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Manuscript Finding Aid

Title: Fogarty, John Wilson, d. ca. 1979. Coats of Arms Collection

Collection #: Ms B70

Dates: ca. 1957

Size of Collection: 37 items

Accession Number: none

Donor: unknown

Restrictions: none

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Biographical/historical note:

James Wilson Fogarty, an artist by training, made his living as a photographer and teacher. After his retirement he spent his time researching and painting family crests or coats of arms.

Scope and content note:

The collection primarily consists of samples of his work--coats of arms some of which are painted on parchment-like paper. Also included are a letter explaining his work, along with a sample to show clients; photographs of coats of arms which he probably used for research; written descriptions of crests; and a newspaper article describing his work.

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Box 1

Folder 1. Marketing materials
Folder 2. Research materials
Folder 3. Written descriptions
Folder 4-5. Original drawings
Folder 6. Newspaper article

Family names on crests:

Allison

Barlow

Bulkley

Chetwood

Gould

Hull

Jennings

Lockwood

Loomis

Peck

Sturgis

Talbot

Wakeman

Warner

Subject headings:

Crests

Heraldry