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Summary information

Repository: York University Archives & Special Collections (CTASC)

Title: Wayne Ray fonds

ID: F0389

Date: 1873-1993, predominant 1952-1987 (date of creation)

Physical description: 3.5 m of textual records
3 sound recordings

Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

Wayne Scott Ray (1950-), poet, was born in Alabama, United States and grew up in Stephenville, Newfoundland and Woodstock, Ontario. He is the founder of HMS Press, a book distribution company. He has served as secretary/treasurer of the Canadian Poetry Association (1985-1988) and was a co-chairman of the League of Canadian Poets. He served as the curator of the Field horticultural photographic collection. In 1988 he established the London chapter of the Canadian Poetry Association and in the following year he was recipient of the Editors' Prize, 'Canadian author and bookman', for best poet published in 1989.

Scope and content

The fonds consists of records relating to the Canadian Poetry Association, League of Canadian Poets and the HMS Press, as well as personal papers and manuscripts of Wayne Scott Ray.

Notes

Title notes

Restrictions on access

Some access restrictions apply. Consult the University Archives for details. Restriction on Accession 1990-009, Box 2 file 31, and Box 7 file 121.

Finding aids

File and box lists available.

Accruals

The fonds comprises the following accessions:

1985-012
1987-008
1990-009
1993-021
1998-023
2000-064
2003-005
2003-059
2005-047
2007-061
2008-058

Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published
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Access points

- Textual record (documentary form)
 - Sound recording (documentary form)
 - Poetry (subject)
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Collection holdings
