color. Dated Feb. 18 2006. 15 x 10 cm
- 26- Can-Am crew MaBaie (Maibec). Color. Dated Feb 18. 15 x 10 cm
- 27- Grooming crew, Mcaie (Maibec), Josh P., Greg D., Glen L. Color. Dated 02/21/06. 15 x 10 cm
- 28- Cooks in Pel. & Pel. Trailer. Color. Dated 02/21/06. 15 x 10 cm
- 29- Mel(ford) & Bob getting the store ready. Color. Dated 02/21/06. 15 x 10 cm
- 30- Henderson Brook Bridge. Color. Dated 02/21/06. 15 x 10 cm
- 31- Unloading for trail. Color. Dated 02/21/06. 15 x 10 cm
- 32- Allagash River looking south at Henderson. Color. Dated 02/21/06. 15 x 10 cm
- 33- Kitchen. Color. Dated 02/21/06. 15 x 10 cm
- 34- Getting skillet ready. Color. Dated 02/21/06. 15 x 10 cm
- 35- Burner for French fries. Color. Dated 02/21/06. 15 x 10 cm
- 36- Cooks Mel(ford) & Bob. Color. Dated 02/21/06. 15 x 10 cm
- 37- Cook & Cookie, take your pick. Color. Dated 02/21/06. 15 x 10 cm
- 38- Can-Am, Trail Crew eating, -10 degrees, chill factor -30 degrees. Color. Dated 02/21/06. 15 x 10 cm
- 39- Crew having tea. Color. Dated 02/21/06. 15 x 10 cm
- 40- Trail crew, Wayne Gagnon, Jim Caron, Dan Marquis discussing plan of attack. Color. Dated 02/21/06. 15 x 10 cm
- 41- Trail crew. Color. Dated 02/21/06. 15 x 10 cm
- 42- Getting ready to load up. Color. Dated 02/21/06. 15 x 10 cm
- 43- Loading at Rock Brook Irving yard. Color. Dated 02/21/06. 15 x 10 cm
- 44- Loading gear. Color. Dated 02/21/06. 15 x 10 cm
- 45- Trail crew loading and heading home. Color. Dated 02/21/06. 15 x 10 cm
- 46- Changing into lighter gear. Color. Dated 02/21/06. 15 x 10 cm
- 47- Rocky Brook, Irving Yard. Color. Dated March 2, 2006. 15 x 10 cm
- 48- Irving Yard, Rocky Brook. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 49- Bull cook and Cookie, Rocky Brook. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 50- Dan Marquis, Jim Caron. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 51- Trail crew leaving Allagash. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 52- Groomers ready to go. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 53- Allagash start. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 54- On the way to Portage. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 55- Irving yard. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 56- Jim Dumont grooming from Portage with pipe groomer. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 57- Allagash crew. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 58- Pete S. with pipe groomer. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 59- Allagash crew arriving at Rocky Brook. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 60- Allagash trail crew. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 61- Josh & Hank shutting engines. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 62- Pete S. giving pointers to Dale P and crew. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 63- Grooming crew eating great chow. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm

- 64- Supervisor Dan Marquis keeping camp rules – no talking or you will be summoned. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 65- Wayne watching Greg for a fight. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 66- Jim Dumond arresting Greg. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 67- Jim toasting to match. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 68- Can-Am 250, Pinkham Road. Color. Dated 3-4-06. 15 x 10 cm
- 69- Henrie[sic] Carbone enjoying life, 3rd Lake. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 70- Idem Rodie, Operator, 3rd Lake. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 71- Crew at 3rd lake. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 72- Scott Sevengney enjoying a great day. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 73- Intersection 60 and 250. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 74- 60 musher. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 75- Musher on the trail. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 76- 3 crews, 60 miles. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 77- no number 77 picture*
- 78- no number 78 picture*
- 79- Can-Am 60. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 80- Can-Am 60 (musher on the trail). Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 81- Can-Am 60 (musher on the trail). Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 82- Can-Am 60, Steve Collins. (musher on the trail). Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 83- Can-Am 60, Steve Collins. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 84- Can-Am 60, Mike Paradis. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 85- Can-Am 60, Sylvain Cheviette. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 86- First 250, Martin Massicotte. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 87- Can-Am 250 (musher on the trail) Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 88- Can-Am 250. (mushers on the trail) Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 89- Can-Am 250 (musher on the trail). Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 90- Can-Am 250, Ron Brigham. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 91- Can-Am 250, Bill Matott. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 92- Morning of 3-4-06, start of Can-Am 250. Color. Dated 3/4/06. 15 x 10 cm
- 93- Pick-up truck with snowmobile trailer. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 94- Snowmobiler. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 95- View of a wooden bridge from a pick-up truck. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 96- Men standing in snowy road, one looking at a trailer wheel. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 97- Snowmobilers stopped on a trail. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 98- View of a snowy river or lake from a pick-up. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 99- Men eating lobsters. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 100- Eating lobsters. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 101- Lobsters in a cooler. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 102- Cooked lobsters on the table. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 103- Lobster feed. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 104- Two men talking. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 105- Snowmobilers built fire outside. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 106- Snowmobilers stopped in a trail. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 107- Snowmobile grooming the lake. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm

- 108- Snowmobile tracks on a lake or river. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 109- Snowmobile tracks on a lake or river. Color. Not dated. 15 x 10 cm
- 110- Gary Pelletier fishing. Color. Not dated. 10 x 15 cm
- 111- Water hole through the trail. Color. Dated 2/21/06. 15 x 10cm
- 112- Snowmobilers stopped on the trail. Color. Dated 2/21/06. 15 x 10cm
- 113- New bridge crossing brook on snowmobile trail. Color. Dated 2/21/06.
15 x 10cm
- 114- Snowmobilers stopped on the trail. Color. Dated 2/21/06. 15 x 10cm
- 115- Unidentified garage. Color. Dated 2/21/06. 15 x 10cm